CITY NEWS

THE WEATHER

Forecast.

Minnesota—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday with showers in south and west portions; variable winds, mostly easterly. Upper Michigan—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday with showers in south portion; light to fresh variable winds. Wisconsin—Showers tonight and Thursday; variable winds, shifting to fresh easterly. Iowa—Showers tonight and Thursday; variable winds. North and South Dakota and Montana—Local rains tonight and Thursday; variable winds. During the last twenty-four hours local rains have occurred in the middle western and southwestern states, the heaviest rainfalls, 1.36 and 1.14 inches, being reported at Concordia, Kan., and Rosewell N. M., respectively. Temperature changes have been slight. Local rains will continue in the Missouri valley and the middle west, and will extend over the upper Mississippi valley and the western lake region during the next thirty-six hours. Temperature changes will not be marked.

Weather Conditions.

The temperature changes during the past twenty-four hours have been insignificant in all parts of the country. Rains have fallen since yesterday morning in southwestern Minnesota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Colorado, northern Kansas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, the southeastern states, northwestern North Dakota, northern and western Montana and at scattering points along Lake Michigan. Clear weather is reported in eastern North Dakota and the northern half of Minnesota, and cloudy weather in South Dakota and southern Minnesota, with fog this morning at St. Paul and La Crosse. The high pressure is moving slowly eastward.

—T. S. Outram, Section Director.

Weather Now and Then.

Today, maximum 78, minimum 55 degrees; a year ago, maximum 78, minimum 62 degrees.

AROUND THE TOWN

Body Found in River.—The body of an unidentified man, devoid of clothing, was found near the Tenth avenue bridge at noon and taken to the county morgue.

Church Made Defendant.—Morris Schumacher has begun suit in the district court to collect $933 from the First German Baptist church of Minneapolis. The plaintiff claims that the above amount is due him on account for building the church.

Frank Wisner Insane.—Frank F. Wisner, formerly treasurer at the Lyceum theater and arrested Sunday at Red Wing, was declared insane today by Court Commissioner Bates and two doctors. He will be taken to St. Peter tonight.

Takes Eastern Journey.—John S. Bradstreet leaves tonight via the Soo for Boston and Seal Harbor, Maine, and in leaving he desires to express his high appreciation of the unusual and continued thoughtfulness of his friends during the past three months. With renewed health and strength he hopes soon to make a more personal acknowledgement.

NECROLOGIC

EMILY PRATT FENALSON, died at her home in Bloomington, Minn., Tuesday, July 25. She was 78 years old and was born in Chester county, Maine. She was married to Ellis S. Fenlason in Maine and moved to Minnesota in 1866. She was the mother of nine children, four of whom are living. The interment will be at Layman's cemetery.

HARRIET E. RIEHL, aged 74, died today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John H. Steele, 1930 Girard avenue S, of paralysis. The funeral will be held at 2:30 p.m. Friday from the residence, with burial at Layman's cemetery. Mrs. Riehl came with her husband, Conrad Riehl, from Massachusetts in 1856.

WALLACE GILBERT SAWYER, for many years a resident of Minnesota, died suddenly of heart disease at Newport, Ark., on July 15. He left a wife, two sons and a daughter. The burial service, which was private, was read at Lakewood cemetery, Minneapolis.

SUSIE M. VETTER, 48 years old, died at the family residence, 2019 Colfax avenue S, July 25. She is survived by her husband, George Vetter. Funeral Thursday at 2:30 p.m. from the residence. Interment at Lakewood.

J. SPENCER BUCHANAN, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Buchanan, died Sunday, July 23, aged 16 years. The funeral was held from the family residence, 2440 Portland avenue, on Monday. Interment at Lakewood.

MRS. T. F. DWYER died Tuesday morning at the family residence, 408 East Fifteenth street. Funeral from the residence Thursday at 2 p.m.

INDIAN POPULATION IN MINNESOTA GROWS

Minnesota's Indian population has increased the past five years nearly 50 per cent, contrary to the general belief that the Indians are dying off.

In 1900 the total Indian population was 6,942. It is announced today by the census bureau as 10,225, an increase of 3,283. The comparison by reservations is shown as follows:

Reservation—	1905.	1900.	Increase.
White Earth	4,968	3,486	1,482
Leech Lake	1,920	1,001	919
Fond du Lac	886	367	519
Bois Fort	762	530	232
Grand Portage	362	108	254
Red Lake	1,327	1,450	*123
Totals	10,225	6,942	

Increase, 3,283.

*Decrease.

CONTRACT LET

Foundry Building at Columbia Heights Provided for.

R. McMillan & Co., of this city today closed a contract with Orme & Sons of St. Paul, for the erection of a foundry at Columbia Heights. This firm has been obliged to increase its plant and has come to the conclusion that Minneapolis is the proper place in which to develop. The main foundry building will be 54x154 feet and will cost several thousands.

A permit for remodeling the block at 804-806 Nicollet avenue, was taken out today by the Nicollet Land company. The work will cost $15,000.

DRUG CLERKS PICNIC

Big Outing Planned for Wildwood Next Friday.

Minnesota retail drug clerks will hold their fourth annual picnic, Friday, at Wildwood. The day will be filled with an interesting program of sports and amusements. There is to be a baseball game, for blood, between the Minneapolis and St. Paul clerks. Each team will be assisted by a trained corps of mascots and rooters. Drug clerks from all parts of the state will attend.

Inventors
America's Best 10c Cigar.

BIG INCREASE IN CITY'S VALUATION

ASSESSOR EXPECTS TOTAL TO REACH $137,000,000.

New Buildings Mean an Increase of a Million on Real Estate, While Heavy Additions Are Being Made to Personal Property Assessments by Assessor and City Board

The total assessed valuation of taxable property in Minneapolis is likely to reach $137,000,000. City Assessor C. J. Minor cannot say definitely what the figures will be, as hardly any opportunity is offered to obtain them, but the work indicates that there will be substantial increase. There will, of course, be a natural increase in the real estatae assessment from new buildings. This increase will amount to $1,000,000 at least, an dmay run considerably over.

The success of the deputy assessors in finding personal property not hitherto assessed indicates that there will be an increase of between three and four millions in this class of property.

A year ago Mr. Minor and the city board of equalization fixed the real estate assessment at $96,800,000, but the state board of equalization made an increase to $101,700,000. Those figures must stand and to this amount must be added at least $1,000,000 for improvements during the past year.

Personal Property Valuation.

The personal-property assessment for Minneapolis was raised by the state board from $30,900,000 to $33,900,000 after deducting the exemptions. Mr. Minor has ignored the state board and is making the assessment according to his own convictions and the rules adopted a year ago. It looks as tho there would be an increase of more than $3,500,000. From this it would appear that when the figures finally go to the state board of equalization, the grand total will be close to $137,000,000, or a net increase of about $1,250,000 over the amount which the state board established as the proper valuation for Minneapolis, the exact amount being $135,708,902.

At a meeting of the city board of equalization this morning Mr. Minor submitted a list of about 150 of the largest taxpayers in the city, with the new valuations on personal property. Following are some of the larger assessments:

Minneapolis Street Railway company	$3,666,000
Minneapolis General Electric	425,000
Minneapolis Gas Light company	817,000
Pillsbury-Washburn Flour Mill company	565,000
Washburn-Crosby company	495,000
Northwestern Consolidated Milling company	350,000

The wheat in terminal elevators is assessed at $2,000,000, and the amount of logs ann dlumber is about 400,000,000 feet, but no value has yet been placed on them, as the work is not completed.

Hoff's New Laundry, 722-724 1st Av. S. Collars, 1c; Cuffs, 1c; Shirts, 10c. Try it. Hoffman's—3 Stores.

HOURS ARE NUMBERED FOR BELOVED BISHOP

Bishop Joyce's span of life is short. He is much worse today and the attending physician has told the immediate family that the bishop may last a day or two, or may go tonight. He has been unconscious since yesterday and last night had a marked sinking spell. Mrs. Joyce and the family of her son, Col. Frank M. Joyce, were prepared for almost momentary dissolution of the distinguished churchman.

Preparations have already been made, owing to Bishop Joyce's illness, for care of the two Minnesota conferences. Bishop W. F. McDowell of Chicago will preside at the Minnesota conference and Bishop J. F. Berry at the Northern Minnesota conference.

STRUCK BY CAR

Young Woman Steps in Front and Is Hurled to Ground.

Helma Thompson, 249 Aldrich avenue N, was run down and seriously injured by a streetcar at 6 o'clock last evening at Nicollet avenue and Fourteenth street.

Miss Thompson is employed at the Modern laundry at Franklin and Fourth avenues S, and was on her way home. She stepped in front of a car as she crossed Nicollet, and in her haste to get out of the way, stepped in front of another one coming from the opposite direction. Altho the car was going at slow speed she was knocked down and dragged several feet.

She was picked up unconscious and carried into a nearby house, where she was attended by Dr. Harry C. Tuke. Her left arm was fractured and she was badly bruised about the head.

Later in the evening she was taken to her home. She will recover.

The motorman on the car that injured her said that he rang his bell several times, but that she did not appear to hear it. She was but a few feet from him when he first saw her.

HONORED IN LONDON

Dr. Crandall Takes Leading Part in Baptist World Congress.

Word has been received that Dr. L. A. Crandall, pastor of Trinity Baptist church, who recently went to London as a delegate to the Baptist world congress, received many honors by the congress and the Baptists of London. He preached in the Hampstead Baptist church, one of the largest and most influential Baptist churches in London; was made a member of the leading committees, and is chairman of the committee to consider the subject of a permanent Baptist world congress. His addresses were enthusiastically received and he was asked to make the closing address of the congress.

S. H. HALL VERY LOW

Well-Known Business Man Not Expected to Live.

S. H. Hall, the well-known commission man and member of the Commercial club, lies at the point of death at his home, 501 Ridgewood avenue. For fifteen weeks Mr. Hall has been ill with typhoid fever. On April 11 he left his business, not having felt well for two weeks previous. The long siege has proved a telling one on his strength, and today there appears to be little hope of his recovery, altho the attendants noted a rally in their patient this morning.

MARGIN IS CLOSE

Secretary L. A. Ridgway of the park board prepared a semi-annual financial report, the business being carried to July 15. There is estimated to be available for the year $179,368, of which $114,000 has already been expended. Of the remaining $64,586, $38,000 will be needed for maintenance and $17,350 for permanent improvements already ordered. This includes an item of $8,700 for the bridge across the street railway tracks at Queen avenue S, which many people believe the street railway company will be compelled to build.

MAYOR FAVORS WOMEN'S CLUBS

DISAGREES WITH THE IDEAS OF GROVER CLEVELAND.

Chief Executive Officer of Minneapolis Extends Greetings to Convention of the Afro-American Women's State Federation Says He Believes Women's Organizations Are Proper.

Mayor D. P. Jones defended women's clubs in no uncertain fashion this morning and announced that he was glad to have the opportunity to express his sentiments. The first annual convention of the newly organized Afro-American Women's State Federation of Minnesota opened this morning at Bethesda Baptist church, and was given a hearty and appreciative welcome by Mayor Jones.

"I take direct issue with those who attack the club movement as not along the line of the best home building," said he. "I do not believe that club influences tend to undermine the power and influence of women in the home. I think anything which quickens women's mental powers and broadens their horizons makes them better mothers and better home makers. These things give them a broader foundation on which to build a better social and economic life which will result in better citizenship. I decry earnestly the idea that the club movement is anything but helpful and elevating to the home and to child life."

A welcome was also given by Rev. M. W. Withers, pastor of the church, and the more formal greeting was voiced by Mrs. Lizzie Hardin. Mrs. L. F. Colby of Duluth responded.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. I. E. Gibbs. A report was read by the secretary of the meeting for organization. Eleven clubs were represented by 85 delegates. The federation now numbers 19 clubs, and a total attendance of 150 delegates is expected. The following convention committees were named.

Credentials—Mmes. Kittie Terril, M. Neal, L. Truesdale, D. Simpson and M. Joyce. Courtesies — Mmes. Blanche Charlestown, Saunders and Daisy Simpson. Resolutions—Mmes. Jennie Watson, Shewood and Dyer, Minneapolis; Jackson, Adams and Isabelle Simpson of St. Paul. Press—Mmes. Withers, Truesdale and Crane. Auditing—Mmes. Pettis, Kirtley, Neal and Holder.

Guests of Honor.

The special guests of the convention were introduced, Mrs. Lucy Thurman, president of the Michigan State Federation, and Mrs. Carrie Clifford, honorary president of the Ohio federation. Mrs. Thurman has also been for many years an organizer for the national W. C. T. U., and is head of its department of work among colored women. She devotes most of her time to this work, spending six months of every year in the south.

The greateast need Mrs. Thurman says she finds today which can be met by the colored women and their friends is for day nurseries and kindergartens in the south, where the poorer women are generally wage-earners and have to take care of their children as best they can.

This afternoon a program of reports and papers was given, with an informal reception and a luncheon served by the ladies of the church during the noon recess. This evening there will be a program of addresses by Rev. R. E. Wilson, W. R. Morris, Mrs. Mary L. Joyce and Mrs. I. E. Gibbs, who will give her annual address as president. This will be followed by a public reception. There will be three sessions tomorrow and Mrs. Thurman and Mrs. Clifford will speak tomorrow night.

Concerning Shoes "Crawford's" $3.50 Low Shoes, now $2.85. Hoff's 3 Stores.

DAYS FULL OF PLEASURE

OPTICIANS KEPT GOING ON SIGHT-SEEING TRIPS BETWEEN CONVENTION SESSIONS.

C. A. SNELL, MINNEAPOLIS,
Secretary American Association of Opticians.

The visiting opticians attending the convention of the American Association of Opticians are finding their time well filled with the business sessions and social features that have been arranged. During the four days' stay they are to visit all the lakes and points of interest in addition to the regular work of the convention, and, as one of the delegates puts it, "We are kept on the jump all the time."

One of the most important discussions of the convention has been along a line of securing legislation in every state increasing the requirements for practicing opticians.

Tomorrow a clinic will be conducted by Chalmers Prentice, M.D., of Chicago, assisted by H. P. Holmes, president of the association. All persons suffering from stammering, asthma, chora, St. Vitus dance, partial deafness and similar diseases are invited to present themselves as subjects. The clinic will be held at the West hotel at the morning session.

This afternoon and evening the visitors visit Minnehaha and Fort Snelling. Tomorrow afternoon the entire convention will adjourn to Minnetonka for the afternoon. A steamer tour of the lake has been arranged, and dinner will be served at Tonka Bay hotel.

WILL SELECT PLANS

Soldiers' Home Board Will Decide About Woman's Building.

The Minnesota Soldiers' Home board will meet tomorrow at the home and decide which one of the seven sets of plans for the woman's building at the home shall be accepted. The board has an appropriation of $75,000 with which to erect and furnish the building.

The flowering evergreen, camelia, was brought from Japan by a Spanish Jesuit named Kamel; hence the name.

"BELL HOPS" ARE HIGH-BORN LADS

JAPS IN ST. PAUL HOTEL CONSORT WITH KAMURA PARTY.

Two Are Buddhist Priests Come Here to Learn Theology and Languages—Another a Law School Graduate Preparing for Diplimatic Career—All May Enter State University.

Among the Japanese "bell-hops" at a St. Paul hotel, are to be found two young men who graduated from a Tokio college as Buddhist priests, and another who is a graduate of Waseda university, Japan, and is in this country to study international law preparatory to entering the diplomatic service of his country.

This fact has developed as a result of the recent visit to St. Paul of Baron Kamura, the peace envoy, and his party. This delegation represented the cream of Japanese aristocracy, select even in association with the leading Americans. In view of this fact, some surprise was created by the cordial manner in which the baron's party received three young Japs of St. Paul who up to the present time have only been known in this country as "bell-hops." The baron's cordiality, however, has led to disclosing their real character.

One of these boys is Yoshio Tanikawa, age 20, son of a well-to-do banker at Tsu, Japan. A second is Tannen Fujiwara, son of a Buddhist priest living in the rural districts of Japan. For ten years these two young men have been together studying for the priesthood of Buddhism. Something over a year ago they finished their religious studies and training at a Buddhist college in Tokio, but being anxious for as broad an education as obtainable before entering their work, they decided to come to America to study Christian theology and languages. They first went to Seattle. There they both attended the Seattle high school last year. At the conclusion of the school year, on recommendation of the Japanese consul at Chicago, with whose friendship they were favored, they came to St. Paul. They are now supporting themselves during the summer vacation as "bell-hops," nothing loth to do any sort of honest labor notwithstanding their exceptional educations. In September the two will enter the Central high school, St. Paul, and there make a special study of German, English, and Latin. Following their preparatory American education at the high school, they will attend a university, probably that of Minnesota.

"We like to live in Minnesota," said one of them, "because there are so few Japs. In Seattle, lots of Japs. We talk Jap all 'a time. In St. Paul, only two, three Japs. We have to talk English, and so learn the language much quicker. That is what we want."

The third "bell-hop" of distinction who was entertained by Baron Kamura, is Tomesuburo Shimyzu. He is but 21, yet is a graduate of the Waseda university law college in Japan. Shimyzu will spend the rest of this summer answering to the call of "front," at the St. Paul hostelry where he is now employed, and this fall enter the state university to study international law. In truth, he will continue his hotel work during the school year if his employers will let him arrange his hours of duty so as to attend the university, but if not he will find other employment that will permit of his carrying out his desires.

"Shimyzu hopes to be a Kamura some day," said one of his companions to a reporter, and it is not improbable that some day this St. Paul "bell-hop" may take a hand in guiding the destinies of the Orient.

WHITE GRUBS BURROW LAWNS

BROWN SPOTS IN GRASS EXPLAINED BY ENTOMOLOGIST.

"The season of year is upon us," said State Entomologist Washburn, in an interview today, "when we receive many complaints from people to the effect that their lawns are dying in spots, and wanting to know what the trouble is. Of, course, patches in the lawn will turn brown from lack of water, but if one can raise these patches easily, pulling up pieces of the sod, the work is seen to be due to a white grub, which, when full grown, is about an inch and a half long, and which lives, we believe, for two years before it becomes full sized, emerging the second spring as the beetle that we call "June bug," or "June beetle," or "May beetle," that big, brown fellow that buzzes into our lighted rooms in the evening and causes consternation among the ladies.

"There are two forms of this beetle found in Minnesota, and when present in large numbers the beetle itself will sometimes strip fruit trees and shade trees of their leaves during the night, in addition to being an ever-threatening menace to our grass.

"If one finds underneath the dead grass that all of these grubs are full size, he need not expect any trouble the following year, since, while there may be grubs there the year following, they will be so extremely small, hatching from the egg that season, that their work will not be noticed. But the year after that we may expect to see these brown patches, other things being favorable.

"This is one of the worst pests we have to combat. The entomologist has killed them without injuring the grass by having large flat boxes made, air tight, placing them upside down upon the affected grass and putting in shallow dishes beneath them bisulphide of carbon in the proportion of one part of liquid bisulphide of carbon to 1,900 parts of atmosphere. In other words, in a tight box, the cubic capacity of which was 3,458 inches, we placed one ounce of bisulphide of carbon. This killed all the grubs in the patch in three hours without in the slightest way injuring the green grass with which the gas came in contact. If one should let the liquid touch the grass, it would kill it. However, this is hardly practicable on large areas, and we have to consider other means. These means are but few. Strong tobacco water will not kill them in the laboratory, and much less would it affect them after it had soaked thru the grass. Hellebore cannot be made to reach them in solution to cause any lessening of their numbers, nor does heavy rolling, as far as observations go, make any impression. It is possible that with an extremely heavy roller some good might be done. At present our best friends in this connection are the robins, which can be seen in large numbers in many places pulling up the grubs, when they attack them under the sod, and making way with them. Copious watering is said by one observer to be about our only way of handling the problem, since if the water is kept flowing upon the land constantly, the grass makes sufficient root to keep ahead of the grubs and remain green. This, of course, would not apply if the grass were quite dead. Kainit of potash and nitrate of soda, both commercial fertilizers, are said to be good dressings for the lawn in this connection, and can be obtained at moderate cost.

"It occurs to the entomologist that, since the beetle lays her eggs in the spring of the year, something on the lawn which repels her and also acts as a fertilizer to the grass, would be an excellent thing."

Ribbons

Best quality Taffeta Ribbon, 5 inches wide, plain and fancy colors, regular 30c values. Thursday, per yard..... **22c**

KERR
Department Store Co.
NICOLLET AND SEVENTH.

Millinery

An elegant assortment of new midsummer Hats, all the latest styles. Specially priced for Thursday, $4.95, $3.50 and..... **$2.50**

Great Midsummer Clearance Sale
Prices Cut to the Core.

Cloak Department

BRILLIANTINE AND SILK SHIRTWAIST SUITS, in blue, black, green and brown; full pleated skirts; new, up-to-date styles, values up to $16.50; Thursday, to close **$8.50**

WASH SUITS—Made from cotton voiles, crash and white lawn, light and dark colors, full blouse waist, pleated skirts, stock collars; values up to $5.00; Thursday, to close **$2.48**

LADIES' AND MISSES' WALKING SKIRTS—In panama, brilliantines and mercerized goods; side and box pleated; regular selling price $6.50; Thursday, to close **$3.98**

JAP SILK WAISTS—Trimmed with lace insertion and tucks; have sold for $5.00; Thursday **$2.39**

WHITE LAWN WAISTS—Trimmed with lace and embroidery; new sleeves, worth $1.25; Thursday, choice **69c**

PETTICOATS—Made from good quality mercerized goods; black and colors; sold for $1.25; Thursday, special **79c**

WALKING SKIRTS—In panama, mohair, serge and broadcloth, all summer weights, several different styles sold for $7.50; Thursday, to close **$4.48**

WASH GOODS.

Linen suiting in the new Alice blue, dark blue, gray, ecru and cream; 27 inches wide; worth 35c; Thursday, to close **19c**

UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' gauze vests, wing sleeves or sleeveless, taped neck and arm holes; regular price 12½c, Thursday, each **8c**

Ladies' gauze vests, umbrella pants to match; regular selling price 25c, for Thursday's sale, only **19c**

Ladies' Union Suits, high neck, wing sleeves or long sleeves, umbrella pants; always sold for 59c suit; Thursday, while they last, only, suit **35c**

HOSIERY.

Ladies' full regular made hose, fast black maco foot, double heel and toe, regular 25c hose, placed on sale for Thursday, at pair **19c**

Ladies' silk and lisle hose, lace or plain, silk embroidered; all colors, our 75c qualities; for Thursday, pair **48c**

Children's black ribbed hose, also lace lisle hose, nearly all sizes, were sold at 25c. Choice to close, pair **10c**

HANDKERCHIEFS REDUCED.

5c handkerchiefs, now **3c**
10c handkerchiefs, now **6c**
15c handkerchiefs, now **10c**
25c handkerchiefs, now **18c**

LACES.

Net top oriental laces, white, cream and ecru; also lace bands and appliques; positively worth 40c, Thursday, yard **22c**

CLEARANCE SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' gowns, skirts, chemise, drawers and corset covers, made from good quality muslin and nicely trimmed; sold at 69c and 75c, Thursday **49c**

A lot of gowns and skirts, slightly soiled from the window; these are high class goods, made from long cloth and trimmed with fine tucks and embroidery; sold from $2.98 to $5.00; to close them out Thursday ..... **HALF PRICE**

STE. ANNE'S RELIC HONORED TONIGHT

CURES ARE HOPED FOR AT SPECIAL SERVICE.

Local Church Possessing Relic of the Mother of Mary Has Just Closed a Season of Special Prayer to Patron Saint—Relic Excites Powerful Prayers and Faith.

Ste. Anne de Minneapolis parish closes tonight the Novena, or nine-day festival of special prayer and honors to the patron saint, to whom the church at Eleventh avenue N and Lyndale is dedicated. At the evening service will occur the veneration of the relic, which may be kissed by those who present themselves at the altar.

High mass was celebrated by Father Damasus Richard, pastor of the church, at 9 a.m. At this service six new members were received into the society of Ste. Anne, composed of about 115 mothers, from the parish and from outside. Ste. Anne is the churchly example of the good mother, and the society is therefore named in her honor. As part of the service thirty-two children who took their first communion a month ago received their second communion. After the services tonight the people will join in an ice cream social on the church lawn, in honor of the close of the feast of the parish.

In the church history Ste. Anne is known as the mother of Mary, or grandmother of our Savior, and wife of Joachim. She was canonized as early as the third or fourth century. She is known to the world as a saint to whom prayer should be offered for the sick. Devotion to Ste. Anne is known the world over, but particularly in America, where is the shrine of Ste. Anne de Beaupre. Worship of this saint is credited to the Indians and is said to be as old as America. While Ste. Anne controls the prayers for the sick in America, in France they are directed to Mary thru the grotto of Lourdes, as in America they are made thru the shrine of Ste. Anne de Beaupre.

The Minneapolis church became intrusted with a relic of Ste. Anne thru a parish pilgrimage made about five years ago to the shrine. It is a bone, supposedly of a finger. Enshrined in a frame, within a large frame, it reposes above the altar at Ste. Anne. For the feast it has been removed, with the statue of Ste. Anne, to a side altar, where candles are burned.

In response to a query whether cures had been performed by the authenticated relic, Father Richard said not within his short incumbency, but there might be tonight at the adoration.

How the Relic Heals.

While miraculous qualities are not ascribed to the dead bone, its efficiency arises, it is explained, from the all-powerful prayers that are directed thru its suggestion. In other words, the relic excites persuasive prayer.

"Prayer is practically all powerful," said Father Richard, "if directed to a good purpose and if well made. If there is anything miraculous it may be ascribed to prayer. The relics are used to excite the devotion of people as we would look on the photograph of a departed friend. This is similar to a photograph. In early days there was no remembrance of departed friends, there were no photographs, so that a piece of bone or a lock of hair was preserved. That is why we have relics of the saints. Wherever relics of Ste. Anne could be secured they were sent to Ste. Anne de Beaupre, and they were again distributed when parishes made special pilgrimages to the shrine. A former pastor brought this one back. We pay special devotion to the relic here that Ste. Anne may be honored. She has proved to the world that she was a perfect mother and can well serve as an example."

The Pilgrimage to Canada.

The peculiar circumstances surrounding the pilgrimages to Canada, where cures are well known to have taken place, are believed to be due to the unusual power attending the remarkable season of prayer that ensues on the part of a host of pilgrims. Supplicants believe that they are cured, which is the same thing as a cure, and many who are mentally afflicted are instantly relieved thru their intense devotions.

Much interest attends the closing of the Novena tonight, and it is expected that a large pilgrimage will be made to the little church. The establishment of a special shrine, with perpetual running water over the relic, would undoubtedly draw throngs to the Minneapolis church. However, the expense of its establishment and maintenance would be great, and another reason this is not done is to avoid superstition and extravagance in worship.

Clearance Sale

The following items with the exception of the Sterling Silver Teas Spoons, were never advertised as low before. We are determined to dispose of all discontinued patterns and broken assortments this week.

All Novelty Fan Chains and Watch Chains—In pearl and Turquoise beads and Parisian Novelties at exactly..... ½

$2.50 to $3.50 Sterling Silver Watch Fobs reduced to..... **$1.50**

$4.50 Sterling Silver Top Cut Glass Powder Boxes **$2.50**

$4.00 to $6.00 Fine Briar Pipes—Sterling silver mountings..... **$3.00**

Sterling Silver Teas Spoons—Bright or grey finish; set of six..... **$2.75**

J. B. HUDSON & SON,
Jewelers, Society Stationers. 519 Nicollet Ave.

MORNING TENNIS ON DEEPHAVEN COURTS

Harry Waidner of Chicago played Forbes Watson of Massachusetts in the second round of the tennis tourney at Deephaven today. Waidner showed strength and speed and a better control of position. Watson scored one game in the first set. In the second he lost several points on serve and by playing out on returns. Waidner won, 6-1, 6-0.

Kreigh Collins arrived from Chicago this morning where he captured the western championship.

Collins and Ward Burton played a practice match in which Burton won two games against Collins' six. Collins showed a strong reserve game and did not let himself out. Burton also played easily.

Stern of Chicago defeated Harry Jones of Minneapolis. Jones put up a good defense, but Stern excelled in strength and accuracy. Stern won, 6-2, 6-1.

Adams & Graves played Peet and Main in the first round of doubles last night. It took five sets to determine the winners. Score: Adams and Graves, 3-6, 6-0, 4-6, 6-1, 6-4.

Missouri produces 80 per cent of all the zinc and 90 per cent of all the nickel mined in the United States, while the percentage of lead taken from its mines is nearly as great.

LAW IS CONFLICTING

Two Sections Differ as to Appointment of Copeland's Assistant.

Who is to name the assistant probation officer is a question that is at present bothering Probation Officer George Copelin and the district court judges. Two amendments to the bill providing for an assistant probation officer in this county were passed on the same day by the last legislature. One of these provides that the district court judges shall appoint, fix the salary, and have the power of removing the assistant. The other gives the probation officer the right of appointing his assistant for a term of four years and at a salary of $720 a year, subject to the approval of the judges.

Relying on the last amendment, Mr. Copelin recently appointed an assistant and sent his name to the judges for approval. The appointment has been held up. Meantime, the judges are endeavoring to decide what the right procedure is under the conflicting laws.

ASSESSMENTS INCREASED

Carver and Nicollet Counties Report to State Auditor.

Personal property assessments were today returned to the state auditor from two counties. Carver reported an assessment of $1,035,310, increased from $971,140 in 1904. Nicollet county reported an assessment of $1,110,633, increased from $1,083,612 in 1904.

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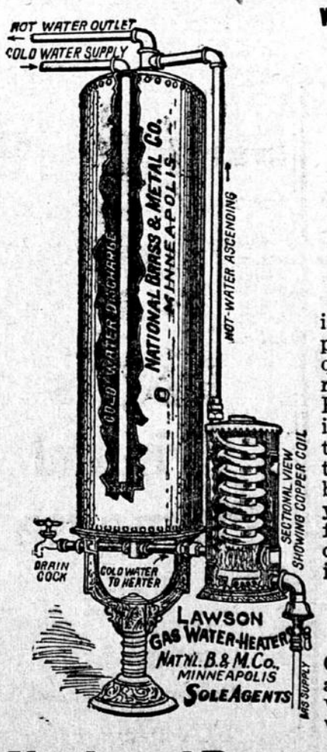

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