TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

MICHIGAN

TIME OF RECKONING

Third and Final Stage Reached in the Investments of Copper Country Men.

Some Have Made Winnings, but the Majority Are Whistling for Their Money.

Special to The Journal.

Houghton, Mich., Sept. 19.—It is evident that the mining boom that led thousands of investors in this district, both large and small, to put sums ranging from a few dollars up to hundreds of thousands each into mines and prospects in all parts of the United States, Canada and Mexico, during the past three years, has entered upon the third and final stage.

The first period was that of investment, when "everything went," and almost any sort of a mining scheme in almost any part of the world could be floated here with ease by almost any sort of a man. The second stage was one of greater conservatism and the raising of "reasonable doubts" that led to the exercise of greater caution. The third stage, and the most unpleasant, is now with us, for this is the period of house cleaning, when bubbles are being punctured, and possessions once cherished are bundled off to the junk shop, to sell for what they will bring.

On the Ragged Edge.

The Northwestern Development Syndicate, operating in British Columbia, is out of money, and must raise large sums or lose the bulk of the property, which is held under bond and lease. The Protogene Gold Mines company, which took over the old Foley mine, in the Rainy Lake district of Ontario, is without money or prospects of getting any, and will probably go into the hands of a receiver soon—the sooner the better, as the company has no plans for anything but drifting along, which yields no revenue and piles on expenses. The Union Gold company, having a promising property in Arizona, was smashed by a Detroit bank failure. The Sylvania company, operating in Clear Creek county, Colorado, is in financial stress.

Among the lake companies interested in western copper fields, the Bisbee & Superior has just surrendered its lands, twenty-eight full claims in the northern end of Tombstone canon, north of Bisbee, Arizona. Others among the local concerns interested in Arizona copper prospects may come to grief thru lack of cash. There are many strong companies still operating, with good prospects of success, but the time has come for the division of the sheep and the goats.

The failures have been due either to lack of cash for development, or lack of cash to make heavy bond payments.

Some of the solidly-built Michigan-Arizona companies are sufficiently advanced so that highly encouraging returns may be expected at any time, while other local companies have reached a stage of overripeness from which it is natural to infer a breaking down, from strictly natural causes, in the near future.

Monthly Copper Production.

Lake copper production is running at the rate of better than 16,000,000 pounds a month.

The new equipment at No. 4 shaft of the Mohawk is practically completed, and will be placed in commission next month.

There is still discussion locally as to whether the Trimountain swallowed the Copper Range, when it was absorbed, ostensibly at least, by the latter. At any rate it may be set down with safety that the Burrage-Lawson combination, of Boston, which has always had very close affiliations with the Amalgamated Copper company, will have much to say about the future management of Copper Range, and the Copper Range-Trimountain merger is generally held to be the first step of the Amalgamated in securing a foothold in the lake district.

Lake people are not pleased at the idea, but what cannot be cured must be endured, and only those most easily frightened are doing any worrying.

Contemporary for the Mohawk.

Since the starting of its new mill, less than a year ago, the Mohawk has been the only copper producer of Keweenaw county, where the earliest and most successful of the pioneer Lake Superior mines were developed. This honor the Mohawk must now share with the Phoenix, which becomes the seventeenth producing mine of the district.

In addition to the two mines actually making copper, Keweenaw county has several other properties in a more or less advanced state of development, of which the Allouez and Abmeek are almost certain to make good mines in time, while the Miskwabik Development company is pushing exploratory work actively, and the old Cliff mine, after a hibernation of exactly a quarter of a century, is again doing some work, this time in search of the much-sought-for Kearsarge lode.

BESSEMER, MICH.—James Sovante was put under $2,000 bonds to answer to a charge of having aided and abetted the escape to Italy of Dominnie Pinetti, the 15-year-old lad, who stabbed Peter Beecher's boy some two months ago. This promises to be an interesting case as the foreign departments of both countries are mixed up in it.

HOUGHTON, MICH.—To bring ten fishermen before a justice of the peace in Keweenaw county would have been expensive, so "the court" was taken to Isle Royale, where the fishermen were arrested, convicted and fined $450 in the aggregate for violations of the fish laws. Most of the fishermen were from Duluth and Chicago.

IRONWOOD, MICH.—The Davis mine, after years of litigation, is to be sold by a United States marshal on Nov. 2. The mine is in the hands of the Wisconsin Manganese Ore company, but has been idle since last winter pending the result of lawsuits. It is the most promising mining property on this range.

Nervous Women

Women who are almost distracted at the slightest noise, who are easily fatigued and unable to sleep, should commence taking Hostetter's Stomach Bitters at once. Hundreds of women suffering from Female Complaints have voluntarily testified to its efficacy in cases of **Cramps, Nausea, Headache, Insomnia, Indigestion and Constipation.** You will therefore make no mistake in trying it. **Don't accept a substitute.**

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

SEPTEMBER SNOW STORM SCENE AT MINOT, NORTH DAKOTA

MONTANA

REWARD FOR DYNAMITERS

$1,000 Up for the Man Who Placed a Bomb on a Car Track.

BUTTE, MONT.—As the result of further investigation into the dastardly attempt to blow up one of the Columbia Garden cars on Thursday night, Manager J. R. Wharton has offered a reward of $1,000 for the arrest and conviction of the culprit or culprits.

So far as the detection of the perpetrators is concerned, little has developed. Several minor clues were traced down without satisfactory results, and unless the reward will tempt one of those who may know of the plot, it looks to the police like a hard skein to unravel. The reason for the attempt cannot be fathomed.

MASONIC MEETINGS FINISHED

Last of the Grand Bodies Elect New Officers at Helena.

HELENA, MONT.—Late yesterday afternoon the grand chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, the last grand Masonic body to meet, closed its sessions. The following officers were elected: Grand matron, Mrs. Allie Sorenson, Glendive; grand patron, Thomas G. Matthews, Miles City; associate matron, Mrs. Julia Hammer, Butte; associate patron, Joseph J. Hanson, Helena; secretary, Mrs. Elva Boardman, Butte; treasurer, Mrs. Louisa Day, Missoula; conductress, Mrs. Zeona Y. Kenyon, Bozeman; associate conductress, Mrs. Estella G. Pomeroy, Kalispell.

KALISPELL, MONT.—Carlin Moyer of Reading, Pa., son of John Moyer, met a frightful death last night, being mangled and cut to pieces by a Great Northern overland train. How the accident happened is not known, but it is supposed he was riding a breakbeam and attempted to swing off, when he struck the station platform and was thrown under the wheels.

PHILLIPSBURG, MONT.—Federal officers have made the discovery that the silver bullion stolen from the Granite Bimetallic mill was not taken to be sold, but to be coined. Iso Kovegovitch, arrested at the time of the robbery, is now held on the charge of being one of a gang of counterfeiters.

ROCHESTER, MONT.—An accident occurred to Nick Simons, Jr., yesterday which resulted in instant death. While hunting near Rochester his gun was accidentally discharged as he was in the act of climbing a fence, the charge blowing his head from his shoulders.

MISSOULA, MONT.—Arthur Lafleur, aged 46, for thirty-four years a resident of Frenchtown Valley, was instantly killed last night by falling from a wagon, the rear wheel passing over him. He leaves a wife and two children.

LIVINGSTON, MONT.—John H. Smith, president of the Smith Brothers Sheep company, has purchased grazing land in the Upper Shields river valley from the Northern Pacific railway. The consideration is $13,721.20.

NORTHWEST WEDDINGS

GRAND FORKS, N. D.—Announcement was made to-day of the wedding of Miss Ragna Adelaide Bergh to A. C. Reinecke, both prominent young people. The ceremony took place in this city on Sept. 7, and the secret was only confided to a few intimate friends. Judge Hassell, an intimate friend of the bride's father, officiated.

Miss Bergh is the daughter of Consul Bergh, located at Gotheberg, Sweden. The family formerly lived here, and the bride has made this city her home again for the past two years. She is a young lady of many accomplishments. Mr. Reinecke is editor of the Plaindealer. They left this noon for a short trip east, and will make this city their home.

FARIBAULT, MINN.—H. T. Grote of Wheeling and Louisa Bauer of Cannon City were married last evening.—Invitations have been issued for the marriage of John F. McLoughlin and Marguerite Murphy on Sept. 23.

ELK POINT, S. D.—August Prim and Miss Lucy A. Rhoten, both of this city, were married. They will spend two or three weeks at Omaha and in the vicinity, after which they will be at home to their friends here.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGuire are here on their wedding trip from Belmont, Iowa, visiting the former's sister, Mrs. J. J. Sharon.—Elmer Strong of this city and Miss Mary Smith of Climbing Hill, Iowa, were married at the bride's home.

HASTINGS, MINN.—Joseph Molitor and Miss Katharine Rowe of Rosemont were married at Inver Grove by Rev. William McGolrick.

Everybody Disappointed.

New York, Sept. 19.—The quarter of a million edition of the October number of Everybody's Magazine swamped the printers. Magazine out Tuesday. Three days late.

Journal want ads will rent or sell it for you if any want ads can. Three hundred thousand readers are worth telling about it, and they are people with money to spend. One cent a word, not less than 20c. Cheap enough.

Married Women

Every woman covets a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided, however, by the use of **Mother's Friend** before baby comes, as this great liniment always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. **Mother's Friend** overcomes all the danger of child-birth, and carries the expectant mother safely through this critical period without pain. It is woman's greatest blessing. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the use of this wonderful remedy. Sold by all druggists at $1.00 per bottle. Our little book, telling all about this liniment, will be sent free.

Mother's Friend

The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

WISCONSIN

WISCONSIN FAIRS

Good Exhibits and Large Crowds at New Richmond and Menomonie.

NEW RICHMOND, WIS.—The second day of the New Richmond agricultural and park association's fair brought out large crowds. The registered Shorthorn cattle sale, conducted by W. O. Mertz, Monticello, Minn., was one of the strongest attractions. The animals sold at good prices.

At baseball, New Richmond defeated Cumberland, 3 to 6. Senator O. W. Mosher carried off the honors in the amateur automobile race.

The 2:25 trot or pace, purse of $200, was won in three straight heats by May Montbryand, St. Paul; Iron Dan, Jacob Stein of Virginia City, Minn., second. Time, 2:29.

Five heats of the free-for-all trot or pace were pulled off. Then the race was declared finished by the committee comprised of owners and judges of the association. Dells was given first money; Ruby Mac was second. Time, 2:33, 2:22, 2:25½, 2:27. Purse, $250.

Charles Cashman, aged 24, a brakeman on the North-Western road, was probably fatally injured while switching in Waukegan, Ill. He is a son of John Cashman of this city.

MENOMONIE, Wis.—Yesterday the Dunn county fair closed. The total attendance for the three days was 20,000. Thirty-three per cent more entries were made than at any previous fair in the history of the society. The exhibits of stock and fruit were the best ever shown in western Wisconsin. Following is the summary of to-day's races:

Special or Pace—Frega, first; Coket, second; Black Bess, third; Lady Perry, fourth; Miss Seward, fifth. Best time, 2:26¼.

Special Trot—Helen Bertrand, first; Johhnie Capell, second; Parlmeto, third. Time, 2:16¼.

Double Team Race—Dr. J. F. Denham, first; E. B. Hill, second. Time, 2:57.

Running Race—Farmer Bennett, first; Dick Gray, second; Hazel Kirk, third; Mae Wright, fourth. Time for half mile, :51¾.

BACKED BY HIS CONFERENCE

Dr. Terry to Fight a Charge of Heresy Made Against Him.

GREEN BAY, WIS.—Dr. M. S. Terry of Evanston, Ill., will be a delegate to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Los Angeles, and he will go there with the backing of the Wisconsin conference to defend himself against heresy charges which will be brought by J. N. Holmes, an Illinois minister.

The fight came up in the conference yesterday, when the opponents of Dr. Terry tried to defeat him for delegate by bringing out Dr. Samuel Plantz of Appleton.

As only one educator could be elected, it was plain that if Dr. Plantz went Terry could not go. A spirited fight was therefore made by Terry and his forces won.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—A new element seems likely to creep into the coming municipal election which will endeavor to secure the election of city officials who will pledge themselves to the curtailment of the liquor traffic and to rid the city of the wide open element. Plans are being made for the active participation of the Anti-saloon League.

LA CROSSE, WIS.—President John M. Holley of the Wisconsin Bankers' association, has appointed the following delegates to represent Wisconsin at the convention of the National Bankers' association at San Francisco in October: William B. Banks, West Superior; Frederick Kasten, Milwaukee; E. H. Canfield, Sparta; J. M. Holley, La Crosse.

PRESCOTT, WIS.—The Bank of Prescott, a state bank, opened this week. F. H. Wellcome of Minneapolis is president, Colonel D. J. Dill of Prescott is vice president and Edward Longworth, formerly of Monticello, is cashier.

KENOSHA, WIS.—The city of Kenosha has placed a ban of cigarettes, and hereafter no pupil will be allowed to attend the city schools who is a victim of the habit.

NORTH DAKOTA

GOOD COUNTY FAIR

Three Bands, Nice Displays and Two Racing Programs at Larimore.

LARIMORE, N. D.—The Grand Forks county fair was held this week under rather unfavorable conditions as far as the weather was concerned, but the attendance was considered good.

The largest display by one person was made by T. F. Eastgate, who had a very nice showing of farm products. In the stock class there were some fine Shropshire and Leicestershire sheep, also the finest pen of Kentucky thin rine pigs ever seen in these parts.

The races the first day were a farmers' trot followed by a running race. The first was won by Fannie B., owned by Matt Burgett of Orr, and the latter by Teddy Boy.

On the second day Grand Forks was represented by a crowd which came out on a special train and bringing with them a band, making three bands in all.

The 2:23 trot and pace on this day was won by Limber Jim, owned by Dr. J. B. Campbell. Next came the 2:45 trot and pace, in which Ben R., owned by A. A. Reynolds, carried off first money. The third and last race was a special pace and trot and Mollie H., owned by A. M. Holt took the prize.

TAX LIST HELD BACK

Suit in Prospect at Fargo to Test the Law's Constitutionality.

FARGO, N. D.—The publication of the delinquent tax list has been held up by Judge Pollock and it is presumed he has received notice that a suit has been instituted or will soon be to test the constitutionality of the law. The cost of publication will be about $2,500 and some taxpayers are thought to have decided to bring the action.

The Fargo Commercial club has reached a reciprocity stage with clubs in leading cities of the west and the membership is increasing rapidly. The new quarters are very attractive and the members are enthusastic.

The milk famine is spreading and dealers have boosted the price to fourteen quarts for a dollar. It is said there is a trust and that the increase in the price is due to that as much as to the alleged shortage in the supply. The closing of the Maxwell creamery removed a strong local competitor and the local dealers are evidently planning to get even.

Fargo's tax levy this year will be higher than last. The total will be 56.4 mills as against 54.4 mills last year. This is based, too, on an increased valuation of about $700,000. The sum levied for Fargo is $90,486.

MINNESOTA

NEW IRON PRODUCER

Loon Lake Company Opens a Promising Mine North of Sault Ste. Marie.

New Stripping Work at the Fayal Will Lay Bare 30,000,000 Tons of Ore.

Special to The Journal.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 19.—The Loon Lake Iron company, a Canadian concern, has been exploring for iron forty miles north of Sault Ste. Marie for two years on land taken by one of the company more than twenty-five years ago. The company has opened a considerable body of lean silicious bessemer ore, and it is reported that contracts have been closed with the Consolidated Lake Superior company for the purchase of the output of the mine by that company for its works at the Sault.

It is expected that about 1,500 tons will be used a day, of this and other ore. This ore is very silicious and is streaky with quartz. A crusher has been put in and mining is under way. The property was to have been opened as a mine when first discovered, but it was found that the cost of a railway to either Lake Superior or Lake Huron would be more than $1,000,000 and all thought of opening it was abandoned. But two years ago the Clergue road passed close to it and explorations commenced.

Cambria and Lillie.

The Republic Iron and Steel company has been exploring its two old range mines at Negaunee, the Cambria and Lillie. They are playing out and an effort is made to increase the showings of ore. At Lillie some new ore was found, but it is not very much. Explorations at Cambria have not been fruitful and the work of mining is carried on slowly. The two mines will not last long without further development, and the management hopes to find ore by actual drifting in locations that look most promising.

This company is mining this year about 300,000 tons from its Mesaba range properties and has 25,000,000 to 30,000,000 tons there. This is enough to last it a great many years, as its products are such as do not consume a comparatively large amount of raw ore. Its Pettit mine is now the second wettest property on the Mesaba, and a great triple expansion pump is to be installed next month. About 2,000 gallons a minute are raised from this mine, which is about 50 per cent decrease from the maximum a few months ago, when the pumps used were all drowned out.

Pit a Mile Long.

When the new stripping work at the Fayal is completed there will be a pit a full mile long, from 500 to 1,000 feet wide and from 50 to 125 feet deep. This enormous hole is estimated to be the top of at least 30,000,000 tons of ore, a considerable part of which has not yet been touched. This great mine, which is also producing from three shafts, and is sinking a fourth, is part of the Mesaba possessions of the United States Steel.

Winthrop mine of the United States Steel at Ishpeming has been closed for the season. It is an open pit property and makes a silicious ore of value as a mixture. The same company has released some of its force from its Lake Superior mines at Ishpeming and from its old mines at Iron Mountain and other parts of the Menominee range.

The Cleveland Cliffs company has released men from its Negaunee mine, and will make a product the coming year considerably under the required minimum for the period. This is in order to develop the property extensively for the thirty years of its lease.

Unique Byproduct Experiment.

A very large chemical byproduct plant is to be installed at the Newberry furnace of Berry Brothers, who are making charcoal there in the old way. The fumes of the burning wood have ruined all farms in the vicinity and farmers are all bringing suits against the company. As Berry Brothers are primarily consumers of wood alcohol, the curious spectacle is presented of a large mining and charcoal iron making business carried on as an adjunct to the real byproduct, with the iron itself as the byproduct.

The same owners are operating a mine and furnace in the Gogebic range with the same end in view, that of providing themselves with wood alcohol for use in the arts. Of all byproduct experiments this is probably the most unique.

It was found very hard to secure alcohol without coming into conflict with either the Manhattan Spirits company, which is the American trust, or with the German syndicate controlling the European product.

Strike Will Close Mines.

Present prospects are that several thousand men employed in and about the mines and on the ore railroads and docks in Minnesota will be thrown out of employment soon as a result of the strike of the Masters and Pilots' association on the steel corporation boats. This effect is inevitable if the fleet, which is the largest individual fleet flying the American flag, continues to go out of commission until all are laid up.

If the strike continues it will cost St. Louis county hundreds of thousands of dollars which otherwise would have been paid for labor before the closing of navigation.

BRIDE HAS SCARLET FEVER

Wedding Ceremony Performed at Lake City Under Difficulties.

LAKE CITY, MINN.—Charles T. Gilbert and Mrs. Alla O'Hara were engaged to be married and the time fixed. He had secured a license and the bride-elect was almost ready when she was taken with scarlet fever. Her mother was sick in another town and could not care for her, so the bridegroom-to-be proposed having the ceremony performed at once so he could care for his betrothed. Rev. W. A. Warren went to the bedside of Mrs. O'Hara and performed the ceremony. The bride's father-in-law stood outside of the house with the window raised and witnessed it.

Rev. Mr. Warren was robed in a disinfected garb. The bride is doing well and altho the couple were married under difficulties they are happy.

The steamer St. Paul came into the harbor yesterday on her down trip in a disabled condition. She had the steamer Gazell lashed to her larboard side and in this manner was going down the river. She will not make another trip this season.

The new rifle range is so far completed that the men are using it for practice. This is one of the finest ranges in the United States.

INDIAN ALLOTMENTS

Loggers May Enter Upon Them Under Certain Rules and Regulations.

CASS LAKE, MINN.—For some time there has been speculation among the lumbermen who intended to bid for the pine to be sold in December as to whether the loggers would be permitted to enter upon the Indian allotments, many of which border on the land where some of the most valuable of the pine is found.

It would be almost impossible to carry on logging operations on these lands without entering upon the allotments and cutting some of the pine in order to make roads and skidways.

Acting upon the suggestion that permission should be obtained, Major Scott, acting Indian agent, wrote to the department, and has received instructions to formulate such rules and regulations thereto as he may deem advisable, the same to be submitted for approval.

It is understood the regulations are ready and only await approval to become operative. Permission to go upon the allotments will be of much convenience to the loggers.

GRAND AND PETIT JURORS

List Drawn for the Term of Federal Court at Fergus Falls.

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.—The following is the list of jurors for the term of the United States court, convening in this city Sept. 22:

Petit—Edward Thompson, Waseca; Ferdinand Keys, Argyle; A. A. Doolittle, St. Paul; W. W. Quiggle, Winnebago City; H. H. Orcutt, West Concord; Joseph Munsinger, St. Cloud; Robert Pittman, Kilkenny; J. S. Barnard, Merriam Junction; A. W. Kerher, Glencoe; William Kuhlman, Lester Prairie; Daniel Anderson, Cambridge; James A. Hawks, Wiscoy; George W. Keller, Chisholm; F. H. Bidwell, Duluth; Herman M. Benson, Minneapolis; Frank Hickman, Worthington; Frank Martin, Bixby; J. L. Fitch, Sunrise; George Meyers, Dodge Center; John Odenwald, Jordan; Andrew O. Marn, Bancroft; Robert Greig, Pine City; Murdoch McDougal, Glenwood; Fred Kuhl, Worthington; Gill Ferris, Lyle; Arthur Seebach, Austin; Charles T. Ohmer, Austin; Walter Johnson, Red Wing; W. E. Still, St. Paul; John W. Bentley, Minneapolis; Lester E. Carson, Faribault; George W. Baker, Luverne; A. S. Dyer, Pipestone; Charles Fox, Austin; Thomas H. Shink, Mankato; Austin Perkins, Cleveland; W. W. Cassidy, Wabasha; David Jones, Stillwater; J. C. Terry, St. Paul; Horace A. Clifford, St. Paul; John Warner, Renville; Edwin S. Kaye, St. Paul; T. M. Haggerty, Leroy; Henry G. Hill, Spring Valley; D. J. Dodge, Janesville; Frank Markle, Litchfield; William Terrill, Niawa; John W. McNeeley, Spring Valley; Arthur P. Pierce, Red Wing.

Grand—P. J. Christopher, Holmes City; C. R. Benton, St. Paul; J. C. Strong, Bethel; Peter McDonald, St. Paul; William Clark, Duluth; Harry Lewis, Worthington; John Redigen, Claremont; Thomas E. Donahue, Claremont; T. J. Walsh, Tower; John Ryan, Manach; William Warner, Renville; Christ Johnson, Rose Creek; L. W. Huntley, Grand Rapids; George C. Main, Minneapolis; J. E. Johnson, Cass Lake; Charles Doyling, Olivia; George F. Perry, Windom; George O. Moore, Worthington; F. H. Stack, Winona; Franklin Benner, Minneapolis; John J. Bonner, Stewartville; M. S. Fawcett, Marion; Henry Smith, St. Paul.

STRIPPING CONTRACT

Winston Bros. & Dear to Have Charge of Work on the Iroquois.

HIBBING, MINN.—Rogers, Brown and company of Buffalo, better known in mining circles as the Buffalo & Susquehanna Iron company, have let a contract to Winston Brothers & Dear to strip the Iroquois. H. B. Sturtevant is the general superintendent of the company's mines on the Mesaba, with headquarters at Hibbing.

Chester Shepherd, son of Amos Shepherd, general superintendent of the Corrigan-McKinney iron mines on the Mesaba, has been appointed cadet at the West Point military academy.

The city council is extending the sewer system on Washington and Lincoln streets. This makes about two miles of sewer added to the system this year.

Rev. Gust Tapper has been appointed by the Methodist conference to take charge of the Swedish Methodist church in this city.

FACTORY DISABLED

Trout Brook Flooded the Boiler-Rooms and Did Other Damage.

RED WING, MINN.—The Trout Brook syrup factory will not be in operation this fall. During the recent storms Trout brook went on a rampage, flooded the boiler-room and did other damage at the place. It will be impossible to make the necessary repairs in time to start this year.

A. G. Austerlund of Clifton, Wis., lost a stack of barley and a $2,000 barn and John Flander's barn was struck and two valuable horses killed in the recent storm.

The new Swedish Baptist church at Fifth street and Potter will be dedicated next week, the exercises beginning on Thursday and continuing over Sunday. Thursday evening there will be a song and prayer service, followed by a sermon by Rev. E. S. Lindolad of Bethel church, Minneapolis. E. P. Pope, superintendent of the State American Baptist convention, will address the meeting on Friday night.

COLONEL MEAD ARRESTED

Suit Had Previously Been Started Against Bondsmen for an Alleged Shortage.

MANKATO, MINN.—Colonel George W. Mead was arrested yesterday afternoon on complaint of Louis Janda on the charge of grand larceny in the second degree in appropriating to his own use $413, which was the property of the Security Insurance company of New Haven, Conn.

Mr. Janda is one of the bondsmen of Mead and the company has commenced suit on the bond for the amount of the alleged shortage. The bondsmen were unable to get a settlement from Mead.

Mead is prominent in the national guard of the state, having been lieutenant colonel of the Second regiment until recently. He was for several years judge of probate. He is endeavoring to effect a settlement with his bondsmen in order to have the complaint withdrawn. His hearing was set for Oct. 2, and bond was fixed at $800.

DISPLAYS SURPRISINGLY GOOD

County Fair at Sauk Center a Gratifying Success.

SAUK CENTER, MINN.—The county fair closed last evening and the society is greatly pleased with the results. The live stock showed a great improvement in the breeds and the display of fruits and vegetables was surprisingly good.

The Congregational church taken from the site of the new Carnegie library, was converted into a splendid hall in which there was a good collection of pictures, fancy work and all kinds of farm products.

Many visitors came from surrounding towns. The races were good and proved a drawing card.

WINONA, MINN.—Rev. Dr. William McKinley, who will ask for a rest from active pastoral duties for a year on account of poor health, has been elected honorary pastor of Olive Branch M. E. church. Another minister will be assigned to do the active work.—F. L. Washburn, state entymologist, inspected nurseries in this locality yesterday, finding them free from the St. Jo scale, or any other injurious insect or pest.

SLEEPY EYE, MINN.—The first hearing of Charles Kimball, the barber, who tried to kill Mrs. Toomey and Marshal Frantz, took place yesterday before Judge Goechwind. He was charged with intent to kill and was bound over to the grand jury in December without bail.

BUFALO, MINN.—Thomas May, who is charged with having shot and killed his uncle, Martin May, was bound over to the grand jury. May and his uncle had not been friendly for some time and it is supposed the former shot his relative in anger.

LE SUEUR, MINN.—The Le Sueur County Agricultural society closed a fairly successful fair yesterday. The Le Sueur baseball club defeated Henderson by a score of 9 to 0, and Montgomery by 15 to 1.

SLAYTON, MINN.—The crude oil gas plant is completed and Slayton can be seen by gas light for the first time.—Corn is estimated at only a half crop, on account of the wet spring and Wednesday's frost.

WOODSTOCK, MINN.—The State bank of Woodstock was broken into. The outer door of the safe was blown off by dynamite, but the burglars failed to get the inner door open and no money was secured.

BLUE EARTH, MINN.—The county fair is in progress with a large attendance. The exhabits are fully up to those of other years. The track is in pretty good shape for the Saturday races.

CAMBRIDGE, MINN.—A speech by Senator Moses E. Clapp was the feature at the second day of the Isanti county fair.

FARIBAULT, MINN.—The Rice county commissioners have awarded contracts for improvements on the county poorhouse.

ELBOW LAKE, MINN.—County Attorney Scofield recently received a telegram announcing that his father, Jesse Scofield, had been seriously injured at his home at Caledonia, this state. Several hours later another message came saying he was dead. He was 67 years old.—From all directions come reports that grain is sprouting. Very little threshing has been done.

CARVER, MINN.—The river is still rising and the three celery farms are flooded. The celery crop is a total failure.

SOUTH DAKOTA

RIVAL COUNTIES

Davison Awarded First Place at State Fair; Hughes Was Second.

YANKTON, S. D.—The judges on county exhibits have awarded to Davison county first place, Hughes county second and Edmunds county third. Davison county's display well merited the honors. The name of the county was artistically shown in corn shading from white to red. Hughes county had a display that was a surprise to all visitors from the southern part of the state. A fine display of grasses and grain was shown in the name of the county. Edmunds county brought a map in grain showing all the townships in the county in color contrast.

The weather was particularly auspicious yesterday and a large crowd watched the races. The first event was the 3:00 trot for $250. The winners were Nellie, first; Daisy J, second, and Leonard Graves, third. Best time, 2:29½. The free-for-all trot or pace, the big event of the fair, for $400, was the most interesting event of the afternoon. The race was won by Lady Axtel, with three firsts, Lola Mix second and Teddy Brunswick third. The first heat was in 2:17, the best time made during the fair. The closing race of one-half mile for South Dakota colts was won by Georgia Mix, Miss Bove second and Gilhooley third.

In the cattle department Lee & Prentice of Vermillion took first on Shorthorns; L. S. Hall & Son of Fairmont, Minn., first on a herd of young Shorthorns; George McEathron of Huron took first Herefords, and A. C. Binnie took Alta, Iowa, first for Aberdeen Angus.

LANDMARK OF MADISON

Dyer Building Finds Another Site—Moved from the Lake in '81.

MADISON, S. D.—One of the early landmarks of the city, the Dyer building, is being removed from Egan avenue and Fifth street, and is being placed on Blanche avenue and Third street, where it will be used as a butter and egg warehouse by Mitchell & Abbott. The old building was moved in from the lake in 1881, and has taken its part in Madison development ever since, being replaced now by a magnificent new building.

The excursion for homeseekers was the largest that this section has experienced for a long time. Four coach loads came in, many of them stopping here and others going on to the northern part of the state in search of the cheaper lands. All indications point to another land boom and expansion of prices in the near future.

Ex-Insurance Commissioner H. C. Shober is here pushing the interests of the Publishers' Mutual Insurance company, which was organized some months ago by the newspaper men of the state. The company is headed by Levi Wait of Armour. John Longstaff of Huron is vice president and Mr. Shober secretary. The directors are the above officers, and Eli Thomas, C. F. Allen, J. F. Halladay, J. D. Reeves, C. R. Tinan and G. M. Farley.

DEADWOOD BANK CHANGE

Selbie Resigns as President of the American National.

DEADWOOD, S. D.—William Selbie has resigned as president of the American National bank and has been succeeded by W. E. Adams. N. E. Franklin, cashier of the bank, has been elected to fill the vacancy in the board of directors. Mr. Selby has disposed of his stock to Harris Franklin and Ben Baer and retires. He has added to his interest in the Bank of Whitewood by the purchase of the stock of Harris Franklin and Ben Baer, amounting to a half interest.

Memorial services were held by the Lawrence County Bar association in honor of the late Judge Daniel McLaughlin, one of the oldest members of this bar. Eulogies were delivered by Judge G. G. Bennett, Henry Frawley, Congressman E. W. Martin, Judge A. J. Plowman, Thomas E. Harvey, W. L. McLaughlin and Judge William G. Rice.

The Nebraska Telephone company has been granted a new franchise which grants the company the privilege to erect its poles and wires and lay subways thruout the principal streets. The company is prepared to expend upwards of $30,000 on its plant and system in Deadwood.

Mrs. Annie Mulligan arrived in Deadwood this week in charge of Deputy Sheriff William Thompson. She had been arrested at Fort Pierre, and is alleged to have forged a check for $38.

CRIMINAL CASES CONTINUED

Minor Actions Only Disposed of at Huron's Recent Term.

HURON, S. D.—In circuit court here this week Judge Whiting disposed of several minor cases. All criminal cases were carried over till Sept. 29.

Thirteen car loads of land seekers arrived in two days ,and more are coming on every train. Real estate men are busy and much farm property is changing ownership. A large part of the new comers go west and north.

Mrs. W. C. Jones of Minneapolis, visiting friends here, was summoned to Detroit, Mich., Thursday, by a telegram announcing the sudden death of her father, Mr. Root, a well known publisher of that city.

News has been received of the death of S. L. Burdick, the Chicago & North-Western brakeman injured by falling from a freight car some weeks since. He died at the hospital in Rochester, Minn., of blood poison.

LEAD, S. D.—The press reports that the Rothschilds are about to purchase the Homestake mine is ridiculed here.

IOWA

INDICTMENT NO. 2

Armour Packing Company Charged With the Illegal Sale of Oleomargarine.

Officials Say They Have Drawn the Net Strong and Tight This Time.

Special to The Journal.

Des Moines, Iowa, Sept. 19.—The Polk county grand jury has returned an indictment against the Armour Packing company for the alleged illegal sale of oleomargarine.

The prosecution was started upon the complaint of H. R. Wright, state dairy commissioner, who says the company was selling the oleo colored a rich yellow as a butterine.

An indictment was returned against the company at the last term of court, but the case was dismissed because of a flaw. This fall great care has been exercised by the officials, who say they have positive proof of a violation of the law.

Notdorf Refuses to Run.

Bremer county republicans have found more trouble in the announcement that W. H. Notdorf, who was nominated to succeed Burton E. Sweet in the legislature, has declined to accept the nomination. With Bremer county close the republicans had trusted on Notdorf to pull them thru. He is an exceptionally strong man, and would have won, it is believed, had he not resigned.

Another chapter in the Butler-Bremer district senatorial fight was opened yesterday when C. F. Franke of Parkersburg, former chairman of the republican central committee of Butler county, arrived in Des Moines to confer with the officials at the office of the secretary of state relative to filing a protest against allowing the name of N. H. Larkin, who was declared the nominee at the convention, to go on the ticket.

Mr. Franke was a Butler county delegate to the convention and asserts the nomination was not in accord with the ordinary rules of selecting candidates. He affirms that Larkin was declared nominated in the face of defeat.

Van Sant and Clapp to Speak.

There will be no dearth of orators for the republican party in Iowa this fall. It was announced yesterday that Governor Van Sant of Minnesota will accept dates here for several meetings and word has been received from Senator Moses E. Clapp of Minnesota and Senator Hopkins of Illinois, indicating that both of them are awaiting a call to spread republican doctrines to the people of Iowa.

Senator Clapp, in his letter to Manager Dawson, expresses a desire to become better acquainted with the people of Iowa, and says he hopes to be able to make several speeches in this state before the

MARSON IS HIS NAME

Alleged Confidence Man of Many Aliases Pleads Not Guilty.

MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA—In district court yesterday, F. E. Meyers, alias F. A. Maison, alias F. A. Marson, admitted that his real name is F. A. Marson. He pleaded not guilty to the three counts upon which he is indicted. An attorney has been appointed to defend him.

Officers believe that the men who robbed the Bank of Rhodes were in this city Thursday. The robbers secured about $1,000 in silver coins. Thursday two suspicious-looking strangers entered one of the saloons and asked for currency for $5 in silver. They were accommodated and shortly returned with five more silver dollars and a similar request. They were again accommodated and returned a third time on a like errand. It is said they worked the same scheme at other places of business.

Edward Wright, formerly a barber here, was arrested yesterday at Perry and brought to this city on an indictment charging the obtaining of money by false pretenses.

Mrs. Georgia Mason, who was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years for theft and later released on parole, has been rearrested for violation of the terms of her release. She was keeping bad company.

CEDAR FALLS, IOWA.—The date of the oratorical contest between the state college at Ames and the state normal school has been fixed as Oct. 9. The subject for discussion is "That Iowa Should Adopt, in Substance, the Michigan Law Taxing Railroads." Two points are conceded, first that it is constitution, and that it is needed.

OTTUMWA, IOWA.—After working for years as a tinsmith, William H. Powell has been informed that thru the death of an uncle, John Francis of Los Angeles, he has inherited a fortune.

HARLAN, IOWA—Edward W. Davis, president of the Shelby County bank, committed suicide by shooting. Ill health is thought to have prompted the deed.

FINCHFORD, IOWA—Mr. and Mrs. Chris Geyer celebrated their golden wedding to-day.

Indiana and Ohio Excursions.

The Chicago Great Western railway will on Sept. 1, 3, 15 and Oct. 6 sell tickets at one and one-third fare for the round trip to Cincinnati, Columbus, Dayton, Toledo, Sandusky, Springfield, Elkhart, Fort Wayne, La Fayette, Indianapolis and all intermediate points in Ohio and Indiana, also Louisville, Ky. For further information apply to L. C. Rains, General Agent, corner Nicollet av and 5th st, Minneapolis.

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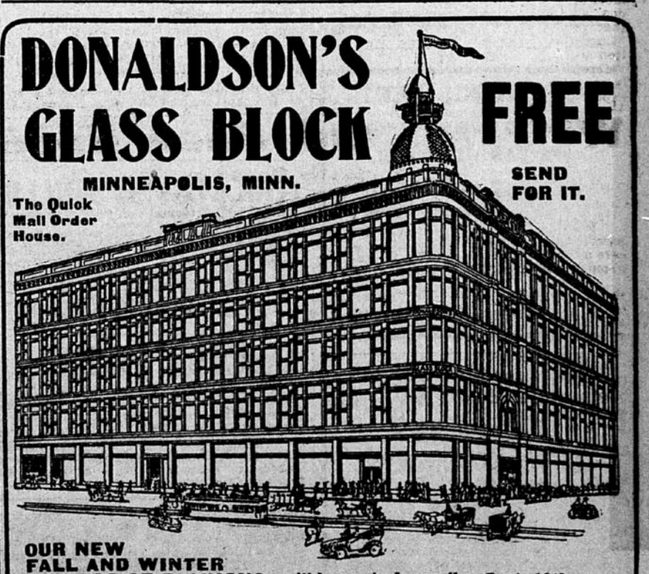

OUR NEW FALL AND WINTER CATALOG OF FASHIONS will be ready for mailing Sept. 19th.

This season shows great changes in styles and fabrics. The lady who wishes to be in fashion will certainly, before ordering her new fall suit, wish to see our new catalog. We will send you this catalog free upon request. We will also send you samples of the new dress goods and silks. State about what price goods