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ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, JANUARY 22, 1878.

To Our City Patrons. Canvasers are at work as rapidly and energetically as possible, but so much ground has to be gone over that many have not been reached at all.

LET US HALVE THE TARIFF. Reduce the import duties, and get nearer free trade. It is the road to prosperity.

THE NEW YORK MERCHANTS are resisting a reduction of the 24 cents on tobacco. Reason why, they don't have to pay it.

THE PRESIDENT is said to be preparing a special message on Civil Service Reform. The best reform is turn out all the old Republican barnacles.

TROTTLING OUT Gen. McClellan for the Presidency in 1880 is rather premature. We have had a sufficient supply of military Presidents, and no man will be the Democratic nominee for President in 1880 because he has a military record.

MR. BANNING offered resolutions in the Chamber of Commerce this morning favoring the re-nomination of silver and the repeal of the resumption act.

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ONE of the coolest documents on record was the letter from the Minneapolis Board of Trade to the State Commissioner of Statistics, which was presented at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

WHAT war brings to a defeated people, is illustrated by the shocking accounts which come by telegraph of the sufferings of the fugitives of Roumania in their flight towards Constantinople. What war brings to a victorious people is strikingly illustrated in the condition of Germany and the United States—bankrupted by the excesses, extravagance and corruption in which the war periods of fictitious prosperity led them.

GENTLEMEN of the East and of Congress, have you forgotten the startling events of last July? Are you unaware that the almost desperate poor men of the United States, who are out of employment and destitute of the comforts of life, are in numbers enough to constitute an army that could overrun this country? Do you not see that the people of this country cannot bear much longer the burdens which the gold conspiracy coupled with the enforced preparations for specie resumption have added to their already too heavy load? Gentlemen, Senator Voorhees' warning was not an idle utterance.

CABINET MINISTERS ON THE FLOOR OF CONGRESS.

The proposition to give the members of the President's Cabinet seats in the House of Representatives is an illustration of that restless spirit of innovation now abroad in the land. It is both anti-republican and unconstitutional. It springs from a hankering after British precedents and customs.

There is no possible analogy between the British government and that of the United States in this regard. There the Ministry are recognized by the Constitution, as a part of the government, and are held responsible for its acts. The King can do no wrong in the maxim, but the Ministry can. The Ministry must have a majority in the House of Commons. So soon as they are in a minority, they are compelled to resign or have parliament prorogued, and should the new election not result in the return of a majority for the government, the ministry are compelled to go out *volens*.

There is nothing of this kind in the United States. The Cabinet Council of the President is unknown to the Constitution. There is not a word about Secretaries of State, of War, of the Interior, and so on, in the Constitution. Indeed, in the formation of the Constitution, the plan was bitterly opposed as a step towards a plural executive.

The Cabinet has no responsibility, and the House of Representatives could not compel them to resign. Besides all this, the proposed innovation strikes a blow at the organic structure of the Government. We want the old landmarks to remain. Every change is a move out beyond the pillars of Hercules on the unknown ocean of uncertainty.

THE OLD RAILROAD BONDS. The State of Minnesota has been injured by the friends and advocates of the payment of what they have styled the "dishonor-bond bonds." The changes have been rung on "dishonor," "repudiation," "dishonesty," "dishonored bonds" in every Governor's message, for the last fifteen years, down to Pillsbury's latest bed-quilt document.

THE RECOGNITION OF DIAZ. The periodical farce of recognizing the temporary mis-government of Mexico is urged upon the United States again. Now it is Diaz, who has been thrown to the surface by the boiling cauldron of that country of revolution and political drugs.

THE DIAMOND MILL OF RED WING, built the past season, is said by the *Argus* to be the first in the United States to operate on the Hungarian system of high grinding. The mill has 12 run of four-foot stones and fifteen sets of porcelain rollers. Its method is to reduce the wheat to flour by five successive grindings, in connection with the use of the porcelain rollers in addition to the usual machinery employed in the patent process.

advocating annexation, but stating what really appears to be the only solution of the much vexed problem of Mexican peace, prosperity and civilization. And above all not only the dignity of our own government, but the safety of our citizens imperatively demand the permanent establishment of peace along our Southwestern borders.

NEW YORK CUSTOM HOUSE FRAUDS. The Chicago *Times* of Saturday presented a statement in detail asserting that the New York customs house is dishonestly managed in the interest of New York importers as against importers of interior cities. It instances as effects of this management that Field, Leiter & Co., who formerly imported all their silk are now compelled to buy nearly all of the New York importers; that Slodden & Co., who formerly imported to Chicago largely of dried fruits and Cross & Blackwell's goods, can now get better terms by importing at New York; and that there are but few Chicago houses now trading with New York or importing through its custom house which would not, if the law was honestly and justly administered, import at Chicago.

MINNESOTA NEWS. No snow, no logs, is the talk at Stillwater. A blue ribbon "mum" sociable is the novelty at Red Wing this week.

Stephen Gardner pays the largest personal property tax in Hastings, \$3,949.84. The municipal officers of the little city of St. Charles, in Waseca county, are about \$2,000 a year.

The Democrat says that Eastern parties are negotiating for a site on which to erect a paper mill in Faribault.

At the Indian Christmas exercises at the Episcopal church in Shakopee, six of the Other-day family were present.

The commissioners of Mille Lacs county have decided that the proposition for that county to give \$68,000 in aid of the projected Princeton & Anoka railway was adopted by 30 majority.

At a public meeting in Red Wing last week it was stated that the swamp land grant for building a railway from that place up the Cannon river valley will soon become available, and it was agreed that as soon as the lands can become located an attempt will be made to provide for building the road.

Mr. Pratt, the new sheriff of Faribault county, has been indicted for libel, the *Winnebago City Press* reports, on evidence produced by the defeated Republican candidate, Mr. Cummings, for stories told during the campaign, which, the *Press* says, were very damaging to his character and defeated Cummings.

Isaac Staples, of Stillwater, owns and runs a saw mill, sash and door factory, store, butcher shop, harness shop and machine shop and foundry, besides having a large logging business to look after. His sales of last year of lumber, logs, sash and doors, meat, harness work and products of the machine shop and foundry amounted to \$1,112,320. And now he's just starting a new flouring mill.

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Mr. Hull, the Democratic candidate last fall for Railroad Commissioner, understands that his vote was made to appear small, and Mr. Marshall's majority to appear larger than it really was by omitting from the canvass several thousand votes returned as for A. W. instead of H. W. Hill. This was not done in Winona county, where the Democratic tickets named P. T. Lindholm for Secretary of State, but were counted for the one for whom intended, A. T. Lindholm. In other counties the name of Mr. Fraedner, the Republican candidate for Treasurer, was incorrectly

plotted with salt and pulverized limestone, and thinks they need it—*St. Paul Express*. Chief of Police Shortall and Deputy Sheriff Holcomb had a long chase of several days last week in pursuit of a notorious thief named Lingworth. They discovered their man at Nelson's camp about thirty-five miles from the city, and returned to Stillwater Saturday evening. Lingworth had stolen a watch and chain and a revolver from George Watson's room in the Mower block several weeks ago. The thief had pawned the property to Newby on the train while on his way to the woods. He acknowledges the crime, and was committed to jail in default of surety to the amount of \$500.—*Stillwater Gazette*.

Friday last a man by the name of William Ramsden was killed at Munson's camp near Mission in the county. It consists of nearly eight acres of trees grown from seeds cuttings, planted four years ago last spring. The trees are now from twelve to twenty feet high, and afford an excellent protection from the wind and frost on the premises. The trees are set in rows four feet apart, and consist of cottonwood, soft maple, white willow and other varieties.—*Record and Union, Rochester*.

A novel and very interesting entertainment given by the Indian families residing in our midst, was held on Tuesday evening, January 8th, at the Episcopal Church in this city, and which consisted of religious exercises, and the distributing of presents from a Christmas Tree by the Indians, to their white friends of the Episcopal faith. No presents were contrived or expected from the whites to the Indians.—*Shakopee Courier*.

A new banking institution, known as the "Goodhue County Bank," was started in our city the first of the month, with a paid-up capital of \$100,000. The directors are T. B. Sheldon, president; C. Clanson, vice-president; J. S. Hoard, cashier; and the directors comprise the following named together with Wm. Featherstone, E. W. Brooks, F. Hoyt and H. E. Perkins.—*Record and Union, Rochester*.

Arrangements are being made for the building of a fine Catholic church at the pleasant village of Pine Island next season. Mrs. Phoebe Tarbox, a widow lady and a non-Catholic, has generously donated two lots near the center of the village for the church site, the carrying out of the project entertained and expressed by her deceased husband.—*Rochester Post*.

A serious affray occurred in the town of Richland Saturday last between Hon. Wm. Close, his son, James Close, and D. McKinzie, in which the latter was severely injured by James Close and very severely injured. The trouble grew out of the disputed ownership of some rails, on the land of Mr. McKinzie.—*Paribault Democrat*.

A number of railroad men from Iowa were in California a few days ago looking over the route from coast to coast, and California, to some point on the Southern Minnesota. Railroad enterprises all over the country are being projected, and among them all California ought certainly to have the benefit of one.—*Caledonia Courier*.

The sleighing, snow and thin as it is, has caused a movement in wheat, and those who sell for cash, and spend their own money, are going to haul in wheat to play class, think it "almost impossible" to get grain to market over such roads.—*Dodge County Press*.

During the "Blake and Greeley" winter, so much talked about by the old settlers, a steambark came up the Mississippi river in January to St. Paul. This winter was in 1846, 32 years ago. The St. Croix river was then a year or so ago fell and three boats came up in a year.—*Oceano (Wis.) Press*.

A gentleman brought in a branch of red cedar, from the banks of Le Hommedieu. The leaf and flower buds are swelled to bursting, and had the warm weather of December lasted a few days longer, this showy shrub would have been full flower and foliage.—*Alexandria Post*.

Snow has fallen in this vicinity to the depth of five or six inches. In Taylors Falls, we are informed, they have eight or ten inches, while as far north only as Hinckley they had none. The snow block seems bent on having a small crop of logs next spring.—*Dodge City Post*.

Mr. Allen informs us that the Sheldon boy who was so badly gored by a steer a week or two ago, is out of danger and is improving. This led some to be an heir to misfortune. A year or so ago he fell and fractured his collar bone.—*Window Reporter*.

The third annual message of Gov. Pillsbury is a formidable document, and no apology is deemed necessary for not burdening our columns with its reproduction.—*St. Louis Gazette*.

We regret to have to state that Judge McKelvy is yet no better, and while his friends are still hopeful, the worst is to be feared.—*Star, Elk River*.

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