

CITY NEWS

THE WEATHER

The Predictions. Minnesota and Iowa—Fair tonight and Thursday; fresh westerly winds, becoming variable.

Upper Michigan—Local rains and cooler tonight; Thursday, fair, brisk south, shifting to west winds and squalls this afternoon.

Wisconsin—Partly cloudy tonight, with showers in extreme east portion; Thursday, fair, brisk south, shifting to west winds, with squalls this afternoon.

North and South Dakota—Fair tonight and Thursday; variable winds.

Montana—Local rains tonight and Thursday; variable winds.

For the upper lakes—Fresh westerly winds tonight and Thursday; local rains and thunder squalls on Michigan and eastern Superior this afternoon and tonight and on Huron tonight and Thursday.

Local rains and thunderstorms have occurred from the middle eastern slope of the Rocky mountains over the western portion of the lake region and rains have continued in the middle and south Atlantic states.

No marked and general changes in temperature are reported.

Local rains and thunderstorms will be followed tonight by fair weather in the upper lake region, and fair weather will prevail in the west and northwest. Temperature changes will be slight.

Weather Conditions. The weather this morning is generally clear in western Canada, Minnesota, the Dakotas, much of the Mississippi valley and thence westward to the Pacific coast, except in Arizona and California.

Rains have fallen during the past twenty-four hours in eastern Minnesota, Wisconsin and in parts of Texas and Louisiana.

The heaviest rains were 2.06 inches at La Crosse and 1.02 at Galveston. It is slightly cooler than yesterday morning in North Dakota, Manitoba, Wyoming and New Mexico; elsewhere the temperature changes have been slight.

—T. S. Outram, Section Director.

Weather Now and Then. Today, maximum, 83, minimum, 65, degrees; a year ago, maximum, 66, minimum, 45, degrees.

AROUND THE TOWN

To Build Brick Hotel.—William E. Tuttle obtained a building permit today to erect a three-story brick building at 2901 Twenty-seventh avenue S. It will be of brick and will cost \$7,500.

Reappointed Dr. Roberts.—Dr. G. F. Roberts of Minneapolis has today reappointed a member of the state advisory board for the sanatorium for consumptives, by Governor Johnson.

Bankers at Isle Royale.—Ernest C. Brown, assistant cashier of the First National bank, has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Isle Royale.

CROWD GATHERED TO LYNCH NEGRO

ESCAPED VIOLENCE BECAUSE HE COULDN'T GET BAIL.

Man Accused of Brutal Assault on Young Girl in North Minneapolis Is Identified by His Victim—Self-Appointed Avengers Surrounded His House and Waited in Vain.

Angered at the brutality of a colored man who assaulted a young girl near Farview park last Sunday night, a crowd of more than a hundred men and boys last evening surrounded the home of Leonard Cannon, the negro charged with the crime and organized a lynching party.

Cannon was arrested last night after being identified by the victim of the assault, and word soon spread about North and northeast Minneapolis of the crime. A party of young men gathered near Twenty-ninth avenue N and, after a hurried consultation, started for the negro's home at 338 Quincy street NE, thinking that he would be released on bail and would return.

While on the way across the river the lynching party gradually increased, and all along the line the bystanders were told the object of the organization.

They went quietly but determinedly to avenge the wrong done the little girl, whom many of them knew. Police officers who saw the crowd thought a riot was being planned and in order, but two men in the center carried two strong ropes which they had obtained at a livery stable.

For some time the mob waited in the vicinity of the house for the return of the man. Finally one of the men telephoned to Central station and learned that Cannon could not get bail.

Then most of the men went home, but a few remained in case they had been misinformed.

When Cannon was arraigned in court today several men who were in the crowd last night were on hand to hear the proceedings. He was held for examination in \$1,000 bail.

"We will certainly get him if he is released on bail," said one man as he passed the elevator at this morning. "The best thing for him to do is to stay in jail."

Cannon's Heinous Crime. Cannon, the accused man, who is an ex-convict, was locked up at the North Side station yesterday charged with the assault.

It is alleged that while the girl was sitting on a bench in Farview park with a boy friend, Cannon accosted them and, claiming to be an officer, drove the boy from the park and detained the girl. He then seized her by the neck of her dress and threatened to assault her unless she submitted to him. Frightened almost to insensibility, the girl yielded and later in the evening she went home and there told her story to her parents.

The matter was at once laid before the police, and yesterday Detective Tom Gallagher, Sergeant Ginsberg and Patrolman Hall arrested Cannon on the charge. The girl identified the prisoner as her assailant, and the police say they have convincing evidence.

Cannon has already served two terms in the penitentiary, one for burglary and one for criminal assault.

BOSTON WINS THE STAMP MEETING

SHARP CONTEST FOR HONOR WON BY THE HUB.

Officers Elected by Association, Which Visits Minnetonka, Minnehaha and Fort Snelling—Final Business Session Will Be Held Tomorrow—Delegates Note City's Progress Since 1896.

Boston was selected as the meeting place for the twenty-first annual convention of the American Philatelic association at today's session. The only rival was Put-in-Bay, Ohio, for which Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stewart of Toledo did splendid work, but could not win over the cloud of proxies from the east. Boston secured 244 votes, Put-in-Bay, 172 votes, San Francisco 5, and Rockford, Ill., 1. The date of the convention was left to the discretion of the board of directors.

TENNIS CRACKS AT MINIKAHDA

PLAY IN STATE TOURNAMENT BEGINS SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

Aspiring Players Will Endeavor to Wrest the Championships in Singles and Doubles from Ward K. Burton and Belden Brothers—New Courts Are in Splendid Condition.

Play in the Minnesota state tennis tournament begins on the courts of the Minnikahda club Saturday afternoon and the finals will be played on the Saturday following. This is the third annual tournament to settle the question of state supremacy in singles and doubles and the aspiring candidates for these honors will have to defeat Ward K. Burton, present champion in singles, and Belden brothers, holders of the championship in doubles.

The two former tournaments of the association have been held at the Town and Country club and preparatory to the play of next week the Minnikahdas have prepared what are declared by experts to be the finest grass courts in the northwest. They are located near the clubhouse, between the teeing ground of the golf course and the lake. The courts were put in last fall and are in splendid condition. They are now open to intending contestants in the tournament and the club privileges will be extended to all players throughout this week and the week of the championship play.

Ward K. Burton will not play thru the tournament, but will defend his title against the high player of the week, Belden brothers will play thru the week in the defense of their title. The Minnikahda club has offered a trophy cup for the champion in singles, a feature heretofore lacking. On it will be engraved the name of the first state champion, Edward Clapp, of St. Paul, but a few remained in case they had been misinformed.

Prizes will be offered for the first and second, singles, and first and second, doubles. There will also be appropriate prizes for the firsts and seconds in the consolation singles and doubles.

Entries for the play close Friday night. Contestants may file their intentions with either George J. Belden, 704 Fifth street S, or with Thomas F. Wallace, New York Life building. There will be about forty entries, of which twelve are from Minneapolis. The entries of the local players will take a part of the afternoon. The entire feature hereafter lacking. On it will be engraved the name of the first state champion, Edward Clapp, of St. Paul, but a few remained in case they had been misinformed.

Plans for a series of evening entertainments at the club are under way and will be announced later.

O'BRIEN IS GOING EAST

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER WILL JOIN COLLEAGUES AT NEW YORK FOR BIG INSURANCE INQUIRY.

State Insurance Commissioner T. D. O'Brien left today for New York, where the investigation of the big water life insurance companies decided upon at a recent meeting in Chicago will be held.

The commissioners of the states interested have arranged to reach New York on the 10th and steps will be taken at once to begin work. Mr. O'Brien will be joined in Chicago tonight by Insurance Commissioner Host of Wisconsin.

It has been arranged to have one commissioner on the ground while the investigation is on, and either Mr. O'Brien or Mr. Host of Wisconsin, will be selected for this duty.

IMPRESSED BY SCENERY

Minneapolis Tourist Enjoyed Beauties of Pacific Trip.

Dr. H. H. Kimball and party have returned from a trip to the west, including the Portland exposition. Dr. Kimball has crossed the Atlantic twice at once, and has visited every health resort as well as the scenic beauties of the Pacific coast. He has not seen such natural beauties as presented themselves along the line of the Soo-Pacific. The fair pleased Dr. Kimball very much. The electrical display is as good as anything that has been seen, and the food exhibit is better.

GOING TO FIELDS

St. Louis Capitalist Here to Join Local Men on Trip.

C. H. Spencer, the St. Louis capitalist and street railway man, is in Minneapolis today accompanied by Robert Pringle and H. B. Slaughter, prominent members of the Chicago board of trade.

Mr. Spencer is interested in the development of the Twin City Rapid Transit system and is a believer in the future of twin city and of Minneapolis.

ENDLESS AS THE RAT MAN'S STORY

MORE ARGUMENT OVER THE LEVEL OF LAKE CALHOUN.

Another Meeting Today at Which All the Points, Pro and Con, Were Brought Out and Polished Up Once More—Alderman Walker's Ordinance Not Favored.

Alderman Platt B. Walker's ordinance establishing the level of Lake Calhoun at 144 feet above city datum was recommended for indefinite postponement by the special committee at its meeting today. Mr. Walker is not ready to quit, however, and will present a minority report favoring the ordinance and will make a fight on this issue from the floor of the council. He is satisfied that it is the best compromise now possible as the park board will spend no money on the improvements as long as the stage of water is so high that the banks are overgrown.

The meeting today was a lively one. The Shady-side and Lake Calhoun Improvement associations were represented by J. E. Meyers, Judge J. H. Steele, Lorin C. Stevenson, Captain Ewing C. A. P. Turner and others, most of whom availed themselves of the privilege of expressing their views. The park board people argued that water was so scarce that as much as possible should be gathered for use in dry seasons and that if the lakes were lowered they would simply become grass-grown mud holes.

It was represented on the other hand that it was the high water that caused the swamps. Where the park board at a great expense had created fine meadows by dredging and filling there were now long stretches of swamp land, due only to the artificial and unnatural stage of water, fixed by the city council against the wishes of the park commissioners.

Park Commissioner C. M. Loring tried to make it clear to the "highwater" faction that the park board and the city were not interested in making the lake district beautiful as any other class of people could be. The whole city, he pointed out, will be benefited by the maintenance of the parks and the charge that any one wanted to ruin the natural beauties of Minneapolis was untrue.

He showed that a large tract of land north of Lake Harriet which had been intended as a large picnic ground for family parties, Sunday schools, etc., was now a wet meadow and could never be used as long as the lake levels were maintained beyond their normal stage.

L. C. Stevenson made the point that the council had no right to lower a lake level after having raised it, and quoted from the minutes of the council which the council had established the level at 145 feet. City Attorney Frank Healy combated this position and maintained that the council had any right in the matter if only change the mark if, in its discretion, this was deemed necessary.

WORKERS TO CO-OPERATE

CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS OF MINNEAPOLIS FORM ASSOCIATION FOR MUTUAL ASSISTANCE IN DEVELOPMENT.

As a result of the successful meeting of fifty representatives of the various charitable organizations of the city at the Washburn home last night, the Charity Workers' club will be organized.

It is planned to have prominent speakers from other cities attend the meetings of the club. The endeavor will be to develop and carry out work by a mutual co-operation of the workers.

The representatives were the guests of Captain C. E. Faulkner of the home. Other speakers were on the lawn, E. D. Solenberger, of the Associated Charities, acting as toastmaster. Mr. Solenberger, A. W. Gutridge, manager of the Associated Charities of St. Paul, Dr. W. D. Lawrence, and Frank McDonald spoke of the work of the conference of charities and corrections which met at Portland.

Other speakers were Captain Faulkner, Judge E. F. Waite and S. L. Van Ettan of the Humane society. Among the organizations represented were the Unity Settlement, the Bethel Settlement, the Bethany Home, the Y. W. C. A., the city poor department, the police, the Associated Charities and the Humane society.

ASK REQUISITIONS

Two Applications Made to Governor Johnson Today.

Requisition was today made by Governor Folk of Missouri for Margy Carter, wanted in Jackson county of that state for grand larceny. She is under arrest at Minneapolis. Margy, according to the complaint, relieved a hotel lodger of \$230. A requisition has also been received from Chicago for the return of Frank E. Gerhart, charged with embezzlement of \$160. He was the collector for a milk firm.

Rev. C. D. Andrews, rector of Christ church, St. Paul, died suddenly this afternoon.

GRAIN STANDING IN SHOCK IS INJURED

MOIST STRAW SWEATS AND STAINS THE HEADS.

Barley Especially Is Losing Grade Thru This Cause, Which Is Said to Be Prevalent—Remedy Is to Stand Sheaves in Smaller Shocks to Dry Thoroughly.

From South Dakota and southern Minnesota considerable complaint is coming in of injury to coarse grains thru standing in the shock. A Minneapolis man traveling extensively thru important oats and barley producing districts reports to The Journal that he found many instances of this. It is especially unfavorable to shock barley under conditions likely to injure it, as color makes so important a difference in selling value.

The trouble is attributed to the heavy straw and the large size of the shocks. The suggestion follows that farmers will do well to put up long shocks or small round ones. The straw is said by men of many years' experience to contain this season more moisture or "juice" than ever seen and this, by evaporating or sweating out, keeps the shock in a moist condition, which in the case of barley especially, will be bad for the quality if permitted to stand long and will result in the loss of a grade upon final inspection of the grain in Minneapolis.

"OLD MAIN" IS TO BE RAZED

WOMAN'S BUILDING NAMED "ALICE A. SHEVLIN HALL."

Regents Hold First Meeting at University Since Being Freed from Board of Control—Building Plans Ordered Pushed as Rapidly as Possible—Shelvin Gift Is Appreciated.

Independent of the board of control, with \$39,000 cash available and a gift of \$60,000 awaiting their acceptance, the state board of regents held a cheerful meeting at the university library this morning.

The \$60,000 offered by Thomas H. Shelvin for the construction of woman's building was accepted and the site of the "Old Main" selected as the place for the new building. The building will be called the "Alice A. Shelvin Hall," in honor of the wife of the donor. The regents adopted the following resolutions:

"Whereas, the Hon. Thomas H. Shelvin has offered a gift of \$60,000 for the purpose of building and equipping a woman's building at the University of Minnesota, therefore, be it resolved, that in behalf of the University of Minnesota the gift be accepted and we hereby extend the thanks of the board of regents for the gift and name the building the Alice A. Shelvin hall."

Will Remove "Old Main." The work of removing the ruins of the "Old Main" will begin at once, and it is hoped that the foundation for the new building will be ready this fall.

Professor Fletcher of the college of engineering is now engaged in drawing up plans which will be submitted to the building committee of the board next week. A building in the mission style has been suggested. The new building will be set further back than the "Old Main," so that it will be in line with the library and law buildings.

It has been recommended to the state board of control that work on the foundation of the new \$450,000 main building, to be located on Pleasant street, between the Physical Laboratory and University avenue, be commenced at once. The plans for the ground floor of the new building were approved at today's session so it will be possible to proceed with this part of the work in spite of the fact that the plans for the upper stories are far from complete.

Besides approving the ground plan for the new main the regents passed favorably upon the plans for the new main building at the College of Agriculture at St. Anthony Park and for the combined dormitory and school building at the Crookston Experiment station. Two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars has been appropriated for the new building at St. Anthony Park and the dormitory and school building at the Crookston Experiment station. Work on the Crookston building will begin this fall.

No Room for Memorial. The location of the woman's building on the site of the "old main" will make it impossible to retain a portion of the original building as a memorial to the founding of the university, as asked by the students and alumni.

The meeting of this morning was a special one. The next regular meeting will be held in October. The regents present were: J. T. Weyman, president; Governor J. A. Johnson, J. W. Olson, state superintendent of education; Dr. O. C. Strickler, Thomas Wilson, A. E. Rice, E. W. Randall and D. R. Noyes.

NICKEL PLATE

367 NICOLLET AVENUE.

CLEARANCE SALE

Cut Prices on Broken Lines of Summer Shoes and Oxfords. Special for Thursday and Friday

Double Amount S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

Table with shoe prices: Ladies' \$4.00 Tan Russia Oxfords, cut to \$2.85; Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Tan Oxfords, cut to \$2.85; Ladies' \$3.50 Tan Russia and Vici Oxfords, \$2.65; Men's \$5.00 Tan Russia Oxfords, \$3.65; Ladies' \$3.50 White Top Tan Oxfords, \$2.48; Men's \$5.00 Patent Leather and Calfskin Oxfords, \$3.65; Ladies' \$2.50 Brown Vici Kid Oxfords, \$1.98; Men's \$3.00 Canvas Shoes and Oxfords, \$1.98; Misses' White Canvas Gibson Ties, 98c; Boys' \$2.50 Tan Russia Calf Oxfords, \$1.98.

SAVING FOR CITY IN BUYING PLANT GETS INJUNCTION AGAINST BROKERS

ALDERMAN THINKS CHARGE FOR LAMPS EXCESSIVE. CHAMBER SCORES AGAIN ON EDWARDS-WARD COMPANY.

Chairman of the Gas Committee Is Looking for Information—Believes the City Pays Each Year for Maintenance Close to the Cost of the Lamps and Fittings.

Ramsay County Judge Grants Injunction Restraining the Firm from Securing or Using the Chamber Quotations—Affidavits as to Source of Quotations Were Contradictory—Order Sweeping.

Judge Bunn of St. Paul filed an order today in the case of the Chamber of Commerce of Minneapolis against the Edwards-Ward company, granting the plaintiff's motion for an injunction restraining the defendant company or its agents from securing or indirectly securing or disseminating the quotations of the chamber. The order is very sweeping.

Under the defendant is prohibited from maintaining or permitting any telegraph or other wire running into or thru its office, over which said quotations will pass, or from aiding or assisting in any way the plaintiff or its agents in securing or disseminating the quotations of the chamber. The order is very sweeping.

"I wish I knew more about this lighting question," said Mr. Hertig today, "but I expect to receive considerable information when the bids for incandescent service come in. If I am correctly informed we can purchase the entire incandescent device for less than we now pay for the maintenance. This does not seem right. We have estimated that the service of caring for the lamps, including the cost of breakage and new mantles, should not exceed \$7 per year, and this estimate is based on a liberal basis. If it is correct there is a profit of more than \$30,000 in the incandescent contract, and this is entirely too much when the contractor assumes no risk whatever."

"The city could save thousands of dollars annually by purchasing the incandescent devices outright. A comparatively small sum in addition to what is now being paid for the service will purchase the apparatus, and either the city or the gas company could take charge of the lighting. The city has no fault to find with the gas company, which has nothing to do with the incandescent lighting any more than to supply gas at the agreed rate. The only dispute is with the incandescent contract, and in this the aldermen may be wrong, but we have got to be shown before we will believe it."

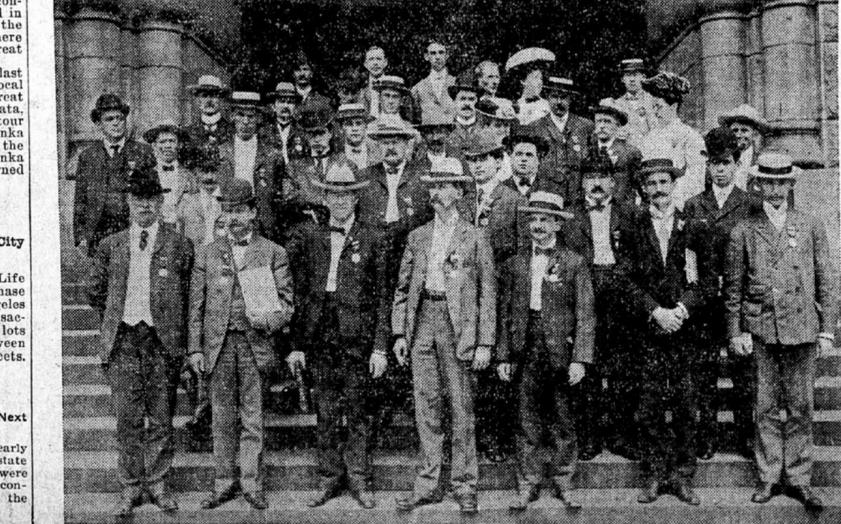
Celery is the cultivated variety of the English weed smilax. It was introduced into kitchen gardens in England about the time of the Reformation, by some Italians, who gave it the Italian name "celleri."

On landing in Australia, says a writer in Nature Notes, our hive bees industriously collected quantities of honey. Finding, however, that there was no winter such as we have in England, it gave up laying in stores. Its morals are corrupted, for it is no longer "busy," and leads a butterfly life.

WE SELL THE WADE CORSETS Women's Outfitters. 403-405 Nicollet Av. August Clearance Sale Extraordinary Bargains for Thursday

Table with clothing prices: Taffeta Silk Suits, Regular \$12.50 and \$15.00 values for \$7.50; Shirtwaist Suits, Brilliantine, lawn and linen suits, regular \$7.50 and \$10.00 suits for \$4.95; Tailored Suits, Regular \$19.50 and \$25.00 suits for \$10.00; Tailored Suits, Regular \$29.50 and \$35.00 suits for \$15.00; White Linen Coats, Three-quarter length, regular \$7.50 coats for \$3.95; Muslin Underwear, 30c Corset Covers for \$21c, 65c Corset Covers for \$35c, 50c Drawers for \$30c, \$1.50 Gowns for \$95c, \$1.75 Skirts for \$1.25; Walking Skirts, Voile and brilliantine Skirts, regular \$5.00 values for \$2.95; White Skirts, Linen and pique, regular \$2.50 to \$3.95 values for \$1.95; Wash Suits and Skirts, An odd lot, clearance price \$1.00; Millinery Clearance, Lingerie, duck, trimmed and untrimmed hats, regular \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00 Hats, for \$1.00; Pretty Waists, Lawn waists, tucked and lace trimmed, regular \$2.50 and \$2.95 Waists, for \$1.25; Fine lawn waists, embroidered and lace trimmed, \$3.50 and \$3.95 Waists, for \$1.95; New Raincoats, Long Cravenette Coats, special values, \$15-\$12.50.

THE PHILATELISTS MAKE A GOOD LOOKING GROUP



In the Center, H. E. Deats, Flemington, N. J., president; at his left, W. C. Stone, Springfield, Mass., the new president.