

CALE & BANE'S DEPARTMENT STORE. GROCERIES, MEATS, DRY GOODS, Teas, Coffees, Eggs and Butter.

CLOTHING STOCK DAMAGED BY FIRE. The Vanstrum Clothing Co. Sustains a Heavy Loss by Fire Christmas Morning.

GOOD INSURANCE WAS CARRIED. Fire is Supposed to Have Started From a Large Heating Stove in the Store.

DOG BITTEN BY A DOG. Young George Whitford is Attacked by a Dog and Sustained a Frightful Wound.

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ASSAULTS WOMAN AND IS ARRESTED. J. Stoddard, who stole a Bicycle Recently from A. L. Hoffman, in Limbo Again.

MORE SERIOUS THIS TIME. It is Claimed he Brutally Beat Mrs. Alex Johnson—She May Not Live.

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IOWA'S RETIRING GOVERNOR OFFERED THE TREASURY PORTFOLIO.

SAYS HE WILL ACCEPT HIS Term as Chief Executive of the Hawkeye State Expires Jan. 15. Legislature Convenes on the 15th and He is Busy Preparing His Annual Message—Senator Doolittle Talks of the Appointment.

DOE MOINES, Dec. 26.—Governor Leo M. Shaw was interviewed with reference to the appointment as secretary of the treasury. He still declined to talk at length about the matter, merely remarking that the president had confidentially asked him by wire if he would accept the position if it was tendered to him.

IOWANS ARE ELATED. Senator Doolittle Talks About Shaw's Appointment.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The definite announcement of Governor Shaw's selection to the position of secretary of the treasury gave the greatest gratification to the Iowa residents here.

SPRING A SENATOR. Something of a sensation was sprung in Judge McCune's court this afternoon when Attorney Baldwin produced affidavits from seven of the trial jurors in the Handolph case in which they admitted having drunk whiskey in the jury room.

A HERO OF BIRCH COULEE. Former Minnesota Indian Fighter Dies at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 26.—Dewitt Clinton House died during the day at his home in this city, aged 74 years.

W. G. CLARK ARRAIGNED AGAIN. W. G. Clark, the "Potato King," Was Up Before Judge Munter Tuesday.

CLARK SEEMS TO FEEL THAT HE WILL HAVE NO DIFFICULTY IN PROVING HIS INNOCENCE IN THE MATTER, AND HIS ATTORNEY, JUDGE FLEMING, FEELS EQUALLY CONFIDENT.

FARMER THOU EIGHT TIMES. Hudson, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Peter A. Hultenback, a well known farmer, was shot to death at his home near Grove, Columbia county, eleven shots were fired at a band of Indians at Birch Coulee. After a heroic defense of four little hands were either killed or wounded by the other troops.

SPECIAL CLEAN-UP SALE

OF ALL HOLIDAY GOODS! UNTIL JAN. 1st. Everything Left Must Be Sold.

We can't and won't carry over a single thing that any price will sell. Sale commences Dec. 26. Come and get some Bargains.

A. E. MOBERG, DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, 518-518 Front Street, Brainerd, Minn.

GRAND LODGE WILL MEET IN BRAINERD.

Scandinavian Order of Good Templars Will Hold a Convention—Two Day's Session.

MEETINGS WILL BE HELD IN COLUMBIAN HALL COMMENCING THIS MORNING AT 9 A. M.

THE GRAND LODGE OF THE MINNESOTA SCANDINAVIAN JUNIOR I. O. G. T. will meet in this city tomorrow and Saturday in the Columbian hall and it is anticipated that there will be an unusually large attendance.

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HONOLULU, Dec. 25.—President Roosevelt's message is commented on here as adverse to the sugar interests of Hawaii. The declaration against allowing more Chinese to come here was the possibility of free admission of sugar from that island and the Philippines, as well as Porto Rico, are also disappointing to Hawaii.

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SOO CANAL STATISTICS.

REPORT FOR THE YEAR SHOWS A BIG INCREASE.

FIVE CARS BURNED.

TRAIN ON THE MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS WRECKED.

HOME FOR NEEDY INDIANS.

GOVERNMENT WILL ESTABLISH ONE AT THE WHITE BARTH AGENCY.

ELITEFOLD ASSOCIATION OF IOWA.

OTTUMWA, Ia., Dec. 25.—The second annual convention of the Elitefold Association of Iowa began at the Grand Opera House in this city during the day.

OFFICERS APPREHEND D. G. CLARK AGAIN.

Arrested at his home at New Painesville Saturday Evening—Sheriff Notified.

WILL STAND TRIAL HERE AGAIN.

Wilcox Company Promises to Prosecute the Case in a Most Vigorous Manner.

Sheriff Ole Erickson received word late Saturday night that the officials at New Painesville had captured D. G. Clark, who had made his departure from Brainerd sometime ago rather eventful one, and the sheriff left on the midnight train for that place to bring the prisoner back.

It will be remembered that Clark is the man who is charged by the W. H. Wilcox company, of St. Charles, Ill., with the embezzlement of some thing like \$800, money which had been sent him to buy putlogs in Brainerd this fall.

Clark's case was continued from time to time but it finally came to trial before Judge Mantel about a week ago. There was a technicality in the evidence which made it necessary for Attorney Bissett, who was acting for County Attorney Alderman, to move to dismiss the case. The Moses Wilcox did not intend to give up, however, and turned about to procure another warrant for Clark's arrest. In the meantime Clark took time by the forelock and by the time the warrant was ready to be served he had fled toward the fair grounds, and hiked off to the woods. He was tracked for a ways but it is thought got off with a farmer and got out of reach of the officers.

The man's home is at New Painesville and as soon as he showed up there he was requested by the officials and was held for Sheriff Erickson of this county.

Editor Lynch of "Daily Post" Philsburg, N. S., has lauded the merits of Foly's Honey and Tar with this result: "I have used a great many jama remedies in my family for coughs and colds, and I can give you my honest opinion that Foly's Honey and Tar is the best thing of the kind I have ever used. I cannot say too much in praise of it." H. P. Dunn & Co., McFarland Drug Co.

BRANDER WON THE GAME.

The Ladies Basketball Team Went Down to Little Falls, Saturday, and Won Fresh Laurels.

The ladies' basket ball team of the Brainerd high school went down to Little Falls Saturday afternoon to play a game with the basket ball team of the high school of that city. The home team found little difficulty in winning the game; in fact, it was a one-sided exhibition all the way through. The final score was 24 to 6 in favor of Brainerd.

There was no team work on the part of Little Falls, but some very good individual playing was done. In the second half the Brainerd team made an especially good showing in team work. The game was decided by grand stand plays, and was replete with good individual plays on the part of Little Falls and good team work on the part of Brainerd. The work in the second half was especially clever by Miss Mahlum who played forward; Miss Brown, who played guard and Miss Clouston, who played center.

Sewage Life Streams.

Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the state board of health, is strongly opposed to the use of streams for the disposal of sewage from the smaller cities. The subject will be taken up at the sanitary conference in St. Paul, Jan. 16.

Small streams are sources of water supply, and there is a state law forbidding the polluting of all sources of water supply. To be out from the streams for use as they flow, even when they do not use the water in summer, and they are a serious menace to health. Filter plants are the natural resort in such cases, in the opinion of Dr. Bracken. One is now in successful operation at the Rochester hospital for the insane and another is to be established at the Anoka asylum.

CON MEN WORKING CAMPS.

Said That They Go to Logging Camps and Represent Themselves as Organizing Labor Leagues.

Local logging operators and employment agents are trying to figure out the lumber camps and putting the city yesterday that a gang of confidence men are working a new scheme to separate the woodmen from their cash in hand or to a false, says the Duluth Herald. Most of them are inclined to think that it is the latter.

A story was told yesterday by a woodman returning to the city from some logging camp along the Cass Lake branch of the Eastern Minnesota road, that two fairly well dressed men, representing themselves as workmen and members of some union, are canvassing many of the lumber camps and putting up a smooth story that they have been authorized to form a sort of union organization among the woodmen, to join their interests and help to keep wages in the woods at a high mark. On the face of it, such a scheme is absurd, for the conditions govern this class of work are entirely different from those of almost any other line of employment in the state.

It is said that the men working the scheme are good talkers and tell a very plausible story as to how all the woodmen in the logging district of the Northwest can be interested and brought to join the organizations as soon as they hear it. The fleeing part of the project is exposed when the organizers ask that each signer of the articles of organization advance a small fee of 25 cents to cover incidental expenses incurred by them in traveling about from one place to another. The two men alleged to be working the scheme are said to give out that they expect to visit every camp of any importance in the northern part of the state, and if there is any of the money left after paying the expenses it will be given back to the organization that they form.

Susan—The pimple, sore and blackheads are danger signals. Take Rocky Mountain Soap, you'll give a farewell reception to your troubles. See McFadden Drug Co.

HAPPY FAMILY GATHERING.

Children of Nancy J. Craig Gathered Around Her Home on the Event of Her Eightieth Birthday.

Of the many happy gatherings in the city at this Christmas season there is none more joyous than the one which composed all the children, but two, of Mrs. Nancy Craig, who on last Saturday celebrated her eightieth birthday.

Mrs. Craig has been a resident of Brainerd for thirteen years and it has been a long time since there has been a family reunion. Those of her sons who are with her spending this Christmas season and celebrating her eightieth anniversary, are: H. C. Craig, of Parkville, Pa.; N. Craig, of Farmington, Ia.; C. B. M. Craig, of Houston, Mich.; and J. W. Craig, of Tacoma, Wash. Mrs. D. Rockefeller, of Pompano, Ia., a daughter of Mrs. Craig, was also present, as was also D. R. Craig, who resides in this city who is manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company. There are two other sons, G. H. Craig, of Yermoo, Ia., and A. M. Craig, of Tacoma, Wash., who could not be present. The families of J. W. and C. B. M. Craig are present and it makes quite a family reunion.

Mrs. Craig is in the best of health and spirits and is as young in her actions as a woman of sixty years. Her many friends in this city extend congratulations.

President Favors it.

Friends of the Minnesota national park project are greatly encouraged over the attitude of President Roosevelt concerning forest reservations, says a Washington correspondent.

The president's special message to congress commending the plan for a large forest reserve in the Appalachian region and his indorsement of the proposition that has been pending for many years, indicates that the Minnesota forest reserve may receive the indorsement from the White House.

Several strong petitions have recently been filed in the executive office in Minnesota, favoring the park. One of them is from the Woman's Federated Clubs. Soon after congress convenes the advocates of the Minnesota park will be heard and have a personal talk with the president.

MINISTER PROHIBITORY.

ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT RECALLS ITS CHILEAN REPRESENTATIVE.

ARE AT TARGET PRACTICE.

People Flock to the Rifle Ranges and Each Citizen is Allowed to Shoot Thirty-Five Cartridges From a Mauer Gralla—Chile Issues a Proclamation Calling Out Another Contingent of National Guard.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 22.—General Mazar, president of the boundary commission and former president of Argentina, will approve the decision of the Argentine government to withdraw Senator Portela, the Argentine minister to Chile.

The reason for this action is that Chile has objected now features into the difficulty, taking the position that the Argentine government has abandoned possession of the dependent territory.

The public are flocking to the public rifle ranges. Each citizen is allowed to shoot 35 cartridges from a Mauer Gralla. "Foreign legation" of soldiers are being organized.

The Buenos Ayres Express expresses its approval of the recall of the Argentine minister to Chile. The paper does not believe this step necessarily means war. It says, however, that the Argentine government could not have followed a different course of action. The Herald speaks glowingly of the no secret agreement of the Argentine minister to Chile. Senator Concha Suberaman, the Chilean minister here, had a conference with General Baez, the president of the Argentine Republic, General Baez's representative to the minister was cool and he spoke with confidence. He will never back to little violence in character. General Baez is several months in the hands of the Chilean administration.

Valparaiso, Dec. 22.—Senator Portela, Argentine minister, will leave here Wednesday. The pending negotiation between Chile and Argentina will probably be continued through Secretary of Legation Baez or his representative, the Buenos Ayres. The return of Senator Portela has been accepted by the public with great interest. A proclamation was read during the day throughout Chile calling out an able contingent of the national guard.

DECISION MADE TOO LATE.

Panama Canal Stockholders Willing to Sell at Commission's Figures.

London, Dec. 22.—Senator Chalmers M. Dwyer, in an interview with a representative of the Associated Press, stated that he had formed a great deal of the Panama Canal company's stock which had been offered for sale instead of expecting the United States bicker about the price the United States would probably have bought the property. The senator also said that he believed the decision regarding the Panama Canal had come too late.

According to a dispatch from Paris to the Associated Press dated Dec. 21, the shareholders of the Panama Canal company on that date adopted a report which proposed among other things to adopt a basis of negotiation for the sale of the canal to the United States for the sum of \$100,000,000. The decision in the negotiations of the international commission's report and the mandatory of the canal company was to close the discussion by proposing a fixed price.

ALGER RALLIED WELL.

Former Secretary of War Operated on for Gallstones.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 22.—An operation has been performed on General H. A. Alger, former secretary of war, which has been suffering for some time from gall stones. The operation was performed by Dr. H. C. Craig, of Farmington, Ia., and A. M. Craig, of Tacoma, Wash., who could not be present. The families of J. W. and C. B. M. Craig are present and it makes quite a family reunion.

THE VENEZUELAN REBELLION.

United States War Vessel Will Be Kept Close at Hand.

Washington, Dec. 22.—There were no notices to the state department from Venezuela of the fact that a rebellion has developed against the government. The officials here are being kept advised of the events in that country and it is expected that a war vessel will be kept within reach of it. It can be dispatched to Venezuela at any time to look out for American interests. In this case one of the vessels of the North Atlantic squadron, probably the battleship Indiana, now in West Indies waters, will be utilized. Secretary Long said that he expects to order for the Indiana to be sent to Venezuela had actually been issued.

Senator Bewell is better.

Cumden, N. C., Dec. 22.—United States Senator William J. Bewell continues to rest comfortably at his home in this city. His physicians say that he shows a slight improvement and that he is able to take considerable nourishment. It appears to be in better condition than he has been during the past few days.

MANY PEOPLE DROWNED.

CITY MARKET HOUSE AT ZACATECAS, MEX., DESTROYED BY FIRE.

FORTY-FIVE LIVES ARE LOST.

Hundreds of People Were Removing Goods From the Basement When the Building Collapsed—Bodies of the Dead Over a Score Are Being Interred, Some of Them Fatally-Fallen Bodies Have Been Recovered.

Kansas City, Dec. 22.—A special to the Star from San Antonio, Tex., by the burning of the city market house at Zacatecas, Mex., forty-five lives have been lost and a score of persons seriously injured, some of them so badly that they cannot recover. Fifteen bodies have been taken from the ruins and a large force is at work clearing away the debris in order to recover others, though there is no hope that any of those caught in the collapse of the big structure will be found alive. It is estimated at this time to have lost the names of the victims. Among those caught in the collapse were several of the minor officials charged with the management of the market. The market house was one of the largest buildings in Zacatecas and was owned by the city. Its lower portion was composed chiefly of coal storage cisterns in which local merchants stored their perishable goods. At the time of the fire the market was crowded with people and many of them were engaged in the work of saving goods from the storage compartments. In the basement and on the first floor, hundreds of men were engaged in the work of saving goods from the storage compartments. In the basement and on the first floor, hundreds of men were engaged in the work of saving goods from the storage compartments.

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FOUR BURNED TO DEATH.

Farmhouse Near Sumnerville, Pa., Destroyed by Fire.

Duluth, Pa., Dec. 22.—Word has reached here of a terrible blood-bath that occurred about two miles from Sumnerville, Jefferson county, Pa., where a farmhouse and four of the children who were in it were burned to death by fire.

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WOMAN

IN LINE OF DELICATE INVENTION

In good condition she is sweet and lovable, and never lets her eyes on a joyful harmonizing string. Out of order of manner, there is a disconcerting and unpleasant. And then to one who has to be so well and look so well, a woman might as well try to fly without wings as to feel well and look well while the organs that make her a woman are weak or diseased. She must be healthy inside as she can be healthy outside. There are thousands of women suffering all over the country. Almost nobody knows how to cure them. While there is nothing more valuable than a modern woman, health is the first impression. Every other consideration should give way before it. Dr. King's Female Regulator is a modern for women's ailments. It is the most delicate and safe way to cure hemorrhoids, falling of the womb, nervousness, headache, backache and general weakness. You will be astonished at the results, especially if you have been experimenting with other so-called remedies. We are not making you buy an unnecessary, identified a Regulator, thousands of happy thousands of women. What it has done for others it can do for you. Sold in drug stores for \$1 a bottle.



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SULLIVAN FOUND GUILTY.

Chicago Attorney Fines \$5,000 for Abduction of a Fugitive From Justice. Chicago, Dec. 21.—The jury in the case of Lawyer Alexander Sullivan, on trial before Judge Abner Bush for conspiracy to abet a fugitive from justice, came into court with a verdict of guilty. As punishment the jury imposed a fine of \$5,000. This verdict with it no prison sentence. Sullivan's attorney has demanded that Sullivan be taken to jail, but the court refused to enforce this demand and Sullivan was permitted to leave the courtroom with his attorneys. Sullivan's counsel entered a motion for a new trial. Should this motion be overruled, Sullivan for \$2,000 will be entered against the attorney.

The charges against Sullivan were an outgrowth of jury bribing scandals involving the Chicago courts. Former Sheriff James J. Lynch, the principal prosecuting witness in the trial of Sullivan, was indicted for jury bribing in December, 1911. At this time Alexander Sullivan was the general counsel for the West Chicago Street Railroad company. Indictments charging bribery at other times were found against Lynch. He fled to Canada, but was induced to return Dec. 1. He declared that Sullivan had induced him to bribe jurors. He told the story to the grand jury and indictments for conspiracy were returned against Sullivan and Lynch. Sullivan is now in jail, but the jury is now in the hands of the justice. Sullivan is now in jail, but the jury is now in the hands of the justice.

REPRIMAND FOR MILES.

Lieutenant General Scored for His Inattention on the Bohemian Question. Washington, Dec. 21.—Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles has been reprimanded by Secretary Root for recent inattention to the Bohemian question. The reprimand is the result of a report by the secretary of war to inquire of General Miles as to his conduct in the Bohemian question. The reprimand is a stinging rebuke to General Miles. It is not touched in diplomatic language, but is straightforward and direct. The president and secretary root are determined not to allow this man's inattention to be repeated.

APPROVED BY LONG.

Secretary of the Navy Concurs in the Schley Court Findings. Washington, Dec. 21.—Secretary of the Navy, Joseph D. Long, has approved the findings and conclusions of the court of inquiry. He approved the findings of fact and the opinion of the full court. He approved the majority opinion, which holds that the court could not have entered into a consideration of the question of command at the battle of Santiago. The secretary also has declined the application of Admiral Sampson's counsel to enter upon an inquiry into the question of command and had notified Admiral Schley's counsel of that fact as a reason for declining to hear them on that point.

TO AVOID EXCLUSION LAW.

Large Number of Stock Companies Being Organized in China. Port Townsend, Wash., Dec. 21.—In formation has been received here by members of the local Chinese colony to the effect that a large number of stock companies are being organized in the northern provinces of China with a capital of \$1,000,000 and upwards and stock to the amount of \$200,000 will be loaned to Chinese coming to America so that they can show up before examined by the customs officials at the port of entry that

POLICE EFFECT

CLEVER CAPTURE.

Two of a Crooked Trio are Gathered in and Locked up in Jail.

ONE MAN MADE HIS ESCAPE.

The Men Answer the Description of Men Wanted at Benldji. For Robbery.

Chief Nelson, of the Brainerd police department, made a capture Sunday which is thought to have been a very timely one, the men now in limbo being crooks of the first water, who are known to have been pilferers of articles of value from stores during the holiday season, and the merchants of the city should feel thankful.

Sometimes ago the store of R. McLenan, of Benldji, was broken into by thieves and a large quantity of stuff taken, including among other things, fifty pocket knives, five re-rodvised three rifles, Saturday night two of the most registered at the French hotel, one as Olan Jones and the other as James Jones, alias James Williams.

The description of the men, tallied with that sent out by the officials at Benldji of two of the three men who are thought to have robbed the McLenan store.

ARE GUILTY OF TREASON.

General Davis Wants Military Control in French Province. Manila, Dec. 21.—General George W. Davis, commanding at Zamboanga, island of Mindanao, has requested that the province of Misamis, Mindanao, again be placed under military control. General Davis has proof that the recently elected president and vice president and the leading men of Misamis, Mindanao, are guilty of treason in furnishing ammunition to the insurgents within the past month. The local of the province of Misamis is also implicated. The evidence shows all these men were members of the secret Katipunan society. General James F. Wade, commanding the American forces on Cebu island, concurs in and endorses the request of General Davis.

DEATH'S GRIM REAPER.

Elmer Stevens, Died Last Night at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Elmer Stevens died Friday at 10 o'clock at St. Joseph's hospital after a sickness of several days. He lived at Benldji and was brought down to this city on Monday suffering from a severe case of erysipelas. He was taken to the hospital and had the best of medical attention. Yesterday, however, the young man was taken very sick, with brain fever and he expired about 10 o'clock last night.

Friday morning two brothers, Edward and John Stevens, arrived in the city from St. Cloud and took charge of the remains. They will be taken to St. Cloud tonight for burial. Deceased was a bartender and had been a resident of Benldji for some time.

Thursday night Torgor Kleppner, who has been employed with the M. & L. for about six years as our former, died at his home seven miles east of the city. He was fifty years of age and has lived in Crow Wing county for years. He leaves a wife and several small children.

"I suffered for years with a bronchial or lung trouble and tried various remedies but did not obtain permanent relief until I commenced using One Minute Cough Cure," writes Rev. James Kirkman, evangelist of Belle River, Ill. "I have no hesitation in recommending it to all sufferers from colds of the kind. One Minute Cough Cure affords immediate relief for coughs, colds and all kinds of throat and lung troubles. For cough it is unequalled. Absolutely safe. Very pleasant to take, never fails and is really a favorite with the children. They like it. H. F. Dunn & Co."

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The board of county commissioners will receive sealed bids until 10 a. m., Tuesday, January 7th, 1912, for the construction of a bridge across the Pine river east of Jenkins; also a bridge across the Little Pine river at or about one half mile above Jack Adney's place. Plans and specifications can be seen in the office of the county auditor, and bids should be left with the auditor. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved by the board. By order of the board.

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FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.
Interesting Local News of the Surrounding Country.

KATRINE.
Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Maghan were callers at Katrina Christmas.

The ice is not safe for heavy loads yet, several sleas breaking through Monday.

The many friends of Mr. Hage of Deerwood, are pained to learn of his improved health.

Mrs. G. A. Hunt was in Brainerd Friday looking up Christmas gifts for her grand-children.

R. J. Maghan is putting some 50,000 feet of pipe in Mille Lake lake for Con O'Brien, of Deerwood.

The mail carries say when he left Deerwood Tuesday morning for Bay Lake there were two full sacks of mail.

The lumbermen have so scattered the wolves, that they may be met on most any road or cross crossing over the lakes.

Some of our neighbors feasted on the old-time turkey for Christmas dinner, but we feasted on bivalves from Bene's.

Another cold wave must be on the way. A man with a number of spirit thermometers passed through Wisconsin prairie bring notice of the recent death of Ben J. Garvin, a prominent Methodist minister of Berlin, Wis.

In the year-book of the Methodist Annual Conference, held at Brainerd, appears a picture of the late Jas. S. Garvin. Thomas Garvin, another brother is still in the ministry. These three brothers were one time pupils in a school taught by Mrs. G. A. Hunt.

The Christmas tree and exercises at Bay Lake came off Monday evening so some of the young people could attend the catanata at Deerwood. The large school room was full, and the children in their songs and recitations gave proof of the training they had received from their teacher, Miss Corrie. A Christmas song by the five Arribald children was especially good.

The children were remembered by some tokens from the tree, and parents went home feeling that it is good to give gifts to their children.

DEERWOOD.
Well, Christmas is past and every one seems to have had a good time in Deerwood.

Believing that every person has enjoyed a merry Christmas we now take pleasure in wishing all readers of THE DISPATCH a happy new year.

A load of young people from Bay Lake, chartered by Mrs. David Archibald attended the Christmas exercises at the M. E. church on Christmas eve.

The Christmas tree and exercises at the Lutheran Church on Christmas evening was largely attended and the singing and speaking by the children was very much enjoyed by all present.

H. J. Hage did not feel equal to the task of helping dispose of the Christmas dinner at the hotel. There were about forty present and they did justice to the good things provided by the ladies.

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CHARGED WITH POSTOFFICE ROBBERY.
Guthrie, O. T., Dec. 24.—C. A. Young has been arrested by federal agents at Porton, I. T., on the charge of being connected with a robbery of \$500 in money and stamps. He paid \$100 in security to a jeweler for a diamond ring and this led to his arrest. He had over \$1,000 on him when arrested.

Suicided When Arrested.
Detroit, Dec. 24.—Nettie Hoose, a 16-year-old girl, was arrested on a charge of stealing a bottle of strychnine while standing at a patrol box with an officer who had taken her out of a saloon a few minutes before she was arrested. She died a short time later at Emerson hospital.

Called to His Door and Shot.
Paris, Tex., Dec. 24.—Rev. J. H. McClintock, living near Report, was called to his door by a man who carried a crowd of men. He claimed to have recognized some of them and gave their names to officers before being shot.

Give Way to Wireless Telegraphy.
New York, Dec. 24.—Honorable promises to give way to wireless telegraphy at the Brooklyn navyyard. The zig-zags are to be sold and the department will continue at once a series of experiments that will wireless telegraphy as a means of communication between warships.

LITTLE HOPE OF PEACE.
General Kitchener Sends in Reports of Sharp Fighting.

RESOLUTIONS.
Resolutions of Vineland Camp No. 3088, Modern Woodmen of America, Vineland, Minn.

WHEREAS, it has pleased the Sovereign Architect of the universe to summon from his laborer earth our beloved neighbor, Abel Warren, calling him by his omnipotent will to that judgment which awaits all who are tolling in this earthly temple; and

WHEREAS, the Woodmenites which so long bound us in mutual friendship and fraternal enjoyment to our departed neighbor are severed no more to be reunited until the grave shall give up its dead; and who remain will not forget the kind and true neighbor, but always cherish his memory.

RESOLVED, that by his demise our Woodmen fraternity has lost a true and worthy neighbor and the community a good citizen loved and respected by all who knew him.

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the relatives of our deceased neighbor and that the same be spread on the records of the lodge.

NEW FOREST RESERVE.
Over a Million Acres Set Apart in Montana and Idaho.

Kallapa, Mont., Dec. 24.—The register and receiver of the Kallapa land office has received a letter from the interior department instructing the withdrawal of all lands from settlement in Montana north and west of the Kootenai river. The order will involve over 1,000,000 acres of land in this country, besides taking from the state of Idaho over 175,000 acres, which, when surveyed and completed, will be made into a new forest reserve of Idaho and Montana.

Wm. E. FENLEY,
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Committee.

General Botha Makes a Threat.
Paris, Dec. 24.—The Hapell prints a dispatch from Durban, Natal, to the effect that General Louis Botha, the Boer commander-in-chief, is holding Lord Kitchener that they will be shot if Commandant Krifkaper, who was captured in Cape Colony six days ago, is not freed.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVIETTES.
Lard's Temple of New York knocked out by Kennedy of Pittsburgh in four rounds at Cincinnati.

George B. Swain, treasurer of the state of New Jersey since 1884, is dead at Newark.

Dunlap Smith, a leading financier and real estate dealer of Chicago, died Wednesday of pneumonia.

T. M. James, uncle of Frank and Jesse James and operator of the leading crockery merchant of the West, is dead in Kansas.

Jacques Francois Henri Doygner, the publicist and former minister of the French chamber of deputies, is dead. He was born Sept. 1, 1838.

FOUR BURN TO DEATH.
FIRE DESTROYS RIVER STEAMER SUN AT MEMPHIS (TENN.) WHARF.

ALL ESCAPE WAS CUT OFF.
When the Department Arrived on the Steamship Vessel Was a Mass of Flames—Hurricane Deck Gave Way and the Unfortunate Passengers Were Unable to Leave the Ship. Body of an Infant Still Missing.

Memphis, Dec. 24.—The steamer Sun, employed in the Memphis and Fulton trade, burned to the water's edge during the morning, and four lives were lost. The dead are D. H. Ratney, Old River, Ark.; Mrs. D. N. Ratney, Old River, Ark.; Mrs. O. M. Timbs, Richardson Landing, Tenn.; child of O. M. Timbs, three months old.

The fire spread with such rapidity that the steamer was a mass of flames when the department responded to the alarm. When the steamer arrived in port from Fulton it was on fire. The freight on board and a full list of passengers were taken to the wharf. The fire spread immediately, with the exception of about a dozen who decided to spend the night on the boat. Among these were Mr. and Mrs. Timbs and baby, Mrs. Timbs' sister, Miss Joseph Hammons, and Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Ratney. The boat was on fire when the boat tied up. Miss Hammons was in a stateroom, and when she was taken out she started towards an exit. There, however, wet deck for the baby and she could not get down. The hurricane deck gave way and all escape was cut off. Mrs. Hammons was able to escape without injury. Mrs. Timbs was in another stateroom and when the collapse of the roof came, she was thrown overboard. Mrs. Ratney and Mrs. Hammons had a stateroom and when the boat was on fire they were turned over to an undertaker and will be held until relatives can be heard from.

SCHOONER REPORTED LOST.
Eight Men Believed to Have Perished With Her.

Glocester, Mass., Dec. 24.—Eight men are believed to have lost their lives in the sinking of the schooner Eliza H. Parkhurst of this port, which was reported to have been foundered.

The Parkhurst, commanded by Captain John D. McKinnon, sailed from the Bay of Islands, N. F., Nov. 24, for this port, with a crew of 16 men and a passenger, Lawrence McDonald of this city. The boat carried a cargo of herring. A gale sprang up Nov. 25, and the vessel was driven to the westward.

CHILD BURNS TO DEATH.
Parents and Two Other Children Are Seriously Injured.

Pittsfield, Dec. 24.—One child was burned to death, his parents were seriously injured, and two other young children were slightly injured in a fire at the home of James H. Connolly on Wyandotte avenue. After a fire had been extinguished the charred remains of John Connolly, 4 years old, were found in a second-story room. It was not known whether the parents will recover from their injuries.

Warehouses Destroyed by Fire.
Mexico City, Dec. 24.—Wood has reached here from Mexico, Yucatan that a great fire has been raging at Progreso, starting in the warehouse of Behavore Bros. and spreading to the warehouses of Gabriel Escudero and the cement department of the Merida railway. Some 10,000 bales of henequen were exposed to the flames, and it is believed much of it has been destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000.

Eighty Soldiers Poisoned.
Chesham, Wyo., Dec. 24.—Eighty members of Company F, Eighteenth Infantry, were poisoned while eating breakfast and for a time fully half of them were in danger of death. One man is still critically ill. The post surgeon is of the opinion that the poison was in the beef.

Boy Drowns in Swimming Pool.
Calmet, Mich., Dec. 24.—The body of Ross Allen, a 12-year-old boy, was found in the swimming tank at the Young Men's Christian association building here. The boy dived into the pool against the association rules which prohibited swimming without attendant at hand and drowned.

Shot and Killed His Wife.
New York, Dec. 24.—John Bell, a carpenter, shot and killed his wife in the kitchen of their home in Brooklyn. He then hunted up a policeman and confessed his crime, claiming that he was recently returned from a visit to his parents in Scotland, had been shot by a bullet.

Killed by a Railroad Train.
Salisbury, N. O., Dec. 24.—Ray and Milton, sons of John Hurly, an employe of the Southern railway, killed by a passenger train. Zed Trull, who witnessed the accident and attempted to save the children, was seriously injured.

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Pittsburgh, Dec. 24.—The manufacturers of sewer pipe have within the past few days effected an arrangement which will place the entire trade of the United States in the hands of one dealer who will be recognized as manufacturer's agents and will sell their pipe in all parts of the country. These agencies are to be established in New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and throughout the West in selected districts. The plan is to be uniform all over the country and will be controlled by the manufacturers who have formed a general association for the purpose of regulating interstate trade. The first meeting for the selection of the agencies and to definitely settle on prices is to be held early in January. All the plants of the country except two are in the agreement.

SHOPPERS IN A PANIC.
Five Thousand People Made a Break for the Exit.

Omaha, Dec. 24.—A veritable panic broke out here today when the great building was crowded to the doors with holiday shoppers. Fire broke out in the rear of the building and the fire soon filled the building. There was a rush to escape from the building, which was soon under control. The building is several stories high and covers half a block in the heart of the city. It is believed that probably 5,000 persons in the place when the fire broke out. Only prompt action on the part of the heads of the house averted a bloodbath.

PROFESSOR 'RUBELL' INMATE.
Former Minnesota Man Committed to an Iowa Asylum.

Des Moines, Dec. 24.—Albert B. Rubell, formerly professor of languages in a Minnesota college, has been arrested and taken before the committing magistrate to answer to the public schools and failed to provide for their maintenance. After the hearing the case was sent to the asylum for the insane at Mount Pleasant.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Senator Stanton Mackay, visited connection with the Reilly case was notified Roosevelt to require his resignation as special inspector in the navy, made formal demand during the day that by usual procedure. He avowed that he came from the civil service law and that he could not be dismissed without formal charges, trial and conviction. The request for his resignation was accepted by Rear Admiral Barker, commander of the navyyard at Washington, and he was notified by letter, formally setting forth his position.

GENERAL ALGER'S CONDITION.
He Suffered Pains the First and Most Critical Stage.

Detroit, Dec. 24.—Dr. Charles C. Jewell, who is attending General Russell A. Alger, said the Associated Press.

"You may announce that General Alger has had a severe attack of the most critical stage after the operation that was performed on him last Saturday. Of course there will be a possibility of dangerous developments for at least another week, but we do not so long as I violate no rules of the service, and that I have not done, and that I have no objection in my letter to the commandant's answer to the request for my resignation. No, I did not say that the president is as bad as the czar of Russia. I have done nothing more than what the commander asked that charge be preferred against me, and I will do nothing more and am working here yet, as I have been doing for 16 months. I have tried to do my duty here and have broken no rules and am still firmly standing by my rights, more for the principle of the matter than anything else, for my position here pays me very little and is chiefly valuable because of the expert care and information it affords me as material for my books."

Rear Admiral Barker forwarded Mackay's letter to Washington.

WILL HAVE TO GO AWAY.
President's Instructions Regarding Mackay Will Be Carried Out.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Secretary of the navy, Mr. Mackay, to the effect of the president's resignation, President's receipt the secretary said he did not wish to enter into a discussion of the matter for publication. In his formal resignation he stated that he was not willing to operate in the navy yard. Long made it perfectly plain that he meant his resignation in regard to Mackay would be carried out regardless of the nature of the declaration that he is protected by civil service rules. It is expected that if he does not resign he will be removed summarily.

London, Dec. 24.—The Daily Telegraph correspondent of the Daily Telegraph writes: "Lord Elphinstone personally taken the gold and is reflecting the movements of the troops."

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WILL HAVE TO GO AWAY.
President's Instructions Regarding Mackay Will Be Carried Out.

GEORGE KEOUGH FINALLY SUCCEUMS

He had been a Resident of Crow Wing County for a Great Many Years.

LEAVES A VERY LARGE FAMILY.

Funeral Service Will Be Held Monday Afternoon From St. Francis Church.

George Keough died Friday night at 8 o'clock at his home. He was stricken the day before, as was stated, with a stroke of apoplexy and from this he never revived.

Mr. Keough was in his forty-eighth year and had been a resident of this county for a long time, having set up his home in the eighties. He lived in the city of Brainerd for years and served as a member of the city council. He had always been more or less interested in politics in the county and was very well known here.

Mr. Keough was buried Monday morning at 10 o'clock from St. Francis church, the funeral leaving his home at Oak Lawn at 9 a. m. Mr. Keough was born at Syracuse, N. Y., in 1853 and was 48 years old. He came to Brainerd about eighteen years ago and was for years proprietor of the old Central Hotel, moving to Oak Lawn about five years ago where he possessed a beautiful farm. At the time of his death he was one of the town officers of Oak Lawn and also a member of the school board. He carried insurance in both the A. O. H. and C. M. B. A. societies. He was a man who was always kind and unassuming to all, and very popular. He leaves a wife and eight small children to nurse his loss, who have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

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After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. H. P. Dunn & Co., & McFadden Drug Co.

Minnesota Sanitary Conference.
Dr. H. M. Brackett, secretary of the board of health, has completed the program for the Minnesota Sanitary conference, which will be held Jan. 11 at the state capitol. The opening session will be in the afternoon. Among the subjects for discussion are "Sewerage Disposal," led by George L. Wilson, of St. Paul; "Typhoid Fever," led by Dr. J. M. Robinson, "West Nile Epidemic," led by Dr. Justus Olmge, St. Paul, and "Water Supplies in Minnesota," led by Prof. J. J. Platter, Minneapolis.

The program for the evening session, which will also be held at the capitol, includes addresses by Governor Van Sant and Dr. Francis Staples. Mrs. Corrie Hamlin will discuss "The Influence of the Women on Sanitation." Dr. C. L. Green, "Tuberculosis," Dr. H. Longstreet Taylor, "The Care of Tuberculosis in Sanatoria," and Professor H. L. Russell, "Bovine Tuberculosis in Its Relation to Public Health."

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To Get Right of Way.
The Northern Pacific Railway company has begun condemnation proceedings in district court against the Duluth Transfer Railway company to acquire a right-of-way over that of the defendant for a line to run into the manufacturing plants on Grassy Point and in West Duluth.

The Northern Pacific claims that the defendant is not reaching this territory, so that the condemnation will not interfere with its work. It is asserted that the line is needed, and the court is asked to appoint commissioners to appraise the value of the property taken. J. L. Washburn and W. D. Bailey are the attorneys.

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Get A Severe Dose.

Friday the time in the municipal court was pretty well taken up with the case of the state against Martin A. Luther, the man from Crow Wing, who was charged with cruelty to animals.

The case was quite unusual one in which some very harrowing details were brought out in connection with the case that the team was receiving at the hands of the defendant, especially since the time that William Vail threatened to foreclose a mortgage which he held on the horses.

The evidence brought out the facts that Luther was in the city with a load of hay not long ago and he was told by a neighbor that Vail intended to common foreclose proceedings; that he went home and from that time on commenced a systematic process of starving the horses to death; that they did finally die.

Luther appeared on his own behalf, yesterday and put up a big fight, claiming that he did not will neglect, but that he did all in his power to revive the horses when they fell from weakness in the stable.

Judge Manlor did not see things his way, however, and he was fined \$25 or sentenced to thirty days in the city jail. He is very destitute circumstances and could not raise the money, but was taken to jail.

Information Wanted.
The manufacturers of Banner Balm have always believed that no doctor or medicine can cure in every case, but never having heard where Banner Balm failed to cure ulcers, sores, tooth aches, or piles, as a matter of curiosity would like to know if there are such cases. If so they will send you the medicine free. P. Dunn & Co., & McFadden Drug Co.

Labor in Northern Minnesota.
Thirty-seven towns in Northern Minnesota, not including Duluth and the iron range, have been visited by officials of the state labor department who have inspected 386 manufacturing and 37 non-manufacturing establishments.

There are 7,680 men, 165 women and 33 boys employed in the manufacturing establishments. In the non-manufacturing establishments there are 173 men and 49 women work.

Sunday labor in addition to week day work is performed by 233 persons, or 2.7 per cent of all. Of these 33 per cent are in railroad roundhouses, 29 per cent in electric light plants and water works, and the rest in saw mills and flour mills. Child labor makes only .42 of one per cent of the labor employed in this district. The working day is twelve hours in the non-manufacturing establishments.

Tom of All Mexicos.
The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will start from Minneapolis for St. Paul Monday, January 27th, 1902, a standard high class touring road-trip car for an extended tour of Mexico.

This car will be attached to a vestibule train Pullman car consisting of baggage and commissary car, open top observation car, buffet and bar car, sleeping car, and a touring road-trip car from and back to Chicago. All of Mexico will be covered, including the tropics.

The train will leave Chicago 10:30 a. m. January 25th, through Car from Twin Cities will arrive Chicago 7:00 a. m. and will be immediately following morning—making 37 days. Rate for entire trip from St. Paul and Minneapolis \$35.00. This includes every possible expense—sleeping, cars, meals, hotel expenses, guides, carriages, street cars, etc.

The tour is one of a life time and the best ever arranged for Mexico. The train and party will be under the personal direction of Mr. Ross Campbell, General Manager American Tourist Association. Write to J. T. Conley, Asst. Gen. Pass Agent, C. M. & St. P. Ry., St. Paul, for detailed itinerary, map, pamphlets, and complete information.

Hon. Alexander Moore Dead.
Friday about 8 o'clock a. m. Hon. Alexander Moore one of the most prominent residents of Sauk Centre died after a brief illness, in his seventy eighth year. He was a very prominent figure for years in Hennepin county and is well-known throughout the state.

Health and Beauty.
A poor complexion is usually the result of a torpid liver or irregular action of the bowels. Unnatural refuse is carried off it will surely cause impure blood. Pimples, boils and other eruptions follow. This is nature's method of throwing off the conditions. It is a very prominent figure for years in Hennepin county and is well-known throughout the state.

GAY LARK ENDS DISASTROUSLY.

Three Young People Spend the Night in a Lock Up on a Serious Charge.

YOUNG GIRL IS LED ESTRAY.

Were Arraigned Saturday Before Judge Manlor in the Municipal Court Room.

Friday officer Hurley was called to one of the hotels in the city to perform a duty which sometimes devolves upon a police officer that is not always a pleasant one.

It seems that a young man by the name of J. A. Knapp, a railroad man, engaged a room at the hotel and having the early hours of the morning it is said seduced a young girl by the name of Bonnie Proudly in the room and both Knapp and a friend by the name of William Keanth were found in the room with the girl when the officer was called.

The young girl, who is but fourteen years of age, and both young men were locked up in the city jail over night. The morning the charge of carnal knowledge was lodged against the young men and they were to have been arraigned before Judge Manlor at 10 o'clock. At the appointed hour, however, some material facts in the case had not been learned and the matter was adjourned until two o'clock this afternoon. It was truly a sad case to see the young girl in the court room this morning. The young lady is quite handsome and attractive and her presence in the court room this morning was something unusual. Her mother sat at her side, the tears weighing heavily in her eyes, as she looked into the face of her wayward daughter with tender solicitude. The young men are well known in railroad circles, and Knapp registered at the hotel from Duluth.

The young men were arraigned this afternoon before Judge Manlor and the case was continued for one week.

Saved His Life.
"I wish to say that I feel I owe my life to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure," writes H. C. Christensen of Hayward, Minn. "For three years I was troubled with dyspepsia so that I could hold nothing on my stomach. Many times would be unable to retain a morsel of food. Finally I was confined to my bed. Doctor and I could not live. I read one of your advertisements on Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and thought it fit my case and commenced its use. I began to improve from the first bottle. After a week I could eat and digest it all." Digests your food. Cures all stomach troubles. H. P. Dunn & Co.

MISS MARY GULLUP DEAD.
Information Received in the City Conveying the Sad Intelligence Last Night—Well Known Here.

The sad news was received in the city Friday by Mrs. W. H. Doudy, conveying the intelligence of the death of the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gallup, at Livingston, Mont. Her name was Mary Gullup and she was in her seventeenth year. She had been a sufferer from that dreaded disease, consumption, and the family moved west some time ago hoping that the change of climate might prolong her life.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gallup in this city extend sympathy.

Saw Death Star.
"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn. "to hear my wife cough and it seemed her weak and sore lungs would collapse. Good doctors said she was far gone with consumption, but no medicine or earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery and permanent use of this excellent medicine saved her life." It's absolutely guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Throat and Lung diseases. 50c and \$1.00 at McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co.

The factory of the Duluth Match company is increasing its daily output. As men are trained to the work, they have been enabled to train the company to train into the special work nearly every employe, and this has taken some time. A forecast of long experience from the Diamond Match company's employe has been secured and the output is now about 700 cases daily.

ANOTHER VIEW.

A Distant Glimpse of the Recent Liquor License agitation in City Council.

Editor DAILY DISPATCH:— "By reading the reports in your paper upon the liquor license question, as recently considered by our honorable city council, one might be led to believe, that this city can not exist without a saloon on every street corner, from which the principal revenue of our city must come.

"This is the way at least it looks to me, after reading the remarks and statements made by some of our aldermen, and other city officials, upholding the saloon business and its revenue. It seems to me that this city, as well as Fargo, and other cities in our country, can raise its required revenue in some other reputable way, than by upholding and maintaining an evil within its midst, bringing sorrow and misery upon the majority of its citizens.

"We may talk about our honorable representatives, one by one, as upholders and advocates of the license, and the sale of liquor—but let me tell you, so long as these men are allowed to sway and control the public sentiment, so long will evil and misery remain within our midst, causing untold agony and sorrow to many a heart.

"You representative business men, should think twice before you sign any more low license documents such as you recently signed, thereby stimulating, and upholding the liquor business in its present form, by which, so many a young innocent boy and girl become degraded and ruined. The mayor may look at the interest of our citizens from more than one point of view, but in writing and signing the resolutions providing for a higher license, as adopted by a majority of our aldermen, representing a majority of our citizens, he has certainly not complied with the wish of the majority of our citizens, but has complied with the wish of the saloon-keepers.

"It is true the city gets a certain amount of revenue from these saloons, but what expense are they to our city besides the degrading morality they create? I do not write this for political effect but because I believe it is the duty of every true moral citizen to remember the honorable members of our city council, who so bravely advocated, and passed the high license resolution, which was the right direction towards reform.

"I appeal to all and every sober-minded citizen, to consider this subject with more than a passing interest, as it so greatly affects our entire social and moral condition, in our home and in our country.

Respectfully submitted,
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All Doctors have tried to cure CATARRH by the use of potent, strong, cathartics and drugs in paste form. Their patients cry up the mucous membrane causing them to break open and bleed. The remedy to be used in the catarrh have entirely eaten away the same membrane, their makers have aimed to cure, while pastes and ointments cannot reach the disease. An old and experienced practitioner who has for many years made a close study and specialty of the treatment of Catarrh, has at last perfected a Treatment which when faithfully used, not only relieves at once but permanently cures Catarrh, by removing the cause, stopping the discharge, and curing all inflammation. It is the remedy known to science that actually reaches the affected parts.

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Neighborhood Gossip.

Fargo and Moorhead sportsmen have organized a driving park association.

Mrs. F. J. Farwood died in her home in Belle Prairie after a long illness from consumption.

The two young men working for Armour & Co. at Fargo, were nearly asphyxiated recently.

Henry Becker, of Bemidji, is in jail at Fergus Falls bound over to the federal grand jury for alleged illegal timber cutting.

The Great Northern will give Akeley a new depot, a large petition having been sent in to headquarters, signed by all the citizens.

The executive committee of the Southern Minnesota Eco. Keepers' association has outlined the program for the convention which will be held in Winona on Jan. 21 and 22.

A cold cough or la grippe can be "snipped" in the hand, with a dose or two of Foley's Honey and Tar. Beware of substitutes. H. P. Dunn & Co. and McFadden Drug Co.

Nicholas Linberg, a tinsmith, of Glenwood, was found frozen to death four miles south of town, by the edge of a woods. He was found accidentally by hunters. He has no relatives there.

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The city council of Little Falls held an adjourned session Tuesday evening, and a special election was called. The election is for the purpose of voting on the new city charter, which will be held Jan. 7.

O. W. Lynch, Winchester, Ind., writes: "I owe the life of my boy to Foley's Honey and Tar. He had membranous croup, and the first dose gave him relief. We continued its use, and it soon brought him out of danger." H. P. Dunn & Co., & McFadden Drug Co.

Deacon H. W. Fuller, of Wadena, aged 70 years, is dead. He was a prominent citizen of that city, and enjoyed the distinction of being the first settler in what is now Wadena. He took a homestead in 1872.

Chas. Replogle, Atwater, O., was in very bad shape. He says: "I suffered a cat deal with my kidneys and was requested to try Foley's Kidney Cure. I did so and in four days I was able to go to work again, now I am nearly well." H. P. Dunn & Co., & McFadden Drug Co.

The Great Northern Railroad Co.'s purchasing agent has just placed an order for 415 carloads of wood with the firm of Jones, Foster & Co., the local wood dealers, to be delivered on or before the first of June next.—Akeley Independent.

Clipper, Deere and Imperial chilled rods plow at Hessel's, corner of Fourth and Front Sts.

Joseph Zalager, Sr., of Langola, an old and well known German farmer of that town, perished in the cold last Friday night. The old gentleman and his son Joseph Jr. went to Rice lake that day in a buggy and started for home late—Royalton Banner.

J. W. Bryan of Lowder, Ill., writes: "My little boy was very cow with pneumonia. Unknown to his doctor we gave him Foley's Honey and Tar. The result was magical and I praised the doctor, as it immediately stopped the racking cough and he quickly recovered." H. P. Dunn & Co., & McFadden Drug Co.

The gallery of our genial superintendent, E. L. Brown, of the Northern Pacific road is well known but his latest distinguishing mark in that line occurred recently when he made several frantic chorus girls happy by securing them a special train to catch up with their company.—Rush City Post.

Of Benefit to You

D. S. Mitchell, Fulford, Md., writes: "During a long illness I was troubled with bed sores, and advised to try Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve and did perfectly cured. It is the best salve on the market." Sure cure for piles, hemorrhoids, and other ailments. H. P. Dunn & Co.

Bicycles repaired at Hoffman's.

A REAR-END COLLISION

FATAL ACCIDENT ON THE NORTH-WESTERN AT LITTLE SUAM.

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TWO KILLED, ONE INJURED


Caboose and Eight Cars Are Tele-scoped and Burned—Bodies of the Dead Men Cremated in the Wreck—The Third Unfortunate Has a Close Call From the Flames Before Making His Escape.

Green Bay, Wis., Dec. 21.—Two men cremated and another frightfully burned about the lower part of his body and the destruction of locomotives and cars was the outcome of a rear-end collision of two southbound special freight trains on the Northwestern railway early Sunday morning at Little Suam.

The Illinois-Napoleon Deloria and Louis Gilmette, both of Green Bay, Deloria was a baggageman and leaves a wife and eight children. Gilmette who was only 18 years of age, resided with his father here. Foreman Conductor E. J. Barney of Escanaba, a brakeman, is the injured man and is now at the general hospital with a good chance of recovery. The first train and reached Little Suam and was stopped on the main track to take water. Suddenly a headlight of the special train shot out from a curve near the depot and a few seconds later the collision occurred. Deloria and Gilmette, who ran on Conductor Barney's passenger train, were deathly frightened by the crash and were hurled from their families and were hurled beyond recognition and later in the day were brought to the morgue in Green Bay.

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THIRTY-THREE RESCUED.

Pere Marquette Car Ferry Strikes a Bar at Ludington, Mich.

Ludington, Mich., Dec. 2.—While entering Ludington harbor during a heavy northerly gale the Pere Marquette car ferry struck a bar, causing a heavy collision and breaking the main feed steam pipe. Great volumes of steam instantly escaped. Mike Tark, a coal passer, was scalded to death, and two other coal passers were terribly scalded. Many others who were on the deck of the car ferry were badly burned and suffered great hardships during the storm which followed before they were rescued.

The accident happened at midnight and during the heaviest of the night there was neither light nor heat. The wind was bitterly cold. Great seas rolled across the deck and ice formed wherever the water fell.

When the day broke the life saving crew by means of their canoes, went a line to the wrecked craft and the entire crew of 23 men and the body of Tark were taken off the wreck in the breeches buoy. One by one the men were hoisted over the churning ice on the suspended cable. The operation required four hours and was witnessed with breathless interest by an immense crowd of people.

WAS A RECORD BREAKER.

Minnesota Does the Best Business in Mineral Leases Since 1892.

St. Paul, Dec. 21.—The year ending July 31 had the largest record of mineral leases and contracts since 1892. State Auditor Dumm's books show a total of 238 prospectors' leases and 48 contracts for development of mines on state lands, with a total cash return of \$15,000.

In 1892, the year following the extensive discoveries of iron on the Lake Superior range, 1,001 leases were taken out, but only about one-third of them resulted in development contracts. In the next five years only seven contracts were consummated. With the return of good times the state's mineral lands were again in demand and in 1904 contracts were issued.

The whole number of mining development contracts made last year, of which 150 are still in force, at this age expected to return to the state at least \$20,000,000 in royalties.

REACH AN AGREEMENT.

Brigands Will Release Miss Stone for Fourteen Thousand Pounds.

London, Dec. 21.—According to a Bolls dispatch to The Daily Telegraph an agreement has been reached between the brigands holding Miss Stone captive and the American legation at Constantinople, under the terms of which the ransom for her release is £14,000. It is said the ransom was to be paid on Bulgarian soil and that Miss Stone is to be liberated in Turkish territory.

Mrs. Heatwell Wants Damages.

Northfield, Minn., Dec. 21.—Gerrit Coe, the City of St. Cloud and H. P. Gale, receiver, are named as defendants.

Says He Was Tortured.

"I suffered such pain from corns I could hardly walk," writes H. Robinson. His corns were cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Perfect healer of skin diseases and all other eruptions. H. P. Dunn & Co., Fargo, Dak.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

SATURDAY.

Dr. Butler of Pequot, was a guest in the city this afternoon.

W. M. Hubbard left for St. Paul this afternoon to visit for a week with friends.

Miss A. Thorsell returned this afternoon from the academy at St. Joseph.

Mrs. E. A. McKay left this afternoon to visit for a few days with friends.

Mrs. A. E. Mates left this afternoon for Minneapolis for a visit for a few days.

Dr. Beckes, of St. Cloud, arrived in the city this afternoon on professional business.

Miss Hahn, of St. Cloud, is in the city visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Kreutz.

Justin Smith returned from Minneapolis this afternoon to spend the holidays with his mother.

M. B. Emery, the Seranton Correspondence Schools man, left for Minneapolis this afternoon.

Miss Dulia Lynch left this afternoon for Anoka where she will visit with friends through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hagberg and Mayne Lindberg left this afternoon for Minneapolis to spend the holidays with her parents.

Miss Mamie Dolin returned this afternoon from the university at Minneapolis to spend the holidays with her parents.

Mrs. Brauch left for Minneapolis this afternoon.

A fine line of cutters at Hessels, corner Fourth and Front.

John Hessel left this afternoon for Little Falls to spend Sunday with friends.

I. N. Smith, of Staples, passed through the city this afternoon en route to Minneapolis.

Chas. Vanderhulst left this afternoon for Minneapolis to spend the holidays with friends.

Sheriff Hardy, of Walker, was in the city this morning on business returning home this afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Davis returned from Staples this afternoon where she has been visiting for a few days.

Eugene Whitley returned this afternoon from Minneapolis to visit with his parents over Christmas.

Nick Linneman returned from the university at Minneapolis this afternoon to spend his holiday vacation with relatives.

Guy Bean returned last night from Anoka, Ia., where he has been attending school, to visit with his parents over Sunday.

R. J. Hartley, George Cook and J. J. Howe returned this afternoon from Park Rapids where they have been to attend a big land sale.

A. G. Massey, the bustling solicitor for the Mutual Life, of New York, left this afternoon for Little Falls to spend the holidays with friends.

The Misses McMahon and Mrs. A. Barker, of Bemidji, passed through the city this afternoon en route to the Twin Cities to spend the holidays.

There will be an Elk rehearsal tomorrow afternoon at 8 o'clock in Penobscot hall. It is requested that there be a full attendance tomorrow afternoon.

The late Mr. Lagerquist carried in the neighborhood of \$10,000 on his life, most of which has been paid to his wife.

The eleventh annual ball of North Star Lodge, I. A. O. M., will be held at Gardner's hall on New Year's eve.

The committee in charge are: Arrangements—H. F. Purg, H. Eckelwood, Geo. Johnson, C. D. McKay, E. S. McDonald, H. Poppenberg, George H. Johnson, Henry Schwere, O. Anderson, T. Jones, H. Poppenberg, J. F. Casey, Reception—G. A. Johnson, Kenneth McDonald, Robert Fox, E. Beck, E. S. McDonald, J. A. McKay.

Yesterday afternoon young Earl Smith, the culprit who stole some clothing from Linneman & Carlson's clothing store on Frost street, was held to the grand jury on the charge of grand larceny.

Young Smith claims his home as Sauk Rapids but will give very little of the history of his past life or anything about his people.

He looks to be a rather tough young fellow and conveys the impression that he would do a man up if he could at any time.

Yesterday afternoon the case against Mrs. Hattie Landry was taken up again before Judge Mantor. The case has been bobbing up in the courts from time to time for the past month or two and has been a rather annoying affair and turns out to be a spiteful neighborhood row.

Mrs. Landry was charged with disturbing the peace of the neighborhood, but there does not seem to be any ground for the charge or the allegation.

It is an unfortunate affair clear through and it is to be regretted that it was ever taken into the courts. The case against Mrs. Landry was dismissed yesterday afternoon on motion of the city attorney.

MONDAY.

E. R. Sunberg, of Walker, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. F. W. Hall and son of Aitkin, were guests in the city today.

Sheriff Hardy, of Walker, was a guest in the city this afternoon.

Boy Leak left for Pequot this morning. He will return tomorrow morning.

County Auditor C. E. Griffith, of Walker, was in the city this morning on business.

Attorney Geo. H. Sparc, of Grand Rapids, was in the city this morning on business.

Miss Everett, of Elk River, has just closed a very successful term at the Normal school in the north this morning.

William Hosler killed an owl Saturday near Seelye which measured five feet and five inches from tip to tip.

There was a very interesting meeting of the Brazered Court, Catholic Order of Foresters, yesterday afternoon.

Miss Georgia Clulow came home on Sunday morning from Hamilton, to spend Xmas holidays with her parents in the city.

Edgar Parks arrived home Saturday from the university at Minneapolis to visit with his parents through the holidays.

Calvin Goodrich returned to his home in Minneapolis this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city with his cousin, Russell Cass.

Mrs. William McCluskey, of Spokane, arrived in the city this afternoon to spend the holidays with her sisters in Brazered, Mrs. A. H. Bennett and Mrs. Sam Parker.

F. S. Johns, who has been on the road as traveling representative for Stone, Ordean, Wells & Co., has resigned his position and returned to his home in Duluth.

Mrs. Clulow preached at Pillager and Motley, on Sunday. She is remaining at Pillager to assist in a Xmas entertainment given by the Sunday school there tonight.

Yesterday afternoon the young son of Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Low was taken sick with diphtheria.

The house has been quarantined and the general city clerk will be kept from his "own troubles" for a few days.

Miss Graf left today for Liverett, where she will make her home in the future. She had a large class of music students in the city and many of her friends will regret very much to hear of her departure.

A few days ago Manager Walker, of the Brazered telephone exchange had the misfortune to have one of the toes of his left foot crushed to the extent that it had to be entirely amputated. He will not be able to do as his desk for sometime as it is a very painful bruise.

Saturday night a team of horses belonging to Frank Dudley, who lives on the Wise farm, ran away as they were going home from Brazered, throwing both Mr. and Mrs. Dudley out of the buggy.

One of the forward wheels run over both Mr. Dudley's ankles. It was feared that his ankles had been badly fractured. He was brought back to Newton Palmer farm but on calling the doctor it was found that the leg was only slightly bruised. Dr. Rounds was the physician called.

TUESDAY.

A. W. Jarvis left for Duluth this morning.

Joel Smith returned from Bemidji this morning.

Dr. Bachelier left for Minneapolis this afternoon.

E. J. Cook left for St. Paul this afternoon to spend a few days with friends.

Billy Carmichael and Harold Smith returned from North Dakota last night.

G. E. Lefter left for St. Paul this afternoon to visit during the holidays with friends.

C. A. Weyerhaeuser, of Little Falls, was a guest in the city this morning on business.

Mrs. S. S. Sleeper left this afternoon for Minneapolis to spend Christmas with relatives.

Ely Hatter and daughter returned to Aitkin this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city.

Misses Helen and Georgia Murray leave tonight for a two week's visit to Todd and Ottotall couples.

Attorney Scribner, of Backus, is in the city today on his way to Minneapolis to spend the holidays.

Earl Mallory returned from the Minnesota university this afternoon to spend the holidays with his parents.

W. C. Lynch, traveling representative for Cleary, McGillicuddy & Henderson returned from the north this morning.

Mrs. A. K. Foster arrived from the east this afternoon to visit with her mother, Mrs. Lorentz, through the holidays.

Mrs. James Cullen, mother of Jas. Cullen, of this city, returned to her home in Duluth after a very pleasant visit in the city.

William Deering, who worked in the N. P. shops in this city, left this afternoon for Duluth where he will make his future home.

Miss Lucy Stearns and Miss Holmenack expected home this evening to spend Christmas with their relatives.

A. G. Trommald left this afternoon for Detroit, Minn., where he will spend Christmas with relatives and friends.

Miss Bessie Wieland came up from Hamilton this afternoon to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wieland.

J. M. Heffner left for St. Paul this afternoon to spend Christmas, Mrs. Heffner having preceded him several days ago.

The boys in the south part of town have chased the ice on Brown lake and have put it in good shape for skating. There will doubtless be a large number and tomorrow enjoying this sport.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. White and family are expected in the city tonight from Arlington to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. White. H. G. White is a brother of R. M. White.

Little Miss Lilly Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson, returned this afternoon from Faribault where she has been attending the school for the blind, to spend the holidays with the family.

David Schrader returned from Pequot this morning where he has been on land business for sometime. Mr. Schrader expects to leave on December 27 for Waterloo, Ia., where he has accepted a position as assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of that city.

Yesterday morning there was quite a destructive fire at Aitkin. The fire destroyed the building and contents of Davidson & McElroy, dealers in farm machinery, also fifty tons of pressed hay and a fine pair of horses owned by Coulthard, cashier of the Bank of Aitkin. The loss is estimated at \$6,000, partly covered by insurance. The work of the firemen saved the entire west side of Main street.

THURSDAY.

E. M. Brown returned last night from St. Paul.

Dr. Datcheller returned this afternoon from St. Paul.

Mona Mahlum left this afternoon for St. Paul on business.

J. W. Weber, spent Christmas at his home in St. Cloud.

Mrs. Frank Bell left this afternoon for Duluth for a few days visit.

Miss Estelle was from St. Paul visiting relatives over Christmas.

Judge McClennan left this afternoon for St. Paul on legal business.

Editor Cox, of the Arena spent Christmas at his home in St. Peter.

Chas. Watson went to St. Paul yesterday to spend a few days with friends.

Rev. J. A. Johnson left this afternoon for Pillager where he will preach this evening.

Editor Fuller, of Little Falls, was in the city for a short time this afternoon between trains.

H. Mayer, of St. Paul, arrived in the city this afternoon to visit for a time with Gene McCarthy.

William Nuernberg, the general clerk at the Arlington, spent Christmas at St. Cloud.

Dr. Coventry, who was in the city spending Christmas with relatives, left this afternoon for Duluth.

Al Mattes returned this afternoon from Minneapolis, where he went to spend Christmas with relatives.

Miss Barker, teacher in the public schools, left this afternoon for the Twin Cities for a few days visit.

Miss Marshall, who clerks for L. M. Koop, left yesterday for St. Cloud to spend a few days with friends.

Editor Draw and family, of Staples, spent Christmas in the city, guests of Dr. and Mrs. Rounds.

Miss Sophia Moe went to Deerwood yesterday morning where she will visit for a few days with relatives.

Claude DeShon, of St. Paul, is in the city the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wieland.

County Superintendent Wilson left last night for St. Paul to attend the State Educational Association sessions.



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Among the many valuable Christmas presents received in the city none were nicer than the "spark" received by Mayor Hatfield from his best friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Olson, of Biwabik, arrived in the city this afternoon to be the guests for sometime of Mr. and Mrs. A. Olson. Mr. C. Olson and Mr. A. Olson are brothers.

Yesterday afternoon W. A. Frater wife and daughter, who are visiting in the city, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dean took dinner with Superintendent and Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

Mrs. Martha Olson, of Chicago, mother of A. Olson the merchant tailor is visiting in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Frater, who have been visiting in the city with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Frater left this afternoon for the east. Mr. Frater will stop at Chicago for a time on business, while Mrs. Frater goes to Mt. Gilead, Ohio to visit relatives.

Yesterday Rev. A. H. Carver united in marriage Miss May Kerr of this city and Mr. William Jack, of Crow Wing. The ceremony took place at the home of the brides parents Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kerr. The young couple will make their home at Crow Wing.

There will be a Christmas tree entertainment in Trades & Labor hall on Monday evening December 30, to be given by the Juvenile Temple, White Star, No. 3, I. O. G. T. The entertainment will commence at 7:30 o'clock. An excellent program has been prepared for the event and everyone is invited. Admission free. Mrs. Nellie Lundberg, Superintendent.

The Scandinavian Club will give a concert tomorrow evening in Gardner hall. The Brazered Marine Band was to have a concert at the hall on that evening but the hall was secured first by the club.

The band, will, however, give a dancing party after the concert tomorrow night. The Scandinavian Club is a very strong organization and the program they will render will be a good one.

Last night the members of the Chamberlaine Company, who are playing an engagement at the Brazered Opera house, were entertained at a sumptuous Christmas supper after a performance by Mr. Chas. F. Chase at the City hotel. A menu had been prepared which included all the choice morsels appropriate for a Christmas spread. It was a jolly company and all voted Mr. Chase a royal host.

One of the happiest family gatherings in the city yesterday was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. U. White, when some twenty-eight gathered around their board to partake of a Christmas dinner. Besides Mr. and

Mrs. C. B. White and family and Mrs. W. S. Tracy and family, there were present from out of the city Mrs. Clarence Greenall and family of Oakland, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and N. P. White of St. Paul, and Miss Eva Deane of Minneapolis.

Last night Mr. Chas. Leak, of Pequot, and Miss Eliza Lathrop of this city, were united in marriage at the M. E. church parsonage, the Rev. James Clow officiating. The groom is well known in this city having lived here for sometime. He moved to Pequot sometime ago and opened a blacksmith shop. The bride is a well known young lady in the city, a sister of Harry Lathrop, who works at the N. P. shops. Mr. and Mrs. Leak will make their home at Pequot.

"An order has been issued from the headquarters of the Northern Pacific and goes into effect the first of the year," stated a railroad man of this city, "whereby the services of all newboys will be dispensed with." The measure has been under consideration by the officers of the road for some time past and the first of the year closes as the lines for going away with the sales department. Arrangements will, however, be made with the dining department to carry a small stock of articles and papers which can be procured by going to the porter—Parlo Morning Call.

CHRISTMAS IN BRAINERD. The Day Passed Off Quietly—Some Very Unique Programs Rendered in Many of the Churches. Christmas Eve.

Christmas passed off in Brazered rather quietly, and save for happy family gatherings and the general suspension of business, one could not have recognized in the day anything out of the ordinary.

Some excellent programs were rendered in many of the churches, either Christmas eve or last night. At the First Congregational, First M. E., and First Baptist churches very appropriate programs were rendered by the children of the Sunday schools and last night a very fine program was rendered at the Presbyterian church.

LAUGHTON GOT SEVERE DOSE. His Trial Was Finished Monday Afternoon and the Jury Brought in a Verdict of Guilty.

Monday afternoon the case of the state against Edgar Laughton, charged with stealing a load of hay, was completed in the municipal court and the jury was out but four minutes when they returned a verdict of guilty.

The court imposed a fine of \$20 and costs, which amounts to something like \$60, or sixty days in the county jail. The defendant will probably take the latter.