

CITY NEWS.

THE WEATHER

Minnesota—Rain to-night and possibly Saturday; warmer in east portion to-night; brisk easterly winds becoming variable.

Weather Conditions.

The storm is central this morning over South Dakota, accompanied by rains in the Dakotas, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, eastern Kansas, Oklahoma and parts of Texas and Louisiana.

Weather Now and Then.

To-day—Maximum, 59; minimum, 32 degrees. A Year Ago—Maximum, 60; minimum, 33 degrees.

AROUND THE TOWN

Roy Pearce Returns.—Captain Roy Pearce, a well-known militia man and volunteer in the Spanish war, has returned to Minneapolis after seven months in Texas.

Won't Bid on Crescote.—The Eppinger & Russell company of New York, has notified the city clerk that it cannot bid on the crescote road paving work in this city, as it is unable to comply with the specifications.

The W. O. W. Benefit.—Next Monday evening the Ferris stock company will give a grand spectacular production of "Faust" at the Lyceum theater for the benefit of the Woodmen of the World.

For Greater Fort Snelling.—Officers representing the army of engineers before Judge Lechner in federal court in this city to-morrow at 10 a. m. and formally request the appointment of three appraisers to set the values of the lands desired for the enlargement of the government reservation at Fort Snelling.

NECROLOGICAL

CHARLES M. OLSON died Wednesday morning at his home, 212 Fifth street NE, aged 57 years. The funeral will be held from the residence Sunday, April 24, at 2 p. m., and from the Swedish Immanuel Lutheran church, Monroe street and Thirteenth avenue NE, at 2:30 p. m.

ANNA HELEN ARNBURSTER died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Porter, 2917 Girard avenue N, at 4:30 a. m., April 22. Funeral from the residence at 11 a. m. to-morrow with short services at the Chapel, Oakland cemetery, St. Paul.

Axel L. Skoog, who died at Phoenix, Ariz., April 10, will be buried Sunday at 2:30 p. m. from the First Swedish Baptist church, Thirteenth avenue S and Eighth street. Interment at Lakewood.

AMANDA PEAKES NORTON, wife of Captain Ariel Norton, died at their residence, 3007 Harriet avenue, at 11:30 a. m., April 22. The remains will be taken to Massachusetts for burial. Notice of services later.

CARD OF THANKS

My friends will please accept my thanks for their many kindnesses shown me at the death of my husband.

Mrs. L. B. Allen.

SORE HANDS

Itching, Burning Palms, Painful Finger Ends, Shapeless Nails.

SORE FEET

Inflamed, Itching, Burning, Sore, Tender and Perspiring.

ONE NIGHT TREATMENT.

Soak the hands on retiring in a strong, hot, creamy lather of Cuticura Soap. Dry and anoint freely with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure and purifier of emollients. Wear, during the night, old, loose kid gloves, or bandage lightly in old, soft cotton or linen.

Complete local and constitutional treatment for every humor of the skin, scalp and blood, with loss of hair, warts, chapped hands and feet, itching, burning, sore, tender and perspiring.

Soak throughout the world. Cuticura Remedies are sold in all countries. Sole Proprietors: Dr. J. C. Kennerly, 1111 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

UNKNOWN MAN

POTTED HIS PAL

CARL SATHER SHOT, SUPPOSEDLY BY HIS PAL.

The Bullet Inflicts a Serious Wound, but the Victim Is Expected to Recover—Sather Is Well Known to the Police—Duluth Wants Him.



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CARL SATHER.

Photo from Duluth rogues' gallery.

A shooting affray, supposed to have been caused by a dispute over the division of the spoils of a robbery in the northern part of the state, came near ending fatally for Carl Sather last night. Sather is now at the city hospital suffering from a bullet wound in the back. His injury is serious, though not necessarily fatal, and as soon as he is convalescent he will be turned over to the Duluth authorities, where he is wanted for breaking jail.

Sather was shot shortly after 9 o'clock last night at First avenue S and First street, as he was running into Oscar Gardner's saloon to escape from his assailant. He was taken to the hospital and loungers in the saloon saw his assailant disappear into the Union station. He was followed by the police, but they were unable to find the north door of the station, although the officers secured his description.

Sather said he was shot by two men who attempted to hold him up. The police were little inclined to believe the wounded man's story, and when he was visited by Detective Ed Helin he was recognized as a crook who has had some experience with the police. Helin questioned him closely and Sather consented to change his story. He said that no attempt had been made to hold him up, but that the man who fired the shot had shot to kill. He said he did not know the man's name but that he had met him in a gambling-house and beaten him out of a goodly sum of money.

After considerable searching, Detective Helin found a woman who had witnessed the shooting affray. She said that Sather and another man were together when she heard the second man say: "You never throw me down again." He drew a revolver and Sather attempted to run, but got no farther than the saloon door when the man fired. The assailant then turned and ran toward the Union station. The police refuse to divulge the woman's name, but in case the man is arrested she can be produced at the trial.

The officers have also traced Sather's activities for several days and learned that he returned to the city recently. He had about \$300 in cash, and they now believe that he and Sather were in the shooting, and that the man who fired the shot had shot to kill. The police refuse to divulge the woman's name, but in case the man is arrested she can be produced at the trial.

Sather resides at 814 Nineteenth avenue S.

"How Save You?" Vest Sale, \$1, \$2, \$3. Hoffman's Toggery 51 & 53 4th st. S.

THE 1904 LUMBER CUT

IT IS LIKELY TO APPROACH 1903 CUT—STILLWATER FIRM WILL HAVE LOGS SAWED HERE.

A deal consummated this week by which R. W. Turnbull & Son of Stillwater will have the rights to logs cut by the Plymouth mill will be the Minneapolis lumber cut this year close to that of last year, says the Mississippi Valley Lumberman. Formerly these logs have been sent over the falls, rafted at St. Paul and towed to Stillwater. The Turnbull mill at Stillwater will not run this year. The stock sawed here will be sold from an office to be opened by the firm here. If the experiment proves satisfactory Turnbull & Co. will continue a regular logging business here. The Plymouth mill will also cut for the H. B. Waite Lumber company about 10,000,000 feet.

The sawing season is about two weeks late, but the prospects of a steady run for the rest of the season are good. Work will begin early next week. With the exception of the C. A. Smith mill there seems little likelihood of any material curtailment of output. It has not yet been decided whether this mill will operate on a full scale. The Carpenter-Lamb mill will run day and night and will cut as much as last year. The Itasca company will also cut day and night and as the capacity of the mill is 100,000,000 it will probably equal or exceed the 60,000,000 cut last year. The Diamond mill will saw a day and quarter instead of operating part of the time nights as last year.

The Bovey-De Laittre company, sawing only days as is its custom, will cut between 30,000,000 and 40,000,000. B. F. Nelson & Son will operate only one of their mills days and Shevlin & Carpenter will run only days.

The Plymouth mill has contracts which will assure it a cut fully as large as a year ago. Last year's total cut was 432,000,000.

LINDEN HILLS' NEEDS

To Be Discussed at Improvement Association Meeting. Several important matters are to come before the Linden Hills Improvement Association at its spring meeting to be held this evening at Linden Hills Congregational church. Prominent among the subjects for consideration will be the need of an addition to the schoolhouse in that district. The Linden Hills Congregational church, the only about two years old, has also outgrown its quarters and a plan for meeting the needs of both church and school will be submitted this evening. This plan provides for the erection of an addition to the church which in consideration of a prospective lease, will be built with reference to its use as a public school annex.

DR. SUTHERLAND

IS COMING HOME

His Son Brings This Word from the Isle of Pines.

Dr. O. P. Sutherland, the former alderman, expects to visit Minneapolis during the coming summer. This information is brought by the doctor's son, V. P. Sutherland, who is here with his bride on a honeymoon trip, and it is further confirmed by the doctor's wife, who says that in his letters to her he has repeatedly announced his intention to visit Minneapolis this summer.

Young Sutherland is engaged with his father in the various enterprises on the Isle of Pines. His wife is an American girl whom he met on the island.

As far as is known there are no valid indictments against the former alderman and in a few weeks he will have no cause to fear any prosecutions.

"These Go Fast." Shirts \$1, Worth \$2. Odd patterns (but good) picked from our "High Grade Stock." Hoffman's Toggery Shop, 51 & 53 4th st. S.

DON'T AGREE ON STRAYS

DOWN RIVER LUMBERMEN WANT LOGS RESEALED AT LOCAL MILLS—TERMS LIKELY TO BE REACHED.

The method of sorting logs for the local sawmills sends many logs astray. The owners here have an exchange system by which they take the logs of others, which are usually found to approach a balance at the end of the season. The river lumbermen have no way of exchanging logs and do not consider the prices paid by Minneapolis lumbermen for the stray logs which get into their ponds by mistake a fair compensation.

Disappointed over the method, the lower river log owners have organized for protection and are making an effort to compel the local lumbermen to turn out from their ponds the stray logs. Complaints, reports the Mississippi Valley Lumberman, this many of the local lumbermen claim is impracticable. The stray logs are scattered in the upper part and a strict account is kept of the destination of all logs. To turn out the stray logs would require scaling again at the mills. The plan of scaling at the upper part of the upper gage is favored by many, both local and lower river owners, but this the surveyor general insists is impracticable, owing to the expense and the rapidity with which the logs are sent to the mills.

The surveyor general is willing to re-scale at the mills to the extent of his ability if he is paid for his services. The lumbermen positively refuse to turn out any logs in their ponds. They have, however, offered to pay an reasonable price for the logs if they are sent to some satisfactory basis of settlement will be reached.

JUDGES HUNT VERMIN

They Fail to Find Interlopers in Jury Dormitories.

One by one the august members of the Hennepin district bench were guided this morning through the jury rooms of the county courthouse on a silent hunt for vermin. Each juror was armed with a rod and during the progress of the hunt put forth every energy to discover some trace of the enemy alleged to be massed in the beds where jurors slept.

Despite their best work they all returned empty-handed, but with disgusted looks on their faces. "Why there are no jurors in the United States who are as clean as the cleaner quarters than those of Hennepin county," said Judge C. B. Elliott upon his return to his courtroom. "Every one of them is as clean as the sheets and linen are all changed after each juror. A person who can live in a first-class hotel can live in a first-class jury room."

This opinion was echoed by other inspectors and somewhat soothed the greatly ruffled feelings of Custodian E. P. Sweet and the janitors who take pride in keeping their jury rooms in first-class shape.

MRS. DANIELS GETS VERDICT

Jury Awards Her \$1,200 in Suit Against Street Railway.

On the third trial, a verdict has been secured in the case of Adelaide E. M. and George F. Daniels against the Minneapolis Street Railway company for \$5,390 damages alleged to be due on the death of their son, George, sustained by Mrs. Daniels' brother-in-law, who fell from a bolt and falling from a street car. The jury, after being out for about two hours, returned a verdict of \$1,200 for Mrs. Daniels and \$800 for Mr. Daniels.

AMES NEEDS FUNDS

Seeks to Have Attachment on Home Removed.

An application to have Dr. A. A. Ames' Oak Lake property released from an attachment held by the county for the former mayor's defaulted bonds has been argued before Judge Brooks, who will give a decision in a few days. The effort for release was made by Nye and Deutsch and is for the purpose of securing funds with which to pay for the doctor's defense in the trial which will be called May 2.

SHUT DOOR ON HIS FOOT

So O. Moffet Had Hotel Clerk Arrested for Assault.

A. Moffet brought a novel charge of assault and battery against H. H. Ball in police court to-day, the assault consisting in closing a door so as to catch the complainant's foot. Moffet suffered no injury, but alleged that the door was closed so quickly that he came near falling. Both men told the same story and the case was dismissed.

WON'T ASK NEW TRIAL

Chemist Convicted of Using Mails Illegally—Pays Fine.

C. C. Holliday, of the Crown Chemical company of Minneapolis, has decided not to ask for another trial in his case. He was recently found guilty in the federal court of using the mails illegally in a sale of a medicine for women, the instructions for use telling them too explicitly how the medicine should not be used. He was fined \$75. The fine was paid.

SAY BROWN IS LEEKELY

Police Charge That He Has Been Working Forgery Game.

Richard Brown, a young man arrested yesterday in St. Paul for forgery, is known to have a long police record in that city and that his real name is Eugene Leekely and that he has been passing fraudulent checks in Minneapolis for several weeks.

WARM CONTEST

DUE OVER BRIDGE

SHALL ONE OF THE BIDDERS PREPARE SPECIFICATIONS?

Question the City Council Will Be Called Upon to Decide at Next Meeting—Flight of Local Company for Contract at an Additional Cost of \$12,000.

Lusty fighting is imminent in the city council over the attempt of the special bridge committee to turn over to one of the bidders the matter of preparing the plan and specifications for the thirty-second avenue bridge. After the lunch and dinner provided by the Minneapolis Steel and Machinery company to fifteen aldermen yesterday, the special committee listed the technical discussion on steel bridge construction and decided to readvertise for bids.

The plans of the Modern Steel Structural company of Waukegan, Wis., which presented the lowest bid of \$8,000, were attacked as not complying with the specifications. City Engineer Klinker declared that the bid was, for all practical purposes, within his specifications. These provided simply for a load of eighty pounds a square foot in the road way and 100 pounds a square foot on the sidewalks. There was sufficient metal in the plans of the Modern company to this, and while other plans called for more steel, the bridge proposed by the lowest bidder was amply strong enough for any test to which it could be subjected.

Alderman Peter McCoy, however, moved that all bids be rejected and that new ones be advertised for under the specifications of the Minneapolis Steel and Machinery company. Alderman J. H. Duryea moved to amend the motion by giving the city engineer authority to modify the plans of the Modern Steel company. There were present Aldermen Van Nest, Lane, Munn, A. S. Adams, Ryan, Gerber, Larson, McCoy, Dwyer, Durand, and Klinker.

The contest from now on is between the Modern Steel Structural company and the Minneapolis Steel & Machinery company, and the next meeting of the council, a week from to-night, will be lively. The Waukegan company offered to build the bridge for \$39,770, while the lowest bid of the local concern is \$51,444. This is a difference of \$12,000, and some of the aldermen contend that the bonus is too big a one to pay.

President D. P. Jones said to-day that if the city engineer had been correctly reported and would give it as his professional opinion that the lowest bid complied with the specifications and would give a safe bridge, there was only one course to pursue to protect the interests of the taxpayers, and that was to oppose the re-advertisement and award the contract to the lowest bidder.

City Engineer Klinker repeated to-day he said yesterday: "It makes no difference to me which company gets the plans, but I resent the charge that I need to apologize for my specifications. They are the same for all bidders and the Modern company has complied with them, to all intents and purposes. There is enough metal in the plans to carry the load specified and the charge that the material has been 'skinned down' at the expense of safety is untrue. If it is a home concern, that is another matter."

HIT RIVER UNDERGROUND

Lefty Davis, the former miller, who played with the New York American league team, has finally decided to sign with the Columbus team in the American association, and will leave for the Ohio city to-morrow.

MANHOLE DIGGERS ENCOUNTER

RUSH OF WATER 58 FEET BELOW PAVEMENT ON FOURTH STREET.

Andrew Dahlquist, the city sewer expert, is not at all discomfited by the rush of water which reached the manhole on Fourth street near First avenue S. Dahlquist has spent twenty-six years digging in and under the ground and is an expert on subterranean surgery. The water sprites have thus far been outwitted, as Dahlquist was forewarned enough to have four six-inch holes bored thru the concrete, and the water is running out that way instead of rising twenty-six feet in the manhole as would otherwise have happened.

Despite the fact that he has been blasting rock at the bottom of the hole for a week. They must still dig twenty feet thru the blue stone and then ten feet thru sandstone to reach the water. The dam the water which is rushing in, Dahlquist will sink a huge steel smokestack, extending above the possible water level. This he will fill with concrete, which will hold the water and enable the bricklayers to line the manhole to the surface. The water is supposed to come from Linden Hills and Harriet and Lake of the Isles.

THEY WOULDN'T BITE

Smooth Young Man Tries "Distant Relative" Racket on Business Men.

A well-dressed and eloquent impostor is making a tour of the office buildings of the city and attempting to work the "distant relative" racket upon those who are so unsophisticated as to desire to help a relative in distress.

Yesterday afternoon the young man visited the office of A. B. Barton, in the New York Life building, and stated that his name was Barton and that he was a far-off cousin of his. He would up by asking Mr. Barton to advance him \$5. Mr. Barton, however, does not belong to the E. Z. Mark family.

Later in the day the same young man showed up at the office of E. S. Corser, in the same building. He had assumed the name of Corser, but with this exception told the same story he had related to Barton. Corser thought he would not give his relative money, but would find lodgings for him—in the city, of course, and the same story he had related to Barton. Corser thought he would not give his relative money, but would find lodgings for him—in the city, of course, and the same story he had related to Barton.

REMEMBER—HERE

If you die, payments cease. Ask about our modern way of merchandising for the protection of families.

TRIBUTE TO OUR CHURCH

Roman Catholics Willing to Have Episcopalians Change Name. Roman Catholic clergymen of the twin cities are not disturbed by the action of the national conference of church clubs in discussing at St. Paul the proposed change of name of the Episcopal church to that of the "American Catholic church."

"It is a matter which concerns the church in question and no one else, so far as I can see," remarked one of the best known Catholic clergymen in the twin cities to-day. "I have no desire to discuss it at all." Then with a laugh he added: "After all, it is in a way a tribute to our church and the universal character of its scope and work."

NEW SPRING SHOES.

Ladies' hand-turn new spring shoes with swell kid tops; fine \$3.00 shoes—



Ladies' shoe vici kid shoes with flexible soles, stylish spring styles, worth \$2.50, Saturday..... \$1.50

Ladies' \$1.50 low shoes on sale Saturday..... 98c

Ladies' new patent colt lace bluchers with stylish high Cuban heels, the \$4 kind..... \$2.85

Ladies' new swell tan Russian calf oxfords, the new thing, Saturday..... \$2.50

Ladies' patent leather and kid bow slippers..... 69c

Ladies' kid house slippers..... 33c

Ladies' kid strap sandal slippers..... 49c

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Child's kid lace shoe, sizes 9 to 11..... 57c
Child's lace shoes, spring heel, sizes 5 to 8..... 39c
Infants' kid shoes, sizes 2 to 5..... 25c
Little Gents' calf, low heel shoes, sizes 9 to 13..... 69c
Boys' \$1.50 calf lace shoe, sizes to 6..... 95c
Boys' grain seamless, can't rip shoe, sizes to 5, Saturday..... \$1.25
Little Gents' vici lace shoe, sizes 9 to 13, worth \$1.50, at..... 98c

- Men's double sole calf shoe, worth \$2.00, at..... \$1.50
Men's box calf Blucher lace, extra solid shoe, worth \$2.25, Saturday..... \$1.65
Men's new box calf vici kid enamel and patent leather shoe, worth \$3.00..... \$1.98
Men's fine \$3.50 genuine Goodyear welt shoe, in patent leather calf and vici kid, now..... \$2.45
Men's fine \$2.50 vici kid shoe, new dull kid top..... \$1.85
Men's Peerless \$1.50 calf shoe, Saturday..... 98c

HE COPIED VICES OF CELL MATES

PECULIAR CASE OF INSANITY IN POLICE COURT.

James Davidson's Mother Says She Thoughtlessly Committed Him to a Reformatory Where He Parted with Both His Wits and His Virtues.

James Davidson, suffering from a peculiar dementia caused by being confined in a reformatory with thieves, when he was young, was in police court to-day on a charge of vagrancy. His mother promised to take care of him and he was allowed to go.

Mrs. Davidson's story to the court was a peculiar one. She says that when James was a small boy he became involved in mischief and before she knew what she was about she had signed papers for his commitment to a reformatory in Nebraska. While there he became demented and, being associated chiefly with young thieves, the disease naturally developed into kleptomania.

When he was discharged from the place, she said, nothing could keep him from following a roving life, which finally brought him terms at St. Cloud and Stillwater for robbery. Davidson and his mother arrived in St. Paul yesterday, coming from Denver, where he had been treated for his mania. When he was alighted from the train he ran toward the river and disappeared. He came immediately to Minneapolis and was picked up by an officer last night while lurking in the alley back of the North Star shoe factory.

COLUMBUS GETS DAVIS

FAST OUTFIELDER AT LAST DECIDES TO SIGN A CONTRACT WITH THE OHIO CLUB.

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BLIND PIG WAR IN THE MIDWAY

Plate Glass Window of Blind Pig Raider Smashed With Beer Bottle.

War has been declared between two factions at Merriam Park. The first guns were fired last night when some unknown persons, supposedly agents of the Midway blindpiggers, with a beer bottle, smashed a large plate glass window in the residence of F. W. Buswell, 441 Lynhurst avenue. Mrs. Buswell was at home alone and was badly frightened by the crash.

A week ago a citizens' committee, of which Mr. Buswell was a member, raised several blind pigs in the Midway district, arrested six proprietors and confiscated nearly \$3,000 worth of liquor. At that time one of the proprietors declared he would get even with the crusaders, and he broke a window and the fragments of the beer bottle are evidence that an attempt has been made to carry out the threat.

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A BARGAIN EITHER WAY

If it rains you'll want one of our \$3.50 Umbrellas that we are selling for..... \$2.19

If it is bright and fair you should take advantage of our glove bargain; \$1.50 Gamossi Pique Dipped Glove for..... \$1.19

THIS IS THE STORY:

We explained last Monday evening all about the \$1.50 quality Gamossi Pique Dipped Stock Gloves that we are selling for \$1.19. We have them in all colors, and ladies who have purchased declare they are the best looking and most comfortable glove they have ever had. A clear saving of 31 cents on every pair.

Then the Umbrellas

Just fancy a high grade pure silk Umbrella, in blue, green, red, brown and black, with very stylish borders, imported boxwood and furze handles; may be used for sunshine or rain; guaranteed waterproof..... \$2.19 and fast colors; regular \$3.50 goods, for..... \$2.19

Our Umbrella Repair Dept.