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It pays to get the best in taking out an accident insurance policy, and there is nothing better than the policy issued by the

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Protects you in case of Accident, Sickness and Surgeon's Fees. The insured has the option of a weekly indemnity or a lump payment at time of accident.

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Protects yourself against accident and disease as well as your beneficiary against accidents. The cost is comparatively cheap; the company of the highest standing.

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12-k. Guaranteed 15-year Spectacles, filled after Christmas if desired. \$3.50

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Opera Glasses, Spy Glasses, Field Glasses.

We are on the second floor and our rent is low. Therefore, we can give you better goods at lower prices.

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To please their many patrons, beginning Sunday, Dec. 18,

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will serve a Table d'Hote Dinner every evening from 6 to 8, in Main Dining Room.

PRICE 75 CENTS

Music by Danz's Orchestra

A GOOD XMAS GIFT

A Lead to a Lot in LYNNHURST

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Joe Lovera's PUBLICOS, 2 for 25c

Cut to... 25 box \$2.50

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CITY NEWS

TOWN TALK

EVENTS OF TONIGHT

Metropolitan Theater—"York State Folks." Orpheum Theater—Modern vaudeville. Bijou Theater—"The Waifs' Paradise."

The Violet Ray ad in the Personal Column will tell.

Read The Bushlers ad under Personal and Female Help column.

Chadbourne & Braden write fire insurance. Both telephones, 1219.

For Rent—First-class office in Oneida block. Title Insurance & Trust Co.

Christmas Trees, Holly and Greens. Northern King & Co., Edge Square.

Andrews' Hot-Water Heating systems make home comfortable. 293 Henn. av.

Christmas jewelry and novelties. John S. Allen, Guaranty bldg., open evenings.

Blind Manufacturing company has opened temporary offices, room 633, Guaranty Loan building.

The leathers used in the bags this year are of the best. See everything in leather at Barnum's, 715 Nicollet.

Do you play golf? Barnum has golf trunks and caddy bags and golf attachments for his wardrobe trunk. They are fine as presents.

Subscriptions to all magazines and papers taken to the Century News Store, 6 Third street S., near Hennepin avenue, will receive prompt service.

Professor George R. Kirkpatrick of Chicago will speak at Holcomb's hall, 45 Fourth street S., Sunday at 3 p.m.

The unfortunate victim in yesterday's murder-suicide tragedy had \$5,000 accident policy in the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance company. Offices, 1000-1006 Guaranty Loan building.

Lost—In September or October, either in street or street car, a gold belt buckle in form of figure eight, set with diamonds.

Dean William S. Pattee of the University of Minnesota law school will address the meeting for men tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. on "Respect of Law."

Opera glasses, spy glasses, field glasses and a complete check of all tobacco and cigars at hand in the factories of Minneapolis.

The Misses Harrington, milliners, have moved to Mendell's old store on Sixth street. They had intended to retire from business, but after twenty years of success found it impossible to break the ties and now will continue in their new store, along some lines as before.

Holiday novelties, perfume, imported bonbons, Lorraine H. Morton, 329 Nicollet.

John Maddock will give a lecture tomorrow night at the meeting of the Liberal League at Cedar camp hall, Two-and-a-half street and Cedar avenue.

At a regular meeting of the Court of Foresters, the following officers were elected: F. Dolan, C. D. Charles, M. A. S. James, C. W. Chapman, R. S. Joseph, J. M. DeWitt, F. S. W. Dalton, treasurer; E. Gardner, orator; William C. S. W. C. Daniels, J. W. Joseph, Fairley, S. B. Kirby, J. B. T. Stank and F. Eaton, trustees; Dr. J. Long, E. Nymnover, finance committee; J. McDermott, delegate to H. C.

Dovre edge, No. 3, Sons of Norway, has elected the following officers: President, Peder Pedersen; vice president, H. Holey; examining physician, Dr. Thorvald Thorsken; corresponding secretary, O. Hoff; financial secretary, M. J. Lysses; treasurer, John Meland; reporter, Edw. O. Indahl; marshal, C. O. Johanson; inside guard, Christ Waage. Seven new members were initiated and three applications for membership were read and acted on.

The lodge will give a Christmas festival Dec. 27 at Odd Fellows' hall, corner Fourth street and Central avenue.

LET THE JOURNAL HELP

When The Journal has given to you the last word about the events of the day—when it has acted as a sort of central office in "connecting" you with "all of creation"—it has done much for you, of course.

But it can do more than that. It can carry your "little worries" for you—and never turn a hair. You do not fully use your Journal if you simply read it. You don't really know your Journal until you read the "What's in It for Me" column.

It can dispose of things for you—it can secure things for you. It can find lost things for you, find any kind of help you need, find buyers for your house, your lot, your horse, your furniture, your shop or store, leasehold or interest or equity.

In short, any day, every day, The Journal stands ready and able to DO THINGS FOR YOU!

Twin Cities to Winnipeg, Man. Low Round-trip Holiday Rates.

From St. Paul, \$14.55; from Minneapolis, \$14.25. Tickets on sale Dec. 21st to 25th inclusive and 28th to Jan. 1st inclusive, good to return Jan. 31, 1905. Ticket office 119 Third street S.

FLOSSIE WAS IN LAUNDRY BUNDLE

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE OF FOX TERRIER EXPLAINED.

Ten Hours Later the Pet Was Saved from a Disastrous Laundering by the Opportune Arrival of the Rescue Party—Another Case of All's Well That Ends Well.

If a cat has nine lives how many lives does a fox terrier possess? This is the question formulated by two Minneapolis citizens in different walks in life. One of them is William J. Barnidge, a well-known business man, the other is Charles Falconer, a collector of soiled linen and purveyor of cleaned clothes.

"Barney," being possessed of a thrifty turn, is the landlord of a laundry at 940-42 Fourth avenue S. Likewise he is the husband of an affectionate wife, and the father of a 5-year-old daughter, surnamed, Gladys. In the possession of Gladys is a youthful and irresponsible fox terrier called Flossie.

Each Tuesday morning Mrs. Barnidge makes a bundle of the week's laundry work by tying a sheet around it, and Mrs. Falconer carries it up and goes upon his way. This custom was duly observed Tuesday morning, Gladys being in school and Flossie being unaccountably absent.

About 4 o'clock in the afternoon Gladys returned from school and started her mother by ear-piercing yells for Flossie. Instantly a relief expedition was formed and went in search of the missing pet. Upstairs and downstairs and in the boarders' chambers, wandered the relief column, but aside from the noise made by the tramping army, the house was strangely silent.

At last, inspiration coming upon the heels of despair, the entire party jumped to the same conclusion: "Flossie has gone with the laundry."

A hurry-up call was sent to the Falconer laundry, but Charles and his wagon were still penetrating the landscape. It was 6 o'clock when man and wagon arrived at the laundry, after an all-day drive and a "feed" at Cedar Lake.

When the seething mob about the laundry entrance had made intelligible the burden of its wail, Falconer began tearing frantically thru the wagonload of bundles. At the bottom of the heap lay the Barnidge bundle, wrapped and quiescent. A rapid untying of knots, a quick unfolding of sheets, pillowcases, napkins and the like—and with a snort and a jerk, out popped the diminutive Flossie, greatly refreshed by her 10-hour nap.

"Which reminds me," said Mr. Barnidge, "that Bert Young once told me that the good dog had pointed out to K. Jerome—whoever he is—once said that the average foxterrier has ten times the usual amount of original sin."

The Plymouth Exclusive Linen Laundry Established 1893. The cleanest laundry. No underwear, hosiery or other general laundry work admitted. Operated exclusively for shirts, collars and cuffs, on the 7th floor of our own building. Clean hand-dyed collars and cuffs finished equal to new.

And every \$5 worth of paid laundry slips will entitle you to five new collars, "Lion Brand," until Mar. 1. Free.

FOR JUVENILE COURTS

JUDGE TIMOTHY HURLEY WILL DELIVER A SERIES OF ADDRESSES IN MINNEAPOLIS TONIGHT AND TOMORROW.

Judge Timothy Hurley of Chicago, the noted advocate of the juvenile court law, will be a Minneapolis guest tonight and Sunday. Today he has been in St. Paul where he addressed the Commercial club at noon. This evening he will be the guest of the public affairs committee of the Minneapolis Commercial club at dinner.

At 8 o'clock he will attend a meeting at the home of Miss Emma G. Crosby, 624 Tenth street S., at which the members of the Hennepin county legislative delegation will be present.

The law which it is proposed to introduce in Minnesota is similar to the Iowa measure, except that it will include the provision of the Colorado law, which permits, in cases where parents fail to properly care for or control their children, to hale the parents themselves before the court.

This proposed Minnesota measure will be applicable to only three cities in the state—Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth.

UNIONS HAVE SHRUNK

Decrease Reported in Membership of Local Labor Organizations.

Membership in the Minneapolis labor unions has decreased and membership in the St. Paul unions has increased since the biennial report compiled by John O'Donnell, state labor commissioner, in 1902. These figures are given in statistics compiled for the report of 1904. The loss in membership in Minneapolis has been more than 2,000.

The loss in Minneapolis is charged to the unsuccessful strike by the domestic mill employees. It is also stated that efforts to obtain data were in many cases unsuccessful, as the men in many of the mills refuse to disclose the national association with which they are affiliated or the number of men enrolled in the local unions.

The increase in St. Paul is assigned to natural growth. The total number of men in the St. Paul unions was found to be 9,474, showing an increase of 2,320 since 1902.

BITTER AGAINST WIFE St. Paul Suicide Claimed She Caused All His Trouble.

Richard M. Johnson, 68 years old, committed suicide in his wife's roominghouse, 25 East Tenth street, St. Paul, yesterday, by shooting himself. He left the following note to explain his actions: "I have nothing to live for. All I have got for the last twenty-five years is abuse from my family, and my wife is the cause of all the trouble. God never created a bigger devil than my wife, that I have lived with for forty years." Mrs. Johnson said that her husband had been feeble-minded for several years and was given to the use of drugs. He leaves two sons and a daughter.

WANT MEMBERS PUT ON GUARD

SENATOR CLAPP'S FRIENDS FIND OFFICEHOLDERS A HANDICAP.

Reorganization at the Headquarters Is Likely—Some Clapp Legislators Be Called In—Congressman Buckman Confers With Senator's Managers.

Senator Clapp's friends in the legislature are about to force a reorganization of his campaign. They find that the members resent the active part now taken by federal officeholders, who are the most conspicuous workers for Clapp, and always in evidence about the headquarters.

It is understood that by Monday, one or two actual members of the legislature will be pressed into service to remain at the headquarters and meet newcomers. There were no outside members in evidence this morning.

Congressman Buckman and former Senator Duggerthy of Duluth called at Clapp headquarters. The Little Falls congressman is a strong Clapp man. He has little to say for publication, and declines to express himself on railroad legislation.

Judge Gilligan spent the afternoon at the headquarters, being accompanied by Captain S. P. Snider. W. W. Bardwell remains in charge.

TO TRY DRAWBACK PLAN

WASHBURN-CROSBY COMPANY LIKELY TO ABANDON THE MORE CUMBERSOME BONDING METHOD.

The Washburn-Crosby company will probably begin grinding Canadian wheat here shortly, under the drawback plan. This company was the pioneer in the American invasion of the Canadian wheat market two years ago.

At present the Buffalo mill of the company is working on Canadian wheat under the bonding arrangement. The company has meanwhile been watching the progress of the application of the Pillsbury-Washburn company for drawback privileges and William H. Dunwoody, vice president of the Washburn-Crosby company, says that as it promises to entail less governmental detail work, his mills will abandon the bonding plan and grind under the drawback ruling, once it is demonstrated that there is advantage in so doing.

The company may wait, however, for the attorney general to pass upon the matter of mixing Canadian and American wheats before deciding.

Twenty-six cars of Manitoba wheat landed up this morning. The conservative market not only held yesterday's advance to \$1.12 1/4 for May wheat, but gained another cent to \$1.13 1/4. A majority at the Chamber of Commerce believes the department ruling a bull factor in wheat, altho on the face it looks weakening.

Foss "Quality" Chocolates. 25c to 50c the box. A. D. Thompson Drug Company.

TO PROBE WELLS CASE

DEAN DICKINSON OF THE DENTAL COLLEGE AT THE UNIVERSITY DEMANDS AN INVESTIGATION.

All the facts concerning the death of Fred Wells, concerning which several sensational stories have been afloat, will come out in a full investigation demanded by Dr. W. P. Dickinson, dean of the dental college at the university. Dr. Dickinson is wrought up over the alleged rough treatment undergone by Wells at the dental dispensary, and which seemed to reflect upon the university.

Dr. Dickinson will demand an investigation of which all the facts concerning Wells' death and the operation preceding it, will be brought out. It was first announced that Wells had committed suicide, but later developments indicated that death had resulted from his inability to overcome the shock experienced in undergoing a dental operation.

Wells himself, before his death, told of the awful pain he had endured. He claimed he had been three hours in the hands of students.

As a matter of fact, Wells was not treated at the dental department of the university nor by any attaché of that department. His case was handled by the homeopathic department of the university free dispensary on Washington avenue S. No extensive dental operations are performed there, but there are some extractions made.

He was informed, as he said, and as some weakness of the heart developed, he was given a stimulant and went away apparently all right. An investigation will show whether the case was properly handled.

REWARD OFFERED

"A liberal reward will be paid for information locating Teddy German. Age 16, height 5 feet 6 inches, slightly stooped, hair very light brown, parted center, blonde complexion, blue eyes, lips full, gold filling in front teeth straight across near gums, scar on little finger right hand. Probably from the neighborhood of Greenwald in Minneapolis Nov. 18, buying shoes and clothing. Had a Rival bicycle, which he would probably try to sell."

—F. G. German, Duluth, Minn.

See Line Holiday Excursion Rates.

A rate of one fare for the round trip between St. Paul and Minneapolis on Dec. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30 and 31, and Jan. 1, 1905. Return limit Jan. 3, 1905. Ticket office, 119 S Third street.

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BROWN INCLUDED IN THE AMNESTY

SIX INDICTMENTS NOLLED BY JUDGE ELLIOTT YESTERDAY.

For the First Time in Two Years the Criminal Calendar of the District Court Is Clean of Indictments Against Men Connected with the Ames Graft Regime.

Charles H. Brown is a free man, and after over two years the criminal calendar of the district court is wiped clean of indictments against men accused of participation in the Ames graft regime.

There were six indictments against Brown, charging him with misappropriation of public funds and the falsification of public records while book-keeper of the poor department and directly under W. H. Johnson. All of these were nolleed by Judge C. B. Elliott yesterday afternoon upon the motion of Assistant County Attorney C. S. Jelley.

These cases have dragged along for several months and have occasioned the assistant county attorney considerable worry. Brown made a "get-away" about the time of his indictment. He only returned as a witness against W. H. Johnson. On the stand in that trial he confessed to the crimes which he had at first tried to lay on the defendant. He was immediately arrested on several counts. He gave bail.

Altho bound by no promise, the county attorney felt, in a measure, as though there was an unwritten and unspoken promise of immunity for Brown when he returned to testify for the state, and this feeling has resulted in yesterday's motion.

PRISONERS ARRAIGNED

All Plead Not Guilty and Their Cases Are Continued.

Prisoners arraigned on twenty-two indictments before Judge C. B. Elliott yesterday all pleaded not guilty and their cases were continued over the term. John Dusenbery led the list and pleaded guilty to three bills charging grand larceny and five charging burglary. Bail was fixed at \$3,000. Other defendants were:

Patrick Paley, robbery. Bail \$750. George Markor, Andrew W. Holmes, Edward Johnson and Harry Gilmore, grand larceny and burglary. Bail, \$1,000 each.

John Kankeo, grand larceny. Bail \$500. Peter McKay, assault. Bail, \$600. Thomas Quigley, grand larceny. Bail, \$750.

Andrew Solstad, grand larceny. Bail, \$750. John Kendrick, grand larceny and burglary. Bail, \$750.

William Moore, three indictments charging grand larceny in the first degree. Bail, \$1,000.

Hill Rejoices Over Acquittal. Max W. Hill was acquitted by a jury in Judge Elliott's court yesterday afternoon. The defendant was indicted on a charge of having embezzled \$619 from Colonel Frank M. Joyce.

Charles Markor, Andrew W. Holmes, Edward Johnson and Harry Gilmore, grand larceny and burglary. Bail, \$1,000 each.

State Sues the N. P. The state of Minnesota has brought suit for \$1,580 damages against the Northern Pacific Railway company. It is claimed by the plaintiff that, in raising its tracks near the St. Cloud reformatory last year, the defendant company failed to properly construct its culverts and that the water has leaked out and damaged the fields and gardens of the reformatory.

J. M. DICKEY PROMOTED

He Becomes First Assistant District Attorney, Succeeding Al Smith.

J. M. Dickey, who has been assistant to Charles Hoy, the state attorney, for several years, was yesterday appointed first assistant district attorney of Hennepin county to succeed Al J. Smith, resigned. Mr. Smith was elected county attorney on the republican ticket. The appointment of Mr. Dickey meets with the enthusiastic support of the officers of the court.

TO UNVEIL MEMORIAL

McKnight Window a Gift to Westminster Church.

Tomorrow at Westminster church the memorial window to Mrs. Sumner T. McKnight will be unveiled. Dr. J. E. Bushnell will make a speech of acceptance of the gift. In this he will explain the symbolism of the subject. Following this the quartet will sing a memorial hymn.

The window is from the Tiffany studio in New York and is a copy of Guido Reni's "Angel of the Annunciation" in the Quinal at Rome.

Your Credit Is Good at the New England



Complete List of the One Hundred (100) Leaders to Date in New England Junior Salesmen's Contest No. 3.

Table with columns for Name, Sales, and Rank. Lists names like Edwin James, George Gallagher, Ray Cowan, etc., with their respective sales figures and ranks.

The Coming Week is probably the best week of the whole year for our Junior Salesmen. There are Ten (10) Weeks yet remaining for work in Contest No. 3, but the Coming Week is the Best of all. Don't fail to call for all the Cards you want. They cost you nothing.

NEW ENGLAND Furniture & Carpet Co.

The One-Price Complete Housefurnishers, 5th St., 6th St. and 1st Av. S.

A public subscription has been started in the Grand Stand building, the raised cut-rate in Zealand, in which the czar Peter the Great lived when he was working as a navy in the docks.

Christmas Hints

Gifts that Would Be Acceptable. ANYONE could be made happy with a handsome toilet article. Their beauty and utility both recommend such gifts as these:

- Hand and face wood hand mirrors, \$5 and \$3.50. Nail brushes, 25c to \$2.50. Manicure sets, three pieces, with ebony, natural ebony and pearl handles, \$1.25 to \$2. Celluloid dressing combs, assorted colors, 45c. Hard rubber combs, 25c to \$1.25. Whisk brushes with ebony handles, 60c. Men's traveling toilet cases, \$5 to \$10. Shaving brushes, 50c to \$2.00. Something for baby's presents: toilet sets, three pieces, 75c. Infant's celluloid toilet sets, five pieces, in case, \$2.50.

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