GENERAL PRODUCE

Official quotations of the Minneapolis Produce Exchange, corrected up to 12 m., Tuesday, Aug. 7.

(Quotations on fruits, vegetables and berries are for fancy shipping stock. Medium grades and poor stock sells off the walk at lower prices.)

BUTTER—Creameries, extras, per lb, 20½c; creameries, firsts, 19c; creameries, seconds, 17c; dairies, extras, 18c; dairies, firsts, 16c; dairies, seconds, 15c; packing stock, fresh, sweet, 15c; state, held, 8c.

EGGS—Current receipts, No. 1, case count, case, $4.40; current receipts, No. 1, candled, do, 18½c; fresh, dirties, candled, case, $3; checks and seconds, candled, $2.70.

CHEESE—Twins or flats, fancy, paraffined, 12½c; fancy unparaffined, 12c; choice, paraffined, 11c; choice, unparaffined, 10c; fair, 8c; daisies, fancy, twins or flats, 13c; choice, twins or flats, 11c; off grades, twins or flats, 9c; Young Americas, fancy in quality and regular in style, 14c; choice, per lb, 12c; off grades, 10c; longhorns, 13c; brick, No. 1, paraffined, 13c; No. 1, unparaffined, 11½c; No. 2, 6@7c; off grades, 2@3c; limburger, No. 1, 12c; No. 2, 8c; off grades, 2@3c; Swiss, fancy loaf, old, 17c; choice, 11@12c; off grades, 8½@9c; fancy block, 14c; choice block, 11@12c; off grades, 8@10c; pultost, No. 1, 8c; off grades, 6c; primost, No. 1, 8c; off grades, 3@6c.

ONIONS—Iowa, per 100 lbs, $2.50.

CABBAGE—Per crate, $1.50.

VEGETABLES — New carrots, per bu, 65c; wax beans, per bu, $1.25; string beans, per bu, $1.25; celery, per doz, 35c; cucumbers, per bu, $1; corn, green, per doz, 10c; egg plant, doz, $1.25; garlic, 10@12c; lettuce, leaf, 10c; lettuce, heads, doz, 20c; mint, doz, 40c; onions, doz bunches, 15c; parsley, doz, 25c; pieplant, 50-lb boxes, 75c; peppers, per six-basket crate, $2; peas, green, bu, $1; squash, summer, bu, $1; spinach, bu, 50c; watercress, doz, 25c; new beets, bu, 60c; tomatoes, four-basket crate, 60c.

HONEY—Extra fancy white, 1-lb sections, 15c; fancy white, 1-lb sections, 14c; choice white, 1-lb sections, 12c; amber, 13c; goldenrod, 12c; extracted white, in cans, 7c; extracted amber, in cans, 7c.

POTATOES—New, per bu, 50c in small lots; carlots at lower prices.

BEANS—Quotations include sacks. Fancy navy, $1.90; choice navy, $1.50; medium navy, $1.55; mixed and dirty, 45@70c; brown, fancy, $1.80; mixed, fair to good, $1.50@1.60; Lima, California, per lb, 6½c.

LIVE POULTRY—Roosters, 6c; hens, large, fat, 10c; hens, thin, small, moulty, 9c; springs, lb, 12@13c; ducks, 7@8c; young, 9@10c; geese, 7c; turkeys, large, fat, 14c; thin toms, 12½c.

PIGEONS—Tame, live, young or old, doz, 75c; dead, 50@60c; squabs, nesters, fancy selected, live or dead, $1.50; small, poor and thin, unsalable.

FISH—Pickerel, per lb, 5@6c; pike, 8@9c; crappies, 8@9c; sunfish, perch, etc., 3@5c; buffalo and carp, 3@4c; bullheads, dressed, 7@8c; white, 10c; salmon, 15c; herring, 4@5c; halibut, 10c; all fish should be drawn and well iced.

FROG LEGS—Large, per doz, 7@8c; medium, per doz, 5@6c.

DRESSED MEATS—Veal, fancy, per lb, 7½c; veal, fair to good, 6@7c; small and overweight, 4@5c; muttons, fancy, 7@7½c; muttons, thin or overweight, 4@5c; lambs, yearlings, choice to fancy, 9@10c; lambs, thin or overweight, 4@6c; lambs, milk, pelts off, heads off, 10@12c; hogs, heavy, 6@6½c; light, 6½@7c.

BANANAS—Jumbo bunches, $3.25@3.50; large bunches, $2.75@3; medium bunches, $2.25@2.50.

DRIED PEAS—Yellow, fancy, bu, $1.50; yellow, medium, $1.25; green, fancy, bu, $1.50; green, medium, $1.15; marrowfat, $1.80.

ORANGES—Late Valencias, $5.50.

LEMONS—California, 300s, fancy, $6.50; 360s, fancy, $7; choice, $6@6.50; Messinas, $6; limes, box, $1.25.

PINEAPPLES—Florida, crate, $3.25@3.50.

APPLES—New, fancy, brl, $3@3.50; choice, brl, $2.25@2.50.

PEACHES—Four-basket crate, 90c; six-basket crate, $1.50.

COCOANUTS—Per bag, $3.75; per doz, 60c.

CHERRIES—Sour, 16-quart cases, $2; Oregon, per box, $1.50.

MELONS—Watermelons, per doz, $3.75; cantaloupes, crate, $3.25@3.50.

WEST COAST FRUITS—Plums, yellow, crate, $1.60; plums, fancy, $1.75@2; peaches, box, $1.20; Bartlett pears, fancy, box, $3.15; choice, box, $2.25; Washington pears, $2.25; Washington plums, $1@1.10.

BERRIES—Red raspberries, case, $2.50; black raspberries, case, $2; blackberries, case, $2.25; blueberries, case, $1.75@2; blueberries, flats, $1.75.

HIDES, PELTS, TALLOW, WOOL, ETC.

	No.1.	No.2.
Green salted cured steer hides, over 60 lbs	12½	11½
Green salted heavy cow hides, over 60 lbs	12⅝	11⅝
Green salted light hides, under 60 lbs	12⅝	11⅝
Green salted bulls, stags, oxen or work steers	10	9
Green salted long-haired kips, 8 to 25 lbs	11	9½
Green salted veal kips	12½	11
Green salted veal calves, 8 to 15 lbs	14	12½
Green or frozen hides, 1½c less than green salted.		
Horse and mule hides, large, each	$3.60	@3.70
Horse and mule hides, medium	3.10	2.25
Horse and mule hides, small, each	1.80	1.25
Montana butchers, short trim, light	20½	
Montana butchers, long trim, heavy	19½	
Montana butchers, long trim, light	18½	
Indian stretched	18½	
Montana calf, under 5 lbs	23½	
Montana kip, 6 to 12 lbs	18	
Iowa, Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin hides	17	16
Dry bull hides	13½	
Dakota and Wisconsin calf under 5 lbs	22	20
Kips, 6 to 12 lbs	19	17
Dry salted, all sections	15	13
Dry horse and mule hides, each	1.50	1.00
Pelts, large, each	$1.10	@1.50
Pelts, medium, each	.60	@ .90
Pelts, small, each	.30	@ .50
Dry territory butchers, per lb	.17	@ .18
Dry territory murrains, per lb	.16	@ .17
Tallow, cake	4⅝	3⅝
Tallow, solid	4½	3½
Grease	4	3
Wool, unwashed, medium	24	@25
Wool, unwashed, coarse	23	@24
Wool, unwashed, fine	21	@22
Wool, unwashed, burry, seedy, each	18	@20
Wool, unwashed, medium and coarse	18	@19
Ginseng, dry and clean	$6.55	@6.80
Seneca root, dry	.45	@ .47

ASHES SPRINKLED IN LAKE PEPIN

Dying Wishes of a Minneapolis Woman Are Carried Out.

RED WING, MINN.—A well-dressed, gentlemanly appearing man made arrangements with the boat liveryman, Andrew J. Barrow, for a ride on the lake in his gasolene launch the other day. When they reached the center of the lake the passenger produced an elaborate box which was about half full of gray ashes. He sprinkled the ashes on the water and then placed the box in the water, and it being of metal it sank immediately.

Mr. Barrow was not aware that he was taking part in a funeral until the gentleman produced a card giving his name and address and stated that the box had contained the remains of his wife, who died about a month ago in Minneapolis. She had formerly resided in Lake City and it had been her dying request that her body be cremated and her ashes sprinkled in Lake Pepin, and he had simply carried out her wishes.

RAIN AND HAIL KILL SPARROWS

Tremendous Slaughter of Birds Near Home of a St. Peter Man.

ST. PETER, MINN.—A curious incident in connection with the storm last night was the wholesale slaughter of English sparrows, which occurred near the home of Paul Haesecke. Several large cottonwood trees near his home are frequented by the sparrows, and it is supposed that the birds were killed by the heavy rain and hail. More than 900 perished, and this morning his lawn was literally covered with the bodies of dead birds.

C. Amundson, treasurer of the board of education, has just made another payment of $3,000 on the St. Peter school bonds, and the debt of the district is now reduced to $4,000, the bonds maturing July 1, 1907.

Mrs. Perry Marker died in this city yesterday. She was 33 years of age and is survived by her husband.

FIVE THROWN FROM A BUGGY

Dr. Eustis and Wife of Owatonna Seriously Injured—Others Hurt.

OWATONNA, MINN.—A party consisting of Dr. and Mrs. Warren C. Eustis and Miss Eustis and Mrs. M. B. Chadwick and Miss Chadwick, was driving in the country just north of the city when the horses took fright at a boy playing with an umbrella by the roadside. The animals dashed down the road, finally overturning the carriage and throwing the occupants to the ground.

Dr. Eustis struck on his head and a bad gash was inflicted. Other injuries were suffered, and it is feared that he may have been internally injured. Mrs. Eustis was seriously injured and her arm broken. Miss Eustis did not suffer so severely as her parents, but was painfully injured. Mrs. Chadwick was badly hurt, as was also her daughter.

The rig was wrecked, altho the horses escaped injury.

HASTINGS, MINN.—August Ruhle of Red Wing yesterday fell from a motor car on the Milwaukee tracks, and received serious injuries.

CROOKSTON, MINN.—P. M. Ringdahl, one of the ten Minnesotans selected to greet William Jennings Bryan on his return from Europe at New York, will turn down the trip and honor. He has written to T. T. Hudson, the democratic national committeeman, that owing to business engagements he will be unable to go.

MINNESOTA

STATE SPREADS A NET AT ROSEAU

MURDER OF STEWART TRACED TO YOUNG McKENZIE.

A New Witness Saw Him Following the Victim, and Still Another Tells of McKenzie Spending Money Lavishly the Day After the Murder Was Committed.

Special to The Journal.

Roseau, Minn., Aug. 7.—The state has closed its side of the controversy in the McKenzie murder trial. From the sparsely settled condition of the country in which the crime was committed it seems impossible to trace the defendant very near the murder, but sufficient evidence is being introduced to make a strong case.

McKenzie takes all the proceedings in a humorous way, and is continually smiling at the testimony introduced against him. For a man who is facing the gallows he shows surprising nerve. Nothing seems to affect him, and when he is consulted by his counsel he is continually smiling.

John Ehlert was recalled and testified that when he met McKenzie on Dec. 31 that he had a shotgun on his shoulder.

Gertrude Javelin testified that on Dec. 31 she saw two men pass her house; one was an old man who was walking slow, and the other was a tall, straight man with a black coat who was walking fast. They were about forty rods apart when they passed her house. They were both going in the same direction. She had mentioned this to Peter Ecklund when he was at her house on that date.

Saw Blood on the Snow.

Peter Ecklund was called and corroborated Mrs. Javelin's testimony. He also stated that he was driving a colt along the highway that day, and that at about 11 o'clock he heard two reports of a gun, one following the other about one minute apart, maybe less. The reports scared his colt. Shortly after that he passed the place near where the dead body was found and saw in the road a large spot of blood. There was snow on the ground, and blood had soaked into it.

He also saw marks in the snow of human feet and a place where something had been dragged into the brush. He thought somebody had killed a deer in the woods and had dragged it to the road and put it on a sled, the sled marks of which were visible in the snow.

This corroborated the testimony of John Ehlert, who testified he had driven on the road a short time before and had met McKenzie following Stewart.

John Grimstad testified that he was the mail-carrier between Roseau and Wannaska and that on Jan. 1 he carried McKenzie from Wannaska to Roseau, and that he had plenty of money, which he was spending in the saloons and elsewhere.

O. P. Meline stated that he lived in North Dakota, and that Stewart had left with him in October a horse to keep; that he had received two letters from Stewart respecting the horse, in one of which he was told that Stewart would be after it about April 1. Stewart also left with him a saddle, revolver and belt full of cartridges.

Sailed Under Other Names.

Some time in March a man by the name of John Cummings, whom he identified as the defendant McKenzie, presented to him an order purporting to be signed by Stewart, requesting him to deliver these articles to John Cummings (McKenzie). That he delivered the horse, but held the saddle for charges, and that about two weeks later Cummings (McKenzie) paid the charges and took the articles. The saddle, revolver, belt and blanket were introduced in evidence, as was also the forged order.

O. R. Walker of North Dakota said he purchased the horse from John Cummings and paid him $100.

Knute Lee, postmaster at Wannaska, testified that on Dec. 30 he delivered to Stewart a registered letter, and it was admitted by the defendant that the letter contained $100 in currency. Stevenson and Charles McNamee were with Stewart when he got the letter. He also stated that McKenzie was not at his postoffice on Dec. 31, and he did not deliver to him any letter on that date, but that McKenzie was there on Jan. 1, representing himself to be one Bill Smith, a detective in search of John Stewart, the murdered man, and that a reward was offered by Montana authorities for Stewart's capture. McKenzie went to Roseau in the stage that day.

Charles McNamee said he was in Stevenson's house when McKenzie returned Dec. 31; that he was covered with snow, and said he had been to Wannaska and received a letter that day.

Lawrence Moline testified that McKenzie was at his place on Jan. 1, and wanted him to go to Wannaska with him, but that he did not go. McKenzie said he was going away, and started off. As soon as he got where he supposed he was out of sight McKenzie started on a run, and was still running the last witness saw of him.

THREE THOUSAND THERE

First Day of Worthington's Chautauqua Attracts a Multitude.

WORTHINGTON, MINN.—The first Worthington Chautauqua assembly opened yesterday under favorable conditions except the weather, but the rain, apparently, did not affect the attendance, which numbered about 3,000.

The address of welcome was made by A. T. Latta, president of the association. In the afternoon Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth delivered a lecture on "Lights and Shadows of Prison Life." She held the immense audience almost spellbound by her graceful attitude and pleasing manner of giving a brief history of her work among the prisoners. Her time was limited to the hours at her disposal between trains that she might fill another engagement. The people would have enjoyed several hours of her lecture.

In the evening Miss Rachel Patti Maxon gave several readings which met with popular approval. A concert by the Carolina Jubilee Singers received hearty encores.

The management is highly gratified with the enthusiasm displayed by all over the program and the campers are delighted with the numerous natural and artificial advantages that the place affords for an outing.

SYLVAN LAKE KEEPS FAIR

W. B. Jones Elected President of Cass County Association.

CASS LAKE, MINN.—At the annual meeting of the Cass County Agricultural association, held at Sylvan Lake, it was decided to hold the annual fair this year on Sept. 27 and 28. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, W. B. Jones; first vice president, Peter Yde; second, C. C. Kelley; third, William Dorsey; treasurer, E. P. Bacon; secretary, A. G. Bernard; executive committeemen, Seth Phillips, R. Rearick and Chris Jenson.

An effort was made by residents of Pillager to have the fair changed from Sylvan Lake to that town, but the vote of the members of the association was in favor of Sylvan Lake.

NEW POSITION FOR FARMER

Superintendent of Brown's Valley Is Promoted to St. Cloud.

BROWNS VALLEY, MINN.—The resignation of Superintendent A. N. Farmer came as a shock to the community. His election as superintendent of the St. Cloud schools was a merited promotion and the local board of education granted him his release, leaving him free to go to St. Cloud.

Mr. Farmer came here in February, 1905, when the schools were in a disorganized and chaotic condition, and in a short time had put them into good working order. At the end of four months' work his annual salary was raised from $1,125 to $1,600, and at the close of another year the board contracted with him for three years at $1,600, $1,700 and $1,800 respectively.

SONS OF HERMAN MEET

Upper Michigan Man Elected President of Grand Lodge.

CALUMET, MICH.—At the closing session of the annual convention of the Michigan grand lodge of the Sons of Herman, the following officers were elected: Grand president, Nicholas Miller, Houghton; vice president, Paul Jaeger, Escanaba; grand secretary, Charles Borst, Hancock; grand treasurer, William Waas, Calumet. The grand lodge decided to hold next year's convention at Stambaugh, in the iron country.

John A. Robinson, several years superintendent of the Manistique, Marquette & Northern railroad, has been made manager of that line and the carferry business, and W. C. J. Bienemann succeeds E. E. Coombs as auditor and general passenger agent of the system.

CLOQUET, MINN.—A collision between a push engine and a handcar on the Minnesota & Northwestern railroad near here resulted in the death of Mrs. Matt Smith of Scanlon, the probably fatal injury of a 5-year-old child and minor injuries to three men on the handcar.

SLEEPY EYE, MINN.—Patrick Conley, who escaped from the state training school last November, was captured in this city by Chief Jacobsen this week. Conley was committed to Red Wing about a year ago for an assault upon a young woman at his home in Waseca.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

MINNESOTA

NEW INDEPENDENT ENTERS THE RANGE

MIDLAND COMPANY DEALS FOR THE SHAGAWA MINE.

Duluth Men Show Up a Promising Mine on the Famous Section 30 in Ten Months' Time, and Are Supposed to Have Made a Great Strike in Releasing the Property.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 7.—A. M. Chisholm and Edward Lynch of Duluth returned today from Pittsburg, where they closed a deal whereby the control of the Shagawa Iron company's lease to the Shagawa iron mine passes at once into the hands of the Midland Steel company.

Mr. Chisholm is president and Mrs. Lynch secretary of the Shagawa Iron Mining company, and they, with D. M. Philbin of this city, have re-leased the Shagawa property of the Vermillion range, formerly known to fame as the Section 30, to the Midland Steel company, which is a large independent concern acquiring its first iron property in Minnesota. The terms of the deal are private, but the transaction is doubtless one of the heaviest that has beeen made for Minnesota iron properties in a long time. Alex Hainfield, who is in Duluth, is the local representative of the Midland Steel company, and will have charge of the operations in future at the Shagawa property.

It is of special interest that Messrs. Chisholm, Lynch and Philbin should in ten months show up a large and valuable mine and re-lease the same on a property that was eighteen or twenty years in litigation before the United States supreme court at last determined and fixed the title. In ten months the Shagawa Iron Mining company has sunk a shaft 363 feet, and has done 400 feet of drifting on three different levels. A large amount of high-grade ore has been shown up. Everything points to its being a very large mine, and it is said that a large part of the ore is the best in the United States. There are 2,000 tons of ore in the stockpile at the mine at present.

It is presumed that Messrs. Chisholm, Lynch and Philbin have made a big strike in the development and handling of the Shagawa lease, but they decline to give the terms. The fee owners of the Shagawa property are Lon Merritt, E. H. Fagan, F. W. Eaton, L. C. Harris of Duluth and Marguerite Longstorf of Milwaukee. It was their long fight in the courts and in the land departments, together with the supposed great value of the land, that made Section 30 a celebrated case.

LAKE ADA HAS A "SARPINT"

Mysterious Creature Seen on the Water by Pine River Men.

PINE RIVER, MINN.—Simultaneously with the host of summer guests who come to Cass county's beautiful lakes for their summer's outing appears the sea serpent, but in this instance there is a difference in the usual appearance of the "thing," and the truth is vouched for by men who have a standing for honesty. The gentlemen were B. E. Wideman and J. J. Allen, business men of this place, and there is no doubt but what they really saw some strange creature.

The animal was seen by them in Lake Ada, a beautiful sheet of water about ten miles from here. They were driving home from a trip to Longville, when their attention was attracted by what they thought to be an overturned boat, the size being about those dimensions and the color being similar to that which boats are generally painted, the object being about ten rods from the shore and plainly visible in the bright moonlight.

While one of the men was getting out of the rig to make a closer inspection the creature made a few lunges and disappeared beneath the water, making huge swells, which brought the water high on the beach. The men are of the opinion that it is some monster of a light color, whose head is about on a level with its body.

It is probable an organized party will attempt to capture the creature which has caused so much excitement.

NEW TRIAL REFUSED

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.—Judge Baxter made an order here today refusing to grant a new trial in the case of Oscar F. Strand against the Great Northern Railway company, which was tried at Sauk Center a short time ago. Strand was burned by escaping steam from a locomotive, two-thirds of the skin on his body being burned off, and the jury gave him a verdict for $30,000. The company asked for a new trial on the ground that it had been taken by surprise by some of the plaintiff's testimony, and had been unable to refute it at the time, but that newly discovered evidence put a different aspect on the case. The court did not see things that way, and the verdict will stand unless reversed by the supreme court.

Word comes from Ashby that Mr. Anderson, who saved the Winnipeg flyer and J. J. Hill's special train from running into a washout near that village several weeks ago, has been given a reward of $100 by the Great Northern company. Mr. Anderson is said to have saved a train at the same spot on a previous occasion and was at that time given a reward of $25.

Anton Granoski, Anton E. Granoski and Matthew L. Granoski, farmers of Folson township, Traverse county, filed petitions in bankruptcy in the federal court here today, both as a partnership and individually. Their liabilities, partnership and individual, amount to $4,797. They have no firm assets and their individual assets, which amount to a total of $4,175, are all exempt.

NEW PAPER AT MABEL

MABEL, MINN.—The Mabel Record, a new paper, under the management of C. L. Christopherson made its first appearance here Friday, and will continue to appear weekly hereafter. Mabel has been without a newspaper since George Drowley moved his plant to North Dakota, about a year ago.

The school board Saturday evening elected E. C. Erickson president, C. L. Christopherson secretary and A. L. Tollefson treasurer. The teachers employed for the next year are: A. Ray Kent, superintendent; Jessie F. Abbott, principal; Bessie M. Tucker, assistant principal; Edna Carter, eighth grade; Verne Lovell, sixth and seventh grades; Mary Swenson, fourth and fifth grades; Florence A. Olsen, second and third grades; Mathilda Beck, primary.

SLAYTON, MINN.—The summer training school for this county closed last week. Examination papers are prepared.

BIWABIK, MINN.—Following a fist fight John Tuoria, it is alleged, shot and killed Sam Aijala yesterday near Tuoria's home at the old Cincinnati location near here. The slayer came to this place and surrendered.

HUTCHINSON, MINN.—William Yoekes, 71 years old, committed suicide by hanging in the waiting room at the Biscay station.

LE SUEUR, MINN.—The home of Mrs. John Uhlmann was entered by burglars who took nothing except a large locked trunk full of clothing. There is no clue.

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WISCONSIN

RODERMUND ON WAR PATH AGAIN

EVEN YELLOW FEVER IS NOT CONTAGIOUS, HE SAYS.

Letters to Health Commissioner Show that Time Has Not Softened Him—New Campaign for the Repeal of All Vaccination and Quarantine Ordinances in Milwaukee.

Special to The Journal.

Milwaukee, Aug. 7.—Dr. M. J. Rodermund, who received notoriety about five years ago because of his strenuous work in attempting to prove that smallpox is not contagious, has reopened his campaign of "education" thru letters to Health Commissioner Bading, and asks that the city take immediate steps to get the present health laws repealed so that vaccination and quarantine will no longer be required in Milwaukee.

In his last demonstration, when Dr. Rodermund rubbed the accretions from sores on smallpox patients over his face and hands to show that they could not cause contagion, he was arrested and quarantined. He now says he is willing to go thru the same experience to prove that yellow fever, scarlet fever, smallpox, diphtheria, consumption and many other contagious diseases cannot be transmitted from one person to another.

"I have positively discovered the causes of these diseases," he says, "and know how to prevent and cure them by nature's methods. The facts I have in my possession should be taught in every school textbook."

Rodermund submitted his claims to Dr. Bading some time ago, and no attention was paid to them. He has now written another letter which he thinks ought to bring the health commissioner to time.

"Before I get thru with you and the subjects which I call your attention to," he says, "you may be running around to buy a few brains from a soap factory. You may claim you are there to carry out the law. You are also there to have new laws made and old ones repealed, if they are obsolete.

"Neither you nor any other man has dared to come in daylight and defend your murderous theories. Why is this? Are you a coward or an ignoramus?"

NORTHWEST NECROLOGIC

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—It is related by a friend here that State Veterinarian E. D. Roberts foresaw his own death when he was told that an operation would be necessary. At the funeral today the pallbearers whom he chose were as follows: Governor James O. Davidson, M. R. Osburne, G. U. Fisher, William Appleby, D. Quill and M. Robertson.

WATERTOWN, WIS.—W. P. Brown, cashier of the Wisconsin National bank here since 1858, and perhaps the oldest banker in Wisconsin, is dead. He was over 70 and at his desk daily for nearly half a century, except Sundays.

MARINE FALLS, MINN.—The funeral of Erick Falk was held here yesterday, interment being at Oakland cemetery. He was born in Sweden seventy-two years ago and in 1858, soon after his marriage, came to this country, settling in Illinois. In 1860 he moved to Washington county, this state. He is survived by his wife, a son, A. B. Falk of Otisville, and a daughter, Mrs. Amanda Larson of Kiron, Iowa.

SLEEPY EYE, MINN.—Mrs. Schiller, aged 66 years, dropped dead at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Forster, in this city. She was seated at the breakfast table, apparently enjoying her meal, when death came thru heart failure.

RUSHFORD, MINN.—M. J. Desmond, former mayor of this city, and one of the pioneers, died after a short illness. He was 68 years old. The funeral was held today.

IOWA

IOWA PYTHIANS IN ANNUAL SESSION

GRAND LODGE HOLDS IMPORTANT MEETING AT IOWA CITY.

Program Includes Unusual Report by the Grand Chancellor, in Which Several Novel Suggestions Are Made—Slate for Election Is Arranged and Likely to Go Thru.

Special to The Journal.

Iowa City, Iowa, Aug. 7.—The grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias, domain of Iowa, opened its thirty-seventh annual convention here today, contemporaneous with the fifteenth annual meeting of the grand temple of the Rathbone Sisters of Iowa.

The city, brilliantly decorated with flags, emblems and electric lights, is entertaining nearly 2,500 strangers.

The sessions of the lodges are being held in the University of Iowa armory and hall of liberal arts. The Pythian school of instruction today was presided over by F. E. Duncan of Des Moines. Miss Mary S. Horner of Waterloo, state organizer and instructor, conducted the school of instruction for the Rathbone Sisters. The work in the third rank tonight will be exemplified by the Newton team, Delta lodge sending forty members. The Rathbone Sisters' work will be shown by the Winter temple team, Cedar Rapids.

Chancellor's Report.

Grand Chancellor J. W. Hunter of Newton reported two new lodges in Des Moines and Ogden, and the surrendering of charters—due to deaths, etc.—in Greenfield, Ames, Neola, Ute, Ladora, Runnels and Weaver. Fire in Mystic, Whitten and Le Claire have destroyed properties. Judge Ferris of the grand tribunal has resigned. Dispensations to the number of 187 have been issued.

The grand chancellor made some unusual recommendations, suggesting that the grand chancellor's term hereafter be for two years instead of one; reconsideration of the vote on the constitutional amendment to reduce the age limit to 18 years; the appointment of a grand lecturer, his pay to come from the grand lodge and the lodges aided; a specific penalty for lodges taking applicants outside of their territorial jurisdiction; abolition of all signs, grips and passwords in the rank of page and esquire, and the abolition of the jewel, except for officers of supreme, grand and subordinate lodges; and that members suspended for non-payment of dues be allowed to sit in lodge during the visit of a grand or the supreme chancellor, but without voice or vote on any question.

It looks now as if the following prominent Iowa Pythians would be elected for the ensuing term without opposition: Grand chancellor, Judge F. L. Ferris of Sioux City; grand keeper of records and seals, H. D. Walker, Mount Pleasant; grand prelate, Adam Dolmage, Victor; grand master-at-arms, A. C. Strawn, Iowa City; grand outer guard, Dr. W. H. Merritt, Pleasantville; grand trustee, P. H. Outing, Center Point; grand vice chancellor, Walter Turley, Bradgate; grand master of exchequer, Frank L. Wilson, Washington; grand inner guard, E. E. Diedrich, Durant.

Wants City Enjoined.

An injunction suit was begun here today against Iowa City. John L. Berry, a contractor, seeks to prevent the city from awarding a $10,000 paving contract to William Horrabin.

Was Iowa City Girl.

The widow of Sir Sidney Waterloo, the former lord mayor of London, who recently died in London, is a former Iowa City girl. The noted Englishman met her in California years ago while touring America.

Pioneer Is Dead.

A. W. Pratt, aged 76, for sixty-six years a resident of Iowa City, is dead here. A wife and four children survive him.

A telegram from Colorado Springs announces the death of James Hart, formerly assistant county attorney here. He was 38. A wife survives him.

TRAMMERS WANT MORE

Mine Strike Epidemic Affects Employees of the Adventure.

MARQUETTE, MICH.—The ore strike epidemic in the copper country extended to the Adventure mine today, the trammers going out to enforce a demand for an increase from $54 to $58.50 a month. The mine was operated today, but without trammers must soon close.

Sixty rioters at the Michigan have each been fined $23, and thirty others are held on more serious charges. One mine is still idle. The Quincy mine strike, affecting 1,800 men, continues unchanged.

YOUNG MINER KILLED

Walter Lord Struck by a Tram Car at the Pewabic.

IRON MOUNTAIN, MICH.—Walter Lord, aged 17, was killed at the Pewabic mine yesterday while working in the rock pile, by being struck by a tram car, which jumped the track on the trestle above, knocking him down the embankment. He died in an hour after the accident.

PRESCOTT, WIS.—Gian Saragusa and Gian Temma, two of the twenty-one Italians charged with the murder of John Isaac on July 13, were taken from the Ellsworth jail to Hudson and placed in the St. Croix county jail.

GREEN BAY, WIS.—While arranging wires up in a tree Edward Schumacher, an employee of the Wisconsin Telephone company, fell twenty-two feet, landing on his head and receiving serious if not fatal injuries.

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