

MINNEAPOLIS NEWS

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MINNEAPOLIS GLOBELETTERS.

The Motor line is doing a good business. People are purchasing their holiday presents.

The "Sas of Ice" continues at the Opera house. A new lodge I. O. O. F. will be instituted the first week in January.

Christmas trees are being brought into the city in endless quantities. The various churches are preparing for Christmas Day celebrations.

Francis E. Miller asks the court to change her name to Francis E. Allen. Chas. Colton and R. H. Day returned yesterday from their trip to the east.

The public schools will close to-morrow evening for the holidays—two weeks. The Temple of Honor held a regular meeting last evening at 251 Nicollet avenue.

The gates at the Washington avenue railroad crossing are being placed in repair. "A Fool's Errand" at the Academy last evening by the Steele Mackaye company.

The annual meeting of the board of regents of the State University will be held this forenoon. The Boston restaurant is the place whereat to get a square meal at any hour of the day or night.

The Silver Grays will give their second grand ball to-morrow evening Archibald's academy. The young folks of the First Baptist church are rehearsing an operetta which will be produced on Tuesday evening.

The Minneapolis Union Railway company filed articles of incorporation in the office of the register of deeds yesterday. Owing to the fact that the state failed to show when the crime was committed, the Gear case will be taken into the supreme court.

Frank Stoum had a fine robe stolen from his carriage from in front of the First Baptist church last evening, while attending a meeting. The members of the Reform club are in hopes of securing the talented elocutionist, Miss Hesse Hunter, for another entertainment soon.

C. A. Stedman will be given a benefit at the Opera house on Wednesday evening, January 4, in the "Merchant of Venice," with Stedman as Shylock. The employees of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad company in this city, were receiving their month's wages from the pay car yesterday.

The commissioners appointed to condemn lands for the purposes of the spur track to the Crown Roller mill, met yesterday morning and viewed the lands. Ted Irving is still laid up with a sprained ankle, which he received in a jump while playing in the "Sea of Ice" on Monday night. J. L. Saphore arrived his role.

James Loyd died yesterday from typhoid fever. The deceased has been for some time in the employ of Spink & Co., druggists, and was well liked by all who knew him. A regular meeting of the city council was held in the council chamber last evening. A large number of committee reports were acted upon, besides the regular routine business.

A crooked chap stole an overcoat from Adam Cron's boarding house yesterday morning, belonging to Mr. West, a boarder. He was captured, but not until he had disposed of the coat. The friends and relatives of Mr. Joseph Nelson celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday anniversary at the residence of Uncle Nate Roberts last night. It was an exceptionally pleasant and social gathering.

Mr. C. A. Nimocks has purchased of A. J. & F. H. Boardman a lot of sixty-six feet front on Sixth street, opposite St. Mark's church, for the probable purpose of the erection of an elegant new Opera house upon it. The box sheet for sale of tickets for the Emma Abbott Opera company will be opened at the Nicollet house to-morrow morning. Those who wish good seats had best go early, for there will be a great demand for them in the Academy during the engagement.

Postmaster Keith is informed that Mr. Stuart, the United States postal inspector, will return to this city to enter into further investigation of the postoffice removal, as was at first expected, he having received instructions from headquarters at Washington, which call him elsewhere. The schedule of the assets and liabilities of the firm of Willis & Dunham, was filed yesterday afternoon. It shows the total amount of stock and fixtures to be \$1,302,34; total amount outstanding accounts, \$10,309,75; cash on hand, \$1,210,06; total assets, \$23,813,18. Total liabilities, \$18,092,64; nominal assets above liabilities, \$4,720,54.

The Minneapolis Canoe club last evening elected the following officers: Commodore, E. H. Moulton; vice commodore, T. V. Hoyer; secretary, E. S. Kimball; treasurer, Perry Harrison; executive committee, Messrs. G. F. Farneron, T. G. Lawrence and L. S. Burlington; finance committee, Messrs. V. G. Hinch, A. F. Taylor and Chas. A. Fuller. One of the liveliest runaways of the season occurred on the West Side yesterday. H. E. Fletcher's horse became frightened and broke loose from a hitching post, and before he could be captured had succeeded in rendering the fire carriage to which he was attached, into kindling wood. The horse, valuable and spiteful animal, was also seriously injured.

At the recent meeting of the Minneapolis council No. 2, R. & S. M., the following officers were elected and installed: I. M. Williams; R. I. D. M., Wm. Cheney; I. P. C., W. C. Moore; R. order, John A. Schlenker; Treasurer, T. F. Hurley; C. F. G., C. C. Bland; C. C. J. A. Reichard; Chaplain, D. B. Knickerbocker; Marshal, E. E. McDerby; Steward, G. A. Todd; Sentinel, Wm. Gore.

The following quotations give the range of the markets during the day were received by M. DORAN, commission merchant: LIVERPOOL, Dec. 21, 10 A. 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