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ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 1880.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

To Be Held in St. Paul on Thursday, May 20th.

The State Democratic central committee of Minnesota has appointed Thursday, the 20th day of May, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at St. Paul, as the time and place for holding a State Democratic convention to select ten delegates to represent the Democracy of the State in the national Democratic convention to be held at Cincinnati on the 22d day of June, 1880, and also to consider the question of abolishing what is known as the two-thirds rule of national conventions.

All Democratic, conservative and other citizens of the State, irrespective of past political associations or differences, who can unite with us in an effort for pure, economical and constitutional government, are cordially invited to unite in sending delegates to the convention.

Representation to the convention will be based on the last Democratic vote for Governor, being one delegate for each one hundred and fifty votes and major fraction thereof, with one in addition at large in each county, and will be as follows:

Aitkin	2	Mille Lacs	1
Anoka	3	Morrison	4
Becker	2	Mower	5
Benton	3	Murray	1
Big Stone	1	Nicollet	6
Blue Earth	13	Nobles	2
Brown	6	Olmsted	8
Cass	1	Otter Tail	5
Carleton	1	Pine	2
Carver	12	Pipestone	1
Chippewa	2	Pembina	1
Chisago	2	Polk	3
Clay	2	Pope	1
Cottonwood	1	Ramsey	23
Crow Wing	2	Redwood	2
Dakota	12	Renville	5
Dodge	4	Rice	11
Douglas	2	Rock	1
Faribault	5	St. Louis	2
Fillmore	4	Scott	13
Freeborn	4	Sherburne	2
Goodhue	6	Sibley	7
Grant	1	Stearns	16
Hennepin	8	Steele	6
Houston	8	Stevens	4
Isanti	1	Swift	5
Jackson	1	Todd	3
Kanabec	1	Traverse	1
Kandiyohi	2	Wabashaw	13
Kittson	2	Wadena	1
Lac qui Parle	1	Waseca	8
Lake	1	Washington	11
Le Sueur	14	Watonwan	1
Lincoln	1	Wilkin	2
Lyon	2	Winona	17
McLeod	6	Wright	10
Marshall	1	Yellow Med.	2
Martin	2		
Meeker	3	Total	351

Wm. Lee, chairman,
J. C. Pierce,
A. Oppenheim,
R. P. Dunnington,
J. R. Meagher,
M. Doran,
H. R. Wells,
W. M. Campbell.
E. M. Wilson,
J. T. Duffy,
W. J. Whipple,
J. M. Archibald,
C. F. Macdonald,
J. M. Bowler,
Peter Dean,

"URGENT business" is Bill Washburn's excuse for coming home at this time. In a short time the House will urge him to have some more business at home.

THE Republicans have changed the date of their State convention from May 20th to May 19th. This change is made because the Democrats had previously called their convention for the 20th.

FINLEY publishes an interview wherein he repudiates Tilden. If Tilden paid him to do this it was the shrewdest move Gramercy Park has made in a long time. Now drown Pelton and there may be some hope for the sage yet.

IT is proposed to make Gladstone a peer and allow him to direct the ministerial policy in the house of lords, leaving to Lord Hartington the task of managing affairs in the commons. This plan has some merit, as Hartington is the youngest of the two and is able to stand the great strain involved in the frequent oratorical bouts in the house far better than Gladstone.

BURMAH has been the scene of so many atrocities of late that it would seem to be the duty of the civilized nations of the world to interfere and put a stop to the inhuman slaughter which has so frequently caused a shudder of horror to pass over the world. The sacrifice of seven hundred human beings under the walls of Mandalay as a propitiatory offering to the gods for the restoration of the king's health, was even worse than the slaughter of the princes that occurred in July last. Something ought to be done to put a stop to these inhuman practices.

THE fatal illness of Prince Gortschakoff, prime minister of Russia, is announced, and probably ere this he will be numbered among the people that were. For nearly half a century he has occupied a conspicuous place in European politics, having filled various ministerial positions at the principal courts of Europe previous to his appointment in 1854 to his present position. He has always been remarkable for his proficiency in statecraft. He has been credited with shaping the policy of the Russian government in its relations with foreign powers, and probably had more to say than any other person in that nation, the czar not excepted. His death will be a loss to diplomacy.

GUERRILLA MOSBY has again incurred the hostility of the powers that be at Washington. He has published a letter in which he states that the reasons why he has not resigned are that he has been threatened with dismissaal for uncovering frauds and wants to give the administration an opportunity of carrying out its threat and thereby signalizing their zeal for civil service reform by punishing the only man who has tried to reform it; and because he has not yet completed his investigations, and if he were to resign now and come home, the ring would claim it as a victory, and say that he resigned under compulsion. Mr. Mosby's boldness is commendable, but he ought to have known before he accepted office under this administration that it was no part of his duty to expose dishonesty but rather to conceal it. The day when an official was required to look after such matters has long since gone by, and it is unsafe for any person who values his official head to animadvert upon the conduct of any of the pets of the administration.

A GLOOMY OUTLOOK FOR TILDEN.

The last few days have been fateful ones for Samuel J. Tilden, and have thrown considerable light upon the political situation at the East to which the public will, no doubt, pay heed. For several months the Tilden and anti-Tilden factions of the Democratic party have been conferring at odd times with a view to securing harmony in the party so that success in November might be a possibility. These efforts have proved abortive, and it is announced that the conventions of both factions will be held at Syracuse on the 20th inst., and in all probability two delegations will go to Cincinnati in June. But this is not the worst of the situation as viewed from a Tilden standpoint. A very considerable portion of the party, which refused to enter into the Tammany movement for a dissenting convention, have gone to work with a will to secure the selection of delegates to the regular convention at Syracuse pledged to support a delegate ticket opposed to Tilden, and in several parts of the State they have been successful beyond their expectations. In Oneida and Onondaga counties they have swept all before them, and in Albany, Erie and Rensselaer they have gained important advantages to which they may yet add in other sections of the State. It is very evident, therefore, that Tilden is not going to have a walk-over, even in the convention appointed by his own committee.

In Pennsylvania the indications are that the factional quarrel will be unreconciled. Wallace, representing the Hancock faction, and Randall, representing the Tilden faction, have long been at sword's points, and a struggle for supremacy in State affairs has just terminated in the defeat of the latter. Efforts to harmonize have proved ineffectual, and probably a large majority of the delegation from that State will go to Cincinnati pledged to oppose Tilden from first to last. Louisiana has chosen Hancock delegates, and it looks as if Tilden could hope for but little support from any portion of the South. Several of the Northern States will also send delegations opposed to him, so that it will be almost an impossibility for him to secure the two-thirds necessary to secure the nomination.

The prospect, it must be acknowledged, is not very encouraging for Mr. Tilden and his supporters. Almost all the States of the North have candidates of their own for the Presidency. Indiana will present Hendricks, Ohio Thurman, Illinois Palmer or Morrison, Pennsylvania Hancock, Delaware Bayard, and perhaps New Jersey will offer as a candidate McClellan, whose name is yet a power in the land. With such an array of candidates, each supported by the delegations from their own States, splendid opportunities for combinations will be presented, and it is quite likely that all combinations will be directed against Tilden. It must be confessed that his chances are none of the best.

The Outrage on the Hudson Road.

A couple of hard looking thugs named John O'Brien and Joseph Graham were arraigned at the police court yesterday morning, charged with committing an assault on a Hudson road saloon keeper named Billiers. The charge was also coupled with robbery, both crimes having been committed on Monday, the 5th inst. On the evening of that day the prisoners entered the saloon, situated about two miles from this city, on the Hudson road, and after indulging in an orgie, in the course of which they insulted Billiers' wife, they wound up by striking him with a beer glass and stealing his watch and revolver.

In company with the prisoners was a young outlaw named Cashman, who unfortunately has eluded all attempts at capture. After the outrage had been perpetrated the roughs skipped out, being captured at Elk River by Officer Clouse last Wednesday. The missing property, consisting of a watch and revolver, was found on the person of O'Brien. The principal witness, Mr. Billiers, was put on the stand and testified to the disgraceful conduct of the villains, the account not differing from what has already been given. Mrs. Billiers substantiated her husband's testimony, and the men were held to the grand jury in $500 bail and committed.

GONE TO BLAZES.

Two Fiery Episodes Yesterday---A Kettle of Gold Rescued From the Fiery Furnace.

The alarm of fire from box No. 24, at 12:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, was caused by the discovery of flames issuing from H. C. Young's cooper shop, in the rear of Lee's dry goods store, between Minnesota and Robert streets. The alarm was turned on by Officer Flaherty and was quickly responded to by the department, but owing to the inflammable character of the material the building or shed was enveloped in flames before the time of their arrival.

A stream was directed on the pile and a few minutes of sturdy action sufficed to extinguish the flames. The fire is supposed to have originated from the overheating of a steam kettle, the employes being at dinner when the fire was discovered. The building was owned by Noyes Bros. & Cutler and the loss is almost total. The pecuniary value of the building was about $100. Mr. Young's loss is between $300 and $400, two hundred dollars of which is on tools, the remainder being stock. He is insured for $100. During the fire a son of Mr. Young's was slightly singed, but the injuries are trivial.

ANOTHER ONE.

Wm. Grube's two-story frame house located on Dayton Bluff at what is known as Highland park burned yesterday afternoon, taking fire from a defective flue. The distance from water prevented the building from being saved. Mr. Grube lived down stairs and F. C. Hahn and son lived up stairs. Grube saved most of his furniture, but Hahn's, worth $600, with insurance of $200 was total loss. Hahn also had $1,900 in gold concealed in a tin kettle in a closet. He was almost frantic over his supposed loss but Officer DeCorsey fished the swag out and found it all there except one $20 gold piece. The building was worth $2,500 and fully insured.

Meeting of Bridge Commissioners.

A regular meeting of the bridge commission was held at the mayor's office yesterday forenoon, all the members being in attendance. The attention of the chair was called to a libellous article published at a Third street printing house for the purpose of retarding the growth of St. Paul, and belittling its enterprises, and advancing the interests of Minneapolis. The article referred to was labelled "A High Handed Outrage," having reference to the endeavors of the commission looking towards the improvement of highways leading to the bridge.

Consideration of the article was righteously snubbed. The secretary was instructed to telegraph the secretary of war for information concerning the payment of the government appropriation. It was decided that the members of the commission should meet at the bridge next Monday morning at 11 o'clock for the purpose of conferring with the supervisors of Richfield concerning the land to be condemned for the Bloomington road. Adjourned.

Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic is an unfailing remedy for bilious and malarial fevers.

OVER THE RAILS

ROLLS A TIDAL WAVE OF IMMIGRATION INTO THE NORTHWEST.

Special Trains Coming Every Day—The Northern Pacific Movement in March—Engineer Dodge at Work on the Yellowstone—Mr. Buffington Appointed Architect of the St. Paul Union Depot—Three Accidents in One Night on the Manitoba Line—The Great Freeze-Out Game Attempted Against the Northern Pacific—It Won't Win.

Telegraph operators along the Northern Pacific reported yesterday that nearly all the Dakota farmers were seeding their wheat lands, and that a large area was seeded during the day.

A telegram from Duluth yesterday, received at the St. Paul & Duluth headquarters, stated that open water was in sight, the ice rotting, the thermometer at 60°, and the wind southwest.

The departure of the first boat of the season from Bismarck for Fort Benton, has been postponed to Saturday next, the 17th, on account of ice still running.

The general freight agents of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Chicago, St. Paul & Milwaukee lines met at Judge Chandler's office yesterday and settled their pool accounts to the close of last month.

Messrs. Merrill, Swan, Van Horne and Lawler, in their special car, attached to the Sioux City train, left here yesterday afternoon to inspect the recent acquisitions of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul company on the Missouri, intending to return home over the company's lines through Iowa.

A statement below indicates that a tidal wave of immigration is pouring over the Northern Pacific country, as it is over the Red River valley and into Manitoba. It would be moderate to estimate that 75,000 will be added this year to the populations of the northwest quarter of Minnesota, the northeast quarter of Dakota and the province of Manitoba.

"Three of a Kind," is the way the Minneapolis *Tribune* heads its account of three accidents on the St. Paul & Manitoba road Saturday night.

Special trains are to be run from Detroit to Chicago every day of this week to bring through immigrants destined to the valley of the Red River of the North and to the Northern Pacific country.

Since the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul company has got control of the Dakota Southern road, (from Sioux City to Yankton) it charges local rates on that road to connecting companies, and is thereby succeeding in forcing freighters to abandon the St. Paul & Sioux City and other roads.

The superlatively innocent way in which railroad men can say "There's no news to-day," when half a train's off the track, cars wrecked and men and animals killed, is amazing to any news-hunter's mind—but not more so than the fact that a dozen or two railway officials and all their employes will be wholly ignorant of such an affair on their own road until they read about it in the newspapers.

The St. Paul Union Depot.

At the adjourned meeting of the Union Depot company, yesterday, the plans submitted by Mr. L. S. Buffington were selected, and Mr. Buffington was chosen as architect, directed to modify his plans in certain respects, for economic reasons, and instructed to get up the working details of his plans as modified. The company's secretary, Mr. J. D. Estabrook, was authorized to receive bids for material and construction, etc., to be submitted at a meeting to be called as soon as the detailed plans are ready and bids been invited, at which time it is intended to let the contracts and provide for immediate erection of the buildings. One hundred and twenty tons of the steel rails for the depot tracks have been delivered.

Northern Pacific Land Sales, Etc.

During the month of March the land department of the Northern Pacific sold from the company's Eastern division grant 10,553 acres to settlers. In the quarter of this year the government land offices have sold 48,500 acres within the company's grant limits in Minnesota and, during the same time the government land office at Fargo has sold 114,500 acres within the company's land grant limits in Dakota.

During March 1,636 immigrant passage tickets were sold at the Northern Pacific office in St. Paul and many other immigrants went through without calling for the special rates allowed those moving into the Northern Pacific country. During the month also 205 car loads of settlers' goods were taken out from the St. Paul depot, of which about one-tenth were for points between Brainerd and Fargo and about nine-tenths for points west of the Red River of the North.

The Yellowstone Valley.

Mr. J. T. Dodge, the engineer who built the river division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, having, with the assistance of officers of Gen. Miles' command, made a winter reconnoisance of the Yellowstone Valley, has this spring taken the field with a corps of engineers to continue the Northern Pacific survey, and location into and up that valley, on the completion of which, or pending it, the contracts for construction of the roadbed will be let. Mr. Dodge confirms the reports of army officers and others who have explored the Yellowstone country as to its characteristics, and says it will prove the best of the stock-raising belt of the continent. He adds, also, that he is satisfied, from his experiences of last winter, that the climate of the Yellowstone region is much milder than any climate in the same parallel east of the Missouri.

The St. P. M. & M. Accidents.

The body of the Canadian immigrant, Mr. Gould, who was killed in the accident which occurred near West Union, in Todd county, before daylight Sunday morning, arrived here yesterday and, having been properly cared for, under direction of the company, was forwarded East by express. His son, daughter and nephew, who were accompanying him North, went East on the same train to join the mother of the first two, Mrs. Gould, who remained in Ontario when her family started on their unfortunate journey. The nephew, who was said to have been injured, was not much hurt. It is said that Mr. Gould hesitated about loading the car, the breaking down of which caused his death. It was a Canadian car and had seen a good deal of service, but when inspected here its running gear appeared to be all sound and serviceable. The breaking of a wheel of this car, in which Mr. Gould was riding at the time, in charge of his household goods and stock, threw the car from the track and turned it across the track where it was crushed by four or five of the following cars being wrecked against it. In these other cars a few head of stock were killed. The track was cleared as soon as possible and the property saved from the crushed cars, except Mr. Gould's, has been forwarded North.

About the same hour another fatal accident occurred on the Breckinridge division near Herman, in Grant county. One train ran into another which was moving slowly or had stopped ahead of it. Four lumber cars were wrecked and one or more stock cars, and an immigrant from Massillon, O., whose name is believed to be Simmons, was killed. His body was retained at Herman for an inquest. Full particulars of the accident had not been received here yesterday.

A third but not fatal accident is reported from Minneapolis as having occurred near Wayzata station Saturday about 7 P. M. The section men had a rail up when a west bound freight train came along and the engine and three cars were ditched. They were got onto the track again yesterday, not much damaged. The engineer and fireman struck on ground well mixed with water and were not even lamed or bruised.

Gleaned from Exchanges.

According to the *Commercial Bulletin* of New York, the earnings of the undermentioned roads for March were larger than their earnings in March of last year as follow: C. M. & St. P., $268,102; C. & N. W., $287,958; C., St. P. & M, $25,388; M & St. L., $8,014; N. W., $9,769; St. P. & S. C., $23,760. For the first quarter of this year the C., St. P. & M. shows an increase of $40,043, and the St. P. & S. C. an increase $81,132.

Leading newspapers of the East, with reference to the reported movement in Congress to declare the N.P. grant forfeited, assert that it is manifestation of subserviency to a scheme of well-known monopolists,—to freeze out the present Northern Pacific company, get possession of its property for a song, and then have Congress renew the grant. If such a scheme is on foot, of course it can only be carried by bribery and the attempt to put it through will react upon all connected with it.

The general managers are to meet in Chicago to-morrow to agree upon time tables for the United States and Canadas. One subject of interest will be the recent threat of the Wabash line to put on fast trains which will beat the Chicago time from Omada to New York about six hours.

The Chicago *Tribune* says east-bound freights fell off largely last week, and the yards there are full of empty cars. It is predicted accordingly that the trunk lines will have to reduce rates to meet lake competition, earlier than they expected.

Jay Gould and associates have taken about 110,000 shares of New York Central, and the syndicate will pay Vanderbilt, divide profits and dissolve.

Chicago *Tribune:* Northern Pacific has been remarkably steady in the face of the Congressional report against the extension of its land grant. Holders of the stock refuse to be terrorized by this action, as they hold that the road, with the land grant already secured, is worth what the stock is selling for. The course the House sub-committee recommend is in startling contrast with the policy of Canada. An Ottawa dispatch of April 6 states that the government announces that it will expend $10,000,000 on the Canada Pacific railway this year, and the same next year, in order to finish the missing link and in order to complete the 200 miles westward from Winnipeg. It will then expend $5,000,000 annually, and will finish the whole line within ten years.

Liability of Railroads Accepting Local Bonds.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—A decision was rendered by the supreme court of the United States to-day, in the case of Geo. E. Ketchum et al. vs. the county of St. Louis, intervenor, brought here by appeal from the circuit court of the United States for the eastern district of Missouri. The court holds:

First—That the act of the general assembly of Missouri, approved January 7th, 1865, under authority of which the county of St. Louis issued its bonds to the extent of $7,000,000, and loaned them to the Pacific railroad company, was a credit when accepted by the railroad company, and the county has an equitable lien or charge in favor of the county upon the earnings of the railroad to the extent necessary to meet interest on the bonds as it should become due, such payments and lien to continue until the bonds should be paid off.

Second—That this equitable lien or charge exists and is enforceable against funds in the hands of the receiver, and against the purchaser, under the decree of foreclosure heretofore rendered, and against whomsoever may have custody of its earnings.

Judgment of the court below is affirmed. Justice Harlan delivered the opinion, Justices Strong and Bradley dissenting.

PARNELL'S PRONUNCIAMENTO.

Words of Good Cheer from the Irish Agitator--A Gain of Seats and Strength by the Irish Party--Holding the Balance of Power in Parliament--A Good Land Bill and Household Franchise Expected to Follow.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Special cablegram to the *Daily News*: Cork, Ireland, April 12.—I am exceedingly well pleased with the result of the elections. Our party gained nine seats from the whigs and tories, while a marked improvement has been effected in its personnel. The timid and insincere have been replaced by determined and zealous workers. We have carried Leinster, Munster and Connaught except one county. It is incorrect to suppose the liberals are independent of the Irish members. Their

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should we join the conservatives. Moreover, our party will scarcely cross to the ministerial side of the house of commons, even though that side shall be occupied by the liberals instead of the conservatives. Our presence in the opposition will be understood as a constant reminder of the slender nature of the tenure by which ministers hold their power. We expect a

GOOD LAND BILL

will be introduced and passed immediately. We also anticipate the early passage of a local government measure as well as a household franchise bill. The latter would enable us to carry every Irish seat in parliament with a very few insignificant exceptions. Should the liberals refuse to accede our just demands they can be very promptly reduced to order by a determined stand on the part of our members. The present Irish party is an immense advance in every respect on previous representatives, and sufficient men have been returned of the class that know what they want, and are determined to have it, to render it practically impossible for the most powerful ministry to withstand them. As showing the resolution of the people to

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the election of Jas. O'Rilly, who defeated O'Connor Don in Roscommon, after running there twenty years, is considered the most remarkable demonstration of the election.

[Signed.] CHARLES S. PARNELL.

THE COURTS.

Supreme Court.

This court met at 9:30 yesterday morning and heard the following causes:

Albert Brown, respondent, vs Edna P. Webb, appellant. Motion to dismiss appeal granted.

Henry M. Tusler, M. Charles Goucher and George W. De Long, partners as Tusler, Goucher & De Long, respondents, vs. Edna P. Webb and Isaac W. Webb, appellants. Motion of respondent to strike all out of the return following the judgment roll except the notice of appeal, granted.

Jerry E. Bailey, respondent, vs. Martin S. Chandler, appellant. Submitted on briefs.

Frank Meyers, Henry S. Frank and others, partners as Frank Bros., respondents, vs. John S. Irgens, appellant. Argued by appellant, and submitted on briefs by respondent.

Adjourned to 9:30 to-day, when the following causes will be heard:

Hyppolyte A. Seigneuret, appellant, vs. William Fahey, respondent.

In the matter of the application of Richard S. Lee for a writ of habeas corpus for the body of Nellie Lee, a minor, etc., respondent, vs. Michael Fertin, appellant.

Probate Court.

[Before Judge O'Gorman.]

In the matter of the estate of Girart Hewitt, deceased; hearing on petition for deceased to sell real estate, postponed until to-day.

In the matter of the estate of W. H. Forbes, deceased; hearing continued to the 26th inst.

In the matter of the estate of Edward Hogan; hearing on petition continued to the 19th instant.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen Barlow, deceased. Wm. Thompson appointed administrtor.

In the matter of the estate of W. P. Smith, deceased; account allowed and estate assigned.

In the matter of the estate of Otto Montgomery, deceased, account allowed.

In the matter of the estates of Wm. Renville, Harriett Renville, and D. H. Ortley, deceased; hearings continued to the 30th inst.

In the matter of the estates of Wm. C. Thompson and Percival Drayton, deceased; copies of last will admitted to probate.

Municipal Court.

[Before Judge Flint.]

CRIMINAL.

The City vs. Frank Jorlein and Nellie Reed, drunkenness; fines of $3 each paid and discharged.

The City vs. Carrie Morrison, disorderly conduct; fine of $5 and costs paid and discharged.

The State vs. Jack O'Brien and Joseph Graham, larceny from person; held to the grand jury and committed.

The City vs. Charles Olten, larceny; same.

Consumption of Oleomargarine.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Suit is pending in the United States court, this city, concerning the oleomargarine patent, which has brought out the astounding fact that oleomargarine, which is never quoted in the market, and which is not kept by the merchant as such, has a sale in the country of 96,000,000 pounds per annum.

Babies' Carriages.

When visiting the Fire Sale, don't forget to drop in at the 99 Cent Store and examine the beautiful line of Babies' Carriages. It is the finest stock in the city, and selling at the lowest prices. Be sure to see them before purchasing.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Gathered by the Special Reporters of the Daily Globe.

STILLWATER.

The steam pile-driver Arcola left for the boom today.

Editor Easton, of the *Gazette*, sports an elegant new carriage.

Dramatic entertainment and dance at Mannerchor hall, Wednesday evening.

The steamer Mary Barnes made her first trip today. She left the city for Taylors Falls.

Sylvester Ferro leaves to-day for Winnipeg to take his place as pilot on the steamer Minnesota.

On account of illness, Judge Lehmicke, of the probate court, was unable to hold court to-day.

An inmate of the State prison, named Hart, was struck by a falling staging the other day and had a leg broken.

It is expected that the steamer Jennie Hayes will make two trips per day between this city and Taylors Falls instead of one as now.

Durant, Wheeler & Co. have sold the tow boat Penn Wright to Sam Matthews. It is to be continued in the trade as heretofore, with Capt. H. L. Pevey on deck.

Edward T. Risley, canvassing agent for a cheap illustrated monthly published in Maine, by Shaw & Co., and who is reported to have collected $60 in this place and $40 in River Falls, besides various amounts in other places in this vicinity without turning the money over, was in the city Saturday heaping a string of blessings upon the head of his alleged traducer.

The following business was transacted in the municipal court Monday, Judge P. B. Smith presiding: Thomas Connors, drunk and disorderly, fined $5 and costs. Not having the "wherewithal" was sent up for eight days. William Zenki, charged with an attempt to break and enter the warehouse of C. N. Nelson & Co., Sunday night, had an examination to-day and was bound over in the sum of $300 to await the action of the grand jury. In default of bail he was committed.

LOGGING NOTES.

The rafting grounds are being prepared for the season's work.

New logs have commenced running into the boom.

About 250 men have already been sent up on the drives by the loggers of this city.

Frank McGray, superintendent of the boom corporation, is in the city. Work on the boom will commence in about eight days.

Hon. E. W. Durant, of Durant, Wheeler & Co., returned on Saturday from a brief visit to the various lumbering distributing points along the Mississippi river, and reports sales aggregating two million feet of logs, being mostly long logs suitable for dimension stuff. Mr. D. reports a majority of the sawmills in active operation with increased facilities for cutting lumber, and estimates that with the increased capacities together with the new mills built and being built, with old mills that have been idle for the past two seasons being put into active operation, the cut on the river will be increased the present season from 15 to 20 per cent over the last season's sawing. The general stock of dry lumber is so broken that it will be difficult for many dealers to fill large general orders, while the orders for building, bridge and railway lumber exceed that of any past season in the history of lumbering in the Northwest.

MANKATO.

Several parties visited Minneopa falls Sunday last.

Maple sugar festival to-night at Bradley's old stand.

Seventy-five dollars was netted at the school entertainment last Friday night.

W. B. Smith started for Illinois on Monday, called there by the serious illness of his father.

Church Aid society of St. John's parish, will meet with Mrs. Richmond Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Sallie Wickersham left last week for Washington, D. C., where she will remain about a year.

Mrs. Wilbur Coffin returned to this city from Ortonville last Saturday. Mr. Coffin has purchased a half interest in a newspaper at Montevideo.

Farmers are killing and selling their sheep in the timber districts of this county, as the wolves are so numerous. One man lost sixteen in one night.

Two new real estate firms in our city, Messrs. John N. Hall and W. P. Coffin representing one firm and Messrs J. C. Noe, R. H. Rose and D. L. Rose representing another.

Sunday night a man by the name of Whitehair, living near Kasota, was murdered. Two tramps came along and demanded money and his wife ran out to some neighbors to give the alarm, and when she returned found him gasping for breath, and in a short time he died. He was shot in the breast. It is supposed they got some money.

A building association has been formed by Messrs. O. R. Mather, Clark Keysor and C. Wampler. They have a shop near Mr. Wampler's residence, which has been enlarged and repaired. They will take contracts for buildings to be erected in any part of the State, and furnish brick, stone, lime, mason and carpenter work, in fact everything that is required in that line.

ROCHESTER.

A new sidewalk is being built in front of the city lots on Third street.

Frank Van Dusen leaves soon for the West to open a stock farm.

Rev. J. Whisler leaves to-day for Faribault to attend a Pastors' Institute of three days session.

The Northwestern Presbyterian Missionary Society held a convention Wednesday and Thursday in this city.

Luke Dilmore, one of Street Commissioner Wright's crew, died of inflammation of the lungs Saturday afternoon, after a brief illness of only a week. The force will attend the funeral in a body this afternoon.

Miss Minna Wright, of Chicago, gave an entertainment Saturday evening at Heaney's Opera house to an audience composed of our best citizens and literary critics. Miss Wright exhibits rare elocutionary powers, as well as careful study and a thorough appreciation of the subject she renders.

Sheriff White for the last two weeks has been shadowing a forger by the name of Erick Hanson, who committed his crime at West Union, Fayette county, Iowa, passing forged notes on John F. Gear, the 9th day of March; the sheriff from that county has been here and nearly succeeded in capturing him, but he eluded them by taking to the bottom lands near Lanesboro. Saturday evening about 6 o'clock a dispatch was received here that a clue had been again obtained, and the sheriff started and reached Chatfield about 10:30. Yesterday morning early, after securing the services of a constable, he started, and about 10 A. M. succeeded in finding where he had been the night previous, but the family being Norwegian could not communicate in English; they were taken to a neighbor, but would not tell where the criminal was until the irons were brought, when through fright they divulged the secret, and the criminal was soon arrested, and is now in our jail. A dispatch was sent to the Iowa sheriff.

Excitement at the Funeral of a Converted Jewess.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The funeral of Fanny Adler, converted from Judaism to Christanity, was the scene of so much turbulence to-day in Albu street as to call for police intervention to disperse the crowd of excited Hebrews. The husband, who had also become a Christian, fearing violence disappeared yesterday and was not at the funeral. The remains of the woman were taken to the Episcopal church under an escort of police.

Ambitions for Death.

CINCINNATI, April 12.—Thos. Boyd, yesterday, in the presence of about a thousand people at Mumfordsville, Ky., jumped from the railroad bridge over Green river, a distance of 120 feet, to the water below. He sprang off the bridge head foremost, and struck the water in that position. In a moment afterward he appeared swimming. He was picked up by a boat's crew, and when brought ashore passed through the crowd, receiving what money was offered. He was not injured in the least.

Another Failure by Weston.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Weston completed his walk last night at 11 o'clock, with a score of 365 miles. He has been much troubled with vertigo during the walk, which accounts for the low score.

PARIS, April 11.—The *Republique Francaise* in an article supposed to be written by M. Gambetta, denounces the Jesuits as unauthorized religious congregations, Jeromists, Bonapartists and even the church itself as the sworn foe of the Republic.

LIVERPOOL, April 12.—Cotton irregular and flat at 7⅛@7 3-16d; sales 6,000 bales; for speculation and export 1,000 bales; American 4,900 bales. Lard, American, 13s 6d. Refined petroleum 4⅞s; spirits turpentine 40s

BOSTON, April 12.—Copper stocks—Calumet and Hecla, 237; Copper Falls, 14, Franklin, 21; Pewabic, new stock 28; Quincy, 34; Ridge, 7; Madison 3.

CASH AND COMMERCE.

The Local Outlook Cheerful as Usual--Hen Fruit Cheaper—Coarse Grain and Feed for the Breaking Teams—226,000,000 Feet of Logs on the Upper Mississippi—"New Process" Sugar and Glucose Syrup—Stocks Slightly Weaker and Wheat a Little Firmer.

ST. PAUL, April 13.

As to money every day brings nothing new in the St. Paul market. It's easy with the banks, fairly easy with their regular customers and only uncomfortable for those who cannot maintain either credit or a bank balance. The official rates of exchange remain ¼ per cent. premium for New York and $4.90 for sterling small bills. Governments bonds are sold at the New York quotations of the day and bought at ¼@½ per cent. less.

At New York yesterday the "American Money Exchange" was organized with 122 members, George W. Smylie being president and Ed. Barnes secretary.

All indications observed yesterday among the wholesale houses were in agreement with the reports heretofore made of the swelling volume of St. Paul's mercantile traffic, as compared with any former years at this season.

The produce dealers of St. Paul continue actively employed. Wheat is nominally unchanged. The prices of corn and oats remain steady, with an active trade. We quote incoming prices below, the outgoing prices being 1c higher. There is also a considerable movement of feed northward which keeps stocks down and prices up. The receipts of eggs yesterday were large and buyers' prices dropped ¼@½c. Some changes of provision values are noted in our quotations to-day.

A New York dispatch last evening says: "The dry goods market continues quiet, but most descriptions of goods are firmly held by agents. Cotton goods quiet and steady. Prints are dull and agents' prices unchanged. Ginghams and printed lawns are in fair request. Men's wear woolens quiet but most makes are sold ahead and prices are very firm."

A Minneapolis estimate of the total amount of logs cut on the Mississippi and its tributaries above here is 240,000,000 feet which, with 26,000,000 feet held over from last year gives a total of 265,000,000 for consumption this year.

Mr. Charles Heurotin has been awarded at par $1,158,500 4½ per cent bonds to be issued by Cook county, Illinois. There was one other bidder for the whole issue, at 99, and several offers to take part ranging from 100 to 100½.

The New York *Journal of Commerce* says: "We have procured one of the best samples of glucose syrup to be obtained, and now have it in our office. It is very handsome in appearance, but a little examination will convince any unprejudiced observer that as now made it is not a wholesome article of food. Even a drop leaves a sharp biting taste on the tongue, and anyone who will rinse his mouth with a teaspoonful of it will not soon forget the experience. If the people will sell it the legislature ought to compel them to brand it with a plain statement of the fact. The phrase "new-process sugar," under which the dry mixture is now sold, does not disclose its true character, and the syrup is everywhere sold without a hint of the glucose it contains. The candies are still worse, for in most cases they have no cane sugar whatever in them, and, although made of the glucose syrup, are placed on the market with no mention of their true character."

Wall & Bigelow's St. Paul circular of 12th says of the Chicago wheat speculations: "The situation remains unchanged. A good many who have been heavy bears have turned bulls, basing their opinion on the immense short interest in Chicago. The winter wheat States are reported to be short up to their eyes. 'The clique' is reported to have been buying yesterday all day in Chicago."

Stock of wheat in New York, all grades, 3,412,000 bushels, a decrease since last report of 19,000 bushels. Taken for export yesterday 250,000 bushels.

New York and Foreign Reports.

MORNING QUOTATIONS.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Money6 per cent. Sterling weak; actual business 85@87¾. Bar silver here 113⅞.

Governments are quiet but firm. Railroad bonds inactive. State bonds dull.

Stocks weak and ¼@2 per cent. lower, Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific and Missouri, Kansas & Texas leading in the downward movement.

STOCKS.

Chi. & Rock Island	188	Peoria & Evansville	23½
Panama	185	Ind. Bloom'ton & W	35
Fort Wayne	118	Marietta & C. 1st pfd	10
Cleval'd & Pittsburg	111	B. C. R. & N.	70
Illinois Central	106¾	Alton & Terre Haute	24
C. B & Q	123½	do preferred	67
Chicago & Alton	111	W. St. L. & Pacific	39½
do preferred	125	do preferred	65¼
New York Central	132⅛	Hannibal & St. Joe.	35
Lake Shore	108¼	do preferred	69
Canada Southern	59⅛	Iron Mountain	53¼
Michigan Central	91¾	St. L. & S. F	38¾
Erie	43	do preferred	53½
do preferred	66	do 1st preferred	76½
Northwestern	94¾	C. St. L. & N. O.	37¾
do preferred	109	Mo. Kansas & Texas	37¾
Mil. & St. Paul	81⅛	Union Pacific	88½
do preferred	103½	Central Pacific	77
Chi. St. P. & Minn	59	Northern Pacific	28¾
St Paul & Sioux City	43½	do preferred	52½
do preferred	79¼	Louisville & Nash'l	154
Del. Lack. & West'rn