

MINNEAPOLIS NEWS

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A large party went out to Lake Minnetonka last evening.

The Freewill Baptist church will take an excursion up the Dalles of the St. Croix to-day.

Danz band will give the regular weekly open air concert in the park, on Tenth street, this evening.

An ice cream festival will be given by the ladies of Minneapolis lodge of Good Templars on Saturday evening.

Ephraim Stearns was robbed of his watch and \$30 in money by Pat Dorsey on Sunday. Dorsey is under arrest.

Henry Ober, proprietor of Ober's hotel in South Minneapolis, paid a fine of \$10 yesterday for keeping his saloon open on Sunday.

Yesterday Charles Holden accidentally let his hand come in contact with the mercenary teeth of a circular saw, with very serious results.

Henry Miller, a German butcher, was arrested at the instigation of Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, of Chicago, on the charge of bigamy. The case was continued until 9 o'clock this morning.

N. T. Mills, arrested for larceny of a watch from Mrs. Matilda Wise, was discharged upon the motion of his attorney, on the ground that the watch was not evidence sufficient to bind him over.

The demand for spaces in the exhibition buildings for the great exposition, is much larger than on any former year. Those who expect to make exhibits cannot make application any too soon.

The notorious Griffins were before the municipal court again yesterday. Jas. D. Griffin brought action against his wife to recover household goods which she had disposed of. Tried and submitted.

The Freewill Baptist church society has ordered the manufacturers in Boston, to make and put in an elegant pipe church organ, the same to fill the alcove in the rear of the pulpit of the church. The instrument will cost \$3,000.

A fire broke out in John Martin's lumber yard, about 11 o'clock last evening, and destroyed between 30,000 and 40,000 feet of lumber. The fire department was on hand and used their utmost efforts to subdue the flames. At midnight the flames were still raging, with a prospect of still further destruction.

A SAD CASUALTY.

Miss Florence Kennedy, of the East Side, drowned while bathing in Lake Harriet yesterday.

The first serious accident which has occurred this season to mar the pleasure of the many who are seeking enjoyment and pleasant recreation upon the beautiful and picturesque banks of Lake Harriet happened yesterday.

Miss Florence Kennedy, who resided with her parents at the corner of Fifth street and Second, was yesterday accepted an invitation of a number of young lady friends and went to the pretty lake on a few days' visit. They were in camp on the north shore of the lake, and the young ladies to enjoy the luxuries of a bath in the lake from off the sandy beach every morning. At half-past ten or eleven o'clock yesterday forenoon they were thus engaged, when Dr. A. P. Foster, of the east side, was riding past. The doctor heard the cry for help which was sent up from the frightened girls, and he quickly ran to the lake shore, where he discovered the young ladies frantically endeavoring to get to the shore. With an instant's hesitation, the doctor sprang into the lake to the rescue. He succeeded in getting all ashore but poor Miss Kennedy, who had gone out farthest, where the water was probably eight feet deep. She had gone down to the muddy bottom never to rise alive. Dr. Foster, everything possible was done toward resuscitation, but the spark of life had gone out.

Everything bright and intelligent young lady, Miss Kennedy was a remarkably poised 19 years of age. She has for some time occupied a responsible position of trust in Seguebaum Brothers dry goods store. Her sad death will be mourned by a large circle of warm and loving friends.

A BATCH OF OFFENDERS.

Judge O'Connell has a lively brace parade of victims. Quarrel of neighbors.

Olof Thompson pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness, and paid a fine of \$5 rather than languish in durance for several days with lock-breaking as his sole recreation.

Mabel Blake was arraigned before his honor on the charge of being a vagrant street-walker. She was dismissed.

John H. Emerick, for a plain drunk, was discharged, upon promise of entering promptly upon a vigorous reform.

Cornelius Berry was brought before the court for the larceny of a pin. The little piece of jewelry is valued at \$10, but he bought it of a lady for fifteen cents. His case was dismissed.

Charles Frans was arraigned on the charge of using abusive language toward a saloonkeeper named Frank A. Johnson. He explained that he had been in the saloon and alleged that he had been freely at the bar, that some difficulty arose, and the saloonkeeper struck him a severe blow upon his befuddled cranium with a beer glass. He then called the man a drunkard and the case was continued until this morning at 9 o'clock.

Lena Gorman was tried for the charge of committing an assault upon Mrs. Delia Parment. It was a somewhat mixed case. Mrs. Gorman said some slanders against the line fence between Mrs. Jackson's premises and the Parment lot. Mrs. Parment did not like it, and proceeded to knock the shutters down. Miss Gorman stood then up again, and Mrs. Parment, a French woman who speaks very little English, began firing shots. Mrs. Gorman, who returned the shots. Mrs. Parment, accompanied by her husband, armed themselves with knives and clubs, and the battle was fought. In the affray which ensued the aged couple got "worsted" and retreated. The defendant was fined \$5 and costs.

MINNEAPOLIS BREEZES.

An excursion party of about 200 from Anoka, made the tour of the lake yesterday.

Capt. Jean Lambert has resigned the command of the Saucy Kate, and will be succeeded by Capt. David Day.

Wm. H. Snyder, Wm. H. Snyder, Jr., and Fred E. Snyder, of Belleville, Ill., are registered at the Excelsior house.

Assistant Superintendent C. W. Case and C. H. Hatheway, of the C. M. & St. P. railway, visited the lake yesterday.

A. M. Atkinson, Mrs. H. E. Atkinson, Howard Atkinson and Miss Belle Murphy, all from Wabash, Ill., are stopping at Keith's cottage exclusive house.

James Heth, Jr., wife and daughter, D. L. Howe, wife and daughter, Shakopee, and H. B. Cole, Chaska, are enjoying the hospitality of the Excelsior house.

W. W. Kinnear, general agent of the Northern packet line of Burlington, Iowa, is stopping at the Excelsior house. Mr. Kinnear is accompanied by his wife and daughter.

Mr. Schenck, of New Orleans, and Judge Huntington, of Burlington, will play a game of euchre with Dr. G. S. Walker and Dr. S. B. Parsons, both of St. Louis, for the championship of the lake, at the Excelsior house on Wednesday afternoon.

At the Lake Park hotel: Geo. S. Manson, B. O. P. C. II.; Willie Staples and

Rich Developments. "The Best Land Plans of Mice and Men," etc.—Another Scheme to Exact Money, Frustrated and Exposed—N. T. Mills Examined and Acquitted.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. N. T. Mills, who has been doing a general jewelry and watch repairing business on Nicollet avenue for six weeks, was arrested at the instigation of one Mrs. Matilda Wise. She charged the young man with the larceny of her gold watch, valued at \$50. On Monday the case was placed upon the court calendar and called up in the regular order. Mrs. Wise did not appear. An officer was dispatched for her. Her officers returned with a letter from her physician, Dr. Dunsmore, stating to the court that she was ill and unable to leave her couch. This was unsatisfactory, and the physician was brought before the court, for the first time. Mrs. Wise was suffering from a severe attack of typhoid fever, and would be unable to attend court for three weeks. The court consequently continued the case until yesterday morning. The officers returned with the watch and her deposition at her room.

Accordingly at the appointed hour, Clerk Stevens, W. P. Roberts, for the city, and Thos. Canty, for the defendant, appeared before the court. The case was developed much to the surprise of the city attorney, and to the consternation of the friends of Mrs. Wise who had taken a lively interest in the case.

Last fall Mrs. Wise lived with her nephew, H. Wise, on N. 2135 Thirtieth avenue. On the night of October 22, the house was set on fire and burned. Mrs. Wise and nephew escaping through a window (to baffles suspicion). Mrs. Wise, who is old in the business, and Glen Falls, N. Y., Insurance Co. Among the other goods which she made affidavit were burned, and upon which she collected the loss, was the identical watch in question. Thos. Canty, who is a lawyer while under a searching cross-examination.

There was no evidence adduced on the part of the State that Mills had stolen the watch. The State rested, and the case was dismissed upon motion of defendant's attorney.

The whole affair bears most evident earmarks of being a "put up job," for the purpose of extorting money. This woman, who is old in the business, and young Mills is far from being the only victim drawn deftly into her meshes. But of the other cases of shrewdly managed confidence games it is not the purpose of this column to mention. It is worth mentioning, however, that the young man who was exceedingly anxious to see the Miss P. in "Richelieu."

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CONTRADICTION OF ASSESSMENT FOR GRADING KATE STREET.

Oliver Haws, Minneapolis; L. P. Hartman and wife, Dubuque; R. B. Bend, Minneapolis; J. Cheney and wife, New York; Judson Lyon, St. Joe, Mo.; Rev. Geo. N. Ide, Milwaukee; Wm. M. Barber, Boston; and H. E. Fletcher and wife, Minneapolis.

C. W. Stetson, Minneapolis; Mrs. A. R. and Miss Hattie Hall, Faribault; R. H. Hall, St. Paul; C. A. Stanchfield, Custer, Iowa; J. W. Latham, wife and daughter, Lincoln, Neb.; C. E. Irwin, Springfield, Ohio; Chas. R. Pattison and W. D. Shanklin, Carrollton, Mo.; Col. E. A. Bowen and wife, Mendota, Ill.; Charles W. Tomlinson and L. Stansbury, wife and mother, Galveston, Ill.; and F. F. Reichard, Monmouth, Ill., have taken possession of Cottage No. 2, Lake park.

An Embarrassed Lady. A well known society lady of Kansas City spent last winter in Detroit, and since her return a very good story at her expense has leaked out.

A few evenings after her arrival a reported wealthy bachelor residing a few doors down where she was visiting called, and in the course of conversation invited Miss F. to attend the opera house a few nights later to see McCullough in "Richelieu." The invitation was accepted, and the young lady saw no more of the prospective escort until the date set. While she was dressing for the trip, the doorman rang and entered Mr. Fresh (so he shall be designated in this sketch).

"Miss F. in?" he queried of the servant.

He was told she was dressing and asked to wait in the parlor a few minutes.

"I wish to speak to her a minute at only he replied.

The servant conveyed this request and returned with the answer that Miss F. was busily engaged with her toilet, but would favor him in a few minutes.

"But I must see her right away," he demanded; "ask her to come down at once."

Again the message was carried up stairs. This time the lady of the house responded in person, and as proxy for Miss F. desired to know his urgent business.

"I wanted to know whether Miss F. would rather go to see McCullough at the opera house or Pinafore at Whitney's?" was his reply.

The lady of the house explained that she knew Miss F. would prefer to see McCullough. The young man then wanted to know whether the next night would do as well as that. This time the lady, who was exceedingly anxious to see the Miss P. in "Richelieu."

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