

CITY NEWS.

Conks Will Banquet.—The first annual banquet of the twin city conks will be held at 1030 to-night at 114 Third street S.

NECROLOGICAL

W. A. HOWARD DEAD

Well-Known Passenger Conductor Succumbs to Old Injuries. J. C. Howard, superintendent of the Dakota division of the Great Northern railway, arrived in Minneapolis this morning with a special car bearing the body of his brother, W. A. Howard, whose death occurred in Winnipeg Saturday morning.

W. A. Howard, or "Bill," as he was better known in railroad circles in Minneapolis, was a passenger conductor on the Burlington for several years, but had been for the past six months with the Canadian Northern. Three years ago, while employed by the Burlington, he was seriously injured in a wreck. He was incapacitated for work for a long period, and since the accident has been under a physician's care almost continuously. He attempted to go to work for the Canadian Northern railway, but about ten days ago was compelled to go to the hospital at Winnipeg. The injuries received in the Burlington accident affected his back and spine and made the work of the surgeons difficult. On Friday night of last week he was taken with a sinking spell, from which he never rallied.

Mr. Howard came to Minneapolis about thirty years ago from his home in West Chazy, N. Y. He was first employed by the Milwaukee road and later by the Burlington. He had a large circle of friends and acquaintances in the city and among the railroad men of the northwest. He was 48 years of age, and is survived by his wife and one son. He leaves two brothers, one at West Chazy, and J. C. Howard of the Great Northern, as well as his mother, who resides at the old home in New York.

The remains will be placed in a receiving vault at Lakewood and will be moved to the east for interment about May 1. General services will be held at Minneapolis at that time.

MRS. D. A. BUELL died Monday afternoon at her residence, 2155 Eleventh avenue S., after a long illness. She was 61 years of age and had lived the last twelve years in this city, where she leaves many friends. Her husband died less than two years ago. Five children are left—O. Buell, Burd, Iowa; Mrs. Emma Buell Bedford, 1903 Clinton avenue, Minneapolis; and Misses Ella, Julia and Florence Buell. The funeral will be held at the residence Wednesday at 4 p. m., and the body will be taken to Ottawa, Ill., for burial.

I. CASE, aged 54 years, died at the family residence, 208 Western avenue, last night. Funeral services will be held under the auspices of Northern Light lodge, No. 121, at 10 o'clock Wednesday at 2029 Central avenue NE, Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Hillside cemetery. Members of Northern Light lodge and Iola Rebekah lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., are requested to be at the hall at 2 p. m.

W. E. HOWARD.—The remains of W. E. Howard, who died in Winnipeg Saturday, arrived in the city this morning and were taken to the cemetery vault for future burial. Announcement of funeral will be made at the time. The present address of Mrs. Howard is 1517 Sixth street N.

MRS. FANNY KEATING died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Sedler, yesterday. Funeral from her late residence, 623 Sixth avenue N, to-morrow at 9:30 a. m. and from the Immanuel Congregational church at 10 a. m. Interment at St. Anthony cemetery.

LIEUTENANT J. H. CHALMERS.—The funeral of Lieutenant J. H. Chalmers, postponed from Tuesday afternoon to Wednesday afternoon to enable absent members of the family to be present.

TALKS TO BUSINESS MEN

(Excerpts from editorial in St. Paul Medical Journal.) We are happy to announce that one of the leading dailies of the northwest, The Minneapolis Journal, has declared its intention to keep its pages free from all objectionable medical advertising. We shall watch The Journal with great interest, and we believe that, with its advertising income may be decreased at first, this will be more than offset by the gain in advertising of another and higher class, which will appeal to the constantly increasing number of people who will read The Journal at home and permit it to be freely read by every member of the family.

The value of the newspapers to the people will be immensely increased when they exclude all indecent and fraudulent medical advertising, and when it makes a sincere and honest effort to give its readers the truth and nothing but the truth on all subjects of a purely medical nature.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our many friends who showed their thoughtful kindness and sympathy, and gave their services so freely during our great sorrow, the illness and death of our beloved son and brother, Clarence. —Mrs. Helen C. Youngquist, Anna L. Youngquist.

NOMINATES DIPLOMATS

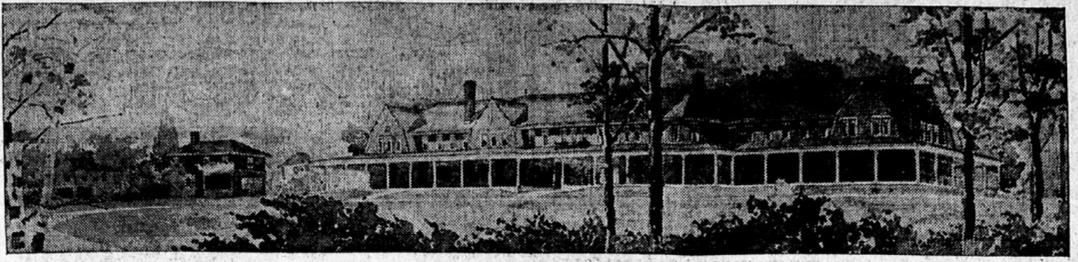
President Sends Names to Senate for Confirmation. Washington, March 15.—The president to-day sent to the senate the following nominations: Secretaries of Legations—Henry M. Shoemaker, Ohio, at Lisbon; Nelson O'Shaughnessy, New York, at Copenhagen. Consul—Louis A. Dent, District of Columbia, at Dawson City.

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ENLARGEMENT OF THE LAFAYETTE CLUB BEGINS

When Completed, the Clubhouse Will Be Fully Three Times Its Present Size—Addition Will Contain Thirty Rooms.



The main Lafayette club building at Lake Minnetonka, containing the dining, lounging, reception and some sleeping rooms, will be extended 150 feet to the east, giving thirty additional sleeping rooms. The driveway at the right end will be arched by the second story of the addition. The view taken from the plans of William Channing Whitney, architect of the original building also, includes the cottages which go to make up the club settlement.

THE BOYS OF '61 GATHER AGAIN

THE MINNESOTA G. A. R. OPENS ITS ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT

Reports Show That the Common Foe of All Has Been Busy in the Thinning Ranks—W. R. C. and Ladies of the G. A. R. Also in Session.

The Grand Army encampment of the state of Minnesota was called to order promptly at 10 o'clock this morning by Department Commander I. L. Mahan.

As the commander sounded his gavel it was announced that the governor of the state of Minnesota was at the door and he was escorted to the platform by officer of the Day Gibbons. The campers displayed the national colors and the salute by the members of the encampment.

COL. HARRISON WHITE, LYVERNE, Conceded to be next Department Commander.

The Bryant Post quartet sang "The Flag Without a Stain" and Department Chaplain Rev. David Donovan of Dundas offered prayer, the comrades still standing.

On resolutions, Comrades Robert Duff, A. Z. Nelson, F. S. Rudolph, D. Vallette, F. A. Carlson.

At this juncture the appointment of the following committees was announced: On resolutions, Comrades E. L. Torrance, J. D. Smith, J. C. Doughner, A. F. Foster, L. L. Wheeler.

On report of department commanders, Comrades G. S. Ives, C. F. McDonald, C. E. Clement, H. A. Nelson, Patrick Henry, Perry Starkweather.

On report of senior and junior vice commanders, Comrades J. B. Moran, F. Perry, E. O. Allen, H. Bennett, A. H. Fields.

On report of assistant adjutant general, Comrades W. B. Robinson, Levi Lovelace, Daniel Fitchner, C. H. Robinson, R. M. Gifford.

On all other reports, Comrades Robert Duff, A. Z. Nelson, F. S. Rudolph, D. Vallette, F. A. Carlson.

At noon the convention of the Woman's Relief Corps, Comrades W. H. Harris, W. H. Harrington, C. P. Walmston, James Compton, J. F. Wyman, George A. Whitney.

To visit the convention of the Ladies of the G. A. R., Comrades John F. Stone, M. E. Dury, Fred Bloom, F. C. Grindblad, Jerome Utter, J. H. Malen.

Commander Mahan's Report. The department commander read his annual report reviewing the work of the year and looking forward to a successful year to come, paying special attention to the good showing made by the Minnesota veterans at

SAYS VIGILANCE IS NECESSARY

JUDGE COLLINS URGES PEOPLE TO FOLLOW UP ADVANTAGE

Says Officials in Sympathy With Public Views Are Needed to Secure Fruits of Merger Decision—Thinks Northern Securities Still a Live Issue.

Judge L. W. Collins of the supreme court has been interested in the merger decision rendered by the United States supreme court yesterday, and has read the ruling closely. In speaking of it this morning, the judge said:

"This decision is a complete vindication of the course pursued by the federal and state authorities. It must necessarily cause the servants and those who have expressed themselves as being out of sympathy with the attitude of President Roosevelt and Governor Van Sant. If the corporations obey the rules laid down, the formation of illegal combinations will be prevented. Every good citizen should follow up the advantage and secure the fruits of victory. If it be true, as is reported, that the directors of this company still propose to carry out their scheme of consolidation in some other manner, then a responsibility is laid upon the people of this state to see to it that their public servants are in perfect sympathy with their own views as heretofore expressed.

But now we shall have the cry raised again that the merger is no longer a living issue before the people. If this is so, why is it that every influence which has heretofore favored and supported this illegal combination is now invoked for the well understood purpose of dominating state politics?

Not only in Minnesota but the entire country is engaged in a great struggle to determine whether or not combinations of this character shall be permitted to exist and to defy the people. And as to this, there should be no quibbling nor lack of backbone on the part of public servants. Every good citizen should oppose to the bitter end all attempts to evade or override the letter or the spirit of the law. I am satisfied that the republican party of this state is equal to the emergency and in the convention assembled it will rise to the occasion and in no uncertain terms denounce all such efforts and adopt means to defeat them."

THE OPENING RECEPTIONS

Two Organizations of the Ladies Receive at the Nicollet.

Whoever directed the decorating of the dining-room of the Hotel Nicollet for last night's reception of the Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies of the G. A. R. received very little sleep. This fact, much to the regret of the ladies, was in receiving line in the dining-room was a long one, embracing the present and past officers of the Grand Army and the faithful auxiliaries, while other comrades joined with the Ladies of the G. A. R. and the dual reception was literally a crush. Had the big dining-room been twice as large, it would have been inadequate for the occasion—in fact, any one room available for the purpose would have been jammed.

And the ladies—they were all there with their brightest smiles and their bewitching toilettes. The comrades were there in force and seemed glad of it.

At the reception, the veterans and their friends gathered about the piano and listened to some patriotic songs by the Bryant Post quartet. The Piccadilly orchestra furnished the music. Frappe and lemonade were served.

HIGGOUCHS RACK CITY ENGINEER

Four Days of Torture Followed by Apparently Permanent Relief To-day.

The latest victim of the hiccough is City Engineer Andrew Rinker, who since Saturday morning has been suffering almost continually from involuntary contractions of a rebellious diaphragm.

The agitation in the department of the interior would not be calmed, and at the eighth hour, and ninety-fifth hiccough medical aid was secured. The professional man worked at intervals for the next four days, and every time he touched him, he would come the hiccoughs again, until the city engineer began making diagrams of his past and plans for his future.

But there has been no recurrence of the hiccoughs since an early hour this morning, and the attending physician believes that for some time, at least, Mr. Rinker will not be troubled.

DIED ON THE STREET

Harold Christianson Suddenly Succumbs to Epilepsy. The young man who fell dead in a fit of epilepsy at Hennepin avenue and Lake street last evening has been identified. His name is Harold Christianson. He was 27 years old and was residing at 622 Sixth avenue S. He has a brother living at 3110 Bloomington avenue, who will take care of the remains. Christianson had no family.

DEATH OF MICHAEL GATZKE

Stillwater, Minn., March 15.—Michael Gatzke, aged 37, died to-day of heart disease, leaving a wife and an adopted son.

The funeral will be in charge of the Forsters, and will probably be held on Thursday.

RELIEF CORPS MEETING

Two Candidates in Field for Office of President. The First Unitarian church was hung with bunting and flags this morning in honor of the twelfth annual convention of the department of Minnesota, Woman's Relief Corps, at 250 delegates were present at the opening meeting. Mrs. Sophia Camp Fisher of St. Paul, president, and introduced the national officers. Mr. Ludovick Taylor, past national president, and Mrs. Ada E. May of Still-

GROSS CRUELTY CHARGED

Two Scavengers Arrested at Instance of Humane Society. Edward Murphy and Alex Biggs were in police court this morning charged with one of the worst cases of animal cruelty ever known in this city. The two men, who are garbage haulers, were working one of their horses from exhaustion and disease. Unable to get the animal to its feet, they left it in the street and took its meat away.

MITCHELL FIRM AGAINST STRIKE

Mine Workers Say President Will Resign if His Advice Is Disregarded. New York Sun Special Service. Tamaqua, Pa., March 15.—Officials of the United Mine Workers in this district gave out a statement that President John Mitchell will resign if the soft coal workers of western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois strike.

SENATOR SAYS VIGILANCE IS NECESSARY

Senator S. D. Otto A. Rudolph has been announced as a candidate for the nomination of state senator from this county. He is a brother of the late Senator M. E. Rudolph and is the only candidate so far named against C. E. Cas-

POWER CASE ENDS

Appeal of Camille Weidenfeld Is Dismissed in St. Paul.

Railroad decisions of interest were pronounced exclusively at Washington yesterday. In the United States court of appeals in St. Paul a decision was filed dismissing the appeal of Camille Weidenfeld in the Peter Power case.

The suit was instituted in the district court of Hennepin county at the time the railway merger was first attempted. Power said he owned 100 shares of Northern Pacific common and asked for an injunction to restrain the Northern Pacific from a combination with the Great Northern and Burlington and also to prevent the retirement of the \$75,000,000 preferred stock. Weidenfeld sought to intervene when Power's authority to begin suit was attacked.

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The Sale that Benefits Both Buyer and Seller. Our 22d Annual March Benefit Sale. TERMS—During this sale the first payment on purchase of \$25.00 is only \$2.50 \$50.00 is only \$5.00 \$75.00 is only \$7.50 \$100.00 is only \$10.00 Trading Stamps given with cash purchases and first payment on goods selected this month.

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SENIOR MEDICS TALK BOYCOTT. They Believe Prof. Beard's Lectures Too Long and Act Formally. The senior "medics" object to long lectures. After discussing ways and means of obtaining relief from a particularly long drawn out course of lectures on a subject which they considered trivial, they have adopted the following resolution: "Be it resolved by the medical class of 1904, that the course of lectures now being delivered by Professor Richard O. Beard is now at an end. Be it further resolved that the class of 1904 and every other member thereof cease to attend said lectures." The medical society that they will stand by their decision. Honorary "Frat" Elections. The names of the seniors elected to the honorary societies of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi were read in chapel this morning. Membership in Phi Beta Kappa is based on general high scholarship and Sigma Xi chooses men who have done exceptionally good work in scientific research. Elections are the highest honors. The names of those elected are: Phi Beta Kappa—Anna Blitt, Isaac W. Choate, Clara Christopherson, Irwin Churchhill, John Dye, Laura Gould, Olaf Hovda, Marion Jones, Alois Kovarik, Myra McCarrie, Elizabeth McLaughlin, Eunice Peabody, Edith Sjoberg, Mrs. Avis Winchell, Grace Wainwright. Sigma Xi—Undergraduate, N. H. Bogue, E. J. Cheney, Miss M. H. Cole, F. E. Downing, Neil Dugway, D. H. Gauntz, F. R. Grou, E. J. Gutcho, Miss B. O. Higginbotham, Louis Houli-ton, J. Clark Holland, John Howat, Olaf Hovda, Miss Emily Jancy, Miss Helen Hovda, A. W. Johnson, Alois Kovarik, Fred A. Otto, Robert Otto, R. E. Stanton and F. Alexander Stewart. Graduates, George D. Head, Shriber P. Miller, Joshua E. E. Olander, A. L. Parsons and Royal R. Shumway. President George E. McLean of the University of Wisconsin will deliver the Phi Beta Kappa address. The exercises will be held commencement week on the evening of Alumni Day. President McLean was formerly professor of English at Minnesota.

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