

THE CITY.

METEOROLOGICAL SUMMARY

For the Month of August, 1878, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Table with columns: Date, Daily Mean Bar., Daily Mean Temp., Daily Mean Wind, Daily Mean Humidity, Daily Mean Rainfall. Rows for August 1st through 31st.

GENERAL ITEMS

Highest barometer, (on 25th.) 30.133. Lowest barometer, (on 13th.) 29.563. Monthly range, 0.570.

FAIR AT RED WING

The citizens of Red Wing have gone into the fair business this season on a magnificent scale, so far as grounds, buildings, driving track and other necessary preparations are concerned.

DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN

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Table with columns: Bar., Ther. Wind, Weather. Rows for Bismarck, Breckenridge, Duluth, Gary, Pembina, St. Paul, Yankton.

DAILY LOCAL MEANS

Bar. Ther. Bel. Hum. Wind. Weather. 29.836 74.5 69.0 W. Clear.

Calendar of This Week's Amusements

Monday—Opera House, Macaulay Combination.

Tuesday—Opera House, Macaulay Combination; Great Western band concert at Carpenter House.

Wednesday—Macaulay at Opera House; fire works at base ball grounds, Sixth ward, and the celebrated Winona band; reunion of veterans at St. James with St. Louis red band; Great Western band concert at Grote's Tivoli.

Thursday—Macaulay at Opera House; concert at Carpenter House, St. Louis red band and vocal quartette—Messrs. Leib, Wood, Mung and Dorsklev; ball at Music Hall (Scandinavian) Seibert's bar.

Friday—Macaulay at the Opera House; Great Western band at Grote's Tivoli.

Saturday—Final promenade concert at Rice park; Great Western and St. Louis red bands.

Sunday—Grand reunion concert at White Bear; Great Western, St. Louis red and Bach's Milwaukee bands.

Open house by Col. Knapp at Lake Como, with music and fire works, every night in the week.

The Opera House To-night

B. Macaulay, with a large and efficient company, will open to-night at the Opera House with the new comedy of "A Messenger from Jarvis Section."

PERSONAL

Among the arrivals at the Metropolitan were Mr. Charles S. Green and wife, Babylon Long Island, and Mr. John Splan and wife of Cleveland, Ohio.

At the Clarendon: W. A. Holmes, Auburn, N. Y.; C. C. Flint, St. Louis; D. F. Finch, Birmingham; Mrs. H. M. E. J. Adams, New York; Mrs. P. Flanery, Miss E. Flanery, Debuque, T. M. West and wife, Fairbank; E. S. Church, Harvard, Ill.; Henry Kellogg, Chicago; B. F. Smith, Grandby, Mass.; B. J. Mawser, Wis.; C. W. Edwards, U. S.

At the Merchants: Lyman H. Lowe, New York; J. H. Heinbush, Pittsburgh; E. P. Wright, Chicago; M. H. Roberts, Winona; G. P. Miller, Milwaukee; J. B. Bushnell, C. H. De Girval, Fond du Lac, Wis.; H. M. Kinchloker, Chicago; H. C. Whitson, Canister, N. Y.; W. H. Harding and wife, J. H. Cook and wife, H. Cook, Chicago; J. H. Bushnell, L. M. Buford, Rock Island; C. Freeman, Racine, Wis.; E. B. Grandin, St. J. S. Blanchard, Boston; P. S. Quincy, Chicago; T. W. Whitaker and wife, La Porte, Ind.; W. E. Armstrong, Chicago; T. R. Powers, Tomah, Wis.; P. L. Verharm, Yenton, La Crosse, Wis.; W. L. Weston, Mass.; C. E. Morse, Deadwood; J. C. Nichols, D. S. Bosworth, M. J. Mendicino, J. W. Strong, M. Ballerger, J. Stoller, Chicago; G. A. Morey, Winona; E. M. Stedman, Iowa; F. H. Smyth, Burlington; G. S. Benson, St. Cloud; D. J. Lyke, Minneapolis; W. Foot, B. Dixon, New York; P. J. Hayes, Moorhead; L. Wallace, Janesville; H. Given, Des Moines; Mrs. A. DeGraff, Winona; Mrs. L. H. Leatten, St. Louis.

Notice

All members of the Catholic Mutual Benevolent Society are hereby requested to attend High Mass at 10 o'clock the morning of the 24th September, being the day of the assembling of the State Catholic Mutual Benevolent convention.

By order of the President, E. McNamee, Sec.

Banks close 12 M. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 4, 5 and 6. Remomber.

CITY GLOBULES.

B. Macaulay at the Opera House to-night.

The Great Western band leaves for the fair grounds this morning at 9 o'clock.

A disgraceful row occurred at Schade's lager beer garden, on the Fort road, yesterday afternoon, and Frank Skak was run in by Officer Washburn. He will appear before Judge Flint this morning to answer.

The annex to the Commercial building at the State fair grounds will be sufficiently completed at 8 A. M. to-day for the decorators to proceed, and it is earnestly desired that the ladies will go in force and complete the work at once.

The Summit avenue concert Tuesday evening will be an unusually excellent one, and the strangers in the city, as well as those residing here, will find it a most delightful evening entertainment. The music is the finest that can be afforded, and the view from that point is unequalled in the city, while the grounds are comfortably furnished with seats. All will enjoy it.

It is now understood and quietly noised about in sporting circles that the winning crew in the boat race to-morrow will receive an immediate challenge from the famous crew, the "Narrowbacks." This celebrated crew has never yet met defeat in any form, and the result of such a race is already a foregone conclusion. The crew is as follows: Therwell, bow; Dickens, 2; Kirkwell, 3; Lec, stroke. Their condition is perfection.

FAIR AT RED WING

Arrangements Being Made for a Great Exhibition.

The citizens of Red Wing have gone into the fair business this season on a magnificent scale, so far as grounds, buildings, driving track and other necessary preparations are concerned, and expect to have displays of stock, agricultural products, machinery, household articles, furniture, etc., fully commensurate with the accommodations they have provided.

Their grounds are finely located on the bluff west of the city, and not over a quarter of a mile from the business limits, on the farm of Mr. Chas. Betcher. They comprise twenty acres which are bounded on the east side by the river bluff and on the north by that of Hay creek valley. They are easily approached from all directions, and are level and appropriate in every particular to the uses for which they are hereafter to be exclusively devoted.

They are now the property of a stock association, by whom they have been surrounded by a high board fence and improved in a suit able manner, and although this has been done hastily, it is well done, for the exhibition of articles in the household and art departments is in the shape of a cross, forty feet wide by one hundred and twenty in length, affording a covered space of 8,000 square feet. The several portions of this are respectively appropriated to different classes of articles, the center being reserved for those most ornamental.

This is surmounted by a handsome cupola and finished somewhat elaborately, making it an attractive object, and being near the edge of the bluff, it is plainly within view from the city and from steamboats passing up and down the river.

The stables, cattle sheds, etc., are on the north side and close to the edge of the Hay creek bluff. There is stabling for fifty head of horses, the stables being floored and separated by board walls, and the cattle sheds are sufficient for the accommodation of all the stock likely to be entered. Being near the edge of the bluff, these must necessarily be well drained.

The driving track is half a mile in length and sixty feet wide, and made in accordance with the latest approved plan given in the "Spirit of the Times." For a new track it is in fine condition and has the general commendation of horsemen. The amphitheater will seat 1,000 people. The seats are roomy and comfortable. Its finish corresponds in style with that of the exhibition building. The judges' stand is a handsome three story pagoda structure.

On the river side the fence is below the top of the bluff and encloses a handsome grove of young trees, from which is afforded a view of the city and of the river and valley for several miles distant in both directions. Seats are to be placed in this grove for the accommodation of guests. A bountiful supply of good water is furnished by a well on the premises, from which it is pumped by a windmill of approved make.

Taken altogether these grounds are hardly equalled by any in the State, except those of St. Paul and Minneapolis, and great credit is due to the superintendent, W. F. Crooks, for the skill, judgment and good taste he has shown in their improvement. As everybody in and about Red Wing seem determined that this fair shall be a success, there is little room to doubt but that the exhibition will be amongst the most attractive of the season.

SOUTHERN MINNESOTA.

Farmers Agreeably Disappointed—Railroad Prospects.

To the Editor of the Globe.

WINNEBAGO CTRY, Minn., Aug. 30.—The farmers in this section have commenced threshing and are very agreeably disappointed in the result. The wheat yield averages fifteen to twenty bushels, and in some places as high as twenty-five bushels, per acre, mostly No. 2, but some No. 1 and No. 3. Scotch Rye turns out much better than any other variety. Corn, oats, barley and other crops have turned out splendidly, and corn is beyond reach of damage from frost.

The people in the Blue Earth valley feel jubilant over the prospect of a north and south railroad to be built by the St. Paul & Sioux City railroad, from Blue Earth City to connect with their main line. This will open the long needed outlet to the Minneapolis mills, and the seaboard via Duluth for our wheat and other products, and will bring to our doors at reduced rates lumber, lime and brick and the wholesale trade and manufactures of St. Paul and Minneapolis. We are now compelled to depend on the Southern Minnesota railroad for all of our imports and exports via La Crosse, Wis. Ex-Gov. Stephen Miller and Wm. G. Robertson, Esq., of the St. Paul & Sioux City road, for some days past have been securing the right of way from Blue Earth City northward, with success. The survey is just completed, and it is reported that grading will be commenced next week, to be finished this fall to the Blue Earth county line. For all of which let us be joyful. Yours, GRANGER.

Troops Called Out.

MONTREAL, Sept. 1.—The provincial government has called out the military to aid civil power taking possession of the Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railroad company.

The 68th regiment proceeded to St. Theresa and the 60th fusiliers and Montreal garrison of artillery are under arms.

Ready for the Britishers.

New York, Sept. 1.—American Rifle team for 1878: W. H. Jackson, C. E. Dwight, J. T. Brown, W. Gerrish, R. Rathbone, J. S. Sumner, H. T. Clark and H. T. Rockwell.

BEECHER D-D HOT.

He Reaches a Place Where It Is Exceedingly Hot—Anxious to Get Points on the Nevada Mines.

[Virginia (Nev.) Chronicle.]

This morning at 10 o'clock Rev. Henry Ward Beecher and his wife, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Pond, Superintendent Patton and a reporter of the Chronicle, visited the Bonanza mines. When the party reached the dressing rooms of the C. and O. shaft they paused a moment. When shown the rough clothes which are placed at the disposal of visitors Mr. Beecher said: "All right; this suits me; hurry up, now." In a few minutes the dressing was completed, and Mr. Beecher remarked that if he knew where the pay office was he'd go and draw some money. All hands got on the cage, and getting off at the drift which connects with the bonanza mines, Mr. Beecher was particularly anxious to gain information about mining matters, and piled Mr. Patton with questions on each detail that came beneath his notice. Nothing escaped his eye, and he wanted a reason for "everything."

After that the inquisitive divine was a spy sent out by some of the New York brokers to get points on the mines.

Presently the party reached a drift where the heat was intense, and Mr. Beecher began to think that after all he had not knocked the bottom entirely out of hell.

"Is there much more of this?" he inquired, as he wiped his face and neck with a towel. "It will get cool as we go along," said Mr. Patton.

"But it don't get cool! I'm getting hotter every minute."

By way of a joke the rest of the crowd professed that it was quite cool, and all that was left for Mr. Beecher to do was to growl at the terrific heat, take an extra hitch in his pants and stumble along. Mrs. Beecher stood the heat well and said that she rather liked it. "The fact of the matter was that Mr. Pond had determined to revolutionize Mr. Beecher's ideas about hell, and taking the hint from Mr. Patton, had dressed him with thick, warm clothes, and the result was that the unfortunate man was almost suffocated."

The word was soon passed along the drifts from the moment that Mr. Beecher was there, and when the party returned to the cooling station scores of the miners were gathered at the spot to get a look at the famous preacher. He chatted with a few before getting on the cage, and said afterward that he had never seen better physical men. Subsequently the party inspected the pan mill and assay office, and were delighted with the trip.

SIMON CAMERON'S BROTHER'S WILL.

Heirs Preparing to Fight for the Possession of a Million and a Half.

[Hillsburgh Post.]

William Cameron, a brother of Hon. Simon Cameron, died a few months ago at the pretty little town of Lewisburg, Union county, Pa., at the ripe old age of 83 years. William was a shrewd business man, and, like his brother, amassed an immense estate. He died worth about a million and a half, nearly a million of which was personal property. The real estate consisted of valuable farms scattered about the fertile valley through which flows the west branch of the Susquehanna.

Shortly after Mr. Cameron's death his will was found, and, curiously enough, about \$1,400,000 were bequeathed to Mrs. Packer, wife of the Hon. John B. Packer, of Sunbury, who one time represented that district in Congress. Mrs. Packer was a daughter of William Cameron and her husband was his attorney. But there were other heirs. The deceased had a son who died in early manhood, leaving two children to survive him and their grandfather. Mr. Cameron also had two daughters, one of whom was married to Dr. Harrison, of Lewisburg. The other was married to John A. Green, of the same place. Mr. Green, both deceased, left two daughters, one of whom is married to O. P. Jones, who is now employed at the Philadelphia mint, and the other is Mrs. W. H. House, of Centre avenue, this city. While \$1,400,000 of the estate was bequeathed to Mrs. Packer, of Sunbury, only \$60,000 was left to Mr. Cameron's other daughter, Mrs. Dr. Harrison of Lewisburg, and only \$10,000 to each of his grandchildren, viz: Mrs. House, of this city, Mrs. Jones, of Philadelphia, and the two little ones of Wm. Cameron, Jr.

One of these grandchildren was named in honor of his grandfather, and for each of the others the old gentleman displayed much fondness. The revelation of the will therefore created no little consternation among the good people of Lewisburg, as well as the heirs who, though not entirely left out in the cold, were bequeathed a mere pittance of the vast estate. The document was written in Mr. Packer's handwriting, and was full of legal phraseology, which the heirs contended the old gentleman did not comprehend. They also claim that the deceased millionaire was not in a proper frame of mind to make a will. For these and other reasons not made public, Mrs. Dr. Harrison, the daughter, and Mrs. House, a granddaughter, have decided to test the validity of the testament before the courts of Union county. The case will come up on August 27, and will be tried before Judge Ellwell. Judge Bucher presides in that judicial district, but as he is a cousin to Mrs. House he had declined to sit on the case.

"GENERAL, CUT THE KEEDS."

The Little Game Which Judge Dixon, of Illinois, Learned, While in Congress, from Bob Schenk.

The New York Star says Judge Asa B. Dixon, of Morgan county, Illinois, arrived last week, bringing home some \$10,000 in drafts, with which he proposed having a time in Europe. The judge was to have sailed in the Britannic. Instead of doing so he went back West poorer, but wiser. The story is that he met an old friend, General Chambers, of Frankfort, Kentucky, accompanied by "Squire" Dan Becker, of the same State. The judge arranged a dinner party, and they were to meet at 5 o'clock in the judge's hotel, in Upper Broadway. Subsequently Judge Dixon invited Hon. Samuel Silvey, of Peoria, and a Mr. Thornton, of Cleveland, to join the party.

After dinner a poker party was proposed, and the party got to playing heavily—\$10 ante without limit. After raking in a pot of \$3,000, Judge Dixon said: "I learned this game in Congress years ago from Bob Schenk and Clark Ingersoll. It cost me a pile of money, but if there's anything I know something about, it's draw poker. General, cut the keeds."

"The play went on till the judge was some \$6,000 ahead. Then Gen. Chambers got a hand and bet, and the judge ran the pot up to \$23,000. Then the judge 'called' the general, who showed his two pairs of aces. Judge Dixon said: "That does settle it," and under pledge of secrecy the friends parted. Judge Dixon has gone to Chicago, and Gen. Chambers has engaged passage for himself and wife to Europe. The judge was "cleaned out" completely.

A. O. U. W.

To the lodges of Ancient Order of United Workmen of St. Paul.

You are hereby ordered to assemble at United Workmen hall (Odd Fellow's block) on Thursday morning, Sept. 5, at half-past 8 o'clock, in full regalia, for the purpose of joining in the reception ceremonies of President Hayes.

By order of the general committee of arrangements.

Soldiers Additional Homesteads for sale by Moore, Moore & Co., Pioneer Press building.

The handsome suite of bachelor's quarters in the city for rent, with furniture for sale at a great bargain. House contains all the modern conveniences. Location most desirable. Inquire at this office.

DIED.

SLATER—In this city, on the 1st inst., John Thomas Slater, aged 21 years.

Funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 119 Ramsey street, at 2 P. M. Tuesday, Sept. 3d.

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AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION—BUSINESS LOT ON THIRD STREET AT AUCTION—H. S. FAIRCHILD, Real Estate Agent, corner Third and Jackson.

AUCTION—House and lot at auction. H. S. Fairchild will sell the new dwelling and lot, 40x120 on Bedford street, near the Lincoln school, to the highest bidder, next Wednesday at 10 A. M., at his office opposite Merchants hotel. Terms—Quarterly cash, balance in two years at 10 per cent. This lot is 25x140, on Third street, 50 feet west of Rockwell. 231-34.

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FOR SALE.—Horses and carriages and real estate. DR. WM. L. MINZIE, in rear of 71 and 73 Robert street.

WANTED.—Immediately five or six first-class coat makers at MOOREHEAD'S, 105 East Third street.

WANTED.—A butcher, immediately. Inquire at 130 Jackson street.

WANTED.—To buy a saloon, company preferred. Address, stating terms, etc., I. A., this office. 231-37.

WANTED.—Man that understands the care of horses and carriages. To the right man a good situation is offered. Apply 86 O'Gage ave. 239

WANTED.—SIX TEAMS wanted to work on the Rice street sewer. Inquire on the work in Rice street. J. S. SEWALL, City Engineer. St. Paul, August 27, 1878. 238

FOR SALE.—A competent servant girl—German preferred. Must come well recommended. Apply at this office.

THE STATE FAIR!

A Gala Week and Harvest Home

At St. Paul, from Sept. 2 to Sept. 7, Inclusive.

The Exhibition Opens To-Day with a Splendid Programme.

RARUS and the other Flyers Already on the Ground for the Great Trots.

'Wednesday is RARUS' Great Trot, and Thursday EDWIN FORREST will test his Right to the title of King of the Turf.

Grand Reception of PRESIDENT HAYES at the Fair Grounds Thursday.

Big Attractions Every Day of the Week.

Programme for To-Day:

First--2 p. m., RARUS, the King of the Turf, will be Exhibited on the Track, in Front of the Grand Stand.

Second--Trotting in the 2:38 Class.

Third--Dr. W. F. CARVER, the Champion Rifle Shot of the World, will Give an Exhibition of his Wonderful Skill, in Front of the Grand Stand.

Fourth--Running Race, Three-Year Olds Owned in the State, Best Two in Three.

Fifth--The Wonderful Trotting Elks, Nacoma and Hiawatha, in a Two Mile Dash.

Sixth, Mile Dash, Shetland Ponies to Chariot.

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