

SAINT PAUL

WEEK'S RECORD IN MINNESOTA'S CAPITAL.

The "Sainted City" and Sainted City Folks—News Items of Social, Religious and General Matters Among the People.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1906.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL THE APPEAL READERS.

THE ELK EXPRESS CO., now has its office at 522 St. Peter street.

A nice front room to rent at 474 St. Anthony Ave., corner of St. Albans.

Mr. Will Alston who has been sick has improved sufficiently to be out again.

Only three weddings last Monday night. Cupid as well as Santa Claus was busy.

FOR RENT—Nice front room for gentlemen only. Apply to Mrs. W. Dorsey, 348 Kent Street.

Mrs. Sylvia Barrett Banks of Memphis Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. Ellis Perkins, 559 Sibley street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor of Chicago are in the city the guests of Mrs. Taylor's sister Mrs. Will Howard.

Miss Zada Dennis was called to Crookston this week by the serious illness of her mother Mrs. Carrie Dennis.

What did Santa Claus bring you? Don't let answer at once, for he certainly was generous to the people of St. Paul.

St. Paul granted 397 liquor licenses for 1906 amounting to \$397,000. There will be as many saloons if not more for next year.

PIANO INSTRUCTION. Instruction given on the piano at the residences of patrons, or at 575 W. Central Ave. Prof. W. A. Weir.

The Mecca club is preparing for its second annual swell, full dress ball to be given about the middle of January. Get your ready.

FOR RENT—Five-room house with modern conveniences. No. 700 Sherburne Ave. Apply to Geo. B. Lowe, 475 Wabasha street.

When you wish a first class shine call at the Peoples Shining Parlor No. 127 E. 5th street, Walter Porter, Prop. He'll shine 'em up for a nickel.

Coal \$4.50 per ton.

Good for stoves, ranges and furnaces. Goes farther than coke. Reduces the fuel bill one half.

Holmes & Hallowsell Co. Seven Corners.

Mr. Carlos Williams an old time resident of St. Paul after an absence of ten years is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Alexander.

Mr. C. M. Tibbs has been appointed steward of the new Transportation club an organization of railroad officials with rooms at 376 Robert street.

Mrs. Will Turner left Thursday with her two boys Harold and Norwood for Lawrenceville, Va., where she will place them in an industrial school.

The Valet Tailoring Co., has added three rooms on the third floor of the building cor. 6th and Jackson to be used specially for their Ladies' Department.

Dr. Valdo Turner has put in one of the latest scientific inventions in his office—the electric vibrator. It is a wonderful little instrument and a great pain remover.

For Rent—Three unfurnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping apply to 763 Fauglar street or Mr. O. C. Hall barber shop in Pittsburg building cor. 5th and Wabasha.

Anyone wishing any hair work, hair dressing, shampooing, manicuring, face massage, etc., call or address Mrs. Elizabeth J. Allen, 456 E. Seventh street. Room 2, upstairs.

The office of THE APPEAL has been moved from the third floor of the Union Block, No. 49 E. 4th Street, to more commodious quarters on the fifth floor, front suite No. 236.

ELK EXPRESS CO., G. J. Charleston, manager, 522 St. Peter street. Packing, shipping and storing of furniture and household goods. Piano moving a specialty. House renting, real estate handled.

Shoes mended while you wait, at Jarvis, 354 Minnesota street. Half soles, 50 and 75 cents. Prices reasonable for all kinds of repairing. He can do it on short notice. Jarvis 354 Minnesota street.

Prof. Arthur Winstead has put in a new Decker piano in Wagner Hall so that the patrons of the Colonnade Dancing school may have good music. Come out next Thursday evening and see how you like it.

The Mecca Club is getting up a swell supper for its swell dancing party at Bowly Hall in January to which the invitations will be issued.

A REMINDER.

A Savings Account With



THE STATE SAVINGS BANK Fourth and Minnesota Sts., St. Paul, insures not only absolute safety, but is an incentive to practice economy and put away small sums whenever convenient. Interest compounded January and July each year at 3 1/2 per annum.

Assets Over \$2,800,000.00. Trustees—Chas. P. Noyes, John D. Ludden, Kenneth Clark, John D. O'Brien, William Constans, Jule M. Farnsworth, Wm. B. Dean, Ferdinand Williams, Gustav Willits, Thomas Fitzpatrick, Harris Richardson, Chas. G. Lawrence.

the first week in January. Everybody is talking about it.

The State Savings Bank, corner Fourth and Minnesota streets, is open Monday evenings from 6 to 8. Accounts can be started with \$1. A little amount saved every week may some day stand between you and want.

And, now, you won't have long to wait for the grand dancing party of the Mecca Club. All are on the quiver for it. And it is to be worth waiting and watching for unless all signs fail. Order your carriages now.

JARVIS, the saver and healer of souls, has moved from his old stand on 4th street just around the corner on Minnesota street No. 354 between 4th and 5th. When you need a pair of new shoes or need any mending done.

The Elks had a great meeting Thursday night and thirteen new members were received. As one of the members remarked: "they are just throwing their money over the door so anxious are they to get in."

T. H. LYLES, W. B. ELLIOTT Real Estate and Insurance. Tel. Dale 617-J. Res. 411 Univ'ity.

LYLES & ELLIOTT. Funeral Directors and Embalmers. 222 Wabasha St.

Calls Answered Day or Night in Twin Cities.

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SARATOGA CAFE, Scott & Smith, proprietors, 352 Cedar Street. First class meals to order day and night up to 12 p. m. Regular meals: Breakfast 6:30 a. m.; Dinner, 12:00 m.; Supper, 6:00 p. m. Regular dinner 25 cents.

The Valet Tailoring Co., has added another new feature that of caring for ladies' clothes on contract, for \$1.50 per month. For this amount a lady may have one suit per week sponged and pressed and a cloak or wrap once per month.

Prof. Arthur Winstead has arranged to have a small orchestra to play for the Colonnade dancing school hereafter, and has secured Prof. Rufus Hunter and Miss Vernie Giles who made their debut last Thursday night, giving excellent satisfaction.

Joe Eurst, one of the best ever, is now proprietor of the "California Wine Depot No. 149 E. Sixth street. Fine wines, liquors and cigars, case beer and family trade specialties. Everybody welcome. Phone N. W. Main 1148-L, Twin City 1505.

Those of our patrons who desire to have matter published must get the same in this office not later than Thursday afternoon, otherwise it will be crowded out. No notice will be taken of any communication that is not signed by the author.

The greatest surprise of the week was the wedding Monday afternoon of Mr. E. P. Brown and Miss Norine Howard which took place at the parsonage of St. James A. M. E. church. Rev. H. S. Graves officiating. The affair was strictly private.

The testimonial benefit to Prof. J. W. Luca which some ladies attempted to give at Wagner Hall Christmas night proved to be very unsuccessful owing doubtless to stronger attractions. It is hoped they will try again at a more propitious season.

The Saratoga Cafe No. 352 Cedar street is now under the management of Mrs. Ella Smith recently of 566 Cedar street. She has discontinued serving meals at the latter number and invites all old and new patrons to her new place 352 Cedar street.

Persons desiring to rent Wagner hall, corner Charles and Western avenues for lodge meetings, parties, dances, meetings or for any occasion may obtain the same at reasonable rates upon application to J. H. Charleston, 662 University avenue.

The young men in charge of the arrangements for the Subscribers Ball for New Year's night have met with success in every way and those who desire to present any additional names should forward them at once to W. H. French, Clarence R. Smith or C. M. Tibbs.

Dr. H. I. Williams, a graduate of the Chicago College of Dental Surgery has arrived in the city to locate. He has secured an office in the Phoenix Building Cor. 7th and Cedar room 405, where he may be found from 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m. Tel. N. W. Main 3214.

If you wish a good shave, hair cut, shampoo, or anything in the personal line, call at Richard Cousby's neat barber shop, No. 374 1/2 Minnesota street. First class workmen only. Satisfaction guaranteed. Music for dances and all occasions furnished on short notice.

THE HOTEL ST. LOUIS, Mrs. Julia Hinson, proprietor, No. 317 Wabasha, up stairs. Meals 25cts. Breakfast from 7:00 to 11:00 a. m.; Dinner from 12:00 m. to 3:00 p. m.; Supper from 5:00 to 8:00 p. m. All regular meals, etc. All home cooking. Tel. N. W. Main 2315-L.

Mr. George B. Lowe our enterprising picture frame man of 475 Wabasha street, has added a photograph gallery to his place of business and is prepared to do anything in the line of photography. All the up-to-date novelties. Call and have the latest style photograph taken.

Hamm's New Beer. This beer is so decidedly superior to any draught ever before brewed, that within the few days it has been on sale it has already attained a fixed place in public favor. Call for it. Hamm's New Beer, 100,000 barrels in stock. On draught from now on.

The Colonnade Dancing School is progressing rapidly. A large crowd was present at the dance Thursday night and all enjoyed the Daton the new dance which was put on the program. New dances every week from 8:30 to 9:30. Grand Thanksgiving soiree Nov. 29. Arthur Winstead, principal.

SAFE DEPOSIT AND STORAGE VAULTS.—We invite your inspection. It costs little to place your papers, cash securities and valuables in absolute safety. Boxes in our vaults can be had for \$4 per year. Store your boxes, trunks, etc., with us. Northwestern Trust Co., 138 Endicott Ave.

The Trustees of The State Savings Bank, 4th and Minn. Streets, have declared a Semi Annual Interest Dividend on deposits of 3 1/2 per annum—instead of 3% as heretofore.

Interest at this rate will be credited depositors as of Jan. 1st next and will be ready for entry on pass books on and after Jan. 20th.

The Mecca Club full dress ball which will be given at Bowly Hall in January is the Mecca to which all the swell young men and women are making their annual pilgrimages. The party of last year is to be fully eclipsed in every respect. There are to be some new and novel features in the dances and decorations so the boys say.

Christmas night there was a finish fight pulled off in K. P. Hall between Harry Clarke of St. Paul and Bill Johnson of Chicago under the auspices of the Junior Pioneer Lodge for a purse of \$25. The fight was continuous and lasted for over an hour when Clark knocked out his opponent with a solar plexus blow. The loser was paid \$10 for his beating.

One of the very pleasant affairs of the week was a little Christmas drama entitled "Santa Claus Home-coming," which was given by a number of children at St. James A. M. E. church Christmas night under the management of Mrs. H. S. Graves. The acting and singing of the youngsters was wonderful and pleased immensely an audience which filled the church.

A very impressive special Christmas service was held at St. Philip's Mission Christmas eve night beginning at 11:45. Rev. A. H. Lealtad officiating. The monks Mass in C was rendered splendidly by the vested choir under the direction of Mr. Allen French, Jr. Special sacrament was administered. The services lasted until nearly 2:00 o'clock Christmas morn. A large audience was present.

The wedding of Mr. Edward Jones and Miss Evangeline Bonaparte was quietly celebrated at the residence of the bride's mother Mrs. Elsie Bonaparte 401 Farrington ave., on Christmas eve night. There were only a few intimate friends and relatives present. Rev. H. S. Graves performed the ceremony. Mr. D. Bonaparte, a brother of the bride was groomsmen. Miss Frances Elliott was maid. The affair was very pleasant to all participants.

Mr. C. Beckwith, our contractor and builder, is getting along nicely in his line of business. He has just finished building a brick dwelling at a cost of \$1,500 and also a job of plastering for \$300.00 to say nothing of a number of smaller contracts. He is fully prepared to do anything in the line of building, repairing and general contracting. Mr. Beckwith is entitled to the distinction of being the largest Afro-American contractor in the states of Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas.

The wedding of Mr. Arthur P. Owens and Miss Josephine Waughn was solemnized at St. Peter Claver church last Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Miss Waughn a sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Lannie Jackson was groomsmen. There was a delightful wedding breakfast at the residence of the bride's parents after the ceremony. In the evening the wedding reception was held from 8 to 10 o'clock and a large number of guests were present, who spent the evening very pleasantly. A number of handsome gifts were presented to the bride.

CORINTHIAN TEMPLE BANQUET.

The Swellest Social Function of the Christmas Week.

On last Monday night Wagner Hall was the scene of one of the swellest social affairs ever given in it, the occasion being the installation of officers of Corinthian Temple No. 132 S. T. at a grand banquet.

The invited guests numbering about one hundred and fifty began to gather early and when at 8:30 o'clock the assemblage was called to order by National Grand Deputy Princess, Mrs. Blanche Charleston there was a veritable bower of feminine beauty before her in which a few representatives of the "Lords and Masters of Creation" were to be seen.

Mrs. Charleston introduced Mr. J. Q. Adams as master of ceremonies and toast master and the program of the evening began with an opening prayer by Rev. W. D. Carter, P. N. D. G. M., then followed an address by N. G. D. G. M. Rev. J. R. White, in which he took occasion to give considerable information regarding the Triennial Meeting of National Grand Lodge of U. B. F. and S. M. T., which has been secured for St. Paul, and which promises to be the greatest and largest gathering ever held in the city. Rev. White was followed by N. G. D. P., Mrs. Blanche Charleston in a most able, instructive and entertaining address chiefly dealing with matter of interest to the Order. Then came the installation conducted by the N. G. D. P., Mrs. Blanche Charleston, the following officers being installed: Mrs. Zella Reynolds acting as Grand Conductress; Mrs. Dora Adams, Princess; Mrs. Frances Allen, Vice Princess; Mrs. Bessie Miller, Secretary; Mrs. Maggie Jenkins, Asst. Secretary; Mrs. Mayme Durant, Treasurer; Mrs. Electra Ligens, Floor; Mrs. Florence Wheeler, Joshua; Mrs. Ella Roach, Zella; Mrs. Cynthia Morgan, Senior Marshal; Mrs. Saphrona Davadge, Junior Marshal; Mesdames Emma Houston, Ludie Charleston, Mary Rowe, Trustees; Mrs. Mary Hudson, Outside Doorkeeper; Mrs. Gertrude Charleston, Inside Doorkeeper.

Rev. A. H. Lealtad then gave the closing prayer.

The guests then gathered around the banquet board which was in the form of a Roman cross and handsomely set up and decorated and after a blessing by Rev. H. S. Graves they proceeded to discuss the excellent menu which was spread before them by a number of gentlemanly waiters. The banquet lasted until nearly midnight, after which some time was passed in social intercourse and the guests departed in a most happy frame of mind highly delighted with the feast of reason and flow of words which they had enjoyed.

The ladies, heaven blessed them, were most handsomely gowned while the gentlemen were resplendent in full dress suits.

The affair was great and grand in conception and the manner in which it was carried out will go down in history as one of the most delightful affairs of its kind our city has enjoyed.

U. B. F.'s Attention.

Owing to the fact that the next regular meeting night of North Star Lodge No. 138 U. B. F. falls on New Year's night there will be no meeting of the Lodge that night. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday night, Jan. 15th.

By order, J. R. White, W. M. J. Q. Adams, W. S.

MEN'S SUNDAY CLUB.

Program for Season Dec. 30, '06 to May 12, '07.

MEETINGS.

Every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Pilgrim Baptist church, Cedar Street and Summit Ave.

SUNDAY, DEC. 30.—Ladies' Day "Emancipation" The Monday Art Club

SUNDAY, JAN. 6.—Reading of the Journal Book Review—"Marrow of Tradition"—Chestnut Mr. A. Worden Haynes

SUNDAY, JAN. 13.—Soprano solo Miss Hattie Loomis Book Review—"Life of Douglass"—Washington Mr. Harvey E. Burke

SUNDAY, JAN. 20.—Piano solo Mrs. S. E. Hall "Our Duty to Ourselves" Mr. J. A. White Book Review—"Dr. Huger"—Donnelly Mr. W. T. Francis

SUNDAY, JAN. 27.—Reading of the Journal Soprano solo Mrs. Arthur Lowe Book Review—"The Progress of the Race"—Krogman Mr. S. Edward Hall

SUNDAY, FEB. 3.—Ladies' Day Adolphia Club

SUNDAY, FEB. 10.—Piano solo Miss Mabel Johnson "Lincoln" Mr. W. L. Ricks

SUNDAY, FEB. 17.—"Washington" Mr. Arthur Hall

SUNDAY, FEB. 24.—Reading of the Journal "The Ills of the Peonage System"

SUNDAY, MAR. 3.—Ladies' Day Social and Literary Society

SUNDAY, MAR. 10.—Tenor Solo Mr. J. A. White "Fort Wagner"

SUNDAY, MAR. 17.—"Migration as a Solution" Mr. W. R. Morris

SUNDAY, MAR. 24.—Book Review—"Aftermath of Slavery" Miss Clara Howard

SUNDAY, MAR. 31.—Reading of the Journal Selections Male Quartette Lannie Jackson, Mr. Arthur Hall, Mr. J. H. Hickman, Jr., Mr. Earl Walker

SUNDAY, APR. 7.—Ladies' Day Ladies Aid Society

SUNDAY, APR. 14.—Bass Solo Mr. Earl Walker "A Square Deal" Rev. H. S. Graves

SUNDAY, APR. 21.—Soprano Solo Mrs. Mae Scott Mason Book Review—"The Sport of the Gods"—Dunbar Mr. F. L. McGehee

SUNDAY, APR. 28.—Reading of the Journal

SUNDAY, MAY 5.—Ladies' Day Twin City Maids' and Matrons' Club

SUNDAY, MAY 12.—"The Drug Habit" Dr. Valdo Turner

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THE WORLD'S LONGEST TRESTLE.

Through America's Dead Sea Runs a Railroad.

Right through Great Salt Lake—the Dead sea of the New World—runs a railroad. The actual length of this, the longest trestle in the world, is twelve miles. It contains 25,000 piles, the longest single pile being 96 feet and the longest spliced pile 120 feet. The cost of constructing this wonderful piece of railroad was \$5,000,000, and the time required to build it was three years. At one place in the bed of the lake thousands of cars of rock were emptied without making the least impression in the way of foundation. In riding over this road—right through the beautiful, sparkling Salt Lake—one notices the absence of boats of any kind, although the lake is over one hundred miles in length and seventy miles across at its widest place, and one would think it afforded great attractions for the sailor or oarsman. But the fact is, rowing or sailing is almost impossible on the surface of this Dead sea, for it is so very heavy with salt that navigation, or even swimming, is slow and laborious, rendering, therefore, little pleasure for the pains.

When one dips up a pail of water from Great Salt lake and lets it stand in the sun all the water evaporates, there will be found one-third of a pail of salt.

Hundreds of centuries ago the waters of this great body extended over the thousands of acres of land that surround it now in the form of dry, desolate wastes on which nothing grows, for no animal, vegetable nor soil life can exist on this one-time salt sea bed.

"Horns to Call People to Church." This is a vamp horn," said the antiquary. "The price is \$40."

The horn, very old and weatherbeaten, was more than six feet long—long and straight, like a coaching horn.

"What was its use?" the reporter asked.

"It was used to call the people to church on Sunday mornings," said the antiquary. "In the olden times church bells weren't as common as they are to-day. They were so expensive that only the rich churches could afford them. The poorer churches used vamp horns instead."

"Every Sunday morning the sexton of the average poor church, 200 years ago, stood on the church porch with a six-foot vamp horn at his lips, summoning the people to worship with hoarse blares.

"There are now, about two dozen vamp horns floating about the country. Their ecclesiastical connection makes them valuable to antiquaries."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

He Knew the Law.

A Civil war veteran, several times representative from his own district to the New Hampshire legislature, and at one time speaker of the house, had just returned home from a closing session of the legislature, at which, says a writer in the Manchester Union, the law pertaining to the right of way to pedestrians had been passed.

He was crossing the street from his office one day soon after his return when an electric car came bounding along. The motorman, alive to the danger of the veteran, made frantic efforts to attract his attention, and when they failed, shouted:

"Look out, major! If you don't get off the track I shall run over you."

The major stopped stock still in the middle of the track.

"If you do, young man, you'll hang for it," he said, firmly.

THE STATE SAVINGS BANK.

Total Deposits Over \$2,500,000.00.

The only bank in St. Paul exclusively for savings; receives deposits in sums of \$1 and upwards, and compounds interest semi-annually. Open Monday evenings from 6 to 8.

The Fashion Tailoring Co.

The above is the title of a new firm which has just opened a place of business at 359 Jackson street, St. Paul. Mr. W. Martin is manager, Mr. O. B. Rivers formerly of Des Moines, Iowa, where he was engaged in the same business, has charge of the tailoring department. They are prepared to do first class work in all lines of tailoring, renovating, pressing and repairing of men's clothes. They have a monthly contract system for those who

desire it. They make a specialty of ladies' tailoring. Work called for and delivered. Patronage of the public solicited. Lowest prices for good work. Phone N. W. Main 1889-J.

Mrs. B. Sears has resumed charge of the Tea Rooms, 581 Wabasha St., where she is pleased to meet old as well as new patrons. The Tea Rooms will be open until late in the evening to accommodate dinner or theater parties. Oysters served any style. Sunday dinners a specialty. Pies, cakes, etc., made to order at popular prices.

THE VALET TAILORING CO. No. 154-156 E. Sixth street, Owen Howell, proprietor. The most up-to-date place of its kind in the city. Clothing made to order, renovated, repaired, sponged and pressed etc. They have an elegant new delivery wagon and will call for and deliver goods. They will keep your clothes in order for \$1.00 per month. Gents furnishings of latest style always on hand. They have also established a laundry and are prepared to do anything in that line, best service at lowest rates. There is an elegant smoker's parlor attached and all the best brands of cigars and tobacco and smokers' articles always on hand. Tel. 3560-L-2.

F. H. Harm & Bro., jewelers and opticians, were obliged to open a new store at 387 Robert, near 6th St., on account of increase in their business, their store at 109 E. 7th was not large enough. They will continue their 7th St. store, but their headquarters will be on Robert St. They will carry a fine line of gold filled jewelry, diamonds, watches, clocks, hand-painted china and optical goods. F. H. and H. W. Harm are scientific opticians, make glasses to order and fill oculists' prescriptions.

Announcement.

The patrons of the Valet Tailoring Co., 154-156 E. Sixth street and at the public generally, are hereby informed that Mr. Addison Davis now has full charge of our Laundry Department and the collection and delivery of our work of all kinds. Both phones.

Owen Howell, Manager.

THE STATE SAVINGS BANK.

Interest Rate on Deposits Raised to Three and One-Half Per Cent.

Interest compounded semi-annually January and July 1st. Deposits received in sums of \$1.00 to \$5.00. Open during usual banking hours and on Monday evening from 6 to 8.

Jarvis, the healer and saver of soles, 354 Minnesota street, says in one of his street car signs: "I can mend shoes better than I can write," and, if the sign is a fair specimen of his work as a writer, he's right, as he can mend shoes all right if he cannot write all right.

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