MINNEAPOLIS NEWS

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MINNEAPOLIS GLOBELETS.

First day of Lent.

Look out for a regular old-fashioned blizzard.

Robert W. Douglas lectures at the Friends' church to-night.

Last year there were 1,843 births and 664 deaths in Hennepin county.

The Woman's Christian association held a meeting yesterday afternoon.

At Willmar the Druids have established the twentieth grove in this State.

The Jubilee Singers sang at the Second Congregational church last night.

A series of temperance meetings are in progress at the First M. E. church.

B. F. Viet gives one more of his private social parties at his hall this evening.

One of the Cedar avenue street cars broke down on the lower turn-table yesterday.

There appears to be a slight increase in the amount of lumber daily shipped from this point.

The county auditor elect, Frank McDonald, will enter upon the duties of his office on Saturday, March 1st.

That portion of the Minneapolis Eastern railroad running through the city is rapidly approaching completion.

Herbert Jansen, of lower Minneapolis, while stealing a ride on a farmer's team, was severely injured yesterday.

H. G. Sidle, W. F. Cahill and E. R. Bushnell are going to the Hot Springs, Arkansas, for health and a good time.

Another cold snap instead of a snow storm, for which the majority of Minneapolitans do not thank the clerk of the weather.

An amateur minstrel entertainment will soon be given in Minneapolis. In the olio a burlesque on "H. M. S. Pinafore" will be given.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis Railway company are to run a track directly to the grounds of the Lake Minnetonka Park association.

Mrs. Abraham Drew is the latest victim of disastrous runaways. Severe bruises about the face and a disfigured nose is the extent of the damage done.

Charles Horton, the member of hook and ladder company No. 2, who was injured at a fire on February 16th, is, with the assistance of a cane, able to be around again.

The sheriff of Kandiyohi county left a crazy man who he is taking to St. Peter at the police station last night, and the lodgers say that the man made more noise than Col. Batchler does.

The special train on Friday evening for the benefit of those wish leaving the C., M. & St. P. railway depot at 7 o'clock, to attend the Governor's reception, will stop at Eagle street, and returns at 10 o'clock.

Deputy Sheriff Stoddard started last night for Independence to bring in George Paul and Phœbe Woodard and Mrs. Jefferson Droddy, who are wanted as witnesses in the trial of the State against Jefferson Droddy.

The relief association executive committee held a meeting yesterday morning, and reported that thirteen loads of wood had been distributed during the past week, and fourteen orders were issued for groceries and supplies.

The Milwaukee prima donna has arrived, and the Metropolitan Theatre company are now rehearsing the great New York sensation, "Her Majesty's Ship Pinaforo," which will soon be placed on the boards in a manner that will compare favorably with the Eastern productions. It will doubtless have the greatest run of the season.

The alarm of fire from box 136 about 8:30 o'clock last evening was caused by fire being discovered in the engine room of Barnard & Copis, furniture manufactures, on the corner of Fourth street and Second avenue north, East Division. The firemen were promptly on hand and the flames were extinguished with slight loss, which is covered by insurance.

Lenten services will be conducted at Gethsemane church to-day, as follows: Divine services at 11 A. M. and 4:30 P. M. During the remainder of lent evening prayer will be said in Gethsemane chapel every afternoon at 4:30, except Friday, when services will be held at 7:30 P. M. Morning prayer on Wednesday and Friday mornings at 10 o'clock. There will also be evening prayers and sermon every Tuesday evening during lent in All Saints chapel, Wednesday evenings in Grace, and Thursday evenings in St. Andrews' at 7:30. All are cordially welcome to all these services.

THE COURTS.

District Court.

[Before Judge Young.]

COURT CASES.

Elizabeth Snyder vs Ole Peterson et al. Case continued to Feb. 27.

Anna M. Grant vs. George Goetzman and Teresa Goetzman. Case continued to March 25th.

Jonathan H. Pond vs. Richard J. Mendenhall. Case continued to March 19.

The call for to-day is, 50, 107.

[Before Judge Vanderburgh.]

JURY CASES.

State vs. Howard Bradley; indicted for assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to do great bodily harm. The jury returned a verdict of simple assault.

State vs. Jefferson Droddy; indicted for larceny from a dwelling. On trial.

Janney Bros. vs. Eddy & Son. Jury trial waived.

Probate Court.

[Before Judge Rea.]

Ira F. Murphy and E. S. Kelly were appointed appraisers in the estate of Joseph Baldwin, and an order limiting the time to pay debts in the same was made and filed.

The bond of J. S. Hillyer, administrator in the estate of George F. Ames, was filed and approved.

The resignation of Joseph Jervais, guardian of the estate of the Laundre minors, was accepted.

Municipal Court.

[Before Judge Cooley.]

John Owens and his two sons Robert and David, who were arrested on complaint of C. C. Black, for assault on him with an iron bar, had an examination yesterday morning, and the case was continued to Monday, March 3d, at 9 o'clock. The prisoners were released on giving bonds of $100 each.

Three "soiled doves" paid $50 fines into the Bethany Home fund.

Metropolitan Theatre.

Owing to numerous requests, Mr. Murray has kindly consented to present the "Colleen Bawn" this evening for positively the last time. "Flowers of the Forest" will be presented for the first time in this city on Thursday evening, with new scenery and appointments.

THE STATE FAIR.

Meeting at Minneapolis to Arrange for Holding it Between the Cities.

Messrs. P. H. Kelly, D. W. Ingersoll, D. Day, C. Gotzian and J. W. McClung on the part of St. Paul, and Richard Chute, Thos. Lowry, D. W. Woodmansee, E. L. Corser and H. Whitney on the part of Minneapolis, met at the Nicollet house yesterday, at 2 o'clock. After a two hours discussion, in which all was harmonious and pleasant, a resolution was offered by J. W. McClung to the effect that both cities should unite with all other portions of the State in making the next State fair a success at some point between the two cities; that local jealousies and local interests should yield to the interests of the State, and that as a basis of union the net proceeds of the fair should be divided between the Northwestern Agricultural and Mechanical association and the State Agricultural society; that in order to make the fair a still greater success, Dakota, Montana, Manitoba, Oregon and Washington be invited to join with us in making a grand exposition of the products and resources of the entire New Northwest. This resolution was seconded by Thomas Lowry, Esq., and without making any objection or further discussion, Mr. Chute suggested that the 1st of September was still far in the future, and that we now adjourn to act further upon this resolution at a future meeting to be called by Mr. Kelly, the chairman of the joint committees. All agreed that haste was not desirable and that it would be best to go slow, and not take a step in advance of the public sentiment of the two cities; that the committees were making commendable progress, and the dividing lines were nearing each other. There was no difference as to all future fairs after this year. In the meantime all conceded that further strife should end upon this subject.

AN IMPORTANT BILL.

Which Proposes to Prevent Railroad Discrimination in Minnesota.

The railroad investigating committee of the House will this morning report the following bill, which we are informed was framed by Mr. Jones, of that committee:

A bill relating to discriminations by railroad companies in this State, and to prohibit such discrimination.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. No railroad corporation shall charge, demand or receive from any person, company or corporation for the transportation of persons of property, a greater sum than it shall charge, demand or receive from any other person or corporation for a like service at the same time; and no railroad corporation shall charge or receive a larger sum per ear load for transportation of the same class of freight from one person than from any other for the same service at the same time, or while the rates in existence are unchanged.

Sec. 2. No railroad corporation shall charge, demand or receive from any person, company, or corporation an unreasonable price for the transportation of persons or property, or for handling or storing any frieght, or for the use of cars, or for any service afforded in the transaction of its business as such railroad corporation.

Sec. 3. Every railroad corporation upon reasonable notice when within their power so to do, shall furnish suitable cars for the transportation of persons and freights, and shall receive and transport all freights with all reasonable dispatch, (and shall provide and furnish suitable facilities for handling the same,) but this provision shall not be construed so as to require a railroad company to provide elevators or warehouses for the handling of grain.

Sec. 4. Any railroad corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this act, or be guilty of any unjust discrimination whatever against any person, company, corporation, town, city or village, shall forfeit for each and every such offense to the person, company or corporation aggrieved, three times the actual damage sustained, and pay a sufficient sum into the State treasury to cover the costs of prosecution, together with costs to be recovered in a civil action to be prosecuted at the expense of the State as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 5. On receiving a complaint in writing made and signed by any person, company or corporation, and verified as complaints in civil actions are required by law to be verified, stating that any railroad corporation, or its agents, have violated any of the provisions of this act, specifying the acts complained of, and naming the witnesses by whom the same can be proved, and stating the place of residence of such witnesses, the railroad commissioner shall furnish to the attorney general a copy of the same, who shall thereupon proceed to investigate such complaint without delay, and shall examine the witnesses named and any others he may deem proper, on oath, touching the said complaint, and he shall reduce the testimony so taken to writing, and cause the same to be subscribed by the witnesses respectively, and he shall furnish such testimony to the railroad commissioner, with his opinion in writing thereon as to the validity of the charge stated in the complaint, and the propriety of commencing an action against such railroad corporation on the charge stated.

Sec. 6. In case such opinion of the attorney general shall be that such complaint ought to be prosecuted, then the railroad commissioner shall at once transmit to the county attorney of the county where the act was committed a copy of the complaint, testimony and opinion aforesaid, and said county attorney shall thereupon commence a civil action in the name of the party aggrieved against such railroad corporation for the recovery of the damage specified in section four of this act, and such action shall be prosecuted to judgment at the expense of the State for the benefit of the party aggrieved.

Sec. 7. In case of judgment against a railroad corporation under the provisions of this act, the court may allow attorney's fees in favor of the prevailing party in such reasonable sum as may be just, which sum shall be paid into the State treasury.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

WINNIPEG.

Daily Trains on the Pembina Branch—Grandin Line of Steamers—Investigation—Bart. Atkins.

[Special Telegram to the Globe.]

WINNIPEG, Feb. 25.—Arrangements are expected to become in force next Saturday to run a train every day on the Pembina branch and bring a daily mail.

The Grandin line propose to run boats between Moorhead and Winnipeg next spring so long as there is water enough to float them.

A royal commission has been appointed to investigate the affairs of some government officials here.

Barton Atkins, agent for the Eirie & Milwaukee freight line, is in town looking after the interests of his road.

Nicholas Flood Davis lectures here on Thursday.

Sudden Deaths.

[Special Telegram to the Globe.]

RED WING, Feb. 25.—Major W. R. Macdonald, a prominent furniture dealer of this city, died this morning. The announcement was wholly unexpected, as the major was at his usual place of business all day yesterday and in his usual health. At 7 o'clock last evening he was taken suddenly sick and a doctor was sent for. He leaves a wife and family. His life was insured in the A. O. U. W., and possibly in the Masonic association of Chicago. As a Mason he never affiliated here.

On Sunday the Masons were called upon to visit Lake City by special car to attend the funeral of Marley L. Hulett, who also died suddenly. Both gentlemen were highly respected.

Archbishop Purcell and His German Parishoners.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 25.—Archbishop Purcell publishes a card in the *Evening Times* denying the statement that the German Catholics are disaffected toward him in the present troubles. He says the German priests and people deserve and receive his heartfelt gratitude for the uniform affection and regard which they show him.

H. M. Cochran, tobacconist, and Cochran, Boseman & Co., foundry men, McConnelleville, Ohio, assigned Saturday. Liabilities of both establishments nearly $60,000.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

A cemetery association has been organized in Verndale, Wadena county.

It is averred that there are over 8,000 lakes in Minnesota, over a mile in diameter.

The widow Ames, of Austin, Mower county, has five children down with the diphtheria, and they are all severe cases.

The flouring mill at Rushford sold in one day last week, twenty tons of bran to farmers, making about 100 wagon loads.

Some banking houses refuse to receive the Mexican silver dollar for more than 70 cents. They claim that is all it is worth.

The house of Mr. Sawyer in Sherburne county, opposite Monticello, has been destroyed by fire with its contents. No insurance.

Ambrose Lorentz, proprietor of the European hotel in Mankato, fell down stairs and broke an arm and received a severe scalp wound.

At Sauk Centre wheat of all grades has advanced seven cents per bushel. No. 1 is now graded at 73, No. 2 at 65, and No. 3 at 52c.

The six weeks' revival meeting held in the M. E. church in Rochester, Minn., has closed. Sixty-eight have united with the church, and others are yet to unite.

Sneak-thieves are making their presence known in various localities of the State by their depredations on wood piles, corn cribs, hen roosts, clothes lines, etc.

Triplets have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hawkins, of Parker's Prairie, Otter Tail county. Aggregate weight, 15¾ pounds. The babies are lively and doing well.

"New buildings," says the Albert Lea *Standard*, "are going up every day in this city, just as though 'hard times' had not exhibited his forbidding visage to our people."

A burglar attempted to enter the house of Andrew Palmer at Albert Lea the other night, but a shower of stove wood hurled at him by Mr. Palmer caused the rascal to run.

The Austin (Mower county) *Republican* says: Diphtheria, so fatal in its effects that the very name of it carries terror to the stoutest heart, is in our midst, and gradually spreading.

A man named Kugel, of Rich Prairie, was chopping wood the other day when he cut one of his feet so badly that he could not walk, and when found was almost dead from loss of blood.

As a result of a revival meeting, of eleven days duration, held in a school house in Gray Eagle, Stearns county, there were over forty conversions, and an addition of forty-two to the church of the United Brethren in Christ.

Frank Sicora and Joseph Kaplan, of Owatonna, are under arrest for attempting to burn the store building occupied by themselves. There stock was insured for $300. It is believed it was not worth $100. The building is owned by Mr. Morehouse.

In Glencoe the other night three youthful roughs, all under 20 years of age, knocked down a drunken man, Frederick Ortloff, of the town of Penn, and robbed him of a bottle of whisky and $9 in money. One of the fellows has been arrested and the others have run away.

In Bergen, McLeod county, Reuben Holcomb stabbed William Burton with a knife, but not fatally. Both young men. Holcomb claimed that Burton had slandered a girl with whom he (Holcomb) was keeping company. They quarreled, with the result stated above. An officer, with a warrant, went to arrest Holcomb, but could not find him.

Wells *Advocate*, Feb. 20: We reluctantly chronicle the failure of J. M. Nye, together with the bank of Wells, which occurred last Saturday by an assignment af all his property to Dr. Straw. Nothing ever disturbed the equanimity of our people so much as did the above announcement. As far as we can learn, it was the best posaible way to do in order for Mr. Nye to protect himself as well as all creditors alike.

STRANGE IF TRUE.

Report that Merrick the Murderer Left a Confession Concealed in His Watch.

[Indianapolis Sentinel.]

One of the most singular and startling incidents of the present century came to light yesterday in the discovery of a genuine confession of the late William Merrick, which rivals many of the stories of the dark ages, when men kept or hid away revelations of deeds of darkness in secret panels, drawers, seal rings, brooches, lockets and other] innocent-looking articles of ornament or furniture. Merrick seems to have imbibed the idea of rendering his name still more famous or infamous by having in his possession a watch with its secret chamber that is destined to be one of the seven wonders of the age. The discovery of the secret chamber was the result of an accident, or, rather, was purely accidental. Dr. Edwins, representative from Madison county, after the purchase of the watch at sheriff's sale last Monday, took it to the jeweler to have it examined and cleaned, and having some curiosity to see it taken apart stood by conversing with the jeweler while he was doing the work. The watch is a highly embossed stem-winder, with a heavy double-case, is as handsome an appearing time-piece as a gentleman of his taste and style would wish to carry. After opening the watch and detaching the works from the case, there appearing to be some dirt in the groove where the two sides join, the workman ran a small tool around, and in the groove, which in passing a point about a half inch from the hinge and that seemed to resist the passage of the tool, suddenly an inner plate or cap sprung open, startling the jeweler (and Dr. Edwins also, for that matter) so that it fell from his hand to the floor, the fact of it having been carried by Merrick making him somewhat nervous. In picking it up out fell a carefully-folded piece of tough tissue paper, closely covered with writing in pencil, which, from its singular wording, would seem to be a confession of the horrible crime for which Merrick was executed, together with hints of his connection with the murder of the young man at Connersville and the old man who was found dead in his stable. He also mentions the name of another who seems to have been a victim to his hellish passions. The paper reads as follows:

What a dam fool I was; if Ide served her like I did the other girl, Ide never been found out. Why didn't I bar'l her up and send her to Michigan like I did Fan. Somehow everything went bad from the day I first got her tight and took her to my room till I took her out that night, dam her—no its no use to curs her now I done enough of that when she was livin, I wouldent care only for the baby. But its no use I have to swing for it and then—thats what gits me. The old man dident truble me much, he took the dose just as easy, he was too drunk to know better. I served the other cuss right, he stood between me and that girl. he no business to get in my way. I tried hard to make em believe Jul would come in time but thats played out. I wonder who'll find this when I'm dead and gone. M.

Any one desirous of seeing the watch and confession can do so by calling on Dr. Edwins at Representative hall or the Occidental.

Dr. Edwins says it makes him feel queer when he carries that watch, and he don't know whether he will keep it or send it to Barnum.

ST. PAUL TRADE.

Weekly Review of the St. Paul Markets.

OFFICE OF THE GLOBE, ST. PAUL, Feb. 26.

A moderately active movement is reported in the several departments of mercantile trade for the week just closed, and for this season of the year, business is reported as generally satisfactory. The volume of transactions, however, have been necessarily light, and the present may be described as the period of preparation or organization, as the majority of houses are actively engaged in arranging for the spring campaign, which, for reasons stated in a previous issue, is anticipated with unusual interest.

The actual amount of patronage experienced, as above intimated, has been exceedingly light, and, with one or two exceptions, values have not materially changed since the previous week's quotations.

The most notable change, perhaps, is applicable to the grain and provision market, which has continued to rule active, while the leading staples have experienced a general advance in prices. The above is particularly true of the grain and pork markets, which, under an active speculative demand, have ruled firm and higher.

Advices from the seaboard and intermediate speculative points, show that Eastern operators have purchased extensively during the past twenty days, with the object in view of running a corner; the nature of the movement being wholly "bullish." The probable outcome of the corner is at present a matter about which it would not be safe to hazard a prediction, the impression being that the heavy purchasers will soon commence to unload, when a slight revulsion may be looked for in the market, prices being so low at present, however, that a marked decline is not anticipated.

The demand for oats has been unusually active, and with light supplies have realized a further advance from previous quotations. The market for corn, barley, mill stuff, etc., has also been active, but with liberal offerings prices have generally ruled steady.

The several descriptions of hog products have been in good demand, and with moderate supplies values have ruled firm and higher.

Business at the leading grocery establishments is reported as satisfactorily active, while prices have ruled steady at previous quotations.

An active week is reported at the principal hardware houses, and the volume of transactions show a notable improvement as compared with the week preceding.

The dry goods trade has been quiet, and operations have been chiefly conducted with a view to meet the requirements of the trade in the near future.

The leading drug houses report an active business, and collections are made with ordinary promptitude—the same being applicable to the different departments of trade in general.

Business with the boot and shoe dealers has been quiet, and the demand for foot-wear has has been exceedingly light.

The demand for leather and findings, hides, furs, wool, etc., has been moderately active, and prices have continued steady at previous quotations.

MONEY AND TRADE.

FINANCIAL.

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.

Governments steady.

Railroad bonds fairly active.

State securities dull.

The stock market exhibited a tendency toward lower prices early in the day, and a decline of ¼@1¼ per cent. took place as compared with yesterday's closing quotations. The weakness was most marked in Western Union and Union Pacific. During the afternoon an active buying movement set in, under which there was an advance of ½@¾ per cent., the latter in Western Union. After this stock Chicago & Northwestern shares and Union Pacific were the most conspicuous in the rise. The market closed at a slight reaction from the best figures of the day.

At the close transactions aggregated 200,000 shares, of which 25,000 were Erie; 18,000 Lake Shore & Michigan Southern; 32,000 Chicago & Northwestern common; 35,000 Chicago & Northwestern preferred; 6,000 Milwaukee & St. Paul common; 6,000 Milwaukee & St. Paul preferred; 9,000 Delaware, Lackawanna & Western; 4,000 New Jersey Central; 13,000 Union Pacific; 29,000 Western Union; 2,400 St. Louis, Kansas City & Northern, and 4,300 Missouri, Kansas & Texas.

Money 2@3½ per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 3@5 per cent.

Sterling Exchange—Bankers' bills steady at 85¼ on sight; exchange on New York 88¼.

Produce exports for the week, $1,382,000.

The following were the closing quotations:

GOVERNMENTS.

Coupons, '81	106⅝	New 4½s, coupons	106⅛
Coupons, '65, new	....	New 4 per cents	100
Coupons, '67	102	10-40s, registered	102
Coupons, '68	103¼	Coupons	104½
New 5s	104⅝	Currency 6s	121¾

STOCKS.

Western Union Tel.	103¾	C. C. C. & I.	43¼
Quicksilver	12	New Jersey Central	43¾
Quicksilver preferred	33	Chi. & Rock Island	132½
Pacific Mail	13⅞	Mil. & St. Paul	39¾
Mariposa	3¾	Mil. & St. Paul pfd.	82¾
Mariposa preferred	....	Toledo & Wabash	22¼
Adams, ex. div.	107	Pitts'g & Ft. Wayne	106½
Wells & Fargo	99	Terre Haute	3½
American	49⅝	Terre Haute pfd.	6
United States	48¼	Chicago & Alton	80
New York Central	118	Chicago & Alton pfd.	105
Erie	26⅝	Ohio & Mississippi	11¾
Erie preferred	47½	Del. Lack. & Western	53
Harlem	150	A. & P. Telegraph	36⅝
Harlem preferred	....	Missouri Pacific	1¼
Michigan Central	88	C. B. & Q., ex. div.	115
Panama	132	Hannibal & St. Joe.	15⅝
Union Pacific stock	74	do preferred	43⅞
Lake Shore	70⅞	Canada Southern	56
Illinois Central	82½	Cent. Pacific bonds	109¾
Cleveland & Pittsburg	92½	Union Pacific bonds	109½
Northwestern	58¾	U. P. land grant	113¼
Northwestern pfd.	88¾	Sinking fund	114

STATE BONDS.

Tennessee 6s, old	39	Virginia 6s, new	26
Tennessee 6s, new	23½	Missouri 6s	106½
Virginia 6s, old	26		

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, Feb. 25—5 P. M.

Amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day £7,000.

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES.			
New 4½s	107¾	Reading	13½
5-20s, '67	104	Erie	27⅝
10-40s, S. B., '67	....	Erie preferred	49
10-40s	104¼	Illinois Central	85½
New 5s	106⅝	Pennsylvania Centr'l	36½

RENTES—110f 50c. PARIS, Feb. 25.

MARKETS IN DETAIL.

The following quotations giving the range of the markets during the day were received by

MORTON, MOORE & Co., Commission Merchants.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 25— 10 A. M.

Wheat firm.
Floating cargoes strong.
Cargoes on passage firm.
Red winter off coast threepence higher.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—11:00 A. M.

Corn easier.
Wheat weak; quarter to half cent lower.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—12:30 P. M.

Corn weak.
Wheat looks weak at decline.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—2:00 P. M.

Wheat inactive and tame; No. 3 96@97c; No. 2 $1.06@1.07.

WHEAT.

	MILWAUKEE. March.	MILWAUKEE. April.	CHICAGO. March.	CHICAGO. April.
9:30 A. M.	93¾	94¼	93¼	94⅛
9:45 "	93	94⅛	93	94⅛
10:00 "	92¾	93¾	93	94
10:15 "	92¾	93¾	92¾@⅞	93⅞@94
10:30 "	92¾	93¾	92⅞	93⅞
10:45 "	92¾	93¾	93⅛	94⅛
11:00 "	92⅞	93⅞	93¼	94¼
11:15 "	93	94	93¾@¼	94⅜
11:30 "	92⅞	94	93⅝	94⅜
11:45 "	92⅞	93⅞	93¼	94¼
12:00 M.	93	94	93¼	94¼
12:15 P. M.	93	94	93⅛	94⅛
12:30 "	93	94	93¼	94¼
12:45 "	92⅞	93⅞	93¼	94¼
1:00 "	92⅞	93⅞	93¼	94⅛@¼
2:00 "	....	....	93¼	94⅛
2:30 "	92¾	93⅞	93¼	94¼
2:45 "	92¾	93⅞	93¼	94¼
3:00 "	92⅞	93⅞	93¼	94¼
3:15 "	92¾	93⅞	93⅛	94⅛
3:30 "	92⅞	93⅞	93⅛	94⅛

Wheat receipts in Chicago, 87,825 bushels; shipments 44,209 bushels.

Wheat receipts in Milwaukee, 49,650 bushels; shipments 4,502 bushels.

CORN.

	CHICAGO. March.	CHICAGO. April.
9:30 A. M.	33½	33¾
10:00 "	33½	33¾
10:45 "	33⅜	33¾
11:15 "	33½	33⅞
11:45 "	33½	33⅞
12:45 P. M.	33⅝	33⅞
1:00 "	33½	33¾@⅞
2:45 "	33½	33⅞
3:30 "	33½	33¾

Corn receipts in Chicago, 179,247 bushels; shipments 113,032 bushels.

PORK.

	CHICAGO. March.	CHICAGO. April.
9:30 A. M.	10.30	10.40@42
9:45 "	10.25	10.37½
10:00 "	10.20	10.32½
10:15 "	10.22½	10.37½
10:30 "	10.22½	10.35@37½
10:45 "	10.25	10.40
11:00 "	10.27½	10.42½
11:15 "	10.30	10.42½
11:45 "	10.30	10.42½
12:00 M.	10.27½@30	10.40@42½
12:15 P. M.	10.27½	10.40
12:30 "	10.27½@30	10.40@42½
1:00 "	10.30	10.42½
2:00 "	10.27½@30	10.40@42½
2:45 "	10.27½	10.40
3:15 "	10.27½	10.37½@40
3:30 "	10.27½	10.42½

LARD.

	CHICAGO. March.	CHICAGO. April.
9:30 A. M.	6.82½@85	6.92½
9:45 A. M.	6.82½	6.92½
10:00 "	6.80	6.90
10:15 "	6.80@82½	6.90
10:30 "	6.82½	6.90
10:45 "	6.85	6.95
11:00 "	6.85	6.95
11:15 "	6.85@87½	6.95
11:45 "	6.87½	6.95
12:00 M.	6.85	6.92½@95
12:15 P. M.	6.85	6.92½@95
12:30 "	6.85	6.92½@95
1:00 "	6.85	6.95
2:00 "	6.85	6.92½@95
2:45 "	6.85	6.92½
3:15 "	6.82½@85	6.92½@95
3:30 "	6.82½@85	6.92½@95

[Associated Press Markets.]

Milwaukee Produce Market.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 25.

FLOUR—Firm and in good demand.

GRAIN—Wheat opened weak and ¼c higher, and closed quiet and firm; No. 1 hard $1.02½; No. 1, 99½c; No. 2, 92½c; February 92¾c; March 92⅞c; April 93⅞c; May 98c; No. 3, 78c; No. 4, 71½c; rejected 63½c. Corn nominal; No. 2, 34c. Oats firmly held; No. 2, 23c. Rye steady and in good demand; No. 1, 45½c. Barley dull and nominal; No. 2, 73½c.

PROVISIONS—Quiet but firm. Mess pork quiet; new $10.35. Lard, prime steam $6.90.

HOGS—Live, steady at $3.70@3.90. Dressed hogs steady at 4.40@4.45.

RECEIPTS—9,801 barrels flour; 49,650 bushels wheat.

SHIPMENTS—22,310 barrels flour; 4,502 bushels wheat.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.

FLOUR—Good demand, at full prices.

GRAIN—Wheat fairly active and a shade higher; No. 2 red winter 95@96½c; No. 2 Chicago spring 93c cash; 93½c March; 94½c April; No. 3 Chicago 78½c; rejected 68. Corn fairly active and higher; 33⅝c cash; 33½c March; 33¾c April; 37⅝@37¾c May. Oats active; firm and higher; 23c cash and March; 23¼c April; 23c May. Rye steady and unchanged. Barley easier; 76¼@77¼.

PROVISIONS—Pork unsettled but lower; $10.30 cash; 10.30 bid March; 10.42½@10.45 April; 10.57½@10.60 May. Lard steady; good demand; $6.92½ cash; 6.92½@6.95 April; 7.02½ May. Bulk meats good demand and a shade higher; $3.85@5.25@5.40.

HOGS—Dressed hogs in good demand and a shade higher; $4.55.

WHISKY—Steady and unchanged; $1.04.

RECEIPTS—14,000 barrels flour; 88,000 bushels wheat; 179,000 bushels corn; 37,000 bushels oats; 4,800 bushels rye; 8,500 bushels barley.

SHIPMENTS—17,000 barrels flour; 44,000 bushels wheat; 118,000 bushels corn; 28,000 bushels oats; 1,700 bushels rye; 12,000 bushels barley.

CLOSING PRICES.

GRAIN—Firmer but not quotably higher.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull and a shade lower; declined 5c. Lard firm and unchanged.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.

HOGS—Receipts 20,000; shipments 7,000; choice heavy steady; $4.00@4.40; light 3.75@3.95; packers 3.70@3.90; generally 5@10c lower and dull.

CATTLE—Receipts 4,300; shipments 1,200; quiet and easy; shipping $4.20@5.00; butchers' steady; cows 2.30@3.20; steers 2.80@4.10; bulls 2.20@3.40; feeders and stockers 2.70@4.10, and slow.

SHEEP—Receipts 1,700; shipments 880; dull and lower; $3.10@5.25.

Boston Produce Market.

BOSTON, Feb. 25.

FLOUR—Good demand, at full prices.

GRAIN—Corn quiet; mixed and yellow 49@52c. Oats firm; No. 1 and extra white 37@40c; No. 2 white 36@36½c; No. 3 white and No. 2 mixed 34½@35c. Rye 60c.

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.

COTTON—Firm at 9¾@9⅞c; futures quiet.

FLOUR—Very moderate demand; receipts 19,000 barrels; superfine state and western $3.50@3.75; common to good extra 3.80@4.00; good to choice 4.05@4.50; white wheat extra 4.55@5.25; extra Ohio 3.75@5.00; St. Louis 3.80@5.75; Minnesota patent process 6.00@8.25.

GRAIN—Wheat, fair demand; receipts 102,600 bushels; rejected spring 83½@84c; No. 3 do 95@96c; No. 2 do 1.06; ungraded do 87c@$1.00; ungraded winter red 1.08@1.12½; No. 3 do 1.09½; No. 2 do 1.13; No. 1 do 1.13@1.13½; ungraded amber 1.11@1.13½; No. 2 do 1.12½@1.12½; ungraded white 1.10@1.12; No. 2 do 1.10@1.10¼; No. 1 do, sales 28,000 bushels at 1.12@1.12¾; extra do, sales 800 bushels at 1.13@1.14. Rye quiet; western 62@62½c. Barley dull and unchanged. Malt dull and nominal. Corn heavy; receipts 82,000 bushels; ungraded 46½@47½c; No. 3, @43½c; steamer 44¾@44⅞c; No. 2, 46½@46½c; old do 47c; yellow western 47c. Oats active; receipts 18,000 bushels; No. 3 white 33½@34c; No. 2 do 34@35c; No. 1 do 36c; mixed western 32@35c; white western 33@35½c.

HOPS—Dull; yearlings 3@5c; eastern and western 8@10c; New York state 5@14c.

GROCERIES—Coffee quiet but steady; Rio cargoes 11@15c; job lots 11¼@16½c. Sugar quiet and unchanged. Molasses quiet and unchanged. Rice steady.

PETROLEUM—Steady; united 96¼@97¼c; crude $1.08¾@1.08⅞; refined 1.09¼ bid.

TALLOW—Steady at 6 9-16@6⅝c.

ROSIN—Quiet and firm at $1.40@1.45.

TURPENTINE—Quiet and steady at $1.30.

PRODUCE—Eggs dull; western 16@16c. Butter unchanged. Cheese steady and unchanged.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull; mess $9.70@9.75 for old; 11.00@11.12½ for new. Beef quiet and unchanged. Cut meats steady; western long clear middles $5.37½; short do 5.62½. Lard dull; prime steam $7.05@7.10.

WHISKY—$1.07½.

Foreign Produce Market.

LONDON, Feb. 25.

TALLOW—Fine American 35s 6d.

PETROLEUM—Refined 7s 9d.

ANTWERP, Feb. 25.

PETROLEUM—23½f.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 25.

COTTON—Quiet; 5⅜@5½d; sales 7,000 bales; for speculation and export 1,000 bales; American 5,500 bales.

BREADSTUFFS—Quiet and steady.

GRAIN—California white wheat average 8s 10@9s 4d; do club 9s 2d@9s 8d; red western spring 6s 11d@8s 1d; red western winter 8s 8d@9s 2d. Corn, new western mixed 4s 7d. Oats, American 5s 6d. Barley, American 5s 3d.

FLOUR—Western canal 8s 6d.

PEAS—Canadian 6s 5d.

CLOVER SEED—American 35@40s.

PROVISIONS—Pork, prime mess 49s. Beef, India mess 71s. Lard, American 35s. Bacon, long clear 37s 6d; short clear 28s 6d.

PRODUCE—Cheese, fine American 49s.

TALLOW—Fine American 36s.

SPIRITS PETROLEUM—9s 10d; refined 8s 6d.

LINSEED OIL—25s 6d.

TURPENTINE—Spirits 22s.

ROSIN—Common, 4s 9d; pale 9s@9s 6d.

RECEIPTS—Wheat receipts for the past three days 84,000 centals; American 83,000 centals.

YARNS AND FABRICS—At Manchester heavy; depressed in all branches.

New York Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.

Cotton goods market continues fairly active and stocks of leading makes are so well in hand that prices are firmly maintained. Prints in irregular demand and on the whole quick. Ginghams doing well and cotton dress goods fairly active. Worsted dress goods in improved demand. Mens' wear woolens very quick. Foreign goods sluggish.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Change of Street Grade

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, ST. PAUL, MINN., Feb. 24, 1879.

Notice is hereby given, that the Common Council of this city, on the 18th inst., ordered a change of grade on the following streets, viz:

Park avenue, from Martin street to Melrose avenue.

Canada street, from Pearl street to Ninth street.

Ninth street, from Jackson street to Broadway, and

Tenth street, from Jackson street to Broadway.

Profiles representing said changes will remain in this office twenty days for the inspection of parties interested.

[Official.] M. J. O'CONNOR, City Clerk.
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Portland Avenue Opennig and Extension.

OFFICE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, CITY OF ST. PAUL, MINN., Feb. 24, 1879.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment for the opening and extension of Portland avenue through blocks 18 and 22 of Woodland Park addition, in the city of St. Paul, Minnesota, has been completed and entered of record by the Board of Public Works of said city, and that the said assessment was duly confirmed by said Board on the 21st day of February, A. D. 1879.

Official: H. M. RICE, President.
R. L. GORMAN, Clerk of the Board of Public Works.
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