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COAL AT \$1,666 A TON

An Actual Sale Is Made in This City at That Rate.

J. S. Porteous, Manager of the Lumber Exchange, Buys Costly Fuel for That Building.

Coal touched a price that will be hard to pass at the Christmas entertainment of Riverside chapel last evening. It went at the rate of \$1,666 2-3 a ton. The purchaser was J. S. Porteous, secretary and treasurer of the Lumber Exchange company, but it is not known whether the coal will be used in the heating of the great office building for the remainder of the winter or whether it will be placed under glass and taken to search for the "Coal for Which the Record Price was Paid."

Back of the purchase lies a very pretty little Christmas story. Riverside chapel this year decided that they would give to the needy of the city, bringing to their Christmas entertainment such supplies as they could afford. One boy, having a desire to get something to eat, to search for coal along the railroad tracks. His efforts resulted in the collection of three pounds of this year's much sought black diamonds, at which figure it was "knocked down" to Mr. Porteous.

The gifts by the little folks were most liberal. The list included: 1 turkey, 5 chickens, 120 cans of canned goods, 10 bushels of potatoes, 100 lbs. of beans, 6 cabbages, 8 quarts of onions, 8 quarts of carrots, 4 pecks of turnips, 4 1/2 bushels of apples, 50 sacks of flour, 80 pounds of lard, 100 lbs. of sugar, and a great quantity of other things. A total of \$25 in cash was also contributed, including \$16 from the teachers and officers.

The children who gave so generously were remembered by Santa Claus who distributed 800 pounds of candy at the two entertainments, that in the evening for the main school which was attended by 1100 persons and that of the afternoon for the primary and intermediate schools attended by 900 in all.

Santa Was There, Too.
In the evening's entertainment Milard Cairns was Santa; Fred Wellington, the artist, was the elf; and the children, Wethal, Marlon; Rupert Asplund, Marlon; five children from the primary department; C. H. Burr was the author and director of the play. The arrangements consisted of Misses Hannah Woodway, Alice B. Gilmore, Marjorie Higbee, Margaret B. Conklin and Ethel N. Farnsworth.

HOW'S YOUR SAFE?
Big Business Enterprise Has Been Incorporated in Minneapolis.
Articles of incorporation were recently filed by the L. B. Waugh Company for the purpose of giving this company a greater scope in the handling of burglar proof safes, vault fronts and linings, Time Automatic and Combination Locks, Safe and Lock Repairing, Office Furniture and general Office Supplies. This will give Minneapolis one of the most up-to-date companies in the country in this particular line of goods. The Waugh company will buy all their Desks and Office Supplies in car load lots and are in a position to sell their goods at bottom prices. It means a splendid business for Minneapolis. The company will be headquarters for their line of goods in the Northwest. The President and Manager of the company, L. B. Waugh, is well and favorably known in the safe business throughout the Northwest and has been established here for nearly fifteen years. The other officers, all well known Minneapolis business men, are: L. E. Waugh, president; W. E. Raymond, secretary, for some years with International Stock Food Company of this city; and J. B. Eustis, treasurer, capitalist. There is no fire protection. The store for the L. B. Waugh Company, their new offices here are at 318 Second av. S. and they will open a new store in St. Paul within ten days.

SMALLPOX CASES MILD ONES
Dr. Kistler Says They Are About as Bad as Chickenpox—Hopkins List Increases.
County Physician J. M. Kistler quarantined twenty-two cases of smallpox at Independence yesterday, but he says the disease exists only in a very mild form and that it is probably more dangerous than chickenpox. He found children on whom the rash had appeared attending school and it is likely that other case will develop later. One case was found, also, at Mound City.

Dr. Kistler went out to Maple Plain today to investigate a reported case of smallpox in that township. He reports that the number of cases at Hopkins is increasing. In the Vanderhoef family there are now seven cases. A girl, Louise Jensen has been stricken with the disease since the last report. There have been no deaths and most of the cases are light. No new cases are reported from Plymouth.

Reports to the state board of health for the first seven months of 1902 show 7,282 cases in the state. Hennepin county heads the list with 693 cases. There were 25 deaths.

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FOUND IN DYING STATE
St. Paul Woman Found Almost Dead From Carbolic Acid Poisoning in a Vacant Lot.
Miss Blanche Williams was found in a vacant lot near Eighth and Jackson streets, St. Paul, about 9 o'clock last night, suffering from carbolic acid poisoning. She was removed to the city hospital but died a few minutes after reaching that institution. It is supposed that she took the acid with suicidal intent. She was 33 years of age. Nothing is known of her antecedents.

KILLED IN THE PHILIPPINES
Alexander F. Kieley, a Brother of Mrs. N. Sehl of This City—Report Just Received.
Alexander F. Kieley, a brother of Mrs. N. Sehl, 1033 Fifteenth avenue SE, was killed in the Philippines recently, and the report of his death has just reached his relatives in this city. Mr. Kieley was a native of Kansas, and after serving in Cuba, enlisted for service in the Philippines. He was later appointed an inspector in the Philippine constabulary.

DR. J. STEVENS DIES
Father of Congressman F. C. Stevens of St. Paul—Home in Bangor.
Dr. J. Stevens of Bangor, Me., father of Congressman F. C. Stevens of St. Paul, died Monday of heart failure. He was taken ill several days ago, and Congressman Stevens was present when the end came, also another son, F. F. Stevens of St. Paul. A third son is a physician at Bangor. Dr. Stevens had frequently visited his sons in St. Paul.

AGED LAWYER IS INSANE.
W. K. Gaston, 82 years old, and a member of the Ramsey county bar since 1858, was yesterday adjudged insane and committed to the state hospital at Rochester. He has been in ill health for several years and his mind, weakened by illness and old age, gave way entirely.

WATCH FOR MR. POOLER
Minneapolis Agent of U. S. Express Company Receives Handsome Gift from His Staff.
George W. Pooler, local agent of the United States Express company, this morning received a handsome gold watch and chain, the gift of the entire local force of the company. The presentation was made by B. E. Franklin, who expressed his colleagues and himself the esteem in which Mr. Pooler is held and which his death has too surprised them. Mr. Pooler was too surprised to stammer more than the briefest expression of thanks and of his satisfaction in being given such a gift by his staff, but that his appreciation of the gift was sufficiently apparent even from the few words spoken by him.

ZIN CAN PLANT FOR ST. PAUL.
St. Paul is to get part of the American Can company's plant at Milwaukee, which is to be dismantled. The plant at Milwaukee is to be moved to St. Paul. The company is simply carrying out its plan of concentration.

The New Century Lectures

CELEBRITIES WHO WILL APPEAR IN THE COURSE



Woodrow Wilson, the New President of Princeton University.

In our other country in the world is the relation between the public and education, low or high, so intimate as in the United States. The president of a great American university in no cold, austere and distant scholastic. He is a man whom the people judge, as they judge all other public servants, on his personal worth. If he pleases them they follow his career with interest.

Somehow or other the newest of the great university presidents seems to have found his way to the hearts of the American people more quickly than any of the former. Although he has been only a few months president of Princeton, Woodrow Wilson is already one of the most popular of college presidents. His likeness, widely reproduced, has of itself won him many friends. His face is so strong, so keen and yet so kind, that it makes friends at the first glance.

He is the first layman elected to the presidency of Princeton. He is a Virginian and, above all, an American.

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caucus to the supreme court this keen and sympathetic student of politics has examined every phase of American government. His "Congressional Government," written twenty years ago is still the standard work on that subject. His latest work, a history of the American people, just published, has been enthusiastically received. In higher education he is at once progressive and conservative. He is progressive in that he keeps abreast the increasing knowledge of the times, but conservative in that he stands for the forms of the old-fashioned college education. He is not in sympathy with latter day plans to reduce the college course proper to New Year's and the interests of earlier entrance into and graduation from the professional schools. He is the constant defender of the general college course.

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INCREASE IN INCOME

Shown by the Report of the City Water Department to the City Council.

Receipts for the Year About \$240,000—Per Capita Consumption Is Decreasing.

Registrar Frank J. Moody of the city water department has about completed his annual report. His department is one of the few revenue producing offices and the reports are the more interesting in the city.

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RAILROAD RUMBLES
'FRISCO MAY BUY That It Will Enter Twin Cities Seems Certain.
Railroad men of the twin cities are inclined to believe that the 'Frisco will buy the Chicago, St. Louis and Western Wisconsin Central or the Great Western, rather than build. The statement that the road would enter Minneapolis within a year was confirmed yesterday in New Orleans by an official.

Surveying crews of the Northern Pacific are preparing for the building of a cut-off on the main coast line just west of Dickinson, N. D. The purpose is to cut out a treacherous piece of track along the Little Missouri through the Bad Lands. The work will consume about three years. Near Medora will be erected a great bridge.

First Train on the D. M. J. & N. Special to the Journal.
Iowa, Falls, Iowa, Dec. 31.—Twelve members of the board of directors of the Des Moines, Iowa Falls & Northern railroad returned last evening on a special train which was the first to enter the city of Des Moines over this new road. Thus the company secures the special tax voted in aid of the road in Nevada township in Story county, the stipulation in the call for the election being that the road must reach Des Moines before Jan. 1, 1903. This the company succeeded in doing with a margin of forty-eight hours. The road's tracks enter the city about 300 feet and at that point will be intersected by the new terminals that are being constructed in Des Moines and will be used by this and other lines.

RAILROAD NOTES.
The monthly report of all the anthracite coal carrying roads shows losses in gross earnings since the beginning of the coal strike. The total decrease from May to October, inclusive, is estimated at \$47,000,000. Itemized as follows: Philadelphia & Reading railway, \$1,446,000; Lehigh Valley railway, \$1,247,000; Erie railway, \$1,112,000; Central Railroad of New Jersey, \$2,284,000; Delaware Hudson railway, \$7,500,000; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railway, \$1,500,000; New York and Western railway, \$1,000,000; Lehigh Coal & Navigation company, \$970,000.

There has been a satisfactory conference between E. H. Harriman, chairman of the Union Pacific road, President Burt and John McNeil, president of the Boiler-makers' Union. The only condition under which further trouble may be expected will be a refusal of the men to

MUSICALE FOR ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL.
A pastor musicale was given last evening at the residence of Mrs. Charles G. Moltzer, at Linden Hills, for the benefit of the building fund of St. John's chapel. There was a large attendance of the people of that community, besides many from down town. The program was opened by the delightful piano duet by Mrs. John A. Larimore and Miss Dickinson. The Minnesota Ladies' Quartet, composed of Misses, R. L. Pratt, L. M. Weisman, M. A. Paulsen and H. N. Kendall, sang "The Rustic Dance" in a most delightful manner and responded to an enthusiastic encore with "Kentucky Babes." Later in the program the quartet gave a second number, "Where Are You Going My Pretty Maid" and the delicate vein of humor underlying this composition was brought out most charmingly. To a persistent encore the quartet responded with "Kerry Dance," which was sung in the same skillful and effective manner. The Minnesota Ladies' Quartet is a new musical group and each member shows subtle culture and musical skill. This special talent was apparent in every number. Each member of the quartet has rendered valuable service in the ranks of the active workers of the Ladies' Thursday Musical. Other numbers worthy of mention were the piano solos by Miss Lillian Cohen, Mrs. George T. Laws sang most sweetly and pleasingly and was obliged to respond to an encore. Miss Stella Louise Wood told "Mother Goose" stories in her own inimitable manner. Masters Alfred Cary and Victor Bruder delighted every one with their solo, "The Merry Chavrats" was the efficient accompanist.

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YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD AT THE NEW ENGLAND

1902 1903

"What other things I hitherto have done Have fallen from me, are no longer mine; I have passed on beyond them, and have left them As milestones on the way. What lies before me— That is still mine."

We Wish You a Most Happy and Prosperous New Year.

NEW ENGLAND FURNITURE & CARPET CO.

The One-Price Complete House Furnishers, Fifth St., Sixth St. and First Ave. South.

AMUSEMENTS

LYCEUM Evenings at 8:30. Matinees at 2 P. M. To-night and all this week. Matinee New Year's Day and Saturday. KIDNEY BIRTHDAY'S PRODUCTIONS.

BEN HUR Prices 50c to \$2. Good seats left for each of the performances. Next Week, Ferris Stock Co. "THE STILL ALARM."

METROPOLITAN L. N. SCOTT, Manager. Seat Selling Today. Jacob Litt's Mammoth Production. **THE SUBURBAN** Coming intact from its 16 Weeks' Run in Chicago to Crowded Houses.

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METROPOLITAN L. N. SCOTT, Manager. ALL THIS WEEK. **FERRIS STOCK CO.** In the Biggest of His, "GRAUSTARK" 10c Matinee Tomorrow. Jan. 4, 5, 6, "THE SUBURBAN" 25c 50c

DEWEY Matinee Daily. THEATER Evenings at 8:15. Tonight—"EAGLE'S NIGHT." Prices 10c The VANITY FAIR 20c Extravaganza Co. 30c Next week: "London Belles" Extravaganza Co.

BIJOU JACOB LITTE LESSEE. **GEORGE SIDNEY**, and 40 Singing Fun Furnishers, in the "BUSY IZZY" Matinee Today 2:30. New Year's Mat. 3:00 Next week: "THE EVIL EYE."

Oyster Supper Oysters from Baltimore daily. Dinner and oysters. "THE GRILL." Good Coffee. 308-310 First Av. S.

A Few Pianos

Out of catalogue and of special style not to appear in the new manufacturers' catalogues to be issued Jan. 1st.

These Pianos are New

To close out these odd styles we will make price slightly above cost.

A Genuine Remnant Sale.

Metropolitan Music Co.

41-43 S SIXTH ST.

seems to accept the terms which the leaders seem willing to agree to.

A. B. Long has been made superintendent of the Kallispel division of the Great Northern to succeed H. F. Kew. Mr. Long has been acting superintendent.

The board of directors of the Northern Securities company yesterday elected its former officers and executive committee. The quarterly dividends of Great Northern preferred and Northern Securities will be acted upon next month.

The 500 has announced a round trip of one fare for the benefit of the northwest, Jan. 12-17-14. The return limit is Jan. 19.

Roads entering Minneapolis will give a fare-and-entire rate for the annual meeting and exhibit of the State Poultry Association, Jan. 25 to Feb. 5.

Forty-five railway clerks, representing all lines that enter St. Paul, organized a branch of the National Railway Clerks' Association Monday night. Members of the Minneapolis Lodge will install the officers of the St. Paul lodge, Jan. 15.

The Burlington road withdraws from use of the Alton bridge at St. Louis to-morrow.

J. P. Morgan & Co. deny the merger story affecting the Erie, Lehigh Valley and Reading roads, in the following language: "There is not the slightest reason for such a story. It is altogether without foundation."

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Take your New Year's Dinner

TAYLOR'S

46 So. 7th St.

25c.

'Twill remind you of home and mother.

From 11:30 to 2:30.

OPPOSED TO CHANGES

Assistant Librarian of State Historical Society Wishes Snelling Barracks Rebuilt on Old Lines.

D. L. Kingsbury, assistant librarian of the State Historical Society, strongly objects to any plans for the remodeling or rebuilding of old Fort Snelling which tend to destroy the historical value of the old post buildings. He is inclined to favor a restoration that would be an accurate and close copy of the original, but he is opposed to reconstruction on new lines.

Minnesota congressmen have already been asked to exert their influence to have the old buildings preserved in their present form so as to preserve the historical interest which attaches to the fort.

Lake Harriet.
H. M. Barnes's famous Harriet Taft, Popcorn and Root Beer sold at Powers'.

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3% interest paid on Pass Book Accounts—sums of from \$1 to \$3,500.

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ADAM HANNAH, Treas.

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TWELVE WEEKS.

\$10

MINNESOTA SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

54 South Third Street. diagonally opposite Postoffice.

NEW TERM BEGINS Monday Evening, Jan. 5.

E. E. OSTREM, OPTICIAN.

220 Nicollet Ave., Upstairs.

If your head aches, eyes water, sight blurs, eyes it and see the eye examine eyeglasses and makes spectacles that fit.

Grand Opening Event

New Year's Eve and Evening Can Be Very Pleasantly Spent at

THE RIALTO RINK

From this evening on our new Indoor Skating Rink will be open to the public. We have spared neither trouble nor expense in making it all a up-to-date rink should be. Splendid music will be furnished and many of the celebrated skaters will be in attendance. Pleasant Warming Rooms. Skates for Rent. Popular Prices.

A Cordial Invitation Extended to All.

RIALTO SKATING RINK,

Entrance 110 South Sixth Street.