

## ST. PAUL.

## A WEEKS RECORD IN MINNESOTA'S CAPITAL.

The Salubrious City and Salubrious City Folks—Newspapers of Social, Religious and General Matters Among the People, Sold and Down.

Next Registration Day next Tuesday. Don't Forget to Register. If you don't Register you can't vote. Mr. T. R. King is ill with pneumonia. A nicely furnished room for rent at 531 Aurora Ave.

You will make no mistake if you go to Hotel de Mink for your meals. Mr. W. A. Hilyard's little boy is quite sick with Typhoid pneumonia. Four rooms for rent at low rates at Mrs. M. Palmers 378 Cedar street.

The new city charter is to be voted upon at the city election, May 3rd.

Wanted—A girl to assist with housework. Apply at 527 St. Anthony Ave.

Governor Clough has issued his proclamation, naming Friday, April 29th as Arbor Day.

There is a letter at this office for Mrs. Celeste H. McCoy, formerly of Indianapolis, Ind.

The Republican city ticket nominated Wednesday is a strong one and has every reason to be a winner.

W. C. Jeffry at the postoffice has been promoted to distributing clerk and is now on the city distribution.

The State Steam Laundry 222 W. 7th street is one of the best most reliable and prompt laundries in the city.

Miss Florence Drake of Stillwater spent last week in the city visiting her grandmother, Mrs. D. E. Talbot.

Misses Addie and Eva Lindsay of Stillwater were in the city this week. They left for home Wednesday evening.

If you have your laundry work done at State Steam Laundry, gentlemen, they will mend your clothes without charge.

Mrs. Minnie Becker, of Watertown, Wis., mother of the late Mrs. E. W. Crum, is in the city the guest of her son-in-law.

The ticket nominated by the Republicans with the gallant Col. A. R. Kiefer at its head is a sure winner. Vote it straight.

Mrs. Eliza Hamilton who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Le Cote for the past three months left Wednesday for Natchez, Miss.

Mr. J. R. Henderson, who has been laid up since the first of February on account of an accident was able to take his car out last week.

Misses Adina Netaie and Margaret Elizabeth Adams and Mr. J. Q. Adams were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Foster at dinner last Sunday.

The Lincoln Republican Club held a special meeting Monday night for the purpose of endorsing the Republican City ticket which was unanimously and enthusiastically.

"Opening of Hotel de Rian" at Pilgrim Baptist Church next Friday, rooms for 25 cents each. This will be a novel and interesting entertainment. Everybody invited.

Should you need any plumbing or gas fitting done you cannot find a more competent or prompt workman to do the same than C. J. Conroy No. 433 Wabasha street. Try him once.

Don't forget that the Hotel de Mink, corner 4th and St. Peter sts. is the best place in town for first class board and lodging. Try the Sunday dinners and be happy. Only 25 cents.

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Quit a number of the young people of the Twin Cities were entertained at the Miller-Jackson party last Tuesday evening. A full account of which will be given in the next week's issue.

The good people of the Flour City are cordially invited to the "Opening of the Hotel de Rian" at Pilgrim Baptist Church, St. Paul, next Friday evening. A novel and interesting entertainment.

St. James A. M. E. Church, corner of Fuller and Jay streets. Preaching morning and evening by the Pastor, 10:30 A. M. Subject: The friends of God. At 8 P. M. Subject: The Sinner's looking glass.

Mr. Richard Conroy has purchased the barber shop formerly conducted by Mr. Link Overalls on Minnesota street between Fifth and Sixth streets and will be pleased to have both old and new customers call.

Col. Montfort of the Windsor, La. tendered the use of Parlor B, for committee headquarters to the Republican City and County Committees during the campaign. The offer was accepted with a vote of thanks.

Mrs. J. Meyers is agent for Barnard Complexion Cream, which is guaranteed to remove freckles, moth patches or liver spots and to cure pimples and blotches. For further information call at 402 Cedar street.

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J. H. Dillingham & Co., coal dealers in order to take care of their resident district trade have established an office at 317 Rondo corner of Farrington and installed J. L. Salim as manager. Orders for fuel left with him will receive prompt attention.

Arrangements are being perfected for a general Republican rally at Market



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hall on Monday evening of next week. It will be one of the big meetings of the campaign, and Col. Kiefer and other candidates on the Republican ticket will speak.

Nearly 9,000 of the voters of St. Paul registered on last Tuesday which is a slight increase over the first day's registration two years ago. Don't fail to register next Tuesday or Saturday, as those are the last chances, and if you don't register you cannot vote.

Dr. Val Do Turner is a recent acquisition to St. Paul; He is a graduate of Meharry Medical College of Nashville, Tenn., and is a native of Shelbyville, Tenn. He has been practicing for four years. He has opened an office in the Kendrick Block, 27 E. Seventh street. Room 307.

Tim Reardon was not a candidate for another term in the assembly at the hands of the Republican city convention. It is said that Mr. Reardon's friends propose to support him for the Republican nomination for sheriff in St. Paul. The Old Roman would, as the saying goes, get there with both feet.

The new city charter, which is to be presented to the people of St. Paul for their adoption or rejection at the election on May 3rd, does not seem to be meeting with much favor, everybody seems to be opposed to its adoption, however, they must remember to put an X in the proper place on their ticket if they don't wish it to be adopted.

There are very few places of amusement and recreation for the young men in our city but one of the most popular is the Columbia Club No. 382 Robert street. Here may be found at all times Messrs. Burnett and Thompson, the managers, who know just how to cater to the wants of their guests. Here, too, may one meet the young men of the city who know how to give visitors a good time. Call, visitors are always welcome.

On last Tuesday as Mrs. D. E. Talbot was crossing the street at 5th and St. Peter streets, she was accidentally knocked down by the horse in one of the wagons of Swanson the florist, and badly hurt. She was taken home in the wagon in an almost unconscious state.

She at once had medical attendance and for one of her age, is getting along as nicely as could be expected.

There was a large crowd at the Union Depot Tuesday afternoon and evening to welcome the soldier boys who were enroute to Chickamauga Park, Tenn. The members of the twenty-fifth regiment were kept busy shaking hands with old acquaintances. The men were in excellent condition and made a fine appearance, and had a pleasant time during their short stay. The scene was very animating and made one feel we are to have war sure enough.

As the days pass along the prospects for Republican success in the city election grows brighter and brighter. Col. Kiefer who is too well known to need any further introduction is a ruler from away back and although his friends are now legion, he is making more of them every day. That he will be elected by a handsome plurality goes without saying. Therefore all who wish a right to share in the glory of his victory should help to make it more complete by casting a vote for him and the whole ticket.

Miss Marie Wainwright, the peer of American emotional actresses, will be seen here shortly in a new production by Jacob Litt entitled "Shall We Forgive Here." This play was very favorably received at the Porteneth at Theatre, New York recently and has since made a hit in Boston and Brooklyn. The company is a strong one and is headed by that very capable actress Marie Wainwright. Miss Wainwright's role is an emotional one and it is said that she is admirably suited to the part. Her plunge into melodrama has caused no little talk among people who keep track of theatrical events.

"Who is the most popular" was found out from the St. Phillips Episcopal Mission standpoint at the fair and apron sale which was conducted at Market Hall Wednesday and Thursday evenings by the ladies and friends of the church. The entertainment was not so largely attended as it deserved to be, but those who did attend enjoyed themselves. In the voting contest for popularity, Mrs. W. J. Utley won the

married ladies prize, a lamp. Miss Lucille L. Green, the young ladies prize, pair napkin rings, and Mr. W. J. Utley won the gentleman's prize, a clock. Miss Laura Adams and Mrs. J. Hilyard were close seconds in the contest.

"The Black Bostonians" who appeared at the Metropolitan for four nights this week, gave a fairly good show in some respects. The male portion of the company were weak in voice, but all seemed to be good musicians. The female portion of the company excelled the males, and their singing was much more pleasing. It was something of a novelty to see the Metropolitan Orchestra directed by a woman, and an Afro-American one at that, Mrs. Pauline Jones, and to her credit be it said, she did her work well. The performance of William Humphrey's on the banjo was perhaps, the best feature of the show. The singing of Misses Maud Mae Palmer and Alice Clark Royal was pleasing. Mr. J. E. Mosley and Master Eddie did acceptable work. The other members of the company filled in fairly well. The performance closed with the African Princess Diamond Walk, in which all the company appeared to good advantage.



DR. THOMAS S. COOK.

Dr. T. S. Cook went before the State Board of Medical Examiners last week, and passed a satisfactory examination and was licensed to practice medicine in the state. He is the first Afro-American who was ever licensed to practice in this state.

### DR. VAL DO TURNER.

St. Paul's Latest Addition to its Professional Circle.

Dr. V. D. Turner, the subject of this sketch whose cut is here presented, is a graduate of Meharry College, Class of '94, has since been practicing in Shelbyville, Tenn. He is now permanently located in this city, and is registered as physician and surgeon. He comes well recommended from the medical fraternity of his state, and by the best citizens.

He has already gained the confidence of a great many people of St. Paul and as a result of their confidence he is doing a nice practice, having performed two successful operations since his location here. He has met the Ramsey County Medical Society, and has been received and cordially welcomed by the leading



physicians of the city. The Doctor's office is located in the Kendrick Block, 27 E. Seventh street, and he would be pleased to consult with any one desiring his service.

### HOW CAN WE LOSE?

Grand Contest Entertainment, Opening of Hotel de Rian, Friday Eve. Apr. 22.

A novel and interesting entertainment given entirely by men, in a contest with the ladies, to decide which can give the best entertainment for the benefit of, and at the Pilgrim Baptist Church, corner of Cedar and Summit avenue. Amusing scenes from hotel life, including a scene depicting race prejudice and some of the remedies, arranged for this entertainment and given by a competent cast. A straw ballot of the city election will be taken. Committee: George W. James, D. E. Beasley, H. A. Kirtly, J. B. Johnson, and W. T. Francis.

### THE GRIM REAPER.

Has Been Busy in Our Midst for the Past few Days.

Grim death has been reaping a harvest this week. The first of his victims was Mr. Stephen Weaver, who died at his residence, 130 Granite street last Sunday, of quick consumption, aged 22 years. Mr. Weaver has been employed on the private car of Mr. Kimbly, Gen. Supt. of N. P. Ry., but has been sick ever since Dec. 21st. To the credit of the road be it said, his wages were paid regularly every month. His funeral took place at St. James church, of which he was a member, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Rev. J. C. Anderson officiating. The deceased was a member of Pioneer Lodge A. F. and



Attendant—That horse won't drink, sor. Rider—Then give him a cigar.

A. M. and the members of his lodge attended the funeral in a body and gave him a Masonic burial. There was a large concourse of friends of the deceased at the funeral who contributed a number of beautiful floral tributes. Mr. Weaver leaves a widow and several relatives to mourn their loss. The remains were interred in Oakland Cemetery. Mr. Weaver held a life insurance policy of \$1,500, and was also insured in the Railway Porter's Association.

### MRS. E. W. CRANUM.

The next victim of the insatiable monster was Mrs. Minnie Cranium, wife of time keeper of the Ryan Hotel, who died of pneumonia on Tuesday, aged 30 years. Her funeral took place at her late residence 352 Cedar street, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock and was attended by a large number of friends. The funeral services were conducted by Revs. D. E. Beasley, D. S. Orner and J. C. Anderson. The floral tributes were very numerous and very beautiful among them were handsome pieces from the Odd Fellows and Masons in both of which Orders Mr. Cranium is a valued member. Interment at Oakland Cemetery. The deceased was insured for \$1,500. Mr. Cranium deserves to tender his grateful thanks to his many friends who rendered so many acts of kindness during the illness of his wife.

### MRS. KATE MORRIS.

The next to fall a victim to the merciless sickle was Mrs. Kate Morton, an old resident of the city, the widow of Mr. George Morton who died some years ago. She died at her residence on West Fourth street Tuesday aged 68 years. Her funeral was held at Pilgrim Baptist Church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral was largely attended and there were numerous floral tokens of friendship. The services were conducted by the Pastor Rev. D. S. Orner in an impressive manner. The deceased carried a life policy of \$300.

### A PRODIGAL FATHER.

At the Grand Opera House, St. Paul.

"The Prodigal Father" will be the attraction at the Grand Opera next week. The piece was constructed for laughing purposes only, and is said to fulfill its mission. The plot, which is very gaudy, centers on the escapades of Stanley Dodge, who misses his ship to Africa, through flirting with an actress. His son becomes a prodigal, marries the actress, and a regular mix up

results. The complications are of the most amusing kind and the fun is intense from start to finish. To properly interpret a farce comedy, requires the services of competent specialty artists, for the success of such a play depends largely on the introduction of novelties. The company representing "The Prodigal Father", has been carefully chosen, and the many songs, medleys and dances are said to be rendered in such style as to call forth enthusiastic applause. Lynn Welch, who was starred in the Lynn for the past three seasons, is said to be one of the best character actors in legitimate or farce comedy. Miss Rose Melville, who assumes the leading role is a young woman of prepossessing appearance, and decidedly clever actress and a decidedly clever imitation of "His Hopkins, the Jay Girl of Slab Hollow," one of the bits of the vaudeville stage.

### A Clever Thief.

A score or more of butchers, errand boys and patrons of the Farmers' Market, on Broad street, above Columbia avenue, participated in an exciting chase after a thief yesterday morning, and, though the culprit escaped, they managed to recover the stolen goods. The central figure in the episode was "Buster," a big Newfoundland dog, owned by James P. Lins, of No. 1642 North Fifteenth street. Buster has been trained to carry his master's meat market basket in his mouth, and yesterday, having wandered around to the Farmers' Market by himself, he espied a basket similar to that owned by Mr. Lins, standing upon the floor in front of Butcher Mintzer's stall. It belonged to one of Mintzer's customers, but Buster imagined that it was his duty to carry it home, and, seizing the handle in his jaws, he trotted off with the prize at full speed. "Hi!" yelled Butcher Mintzer, and a chorus of on-lookers at once took up the shout. The racket only alarmed the canine. He ran down Broad street with the crowd in full pursuit, but hung on to the basket. A butcher boy who often delivers meat at Lins' home and who has a speaking acquaintance with Buster, encountered the dog just as he was bolting around the corner of Columbia avenue. He sized up the situation at a glance and quietly said: "Drop it, sir!" The command was one which Buster was accustomed to hear, so he instantly set the basket down on the pavement and made for home, with an air of consciousness of duty well performed.—Philadelphia Record.

### He Was Willing.

Tramp—Say, boss, wed ye give a poor feller a dime for a drink? Old Sport—Why, cert. Where's de drink?



"Now, I do hope you'll try and be pleasant to old Mrs. Tubbs, John." "H'm! you told me just now to try and be natural."—Ally Sloper.

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