

4-11-44.

Window Succeeds in Getting One of the Numbers in the Gig.

VOTE REDUCED TO FORTY-FOUR.

The Balloting Without Incident Worthy of Special Note.

THE DOG LAW IN THE SENATE.

Prolonged Debate on the Anti-Subsidy Amendment to the Constitution.

SAGE BUT CONFLICTING VIEWS.

Senator Wilson Makes a Vigorous Assailant on the Railroads.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The two houses convened in joint convention at noon yesterday, for the purpose of voting for a candidate for United States senator.

Immediately following the announcement of Speaker Fletcher that the clerk would proceed to call the roll for United States senator, Senator Morrison of Olmsted rose to a question of privilege.

Continuing, Senator Morrison said he simply had to say that the statement of Mr. Chadbourn, as reported, is false from beginning to end.

A ballot for senator was then taken, with the following result:

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Those who voted for Thomas Wilson were:

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Those who voted for Mark H. Dunnell were:

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Those who voted for C. F. Kindred were:

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Those who voted for C. M. Start were:

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no choice having been made for United States senator.

SENATE.

The senate was called to order at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, which was an hour earlier than has been the custom.

In talking about the United States senatorship it was thought that the grand display of forces in the contest would probably take place on Wednesday, and that the election would not be delayed beyond Thursday.

Senate met at 10 o'clock and was called to order by the president.

Roll called and journal read and approved.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

By Senator Griggs—To authorize the city of St. Paul to issue \$500,000 in bonds to improve and enlarge the water works of said city.

By Senator C. D. Gillilan—To amend section 112, chapter 74, general statutes of 1878, relating to the capital stock of certain corporations.

By Senator C. D. Gillilan—To punish railroad employes for violation of duty where human life is endangered.

By Senator C. D. Gillilan in the chair, the senate took up Senator Rice's bill repealing the dog law, and it was debated at great length by Senators Rice, Castle, Hickman, Stearnson, Hollister, J. B. Gillilan, Sergeant, Wheat, O'Brien, Waite, Clark and Ward.

Senator Stearnson favored the adoption of the bill, assigning for a reason for this course on his part the fact that railroads had never been constructed by local bonuses.

Senator Waite was surprised at any opposition to bonuses from a senator who represented a frontier constituency.

Senator Wilson said he expected to encounter opposition when he introduced the measures under consideration, but the arguments advanced were not good.

At this point further consideration of the measures was cut short by the announcement of the representatives in joint session had arrived, and the committee rose.

When the committee rose Senator Castle moved to refer Senator Rice's bill repealing the dog law to a special committee for amendment.

After some informal discussion the president ruled that the senate must proceed to the house of representatives.

Upon the re-assembling of the senate the discussion of the dog law was resumed, the members of the committee to refer it to a special committee for revision, the roll was called, when it appeared that there were seventeen in favor of reference and twenty-two opposed, so the bill was recommended for pass without amendment.

Senator Morrison in the chair, consideration of the proposed amendment to the constitution prohibiting the giving of aid to railroads and its companion bill was resumed, and Senator Wilson took the floor.

He said that the state was being gridironed with railroads being constructed without the aid of local bonuses.

He had no objection to any man putting his hand into his own pocket and giving as much of his own money as a bonus as he pleased, but he did have very decided objections to the voting of bonds and raising bonuses by taxation where the people were in no condition to stand up under its burdens.

He called to mind the case of the city of Duluth which had got permission to issue bonds for railroad aid and then resorted to a tricky expedient to get rid of the payment of the bonds which was considered not quite honorable.

The city of St. Cloud had also asked permission to issue bonds for a like purpose with like results. He said that the bonus sharks

had fraudulently gotten possession of bonds of his town and that he had as counsel contested their payment and that the Hon. Samuel Lord had on the bench decided that they were fraudulently obtained, and that subsequently the Hon. O. P. Stearns had decided the same way.

He then said that if the gentlemen of the senate ever again heard that Winona did not pay its debts they would know that it was no longer a town that was actually dead, but that it was a town that was being kept alive by a few favored points and leaving nothing for the rest of the state.

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try yesterday, remaining in session from 11 a. m. until 2:30 p. m., minus the recess of only about half an hour for the joint convention.

In committee of the whole, the house, led by Col. Hicks, set down upon J. E. Child's bill to regulate the drawing of statutes and session laws by members.

Child in his bill proposed to have \$10 collected from members who should fail to return such books by process of law.

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was lost, Hicks' amendment adopted and the bill recommended to pass, though Child moved its indefinite postponement.

The next bill to excite discussion was Mr. Rahilly's usury bill, fixing the maximum rate of interest at 8 per cent. instead of 10 per cent. as now.

Arraigned Before Judge Burr Yesterday and Their Cases Continued One Week.

Yesterday morning was the time set by Judge Burr for hearing the gambling cases and at 9 o'clock the court room was pretty well filled with members of the sporting fraternity, their friends and interested spectators.

Mr. I. V. D. Heard appeared for the defendants, Martin and Bibbins, and by consent this case was continued for one week.

The cases of Thompson, Evans, Chinn, Morgan, Shauns, Donahue, Childs and Gore were called on and motion of Messrs. O'Brien & Wilson, the hearings were continued a week.

In the case of Morton, Hamlin and Hall Mr. W. W. Erwin appeared and made a motion to dismiss which was argued at some length.

Mr. Murray, in behalf of the city, made a vigorous argument to have the cases go on and the motion to dismiss was taken under advisement.

A decision will probably be rendered today, and pending the result the cases were continued a week, with the exception of the Morton case, which is set for trial next Thursday at 2 o'clock p. m.

Such gentle reader is the linguistic sociologist which best describes the unique exhibition which is to be thrown open to the amusement public of St. Paul, at No. 12 Third street this afternoon.

By Mr. Brown—Relating to the discharge of attachments on real estate.

By Mr. Johnson, W. A., (accompanied by petition)—To appropriate \$500 to build a bridge across the Des Moines river in Murray county, and \$300 for a bridge across Lime creek in the same county.

By Mr. Cornish—To amend the act of incorporation of the Mount Zion Hebrew association.

By Mr. Gregory—To amend the act relating to making up jury lists. Places the duty in the hands of the judge of the district court, clerk of the county and chairman of the county commissioners.

By Mr. Cornish—To amend section 83, chapter 95, general statutes 1878, relating to violation of the control of telegraphic messages by clerks or others. Makes it a misdemeanor, punishable by fine not exceeding \$1,000 and confinement.

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TWO TRAGEDIES.

A Young Man Shoots Himself at the St. Paul House—Lack of Work and Financial Embarrassment Thought to be the Cause—Another Young Man Found Dead in a Saloon After a Protracted Spree.

Last night was a busy one for the coroner, undertakers and the reporters. A suicide is always more or less tragic and sensational, while there is always a pathetic mystery in the suddenness conveyed in the announcement of "a man found dead."

About 6 o'clock last night a message was received by Coroner Davenport to the effect that a man had committed suicide at the St. Paul house, corner of Fort and Chestnut streets, by shooting himself through the head.

The body was neatly and respectfully clad and the deceased lay on the floor where he must have fallen after committing the deed. Death must have been instantaneous. Inquiry of the landlord, Mr. Fabel, resulted in the following information concerning the suicide: His name was Herman Dell and since he was a discharged soldier, it is believed, having served in the Seventh cavalry. He was about twenty-eight years of age, and so far as known has no relatives residing in this city.

He came to the St. Paul house on the 18th inst., and is not known to have had any employment. It is supposed that this, with the fact that he was evidently out of money, induced him to commit the deed. That he was in the condition known as "hard up" is evidenced from the fact that only a day or two since he borrowed a dollar from the landlord. The last seen of him alive was about 9 o'clock Sunday evening, when he was in conversation with a boarder named Wm. Geis.

His absence did not excite suspicion until about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the chamber maid tried to get in the room and found the door locked with the key on the inside. The barkeeper, Chas. Scholl, was called and together they opened the door.

Dallmann's fondly on the floor dead as described. Inquiry of the boarders was made, two of whom state that they heard the report of a revolver about 8 o'clock yesterday morning.

The deceased must have dressed himself to go out, probably in quest of employment, when becoming possessed with the idea of suicide, he shot himself. He boarded at the hotel for the first time about a year ago, and was always honest and correct in his habits.

A few days ago he told one of the boarders that he had a brother, a stone-cutter by trade, in Chicago. The body was removed to McCarthy & Donnelly's and an inquest will be held this morning.

About 8 o'clock last night word was sent to the coroner that a man had been found dead in a chair at the boarding house kept by Gus Holberg, and located at No. 386 Rosabel street. Upon being investigated it was learned that a Swede named A. Larson had been discovered about 7:30 o'clock, sitting in a chair in the bar-room of the house, dead.

The deceased was about thirty years of age and had no family in the country. He was known as a boy in the old country, by Mr. Holberg, the keeper of the house, and the latter recently loaned him several sums of money, amounting in all to \$30. The body was taken to McCarthy & Donnelly's rooms and a post mortem will be held this morning, when the cause of death will be ascertained.

The matter of the assessment for the extension of an alley in block 15, Hoy's addition, was next taken up and it was ordered continued until next week.

Notices of confirmation were ordered in the matter of an assessment for the opening of an alley in lot 1, block 7, Robertson's addition, of the Sixth ward.

The board then considered the proposed new driveway along the foot of the bluff to Fort Snelling. It was decided that several alterations might be necessary and the matter was laid over for two weeks.

It is not the amount of iron that one swallows that does the good, but the amount taken up by the system. The iron in "Allen's Iron Tonic Bitters" is in shape to be assimilated by the system. For sale by J. P. Allen, Druggist and Manufacturing Pharmacist, St. Paul, Minn.

It is again rumored that the senate will be constituted a court for the trial of Prince Jerome. According to the latest intelligence the government will adhere to bills against the royalists. The right, the radical and extreme left have determined to oppose the passage of these measures, while the republican union favor a compromise.

NORTH MINNESOTA.

A Severe Storm—Two Narow Escapes from Freezing—Injured by a Falling Tree—Inhuman Hotel Keepers—Choice for Senator.

Detroit, Minn. Jan. 18.—The severest storm of this winter is now raging. The thermometer stands at 25 degrees below zero and the air is filled with snow so densely that objects can not be seen more than fifty yards distant. Passenger trains are from one to eight hours behind schedule time, and many freight trains are abandoned. Railroad cuts west of here are full of snow and the 6 a. m. passenger train was held here for seven hours to-day waiting for the cuts to be cleared of snow.

Weather during the past two weeks is the severest since the winter of '72. A farmer lost his way while crossing Detroit Lake last night and was severely, but not fatally, frozen. A. R. Holton, a farmer living some seven miles north of Lake Park, this county, was on the road to town last Monday, with a horse and cutter. The cold was so severe and the driving snow so blinding that he could not drive, became bewildered and lost his way. He unhitched the horse, and taking off the harness, turned the horse loose, thinking he would go home or at least find shelter. Mr. Holton then started to walk in the direction he thought Lake Park, and after traveling through deep snow for several hours, arrived at the house of M. E. d'Engel brommer, where he was obliged to remain till the storm was somewhat abated.

N. W. Nunn, a prominent farmer of this vicinity, was quite seriously injured yesterday, while felling a tree, having a twig a sixteenth of an inch thick and two inches long forced into the orifice of the ear. There is no hope of saving the hearing of the ear.

Detroit seems afflicted with inhuman hotel keepers. A short time ago a man who had a leg amputated had to be placed in a cold, vacant building because our hotel keepers would not give him a room. He took a chill and died. Another case we recollect. A railroad brakeman was run over by the cars, which necessitated the immediate amputation of his leg. He was moved to Brainerd, because our hotel keepers refused him admittance. He died. At our most prominent hotel there is now a man lying very sick with erysipelas, in so cold a room that he has to keep his head covered to keep from freezing, and nurse wear buffalo overcoats for the same purpose and then cannot stay in the room for more than half an hour at a time. If this is not inhuman we have yet to learn of a case of inhumanity.

Detroit and vicinity is looking with interest upon the senatorial election and hoping the legislature's final choice will not be so long deferred as the Pioneer Press desires, nor do they wish Mr. Windom to be the choice of that august body. The people would like to see Hon. C. F. Kindred elected as successor to the barrel candidate, but all admit that this is scarcely a possibility and almost unanimously join in the hope that the people's representatives will ultimately rally around Hon. L. F. Hubbard and tender him the United States senatorship by a rousing majority.

THE COURTS. U. S. Circuit Court. (Before Judge Nelson.) Horatio Secord vs. the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railroad company, motion to set aside verdict; argued and submitted.

S. H. Daniels vs. Newark City Insurance company; motion to answer extended thirty days.

Probate Court. (Before Judge C. C. Orman.) The will of Willin G. Ewing was admitted to probate. Bond filed and approved and letters issued.

Municipal Court. (Before Judge Barr.) T. L. Crossley, drunk and disorderly; committed for thirty days. John McLean, John Erickson, Wm. Loftus, John McGoewen, drunkenness, committed for five days.

O. Oleson, contempt; dismissed. Herman Andrews, larceny; fine of \$15 paid. John Tachenski, assault with weapon; continued one week and committed in default of \$2,500.

Thos. Murphy and J. Pullis, disorderly; fines of \$10 paid. John Healey, horse stealing; held to the grand jury in bonds of \$2,000. Bibbins and Martin, gambling; continued one week.

Thompson, Evans, Chinn, Morgan, Shauns, Donahue, Childs and Gore, gambling; continued one week. Hall, Hanlin, Morton and Connors, gambling; motion to dismiss. Taken under advisement.

Case of Hall and Hanlin continued one week. Case of Morton to be tried Thursday at 2 p. m.

*"Help yourself and others will help you." But don't fail to see Kidney Wort for all liver, kidney and bowel complaints, pipes, constipation, etc. The demand of the world for and esteem of preparing Kidney Wort has induced the proprietors, the well-known wholesale druggists, Wells, Richardson & Co., of Burlington, Vt., to prepare it for sale in liquid form as well as in dry form.

FRANCE. PARIS, Jan. 22.—During the annual services for the repose of the soul of Louis XVI. an unusually large body of police was posted outside the chapel in readiness to suppress any demonstration. The weakness on the bourse is due to large forced sales owing to an apprehended ministerial crisis.