

CITY NEWS.

Flats for Aldrich Avenue.—F. H. Lewis obtained a permit this morning to erect a two-story frame flat building at 1921-23 Aldrich avenue S. It will cost \$8,000.

Professor Ely to Speak.—Professor Richard T. Ely of the University of Wisconsin, the director of the school of economics and political science, will make the noonday address Saturday at the Commercial club. His talk will be brief and informal and will concern "Ten Years After."

Personal Tax Paid.—Personal taxes become delinquent after next Monday and those failing to pay by that date will be subject to a 10 per cent penalty. To accommodate delinquent citizens, the county treasurer's office will be open all day Saturday and on Monday until 5 p. m.

New Sleeve Nearly Ready.—The remaining section of the sleeve for the Twentieth avenue submerged main was successfully cast last evening. It is in the machine shop to-day to have both holes drilled and to-morrow morning two divers will fasten it around the break in the main. It is expected that the work will be completed by Sunday evening.

NECROLOGICAL

DEATH OF RUTH MOHLER

She Passed Away at Saranac Lake, N. Y., of Tuberculosis.

Ruth Mohler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mohler, died last evening at Saranac Lake, N. Y., of tuberculosis, aged 20 years. Interment at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Previous to going to Portland, Ore., to assume the management of the Oregon Railway & Navigation company, Mr. Mohler and his family resided in Minneapolis. She was the daughter of Captain W. W. Smith, 1726 Eighth avenue N., of this city.

HAROLD S. YALE, only son of T. Smith Yale of New York, died a few days ago and was buried last Thursday from Grace church. The Yale family lived here for many years and were active members of St. Mark's Episcopal church. Mrs. Yale was organist for the Sunday school, and Harold frequently was soloist at the services when quite young. When the family moved to New York city Harold at once received an appointment to the vested choir of Grace church.

ANDREW PETERSON died at the hospital for the insane at St. Peter yesterday. His funeral will take place from his residence, 3222 Fourteenth avenue S., Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FRANCES JACKSON, aged 14 months, died this morning. Services on Sunday, Feb. 28, at 3 p. m. from home, 1043 Ninth street. Interment at Hillside cemetery.

REV. P. J. DANEHY SINKING FAST

Pastor of St. Stephen's Parish May Not Live Thru the Day.

At a late hour this afternoon the condition of Rev. Patrick J. Danehy, pastor of St. Stephen's Catholic church, who has been suffering with fever for several days, was such that no hope was entertained for his recovery, and his death was expected at any hour.

This morning he had a sinking spell, from which he was only rescued by the use of oxygen, and it was believed at St. Mary's that his vitality was not sufficient to bring him thru a second attack, even with the help of the most powerful stimulants. Father Danehy's relatives and friends have given up hope.

MAY ENJOIN COUNCIL

Method of Testing Act Affecting Court-house Not Selected.

The procedure to be used by the special committee of the Commercial club in testing the legislature act requiring the courthouse and city hall to be turned over to the new municipal building commission is still tentative. Wallace G. Nye, secretary of the public affairs committee, consulted with lawyers to-day. Two methods have been suggested. One is to begin quo warranto proceedings in the supreme court against the present courthouse and city hall commission. Another is to ask for an injunction thru the district court, preventing the city council, or some representative, from paying further bills to the county commission for heating, lighting, etc. Either plan, it is believed, would produce the desired result—an opinion as to the validity of the statute.

FINE WEATHER AHEAD

That is, Warmer Weather—Snow Flurries Likely.

There are signs of better things in store for Minneapolis in the line of weather. The official guess is "partly cloudy to-night and Saturday, with possibly snow showers." It was 2 degrees above zero at 7 o'clock this morning and the development of a low-pressure area in the far northwest should indicate rising temperatures within forty-eight hours. It is cold in North Dakota and Canada as far west as Medicine Hat, but the "low" is expected to overcome this. No reports from Rochester, N. Y., are received at the local weather office, but the reports from Buffalo, sixty-nine miles to the west, show a wind velocity of 12 miles an hour and a temperature of 4 degrees above zero.

She—I don't think any girl should marry until she reaches a certain age. He (Impatiently)—Exactly: that is, when she reaches an age where she's certain she loves a fellow as you love me.

WORK COUNTS FOR PUBLIC DECECY

LICENSES WILL BE REFUSED SALOONS WITH WINEROOMS.

Aldermen Instruct the License Inspector to Keep Them Closely Informed on Saloon Morale—Home Protective League Fights Application for Columbia Theater License.

License will hereafter be refused all saloons that maintain stalls or booths frequented by women.

At a meeting of the committee on licenses this morning, express instructions were given to License Inspector Matt Walsh to make full reports on the arrangements of every saloon to which licenses are asked. It was emphatically stated that no license would be granted to places with winerooms. The meeting was unusually lively, owing to the protest of members of the Home Protective association against granting licenses at the Columbia and Park theaters and to Lou Brown, who runs the McGregor saloon at 104 Hennepin avenue. The aldermen did not consider that the evidence furnished by the association against Lou Brown proved her alleged immoral character. They decided to grant a license.

Leon Solomon, who has applied for a theater license at the Columbia theater, was allowed two weeks in which to bring satisfactory proof to the committee that all communication between the theater and the adjoining saloon has been closed.

Solomon personally promised that all entrances between saloon and theater would be bricked up and that no liquor or beer would be served in any part of the theater or premises communicating with it.

The members of the Home Protective association, urged the committee to refuse the license, alleging that Solomon was only acting for J. C. Sodini, and that the promises were simply evasions. The point was pressed by J. C. Sodini, Walter Carroll, C. W. Purdie, J. M. Anderson and others.

It was disclosed, that, although one of the doors between the theater and the saloon had been boarded up, it was possible to reach it by means of a rear exit from the "boxes" and the dressing room. This is a violation of the theater ordinance and would be granted until the doorway between the two buildings had been bricked up.

It was also decided that communication between the Park theater and the saloon in front was too easy, and John Hart was allowed until the next meeting of the committee in which to close the passage.

Alderman Chaffield moved that the application of Mr. Solomon be granted, saying that if the objection door was not closed the license could be revoked. The motion received no second.

UNKNOWN WOMAN DESERTS A BABE

Left It with Strangers, Paid Two Weeks' Board and Disappeared.

FOUND—A BABY BOY. CHILD IS NOW AT city hospital. Parents can have same by applying to the humane society.

S. L. Van Etten, agent of the Minneapolis Humane society, purposes to advertise in the daily papers, in the hope that it may reach the parents of the baby boy who was left at the home of Mrs. Mary Williams, 229 First avenue N., about two months ago. If he cannot find the child's parents, the little one will be sent to the state home for indigent children. About two months ago a woman called at the home of Mrs. Murphy and arranged to have her baby cared for. She paid two weeks' board in advance and promised to call frequently to see the child. After two weeks her visits ceased and the matter was reported to the humane society. The woman had given the name and address of a North Minneapolis family, but when Mr. Van Etten called at that place he found that the woman there knew nothing about the child, neither did she resemble the woman who left the baby. Later the child became ill and was taken to the hospital, but has recovered, and the humane society must provide for it.

DIDN'T RAMBLE LONG

Negro Arrested on Larceny Charge Two Hours After Theft.

Two hours after the time when he is alleged to have robbed his roommate of \$25, John Williams, a St. Paul colored man, was arrested in Minneapolis by Patrolman Neils Nelson. Williams roamed with another colored man, William Benton, at 2 o'clock this morning, it is alleged. He took Benton's purse and started for Minneapolis. Benton followed and found Williams on Washington avenue. He pointed him out to Patrolman Nelson, who made the arrest. Williams is said to have a criminal record and is badly wanted by the St. Paul police.

HIS POINT OF VIEW.

"Why is it," asked the landlady as she glanced up from the paper, "that a wife murderer always puts up a plea of insanity?" "The best man in the world," replied the scantily bearded bachelor. "The mere fact of his having been married goes to show that such a plea is justifiable."

BIG START FOR NEW AUDITORIUM

CAMPAIGN TO SECURE NECESSARY INSURANCE IS BOOMING.

A. C. Paul, Chairman of Joint Committee, Gets \$75,000 at Almost First Jump—Things to Be Kept at White Heat until \$2,000,000 Is Secured.

No such word as "fall" is found in the bright lexicon of the music hall workers. A great, big start has already been made toward securing the \$2,000,000 life insurance which will insure a fine auditorium for Minneapolis. There is a live organization in charge and the workers are already feeling the inspiration of the old saying that nothing succeeds like success.

Already represented in the joint committee in charge of the work are the Commercial club, the Retailers' association, the Ladies' Thursday Musical, the Teachers' club, and the Wenbergers chorus, the Apollo club, the Real Estate board and the Roosevelt club. Other organizations are expected upon for most cordial co-operation as soon as they can call meetings which can formally pledge support.

Chairman A. C. Paul of the joint committee believes that the subscription should be kept at a white heat. He believes, as do also the committee members, that the plan is one which is singularly well calculated to arouse the old "Minneapolis spirit" which does things. Since the time when the great Minneapolis industrial exposition grew almost like Jonah's gourd, there has not been another such opportunity. Every member of the committee is a walking cuttle fish with a tentacle out in every direction where a possible buyer of insurance is to be found. Just to try himself out, Chairman Paul took a bunch of pledges yesterday noon and began to call insurance agents to friends whom he chanced to meet. Without making anything like a canvass, he had secured pledges for a total of \$75,000 insurance by noon today. The first pledge was for \$20,000, the maximum policy written, and was signed by W. L. Harris, president of the Retailers' association, and J. C. Sodini, president of the Commercial club, was No. 2 on Mr. Paul's list with a pledge of \$10,000.

"I'll make it \$100,000 before night," said Mr. Paul this morning. It is the idea to have daily reports from all the volunteer solicitors in the city, so that the committee in charge may know just where the work stands all of the time, and, by keeping the solicitors posted on the progress made, maintain the enthusiasm to refuse to reach it. The necessary amount is secured and secured quick.

The pledges used in the solicitation bind those signing them, as soon as they agree upon a subscription, they are pledged, to make application to the Northwestern National Life Insurance company for the amount of insurance they agree upon to submit to the required medical examination, prepare the first year's premium, and at the same time execute and deliver a note for the second year's premium, without maturity. The provision for the note is to insure the continuance of the insurance a second year.

DULUTH WANTS THE CONVENTION

ZENITH CITY ASKS FOR DEMOCRATIC NOMINATING BODY.

State Central Committee Meets in St. Paul to Make Arrangements—Bennett & Vasily Head a Lively Knot of Hearst Boomers—Twin Cities Favor Parker.

The democratic state central committee met this afternoon at the Merchants hotel in St. Paul to make arrangements for the convention which is to elect delegates to the national convention at St. Louis. About fifty of the eighty-three members of the committee were present. The meeting was a considerable discussion in the lobby. J. M. Bennett of St. Cloud and C. E. Vasily of Little Falls were at the head of a lively Hearst boomers, while the twin city and Duluth members seemed to favor Judge Parker.

Duluth made a strong bid for the first convention. It was generally agreed that the delegate convention should be held in the last half of June, and a second convention held in July or August to nominate a state ticket. This second convention will be held in Minneapolis or St. Paul.

There was some talk of separate district conventions to select the district delegates, but the chances are that the usual custom will be followed. After the state convention has named the delegates for the convention which will divide up by districts, and name the two delegates from each district.

ON TRAIL OF ROBBERS

ST. PAUL POLICE EXPECT TO CAPTURE THE MEN WHO HELD UP HOPKINS GROCER LAST NIGHT.

The St. Paul police, working upon advices received from Minneapolis, expect to arrest the two men who held up a grocery store at Hopkins, last night. They have a clue to the men and their arrest is only a matter of a few hours. The robbers were masked and armed and took \$35 from Campbell.

Immediately after the hold-up, the men secured their overcoats, which had been hidden outside of the store, and started for Minneapolis, coming by the way of Calhoun boulevard. They boarded a Twentieth and Hennepin car at Thirty-first street and rode up to Sixth street, taking interurban transfers. Their actions aroused the conductor's suspicions and when he heard of the hold-up this morning he reported the matter to the police. The methods of the men indicate that they are the men who robbed a groceryman on Emerson avenue N about a week ago.

PENSION FOR DR. AMES

Probably He Will Get the Maximum Under the Law.

From the Journal Bureau, Colorado Building, Washington. Washington, Feb. 25.—Evidence is all in in the pension case of Dr. Ames. It will be reviewed shortly and the circuit definitely passed upon by the pension commissioner within the next two weeks. It is believed a pension of \$6 or \$8 a month will be allowed. This is the maximum under the law which covers the application.

KING BONDAGE STILL IS HAUGHTY

THE REDOUTABLE SOLOMON "HANDS ONE" TO DREGER.

The Insignificant Sheriff and the Inconsequential State Treasurer Tried to Be Friendly, but They Hadn't Been Presented at Court in Due Form.

Notwithstanding the fact that "King Solomon," in all his glory, has descended from the clouds of destiny, suspect and, confined in the Hennepin county jail, is awaiting trial on a most serious charge, he has lost none of his belief in his own importance. Arranged in "logs" that would credit to the sultan of Sulu, this reader of the future sits in his jail domicile as if upon a throne. He patronizes his fellow lodgers with lofty condescension and likes to pose as a philanthropist among them. With an alarming fierceness he maintains his own dignity and by word and look attempts to crush the daring individual who presumes to speak without introduction.

This morning Sheriff J. W. Dreger was showing State Treasurer Julius Block about the jail. It was in order that as a sight-seeer Mr. Block should gaze upon the prison's latest attraction, and accordingly, the party halted in the corridor in front of King Solomon's cell.

"Good morning. How are you getting along this morning?" cheerily inquired the high sheriff of the big, black, turbaned prisoner.

"The 'king' rose, drew himself up with a bearing of state, and remarked with bitter scorn: "What the hell do you care?"

Mr. Dreger was stunned and spoke not, but reddened to the roots of his hair. He turned to the treasurer and walked on. But Julius Clausen, who was with the others, would not have his jail discipline thus ruthlessly violated.

"Solomon, come here!" sharply commanded the officer. Leisurely the offender approached the bars and looked out with a smile of masterful indifference, remarking, "Well, what do you want?"

"What do you mean by speaking discourteously to the sheriff? Don't you know that while you are in here you will have to act like a gentleman? If you don't know how, we will teach you."

"I didn't know that was the sheriff, and anyway, I don't see what it is of his business how I am getting along," retorted the black soothsayer. "If I am in jail, I ain't a dog and won't be treated like one."

A further exchange of amenities followed with a final submission on the prisoner's part.

Minneapolis League Commended. President Koenke of St. Paul, in his annual address, commended the Minneapolis league as second to none in the country in effectiveness, having the least machinery and making the least demands on the time of its active sympathizers, and the enlistment of new members.

RECRUITING CORPS BEING PUSHED

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LION SHOE AND CLOTHING STORE 121-123 WASHINGTON AVE. SO. Ladies' Fine Handturn Lace Shoes, worth \$3 \$1.98

Large lot of ladies' Kid and Patent Leather Lace Shoes, worth \$2, pair 98c Ladies' kid lace shoes, patent tips, cut to 79c Ladies' extension sole kid and box calf lace shoe worth \$2.50, cut to \$1.39 Ladies' kid 3 point house slippers, cut to 33c Ladies' one strap kid slippers, cut to 49c Children's and Misses' rubbers, size to 25c

Come Where the Bargains Are.

Great big values, Saturday, that will make it worth your while to come a long distance. Children's kid lace shoe, all sizes to 2, worth \$1 a pair 69c Child's kid lace, size 8 1/2 to 11, now cut to 59c Great bargain in children's shoes, sizes 5 to 8, worth 75c, for 49c Misses' kid lace school shoes, sizes 11 1/2 to 2 79c Misses' \$1.50 kid and box calf school shoes, size 11 1/2 to 2 98c Boys' Shoes Boys' \$1.50 calf school shoes, sizes 5 1/2 to 8 87c Little Gent's \$1.25 calf school shoes, sizes 9 to 13 69c Boys' \$1.75 army calf school shoes, sizes to 5 1/2, \$1.19

Men's fine calf lace shoes, Goodyear welt soles, worth \$3.00— \$1.98

Men's fine patent leather shoes, worth \$3.50, at \$1.79 Men's fine up-to-date Goodyear welt \$3.50 shoes, extra \$2.45 Men's fine vici kid lace shoes, style L, \$2.00 quality \$1.49 Boys' rubbers, all sizes 39c Youths' \$1.25 calf lace school shoes, sizes 12 to 2 79c Boys' \$2.00 box calf Blucher lace shoes \$1.45

KEEP UP FIGHT AGAINST SODINI

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE READY TO BATTLE THREE YEARS.

State Convention Opens To-day with Large Attendance—Work of Minneapolis Home Protection League Is Commended by the Speakers from Outside.

The name most frequently on the lips of the speakers at the convention of the Anti-Saloon league at St. Paul this morning was that of J. C. Sodini, the Minneapolis saloon-keeper who drew the first fire of the Minneapolis Home Protection league. The secretary of the Minneapolis committee, S. C. Cook, was unable to be present to give his report in person, because he was in the city against the hearing of the Sodini case. Rev. H. H. Holmes, who was in the chair, said "This fight cannot be stopped to hold conventions."

The report of the new Minneapolis league, whose active work is carried on by an executive committee of business men, announced that it would start in the high against the Sodini theater as long as he did.

Rev. H. H. Holmes supplemented the official report by the statement that Sodini only escaped the penitentiary owing to the death of Coffey John. Real force is given to the plans of the Minneapolis committee by its assurance that the Sodini fight is not a three months' spasmodic effort, but if need be a three years' struggle. The intention, as expressed in the speeches is "to keep at it until he is minned so low that he can't wiggle."

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A THORO-GOING HOME PROJECT

ARPEUM CO. WILL FAVOR MINNEAPOLIS IN CONTRACTS.

Preference Will Be Given to Minneapolis Architects, Contractors, Laborers and Furnishers in Arranging Work on the New Theater—Plans Well Outlined.

The Orpheum theater is to be built by Minneapolis men after plans by Minneapolis architects with Minneapolis labor, and Minneapolisians will supply furnishings. Several details of the management. It is announced also that without regard to the proposed building ordinance it has been decided to make the theater absolutely "fire safe" or to protect the audience against fire even better than the ordinance may require.

Martin Beck, general manager of the Orpheum Circuit company, and F. E. Henderson, superintendent of the company, were in consultation to-day with their local realty manager, Walter L. Badger.

They have already changed the form of the theater. It will be an independent building, with a ten-foot open alley on either side, and a public alley in the rear. The theater and entrance will have a 24-foot frontage on Seventh street, and the stage will abut the public alley. The term "fire safe" used by Mr. Henderson, means that conditions will be made so that the audience against fire even better than the ordinance may require.

With steel work to support the gallery, balcony and stairways, with the cement floors and the almost total absence of wood in its construction, the theater should be fire proof. But Minneapolis plans to make the theater open to the side alleys and to the sixty-foot public alley. Separate straight stairways from the gallery and balcony will prevent congestion in the main entrance. The entrance will be as wide as the theater, thus preventing any "bottle necking."

Kees & Colburn, the architects, will have specifications ready for an early invitation for bids. The theater will be ready for the fall season. Mr. Beck says the public can judge what sort of attractions will be presented in the Orpheum theater from the Bijou theater.

GIRLS ASK A CONFERENCE

Garment Makers Reach no Results Thru Committee.

An ineffectual attempt was made this morning by the striking garment workers to adjust their difficulties with Robitcheck, Frank & Heller, thru a committee, which sought to secure some sort of concession. The firm had nothing new to offer and insisted on the open shop, with the abandonment of the union label and a return to the old scale.

An invitation was extended by the committee to the firm to appear before a meeting of the striking girls to-morrow night. Mr. Frank says: "We see no reason for changing our position and do not care to do anything which would be to their satisfaction. While the firm had nothing new to offer, it makes a small reduction in the wages, we are still paying as high as any other house in this field and in some cases higher, and we are getting more employes each day."

PROOF POSITIVE. "Why, do you protest the indignant female, 'you evidently believe that women have any brains?'" "On the contrary, madam," replied the gruff M. D. "I have actually seen them at nut topses."

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Double Amount S. & H. Green Trading Stamps Saturday, Feb. 27, with cash purchases only, in addition to the

Extra Special Mark-Down, and Clearance Sale Prices

now in force in the departments for Men's and Boys' Clothing and Hats, Men's Furnishings, Women's and Children's Hosiery and Underwear Only.

What the Gamossi Advertise Is So We have had so many requests for a continuation of this sale that we have decided to place these goods on sale for SATURDAY AND MONDAY ONLY. Gamossi's Good Things for This Week's Sale: For Comfort—All our men's, women's and children's 50c and 75c qualities high-grade, full finished Wool and Golf Gloves at price to close out the line 29c For Style—Ladies' Pique Suede Walking and Shopping Glove with large white palm, turquoise or garnet shades, beautifully finished, in the new spring shades; look and wear as well as a \$1.50 glove 95c Umbrellas Re-covered and Repaired. Factory in rear of store. HALF STORE OF GLOVES THE OTHER HALF UMBRELLAS GAMOSSIS GLOVE CO. GIO NICOLLE OPPOSITE GLASS BLOCK.