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Minneapolis Office, 213 Hennepin avenue, up stairs. ST. PAUL, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1878.

We record with pleasure the overwhelming vote cast yesterday in favor of the Fort Snelling bridge. It was practically a vote to let new life and new energy to be infused into St. Paul...

Senator Howe's speech demonstrates that the Republicans have at last determined to abandon Mr. Hayes, openly and absolutely. We shall now—perhaps—get more light upon the fraudulent means resorted to in stealing the three States in 1876.

Does the reader understand what a "crib" is in connection with the insane asylum? It is, practically, a coffin. Think of a patient being held down in a crib, his mouth forced open with a plug, the plug thrust down his throat and hot soup poured down the victim's throat while in this condition.

We are credibly informed that this kind of treatment of patients at the insane asylum in St. Peter can be proven in other cases than that of the unfortunate McDonald. Let the investigation proceed.

MORE LIGHT WANTED. We want to know the exact cost to the State of the hospital for the insane. We want to know every figure from the beginning to the end.

There is no longer any doubt but that the fellow Betts is a brute who should be sent to the penitentiary. Who secured Betts his appointment? Who keeps him in it? It has been long known, that appointments were the gifts of and out of deference to certain influences.

Religious Controversy. Taking no little interest in the controversy which has sprung up between Bishop Ireland, of the Catholic church, and the Protestant clergymen of this city, originating in Bishop Ireland's assertion that "Protestantism was only another name for communism in religion," which position he seems to have maintained by most convincing logic, I feel interested to hear some Protestant clergyman logically refute the Bishop's argument.

AN OUTRAGE AND A CONFESSION. We cannot recall, in the annals of investigations, a more high-handed and outrageous act than that perpetrated by Dr. Bartlett, the Superintendent of the Insane Asylum at St. Peter, on Monday. With an investigating committee in session examining the grave charges which have been made against that institution, Dr. Bartlett, arbitrarily and impudently discharged one of the employes at the hospital because he complained of the coffee.

Let the reader stop a moment and consider the situation. From the very nature of the case the investigating committee must largely rely upon the evidence of employes. The mental condition of the inmates incapacitates them from being used as witnesses. If the mouths of employes can be stopped, all evidence save mere outside gossip relating to the management, is excluded.

The evidence develops that the employes who denounced the brutal Betts were promptly discharged by Dr. Bartlett, while the cruel barbarian was retained. Witness after witness testified that they did not make the outrageous public fear of being discharged. The threat of a discharge is held as a rod in terror over all the attendants. The discharge of Knudson on Monday, with the investigation in progress, was an infamous act of intimidation, which is equivalent to a confession of guilt on Dr. Bartlett's part.

Dr. Bartlett and the Rev. Kerr propose to rule this public institution with their autocratic rod of iron, and they lose no opportunity to display their despotic power. Bartlett's discharge of Knudson was an open defiance of the committee, and was an act which should cost him his official position if nothing more.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

BUSINESS OF THE NATIONAL LAW-MAKERS.

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MADE IT HOT.

New York Severely Scorched—Large Number of Canal Street Business Firms Burned Out—Loss \$800,000.

NEW YORK, March 26.—A fire broke out this morning in the six-story marble front building, Nos. 261 and 267 Canal street. The flames spread with great rapidity, and a third alarm for fire engines was sent out, when after two hours of hard labor the fire was got under control. The following is a list of LOSSES AND INSURANCES:

The building was owned by E. S. Higgins. The first floor and basement was occupied by E. L. Coffin, dealer in notions and hosiery. Loss \$65,000; insurance \$50,000. The second floor, Nos. 261 and 263, was occupied by Cohen, Ball & Co., clothiers. Loss \$150,000; insurance \$100,000. The second floor, Nos. 265 and 267, was occupied by E. L. Coffin, dealer in notions and hosiery. Loss \$100,000; insurance \$75,000. The loss on the building \$200,000; insurance \$110,000.

No. 259, owned by Charles Fox & Son, was considerably damaged by water and breakages. The upper part of 261, was occupied by R. Elias & Co., manufacturers of white flannel drawers, shirts, &c. Loss \$100,000; insurance \$75,000. The second floor, No. 267, was occupied by the third and fourth floors of No. 267 Canal street, and lost all their stock. Loss about \$200,000.

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MINNESOTA'S PRIDE.

The Forthcoming State Fair at St. Paul—Encouraging Words from All Quarters—How to Get the Most of It—An Attractive Ever Held in the Northwest.

DUNTON'S SPIRIT OF THE TURF, Chicago. It is a remarkable fact, that boys should not attempt to do the work of strong men. There is another fact which is proper to mention in connection with the St. Paul fair of 1878—that it takes money to make the mare go, and Mr. Isaac Staples, of Stillwater, has offered \$1,000 to aid the enterprise.

Many other gentlemen of wealth have also made liberal donations for the coming fair, and it is reasonable to conclude, when such men as Mr. Staples, of Stillwater, whose money is counted by millions, put their fingers in their pockets and draw out the money by the thousand, that something is to be done. Minnesota is rich in all that is needed to make a prosperous fair—men, money, horses and cattle. The crop of 1877 was abundant. That of 1878 promises remarkably well. Already half or nearly all the seeding is done. Trotting, running, and a grand list of premiums will be given, to the amount of \$10,000 at least; besides which, the association is offered with the very best of Minnesota material.

George E. Finch, of the firm of Auerbach, Finch, Culbertson & Co., wholesale dry goods, merchants, of St. Paul, has recently been elected president of the twentieth annual Minnesota State Agricultural society, to be held in St. Paul, September 23, 30, 31, 5th, 6th and 7th, 1878. Mr. Finch is a gentleman in every sense of the word. He came to St. Paul in 1862, and became a member of this firm in 1864, and from that time to this has been in the estimation of those with whom he has done business, as one of the most reliable and most suitable men in the State for the position of president.

D. W. Ingerson, a pioneer merchant of St. Paul, president of the State Agricultural society, and president of the St. Paul and Warsaw house company, president of the chamber of commerce, has been chosen first vice president of the State Agricultural society. Mr. Ingerson came to St. Paul at a very early day, has held very many offices of trust, and will now show Minnesota what he knows about agricultural affairs and horse shows.

Samuel Adams, one of the early movers in the granite party, who is a resident of Monticello, Wright county, granite master and has been elected to fill the office of lecturer for the groups, has been elected to the office of second vice president.

Wm. Fowler, a wealthy farmer of Washington county, a member of the State Legislature, an old settler and a respected citizen, has been elected to fill the office of third vice president and it is thought he can do it.

Col. Geo. Culver, proprietor of the Metropolitan hotel, has been chosen as the proper man for treasurer of the State Agricultural society. He has been identified with St. Paul for many years and has fought fortune's battles, and rose to the topmost round of the financial ladder. And now that he has mastered all other studies, he will devote his time to the study of agriculture, and demonstrate his fitness for the trust imposed upon him by the people of his locality.

R. C. Judson, of Farmington, a gentleman who has held the office of secretary for six years past, and whose fitness for the place is too complete to require comment, has again been elected to endure the arduous duties that necessarily fall to the lot of his office, and will, this year, as heretofore, act as secretary of the Minnesota State Agricultural society. Already he has begun to prepare the "bill of fare" for 1878. We believe it will be a good one.

We have thus briefly dilated upon the situation of the twentieth Minnesota State Agricultural society, and all we have to say is, that we trust that the Christian work will be immediately carried to success.

[Carrie Pioneer.] The managers of the State Agricultural society are making arrangements for a good display of our products at the annual fair to be held in St. Paul during the first week of September. It promises to be one of the most successful that the State has ever held.

[Shakopee Courier.] Elsewhere will be executive committee of the State Agricultural society, and all we have to say is, that we trust that the Christian work will be immediately carried to success.

[Alexandria Post.] The Minnesota State Agricultural society announces the next annual exhibition to be held on the grounds of the Driving Park association, St. Paul, Sept. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8. The officers of the society are: Geo. P. Finch, president; Geo. Culver, treasurer; R. C. Judson, secretary. The exposition promises to be the most complete and attractive ever held in the State.

[Audubon Journal.] The Minnesota State Agricultural fair is to be held at St. Paul, commencing on September 23, lasting through the week. We trust our farmer friends will see to it that Becker county is well represented this fall, and thus secure the full benefits accruing from the State's gatherings.

Always take a back seat, while our sister counties go in and reap rich rewards. Let us make an effort to give our county one good show. In all our efforts, it is needed in the effort, for we have every year, and every year better crops and more of them than any of our neighbors, who make a far better showing than we.

[Wisconsin Post.] The State Fair will be held at St. Paul the first week in September, and is likely to be the best one ever held in the State.

[Dundas News.] The Minnesota State Agricultural society are making extensive preparations for the twentieth annual State Fair, to be held at St. Paul the first week in September. The fair grounds are to be improved and new buildings erected, for the accommodation of the greatest exposition ever given by the State. The exhibition of stock will be sold by all railroads running into St. Paul. [Stevens County Tribune.]

The State Agricultural society, at their meeting held in St. Paul on February 21st, decided to hold their next fair on the grounds of the Driving Park association, which have been, with the exception of last year, heretofore used for that purpose. It will be held on the 23, 30, 31, 5th, 6th, and 7th of September, and arrangements are being made which will make it by far the most complete and attractive exposition ever held in the State.

[River Falls Journal.] We are informed that the exhibition will be held on the spacious and beautiful grounds of the St. Paul Driving Park association, heretofore used for that purpose, and that arrangements are already being made which will make it by far the most complete and attractive exposition of the agricultural and other industrial interests and arts of Minnesota and the Northwest ever held in that State.

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GLOBE LETTERS.

The Emperor William was 81 years old Friday last.

Spurgeon is said to be growing gentler and quieter in his manners as he grows in his years. The snow storm at Montreal and points in the northwest Sunday, the 24th, was the severest of the season.

General Longstreet is pleasantly spoken of by the Augusta Chronicle, as "the modern Benedict Arnold."

Don Cameron will soon be an Ohioan by marriage, and Hayes is said to be looking about for a fat office for him.

Representative and ex-Governor Swan, of Maryland, will shortly be married to Mrs. John B. Thompson, of Princeton, N. J.

The cold snap in Michigan, effectually destroying all prospects of a fruit crop this summer.

In its decision in favor of Anderson, the supreme court of Louisiana may be said to have not proved the case against John Sherman.

Great Britain is suffering from depression of trade, and a general reduction of wages from 7 to 10 per cent. is about to take place in the cotton and iron trades.

The syndicate contract having expired, Mr. Conant, formerly assistant secretary of the treasury, and his assistants, now in Europe, will return to the United States.

As an evidence of his father's insanity, Cornelius J. Vanderbilt, Jr., is trying to prove that the Commodore was once engaged to be married to Tinnie C. Clafin.

Benjamin Noyes, the ex-president of the national Life Insurance company, who is locked up in Newark jail, considers himself an injured man and refuses to give bail.

Col. A. McCaleb, late county clerk of La Salle county, Ill., hanged himself at Ottawa, Ill., Sunday, the 24th. The act caused great surprise, as no cause for the act is known.

All the lady letter-writers in Washington are telling their respective papers how awfully dead old Hayes must feel while his charming wife is away in Ohio. The poor, deluded sex.

Every day or two, now, Mr. Blaine gets up in the night to show to what kind of a President he would have been. The exhibit is making a great many people thankful for Hayes, even with his clouded title.

It is suggested that Minister Bayard