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A car of fancy Michigan Apples, Baldwin's, Greenings, Northern Spy, Kings, Talman Sweet, Ben Davis.

Rhode Island Greenings, 2c peck; 80c bushel.

Best New York Concord Grapes, basket 30c

Cape Cod Cranberries, quart 9c

Duchesse Pears, peck 40c

Keller Pears, basket 40c

Talman Sweet Apples, peck 38c

Pound Sweet Apples, peck 40c

Coconuts, each 5c and 8c

Hubbard squash, each 10c

Hothouse Lettuce, 3 for 5c

Celery, well bleached, dozen 15c

Fresh Spinach, 3-lb. peck 8c

Oranges, thin skin, juicy, doz. 25c

Tokay Grapes, basket 40c

Eating Pears, dozen 25c

Small Bartlett Pears for pickling, 1/2 box \$1.25

1/2-LB. SACK TOMATO SALT, lb. 8c

Yerxa's Extra California Oil, large, 75c; medium, 40c; small, 25c.

Vermont Maple Syrup, pure sap, very fine, gal. can \$1.35

Quart bottle Tomato Catsup 42/2c

Cero Fruto, package 11c

Four Trac Marrowfat Peas, can, 8c; dozen 95c

Fern Leaf Salmon Steak, flat tin, each 15c

Baltimore Yellow Peaches, tin, 15c; dozen \$1.50

California Apricots, large tin, 18c; dozen \$1.90

Flickenger California Sliced Apples and Peaches, small tin, can, 10c; dozen \$1.80

These are the finest fruits ever packed.

New Packed Northern Growers, can, 8c; dozen 95c

New Standard Tomatoes, can, 8c; dozen \$1.05

1-lb. package Seeded Raisins, 10c

Large Santa Clara Prunes, lb. 8c

Soda Crackers, lb. 5c

Ginger Snaps, lb. 5c

New Rolled Oats, lb. 3c

Sweet Potatoes, 75c bush. 15 lbs. for 25c.

Yerxa's Extra Flour, \$2.35 per sack.

Dairy Department.

Separator Butter, lb. 20c

Good Table Dairy Butter in Jars.

Fancy Creamery Butter, lb. prints. 26c

Come in and See the Big Prize Cheese

Weight 420 lbs.

Will be cut next Saturday.

Baker's Specials

Home-Made Bread loaf 3c

Jelly Roll, each 7c

Honey squares, doz. 8c

Assorted cookies, doz. 8c

Fruit squares, each 4c

Mince pie, each 12c

Market.

Choice Porterhouse Steak 12 1/2c

Choice Sirloin Steak 11c

Choice Round Steak 10c

Choice Shoulder Steak 9c

Choice Pork Chops 12 1/2c

Choice Pork Loin Roast 12 1/2c

Choice Pork Sausages 10c

Choice Pork Shoulders 9c

Choice Pork Spare Ribs 9c

Choice Pot Roast 5, 7, 8c

Choice Rib Roast Beef 4c

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Patrons of Journal want columns are requested to have their copy in the office by 11:30 o'clock on Saturday in order to insure proper classification in that evening's issue.

CITY NEWS.

TOWN TALK

A few shares Twin City Telephone preferred stock at 4900 Journal.

Trunks manufactured by Barnum are well made. Get one at 715 Nicollet.

Fred L. Gray Company's Burgum business in Minneapolis exceeds that of all other agencies combined.

Mendenhall, the florist, 37 Sixth street S., Minneapolis, continues to get up the finest funeral flowers. Also ships them to any part of the northwest.

More than 1,000 Minneapolis residences and stores are insured against burglary losses with Fred L. Gray Company, Guaranty Loan Building.

Deposits made in the participation department of the Minnesota Loan and Trust company on or before the fifth day of every month, bear interest from the first.

A Thanksgiving service will be held this evening at All Saints' church, 2919 Clinton avenue, to celebrate the recent payment of the church debt. After a business meeting the cancelled mortgage will be burned.

Grand Regent James Craig of the Royal Arcanum and his official staff, accompanied by St. Anthony council will visit Cecilia council at Richmond hall this evening. This is the first of the official visits for 1903.

Rev. James M. Cleary of St. Charles Catholic church and C. H. Durker of the Clearmakers' union, have been invited to do use the recent strike of the flour mill employees at a meeting at Union Temple arranged for to-morrow evening.

The annual state conference of charities and corrections will be held in this city Nov. 10-12 at the Plymouth church. From lists of delegates received by the secretary of the local committee on arrangements the attendance will be large.

Alexander Hughes, formerly attorney general of North Dakota, and sergeant in Wisconsin regiment which participated in the battle of Gettysburg, entertained the members of the Post, G. A. R., last night by a lecture on the first day of the battle. A discussion of the second and third days followed. S. H. Towler and Commander-in-chief Eli Torrance were present.

Westminster club will meet Nov. 9 at the International cafe, when Chinese dishes will be served. The hosts for the evening will be Messrs. W. P. Kirkwood, R. G. Morrison, Andrew Benton, D. P. Owen, Rev. J. A. G. Patterson, E. F. Padody, Jr., J. E. Smith, C. V. Smith, J. E. Wallace and W. C. Willets. The paper will be read by Rev. John C. Faries on "The Slave and the Mongol."

THE WEATHER PREDICTIONS

Minnesota—Fair and cooler to-night except possibly showers in northeast portions; Thursday, fair, brisk northerly winds; Friday, partly cloudy and cooler to-night with possibly showers in east portion; Saturday, fair, brisk northerly winds; North Dakota—Fair to-night and Thursday; Friday, partly cloudy and cooler to-night with possibly showers in east portion; South Dakota—Fair to-night and Thursday; Friday, partly cloudy and cooler to-night with possibly showers in east portion; Montana—Partly cloudy and cooler to-night with possibly showers in west portion; warmer in west portion to-night; variable winds. Upper Michigan—Threatening to-night and Thursday with probably rain or snow to-night; cooler to-night and in east portion Thursday; high northerly winds. Wisconsin—Partly cloudy to-night and Thursday with possibly showers in east portion; Thursday, fair to high northerly winds.

WAGNER LECTURE RECITAL

To Be Given by Walter Damrosch in Minneapolis To-night.

The Wagner lecture recital by Walter Damrosch, illustrated by David Bispham, which is to be given to-night in Minneapolis, was given last night in St. Paul. The St. Paul papers note with renewed wonder the spell cast over the audience by the force and fascination of Mr. Damrosch's recital, which enables him to play with such simple ease to give a rendition of the great Wagner music-dramas that is adequate and satisfying.

It is quite the fashion to attempt to analyze the secret of Mr. Damrosch's power. While many factors may be picked out, there is always an element that evades verbal expression. But which is felt strongly by every sympathetic auditor.

The recital to-night will open the Teachers' club entertainment course and will be given in the First Baptist church.

FORSTER'S BAD PLIGHT

Glencoe Man Needs Surgical Attention and Can't Get It.

What will become of Thomas F. Forster, of Glencoe, Minn.?

He is at the central police station suffering from a broken shoulder and is in such a condition that a surgical operation is all that will save his life. He has no money, and, as he is a nonresident, the city hospital refuses to receive him.

Forster is a cigarmaker, he is married and has two children. About six weeks ago he fell and broke his arm and three weeks later a similar accident resulted in a broken shoulder. He was without money but his friends provided him with transportation to Minneapolis.

The authorities are undecided as to the best way of disposing of his case. They will probably send him back to Glencoe and allow him to receive attention from the hospital of that county, or he will be treated here if the authorities of his own county will guarantee expenses.

SWIFT GRAND JURY

Turns Out Four Indictments and Adjourns for a Week.

After two short sessions yesterday the November term grand jury completed its business. Four indictments were returned, three of which were in jail cases. One is understood to be a new case. No municipal investigation was taken up, and as the jurors were dismissed to meet again next Tuesday morning nothing will be done in that line until then.

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COM'L CLUB AS HOST

First Annual Reception, Musical and Dance to Members and Their Wives.

The Commissioned Officers of Fort Snelling Were Present as Special Guests.

The first annual reception, musical and dance of the Commercial club was given last evening to members and wives and was a complete success. Several hundred were present, including as complimentary guests the commissioned officers from Fort Snelling. The latter included Colonel and Mrs. Cornelius Gardner, Major and Mrs. Fink, Captain and Mrs. C. Stacy, Lieutenants Jordan and Preston. Present also were Major Morgan of the state university, Mrs. Morgan, Marian and Marguerite Morgan; Theodore F. Smith, president of the St. Paul Commercial club, and Charles P. Stine, the secretary; Miss Ethel Smith, Miss Eleanor MacGaw, of St. Paul.

The guests were received by President A. C. Paul and Mrs. Paul, Secretary E. J. West and Mrs. Westlake, and the members of the entertainment committee; Henry Deutsch, Charles R. Fowler, F. M. Barnard, James Gray, A. W. Armatage, and T. W. Stephenson. Music was served in the Flemish room by Mesdames H. R. Yerxa, R. D. Webb, T. V. Moreau and Henry Deutsch.

The music began at 9 o'clock. Those who took part were Mrs. W. N. Porteous, Miss Clara Williams, H. Lewis Belknap, Carlo Fischer, and William W. No.

Mrs. Porteous and Miss Williams each sang a group of songs following a selection from "Il Trovatore" by Albert and Perry's orchestra. Mr. Belknap, a member of the club, sang "Spring Tide" and "The Rosary," the latter by request. William W. Nelson's numbers were on the violin.

While Carlo Fischer, the cellist, gave three numbers. Mrs. Porteous and Miss Williams sang as a duet "It Was a Lover and His Lass."

The music program was given in the main reception room. This room and the dining room were used for dancing and refreshments. Supper was served on small tables.

The decoration scheme was beautiful. The long lobby was hung with southern smilax offset by huge palms. The arches were decorated with the smilax which drooped in festoons over the palms. In the main room also palms were scattered about with here and there white chrysanthemums and above the fireplace a bowl of pink blossoms. Chrysanthemums were used in the library and the card rooms and on each small table in the dining room. The floor of the main room was decked in green, the lights being softened with red shades.

The programs were dainty things of silver and blue. The dance program inside was in deep blue letters on a pale blue background.

SAVINGS BANKS FOR THE ASKING

The State Institution for Savings will give away twenty thousand unique, strong and handsome metal savings banks, for the purpose of stimulating the saving habit.

The factories making them are behind with orders and will ship only in small lots. The first shipment arrived yesterday and are being given away to those who apply at the bank for them, 617 First avenue S. Everybody should secure one.

WIRED STATE'S BRIEF

Attorney General Douglas Supplements Merger Case at Washington.

Attorney General Douglas wired a 600-word brief to Washington yesterday afternoon, following his conference with other attorneys in the merger case. This brief was in answer to the objections of counsel for defense to the motion for an early hearing of the appeal by the supreme court. The brief of the opposing counsel denied the jurisdiction of the supreme court, and stated that it should properly come before the circuit court of appeals. Counsel for the state are perfectly willing that it should be determined by the latter court, but their point is determined, and will wait until the court rules on the motion.

C. W. Somerby, assistant attorney general, who is on the ground, filed entry with a graphic brief to-day, in which the state maintained that the case involves constitutional questions, and therefore is under the jurisdiction of the supreme court.

STAMP COLLECTORS DINE

Incidentally They All Resolve to Read Journal Want "Ads."

Twenty members of the Minneapolis Stamp collectors' club joined in the club's third annual dinner at the International cafe where a Chinese course dinner was served. S. A. Gile, president of the club, held the toast and presided. Toasts were responded to by Adolph Edsten, Dr. W. L. Downing, Eben S. Martin, Mr. Wedell and E. C. Brown.

J. A. Hines, secretary of the club, excited the envy of the other members by exhibiting several rare stamps including two Hawaiian numerals, catalogued over \$100 each. A member of the club, much interested when Mr. Ringness announced that he had obtained the stamps from an old collection for which he paid \$12 and which was brought to his notice by a Journal want "ad."

TWENTY-FIRST IS HOME

Regiment Returns from Fort Riley to Fort Snelling—Artillery Expected To-morrow.

The Twenty-first infantry, U. S. A., returned to Fort Snelling yesterday morning from Fort Riley, Kan., where the regiment took part in recent maneuvers. A detachment of 250 men continued their journey westward, over the North Pacific, to Fort Keogh and the 1st division of the Tenth field artillery, on its way from Walla Walla, Wash., to Fort Snelling, will reach St. Paul at 10 o'clock to-morrow night.

INDIAN SUMMER INDIANS

Break Out of Their Reservation at the "Ag." School.

Taking advantage of the present Indian summer weather, the seniors at the state agricultural college indulged in a night-shirt parade last night, following upon several other performances, including rushing the freshmen and breaking up the juniors' party.

Incidentally, the gladness youths called on Professor Green and Professor Drew for their respective papers, and the grave and reverend seniors submitted to a flashlight photograph and retired.

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THE DICKEY FEE CASE

Clear Statement of Settlement Reached by the County Commissioners.

The privilege of satisfying a judgment for \$7,490 by paying \$1,500 in installments has been accorded Mr. Dickey, clerk of the district court, by the Hennepin county commissioners.

The county's case against C. N. Dickey for the recovery of fees held to have been illegally appropriated to his own use has been in the courts since 1899, and its various phases are of more than passing interest to the Hennepin county taxpayers. After two trials in the district and one hearing in the supreme court, with all the expenses incident thereto, a judgment was secured. This judgment has now been settled for practically half of its value, and more than half of the settlement price is paid by Mr. Dickey's bondsmen, R. M. Bennett and H. C. Akeley.

Eleven years ago the county clerk's office was placed on a salary basis. At the same time C. N. Dickey became county clerk. He was to be paid a salary in lieu of all fees, the fees being turned over to him by the county. He was arranged to prepare a daily statement for four local abstract companies. This was the settlement price, and he was to receive therefore the income from it, amounting to about \$50 per month, was upon the advice of a competent attorney, approved by the county board.

In 1899 the county commissioners came to the conclusion that the county was entitled to this money and brought suit for \$10,000. On the first trial Judge Elliott found for the defendant. The case was appealed and a new trial granted. The second trial before Judge Simpson resulted in a judgment against Mr. Dickey for \$7,490.

The defendant refused to pay this judgment in full. There was no property upon which a levy could be made, and as the 1901 law providing for the garnishment of a county official's wages does not apply to the most recent notes for \$100 each, payable the first of every month up to the expiration of his term of office, this way the county clerk is allowed to satisfy the note. At the same time the county is ahead to the amount of the settlement, as the statute does not require the making of the abstract reports, and has it by the county clerk for his own benefit; it would not have been done at all and no income would have resulted.

These facts were taken into consideration by C. L. Smith, attorney for the county commissioners, who recommended to the board that he accept the offer of \$3,750 for settlement made by Mr. Dickey and his bondsmen. The board followed the advice and the notes for \$100 each of the bondsmen paid \$1,500. Mr. Dickey paid \$125 down at the time of settlement, \$150 on the first of November and gave the commissioners fourteen notes for \$100 each, payable the first of every month up to the expiration of his term of office.

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CONTRACTORS GET PLUMS

Minneapolis Firms Successful in Bids on Snelling Work.

Minneapolis firms will secure several contracts for work that is to begin at Fort Snelling next Monday. The work of current improvement at the army building, St. Paul, 16 was said yesterday by the chief clerk of the board of bids, P. C. McMillan, to have been made. P. C. McMillan, chief clerk of the board, would not doubt be authorized to remodel one set of quarters for field officers at the cost of \$12,000.

The same firm will construct two stable buildings at a cost of \$4,450. W. F. Porter & Co. of Minneapolis, will get \$84 for installing a heating plant in the remodeled prison building, and \$80 for putting gas pipes in the two stable buildings. Kell & Lamb of Minneapolis will secure \$100 for the electric wiring of the two double sets of officers' quarters and \$700 for electric wiring the four cavalry stables. W. I. Gray of Minneapolis will secure \$1,000 for the remodeling of quarters for field officers at a cost of \$12,000.

TRIBE OF BEN HUR

St. Anthony Falls Lodge Organized—Fred Ayers is Chosen Chief.

St. Anthony Falls Lodge No. 17, Tribe of Ben Hur, was organized last night at Dillins hall, First avenue S and Washington avenue. There were ninety-four charter members. The new lodge will hold its first meeting on Monday evening from yesterday. Another branch of the order will soon be established in St. Paul.

The officers elected last night were: President, Dr. W. E. Murray; chief, Fred Ayers; judge, James Robertson; teacher, I. M. Rief; scribe, E. O. Gordon; keeper of tribute, George Wagner; captain, R. M. Cole; guide, Myron Johnson; treasurer, J. C. Turner; master of ceremonies, J. W. Clumney; rabbi, Joseph, Will Haynes.

FLANDRAU MEMORIAL

Historical Society Will Hold Such a Meeting Next Monday Evening.

A memorial meeting in honor of the late Judge Charles Flandrau of St. Paul will be held next Monday evening by the State Historical society at the capitol, St. Paul. After an opening address by General John B. Sanborn, Greenleaf Clark, Myron Johnson, and the influence of Judge Flandrau, Major S. A. Buel will tell of "Judge Flandrau in Defense of New Ulm During the Sioux Outbreak." Dr. W. E. Litchner will speak of "Judge Flandrau as a Citizen and a Jurist."

SAW FRONTIER LIFE

How Mrs. Linda Slaughter, Now in Minneapolis Secured Material for Her Book.

Mrs. Linda W. Slaughter, of Bismarck, N. D., widow of the late Major E. F. Slaughter, U. S. A., is at the Northwest hospital in this city for special medical treatment.

Major Slaughter, as an army surgeon, took a prominent part in the early Indian wars in Dakota and Utah. He had many thrilling experiences in the pioneer days in that territory. Mrs. Slaughter has embodied many of these incidents in her book, "From Fortness to Farm" and "Leaves from Northwestern History."

The ninth ladies' matinee of the season will occur at the Dewey theater Friday. The attraction, the Kentucky belles, has a wealth of costumes unobscured by any company that has yet played at the Dewey. Last Friday over 300 ladies paid admission to the theater and this week the banner matinee of the season is looked for.

COURT WAS NOT SUPERSTITIOUS.

Friday, Nov. 13, is a bad day for the superstitious and a St. Paul lawyer who comes in this category appeared in court yesterday and asked to have a case which had been set for that date continued. Judge Egan said that the court could not take judicial notice of the objection and the case was not continued.

AFTER UNLICENSED HORSE DRs.

The state veterinary board is proceeding against those who are practicing veterinary medicine and surgery without licenses. Several convictions have been secured lately, and it is reported that some cases will be brought in Minneapolis.

Important Change of Time.

Consult the Chicago, Great Western Railway time tables, in these columns for change of time, effective Nov. 1.