

CITY GLOBULES.

Messrs. Hess & Damcke paid \$38.40 duties on imported goods yesterday.

Jackson street was made hideous last night by the howlings of a drunken individual, who was yanked to the cooler by Officer Cook.

The market house, soon to be completed, will be a lasting monument to the enterprise and public spirit of a majority of the city council.

A man, mule and dray tumbled into the excavation on the corner of Fourth and Sibley streets yesterday afternoon. Neither were hurt.

The condition of William Kearney, the victim to the murderous street car assault, was improved yesterday and he will rapidly recover.

Gen. C. O. Andrews, census supervisor of the third district, is rapidly closing up his duties, and expects to make his final report next week.

The Silver Star baseball club will play the Brown Stockings of Minneapolis on the old Red Cap grounds Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock P. M.

The present season is notable for its absence from fires. Since May 27 there have only been two alarms of fire, and the damage was slight in both instances.

The sum of \$2,000 was forwarded to New York yesterday by City Treasurer Reuz, being accrued interest on the bonded debt of the board of education.

A warrant was issued yesterday for the arrest of a man named E. Hattling, charged with erecting a mansard roof on the head of Edward O'Brien. He will explain to-day.

General B. W. Johnson has received a letter from his wife announcing her safe arrival at the residence of her son, Mr. H. S. Johnson, forty miles from Fort Benton, Montana.

With all due deference to the city authorities the Globe has no remark to make on the fountain in Rice park is an unmitigated nuisance. It is far from being "a thing of beauty," and should be abandoned.

Quite a number of persons throughout the city are placing new sidewalks in their front—cannot this thing become contagious and every richly, dangerous sidewalk be replaced by a new and substantial one.

Mrs. O'Connor came to the police court yesterday and lodged a complaint against her son Francis, whom she desires to have in the reform school. Her son is a bad boy, and the case will come up this morning.

The boss spread of the season took place at the White Bear lake last evening and was given by Mr. T. Reardon. The latter gentleman invited a few friends to the lake and those who attended say the affair was simply huge.

The annual excursion of the children of the House of Hope Sunday school took place at Gray Cloud yesterday. At 9:30 o'clock a bevy of bright-faced, merry girls and boys embarked on the steamer Aunt Betsey for their destination. They returned at nightfall after a day of perfect pleasure.

The prospect of an immense wheat crop has stimulated trade in all of its branches. Our retail merchants are doing a much larger business than ever before, while the wholesale trade is making extensive arrangements for an immense business this fall. The future looks bright and promising.

A horny-handed son of toil, named James Aleck, was before Judge O'Brien yesterday for having laid down on Third street while heavily drunk. He was arrested by Officer Clouse and had over \$100 on his person. It was a case of lumber down, and the foolish nabob was left with a fine of three dollars.

Mr. Fred Richter came down to his store yesterday morning a doubly happy father. There are two of them, both boys, bright and healthy babies, and Mr. Richter is a very happy man. If any of the lady friends of the family are curious to know what Fred said when he heard the voice of the second infant, they must ask Mrs. Richter.

If there are no cases of cholera morbus among a lot of boys who were gleaming at the rear of Third street yesterday, then rotten tomatoes are harmless. The dirty little rascals greedily swallowed the nasty things as if they were delicious, until a disgusted party who was overlooking their feast scolded them away by throwing his dinner pail at them.

Wednesday afternoon Officer Zirkelbach espied the venerable and dissipated Hannah Walsh on Third street, where she was trying to pawn her clothing for a drink of tanglefoot. The old lady was brought to the lockup, and yesterday morning she was before Judge O'Brien, who gave her sixty days in the House of Good Shepherd.

General agent Fair will resume the publication of his late famous weekly next Saturday. That is, he will issue a new time schedule for the St. Paul & Duluth railroad. The changes will not materially affect the present arrangements of passengers, but are necessary for accommodation of the business of the St. Paul & Duluth company of the St. P. & D. road.

The present month is marked for the unusual number of sudden deaths, and the silent reaper is having a big harvest. Last Monday Mr. John Henderson, father-in-law of Officer Palmer, died at his residence on Mulberry street after a short illness.

Mr. Henderson was taken ill, and in a few hours his spirit had flown to the bosom of his recently deceased husband.

The alarm of fire from box No. 25 at 5:40 o'clock yesterday morning was caused by the discovery of flames issuing from the roof of the Tremont house, corner of Eighth and Robert streets. The department turned out, but the incipient blaze was squelched with a few buckets of water. The fire caught from an overheated stove pipe and the damage was only nominal.

The children of the Catholic orphan asylum enjoyed their annual picnic to White Bear Lake yesterday, the treat being largely due to the generosity of Mr. Patrick Butler, under whose auspices the trip was made possible.

The little waifs were in charge of Mother Seraphim and the Sisters, and it is needless to say that on the trip they were as happy as the angels. A red letter day in their existence.

Ex-policeman Willmowski received a postal card yesterday bearing Mayor Dawson's name and requesting him to report at the city hall for duty at 9 o'clock. He was there on time and the postal card was presented to Chief Weber, who at once perceived that it was a forgery. Mayor Dawson was found and declared the communication anonymous. It was a base trick, and the despicable writer should receive six months.

The Wyoming branch of the St. Paul & Duluth railroad will be finished to Center City in about ten days. The rails and other material are all on hand and the work is being pushed as fast as possible. When the road is opened to Center City, our summer visitors will have another delightful road opened to them. The Chicago lakes and Green lake are among the most beautiful of all the seven thousand lakes of Minnesota.

A liver colored citizen named James Johnson was at the police court yesterday charged with having raised perdition at the express company's stable on Fifth street. Night before last he sneaked into the barn and cabbaged a coat. He was collared by Officer Rouleau and it took three men to get him to the cooler. Yesterday he was very penitent, acknowledging that he was drunk but he didn't recollect any thing about the coat. He will languish for the next twenty-five days.

Mr. E. A. Sewall, treasurer of the St. Paul & Duluth railroad company, has gone to Rush City to inspect the lines of the Rush City & Grantsburg railroad, with view of estimating the business the road would have if completed and put in operation. The parties who have had it in charge have accomplished a great deal for the means at their disposal and it is quite probable that the St. Paul & Duluth company, Mr. Sewall's report being favorable, will take hold of and finish the road.

A young man with the ripe old name of Charles O'Malley was before hizzoner yesterday, charged with being overcome by the old "budge." He stated that he was employed on the railroad and that his engine had smashed him last Tuesday. They brought her to St. Paul for repairs, and, having nothing to do, he went on a bit of a spree. In doing the rounds he dropped into the "Rifaroo," where he

claims to have been drugged and robbed of \$20 and a watch. He was fined \$5, and sentence was suspended.

A muscular fellow named John Fitzpatrick was at the police court yesterday charged with disorderly conduct. He was before the court on Wednesday and promised to leave town if released. Sentence was suspended, and the same afternoon he was taught in the act of bulldozing the residents of Nelson and Summit avenues. He wanted either pie, money or blood, instead of which he was yanked to the cooler by Chief Weber. He will rusticate on the rock pile for the next thirty days.

The Duluth iron company has issued a prospectus for the sale of bonds, secured by a trust deed to Walter E. Mann, in the amount of \$100,000, for enlargement of the company's operating capital. Its run of iron, so far, is said to be of excellent quality and has been purchased, in part, by Seymour, Sabin & Co. of St. Louis, and by the St. Paul Foundry and Manufacturing company. The enterprise of the Duluth company commends itself to all Minnesotans and will doubtless be seconded by our capitalists.

About fifty people gathered at the Opera house last evening to witness the performance of Dr. B. Brown Williams, a specialist and alleged magician. The entertainment consisted of feats of alleged mesmerism interspersed with remarks on the application of this peculiar power in the treatment of diseases.

A class of a dozen persons were selected from the audience, including several well known citizens, as subjects to be mesmerized. With one exception, and that of a boy who had been experimented upon the previous evening, the test was a complete failure. The subjects were not gotten under control, with the exception of the boy, who performed a number of tricks remarkable only for their assinine stupidity. The performance will be repeated to-morrow evening.

The Globe yesterday morning made a brief mention of the return home of Mr. John McCarthy, son of ex-Alderman McCarthy of West St. Paul, from Bryant's business college in Chicago. Johnnie's career in the college is deserving of a more extended notice than the Globe gave him. He entered the college January 13 and graduated July 13, 1880.

Other words, he succeeded by hard study, and application, in taking a two years' course in six months. In the first place on entering the college, his preliminary examination advanced him one year of the course, and his natural ability and close attention to his studies enabled him to graduate at the end of six months with the highest honors ever conferred upon one of the students of the college. Johnnie is almost without a parallel in the history of the college, and St. Paul should be proud of such young men.

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A St. Louis Baby Transferred to St. Paul and the Wrong Woman Has It.

If familiarity breeds contempt, the palladium of our liberties, the right of release by habeas corpus, stands in imminent peril of being dragged from its lofty throne and smothered in the quagmire of public contempt. Especially is this so with regard to the almost daily effort in St. Paul, of a lady alleged mothers, to secure the custody of their alleged babies, which, somehow or other, are always in the keeping of somebody who is not a mother.

To the numerous instances of this kind that have come to the front of late must be added another case which saw the glare of public notoriety in this city yesterday. From the city of dust, beer and cussedness, down the river where the big bridge stands, there came to this city yesterday a stricken mother, looking for her child. The story runs as follows:

About a year and a half ago Mrs. Alice Jones, residing in St. Louis, became ill and was taken to the hospital for treatment. Her infant child, then only a few weeks old, was given to the sisters of mercy, who nursed it into vigorous babyhood. Mrs. Jones remained ill for several months, during which a visitor to the asylum named Lizzie Graham, fell in love with the child, because, as she said, it bore a marked likeness to her own dead darling. The latter asked to be allowed to adopt the child, and by some arrangement it was finally turned over to her keeping. She took splendid care of the infant, and after it was a year old she came to this city, where she has been for several months. The adopted mother of the baby is young and handsome, and for some time past has been a favorite inmate of one of the so-called high toned bagnios, save the mark of this city.

She boarded the child with a respectable German family, clothed it in the finest fabrics and manifested her affections by paying it daily visits.

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