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THE WEATHER

The Predictions.

Minnesota—Rain to-night; partly cloudy Sunday, with rain in northeast; cooler to-night; brisk to high northwest winds.

For Minneapolis and vicinity: Fair and cooler to-night and Sunday.

Weather Conditions.

Rain has fallen during the past twenty-four hours over a very large area in the central portion of the country, including the whole Mississippi and Missouri valleys and the lake region, and rain was still falling at 7 a. m. at Bismarck, Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans.

Maximum Temperatures.

Table with columns for location and maximum temperature. Locations include Minneapolis, St. Paul, Chicago, etc.

MUST SERVE THEIR TIME

The President Refuses to Pardon Forest Incendiaries.

A communication has been received by the federal authorities from the department of state, Washington, in which the information is conveyed that President Roosevelt has refused to pardon H. B. Sherer and C. E. Seelye, both of whom are serving sentences of eight months in the Hennepin county jail, for starting the forest fire which did great damage in the timber lands of Cass lake county in April of last year.

NEW COMPANIES.

The Farmers' Land and Cattle company of St. Paul incorporated yesterday, with \$100,000 capital stock. M. D. Munn and James A. Nowell of St. Paul, Henry L. Simons and Thomas M. Paine of Glenocoe, are the incorporators.

The Clouet Tie and Post company has been incorporated by R. M. Weyerhaeuser, H. C. Hornby and C. E. Wyman, all of Clouet; capital stock, \$25,000.

The Hobart Iron company of Cleveland, and Duluth has increased its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$300,000.

THE ALDERMEN'S VETO

Over the Board of Control—Very Nice Tangle

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VERY NICE TANGLE

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Normal Board Muzz.

State Superintendent Olsen's View as to the Only Practical Solution.

Pending the settlement of the suit to be brought by the normal school board against the board of control, the affairs of the normal schools are likely to get into a curious tangle. Each board will try to get on independently, and each will try to run the financial affairs of the schools.

The board of control cannot do anything without purchasing agents. It will not accept the resignation of directors as such and it cannot appoint any teacher or other employee, for whoever accepted the job would be immediately discharged by the normal board. It is quite likely that acting under the board of control law they will appoint "rank outsiders" as purchasing agents. The normal schools will have nothing to do with such agents, however.

The normal school board can do nothing without the approval of the state auditor. While he does not approve of the course of the board of control, he will stand by it in the fight, and so will Governor Van Sant. This leaves the normal board practically powerless.

Vouchers from Moorhead, St. Cloud and Duluth are in the hands of Secretary Olsen of the normal board. The board of control will not approve them in their present shape, and Mr. Olsen is waiting for the resident directors to act. St. Cloud has no resident director, and will be at a standstill until a successor is appointed to W. R. Mitchell.

All sorts of awkward complications are likely to ensue in the next month. State Superintendent Olsen, who worked hard for a compromise until the board of control absolutely refused to concede anything, says that he will view the only practical method of co-operation is for the board of control to recognize the authority of the resident directors. Under the present construction of the law, the duties of the state auditor on each other and it is impossible to fix an exact dividing line. The rational thing to do, then, is to make the resident director a representative of both boards in each city, thus ensuring harmonious co-operation.

PARK AV BURGLARY

Residence of J. E. Bell Ransacked Last Night.

Two Other Homes Touched Up

Thieves Use a Horse and Wagon and Cart Away Much Property—One Watchman Not Enough.

Burglars visited the residence of J. E. Bell, president of the Hennepin County Savings Bank, 2401 Park avenue, at 2 o'clock this morning. Only a few articles of value, some silverware and table pieces, were secured. The thieves did not venture upstairs, but confined their operations to one or two rooms on the first floor.

ENTHUSIASTIC APOLLOS

Their Interest Insures High Class Work This Season.

Since the Apollo Club was first organized, no such universal enthusiasm among the normal school students has been witnessed. The club has prevailed since the arrival of the new director, Charles A. Granger. The membership is full to the limit, and on each rehearsal night every chair is filled. At the rehearsal of the Apollo club, the members of the club at the first concert were read, and after each selection the club showed its appreciation of the numbers selected by vociferous applause.

Many innovations are planned. It may be no breach of confidence at this time to state that at the close of the concert the audience will be given an opportunity to meet the various assisting artists.

The concert will occur in the Lyceum theatre. The quality of the music to be rendered by the third floor of the Lyceum building for its permanent home. The quarters are amply large, and are reached by an elevator from the theater entrance. These receptions will be held in the Apollo club's new quarters. The board has arranged a scale of prices for the season which will fit the purses of all, ranging in prices from the student membership in the Apollo club to new quarters.

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MAJ. READE'S IDEAS He Criticizes the Sanitary Arrangements at Ft. Snelling. Major Phillip Reade, inspector general of the Department of Dakota, in his annual report to General Otis and the war department, says special stress should be laid upon the condition of the barracks at Fort Snelling, and especially in the quarters known as "Minnesota Row."

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ELDER, DEMPSTER & CO.'S Royal Mail Steamer Lines. Consisting of 120 steamers. A ST. PAUL PATROLMAN ARRESTED. W. J. Mahoney, a St. Paul policeman, was arrested yesterday charged with the larceny of two pieces of saved lumber, a plane, a screw driver and a number of screws from the Gribben Lumber company's factory, which is on his "beat."

NETS MUST BE TAGGED. Aluminum tags will be given out hereafter with licenses to use nets for catching white fish in Minnesota. This will make the work of the deputy wardens much easier.

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DISAPPEARANCE EXPLAINED St. Paul Saloonkeeper's Body Found in the River. William L. Kroeger, a saloon-keeper at 751 Payne avenue, St. Paul, lost his life in the river. His body was recovered yesterday near Fig's Eye slough. Kroeger disappeared suddenly on Sept. 29, while on his way home. He is thought to have had a large amount of money with him when he was last seen. None of this money was on his clothing when the body was found yesterday.

THE AUSTRALIAN BALLOT May Be Used in Commercial Club Elections. At a committee meeting at the Commercial Club last night James Gray proposed a change of method in the election of officers for the body that may be adopted. C. W. Gardner was appointed chairman of a committee further to consider it. Changes in the bylaws are proposed to allow both directors and president to be chosen by the Australian ballot system, polls to remain open all day and a committee named to count the ballots in the evening.