GENERAL PRODUCE

Official quotations of the Minneapolis Produce Exchange, corrected up to 12 m., Thursday, Aug. 9.

(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, 21c; creameries, firsts, 19½c; creameries, seconds, 18c; dairies, extras, 19c; dairies, firsts, 17c; 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 10½c; hens, thin, small, moulty, 9c; springs, lb, 12½c; 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; mutton, fancy, 7@7½c; mutton, 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, $1.40; plums, fancy, $1.50@1.75; peaches, box, $1.25; Bartlett pears, fancy, box, $2.75; choice, per box, $2.

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

GAS QUESTION UNSETTLED

Owatonna Council Is Still Undecided as to Franchise.

OWATONNA, MINN.—The question of a gas plant in this city is still undecided. It was expected that the council at its regular meeting Tuesday night would definitely settle the matter, but it did not. The council stands four in favor of granting the proposed franchise to the Owatonna Gas, Electric & Heating company and four in favor of a municipal plant. The ninth member was undecided, and the matter was laid on the table until next Tuesday night.

Steele county was early yesterday morning visited by the heaviest rainstorm of the season. A large quantity of the grain still uncut was pounded down and the damage to the crop will be considerable. The county will have a bumper corn crop if nothing happens.

The James A. Goodwin post, G. A. R., is making extensive preparations for attending the national encampment in Minneapolis next week. Already 300 members and friends of the post have signified their intention to attend. The post will be accompanied by the Cannon valley drum corps.

F. S. Ring, a Medford farmer, has been fined $25 and costs for selling unwholesome milk to the Medford creamery. It is understood that the state dairy and food department intends to wage war on filthy and unwholesome milk in this county in the future.

At the monthly meeting of the Owatonna fire department, held this week, the names of nine members were placed upon the honorary list. Plans were outlined for the laying of the cornerstone of the new city hall.

The funeral of Raleigh Dartt, whose death occurred Sunday at the insane asylum at Rochester, was held today. He was a brother of Mayor H. S. Dartt.

BOY SHOT IN ABDOMEN

Liver and Other Organs Pierced by Bullet from a Rifle.

FARIBAULT, MINN.—Herbert Hutchinson, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hutchinson, was accidentally shot whilie playing with a rifle. He had the muzzle pressed against his stomach and the gun was discharged, the bullet piercing the liver and hitting his backbone and rebounding into his stomach.

At a special meeting of the common council a contract was signed for one year for the reopening of the Hunter hospital, under the management of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Crossett.

The annual golf tournament by the gentlemen of the Tatepaha club for the Ellis cup begins this week. The following persons will take part: H. C. Theopold, W. McReid, T. S. Matteson, Leo Shandorf, K. S. Chase, George Pease, E. K. Clements, C. J. Foreman, F. S. Haeberle, F. A. Theopold, Jr., A. G. Chase, J. E. Dobbin, S. S. Crossett, A. S. Chase, A. H. Bill, Wm. H. Rurupf.

The fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herreman was celebrated at their home in the village of Cannon City. Guests were present from Vernon Center, Marshall, Grand Forks, N. D., Amboy, Garden City, Dundas and Northfield.

The summer school closed with 159 persons taking the examinations.

Major A. G. Chase, Sergeant C. D. Lang and Oscar Lang have been chosen from Company B, M. N. G., to represent the Minnesota militia at the national shooting tournament at Seagirt, N. J.

WOLVES IN HENNEPIN

ANOKA, MINN.—James Green of Cedar captured two wolves in Hennepin county. Wolves had been troubling the farmers in Maple Grove and Dayton, and he went to the farmers' assistance, taking with him five hounds.

Another attempt is being made this week for a third wolf. One of the hounds has gone on his trail and a party is in pursuit.

Charles J. Swanson of Fridley announces his candidacy for state senator from the forty-fifth legislative district.

Alfred Cole and D. Lee, who were arrested for not keeping their saloon closed on Sunday, were bound over to the grand jury under $500 bail.

The Anoka automobile busses are now making the corner of Hennepin and Washington avenues their terminal. They leave Minneapolis at 9 and 10:30 a.m., and 3, 6 and 7 p.m. They leave Anoka at 7 and 8:30 a.m., and 1, 4 and 5 p.m.

The Day children will be sent to the state school at Owatonna.

Professor Thaddeus P. Giddings of Chicago has moved his houseboat, Leviathan, three miles up Rum river and a merry houseboat party is enjoying it. Those in the party are Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Giddings, Mr. and Mrs. George Giddings and daughter, Mrs. Charles E. Chase, Miss Alice M. Starrett and Professor Giddings.

The Anoka J. S. Cady post has rented Richmond hall, Fifth street and Third avenue S, Minneapolis, for use during the G. A. R. encampment. The post has equipped the hall with 100 cots and will have good cooking facilities. G. W. Swank, G. A. Hills and James Hyatt have the cooking in charge. Sixty of the G. A. R. and nearly as many of the Ladies of the G. A. R. will attend.

BOYS CHARGED WITH THIEVING

Five Arraigned at Stillwater—Spoils Spent in Amusements.

STILLWATER, MINN.—Five boys, ranging in age from 9 to 13 years, were before the municipal court accused of entering buildings thru windows and committing petty thefts. One of the lads told about thefts covering a period of several months. Others admitted some of the facts and others denied them in toto, but there was corroborating evidence.

The lads spent some of the money in trips to Wildwood and for cigarets and confections. They are all newsboys. One place entered was a tobacco store, another was an office where they got a $5 bill and a nickel. Goods from stores, tools from locomotives, brass and other things were taken. The names given were Arthur Nelson, Chauncey Downs, Herman Briest, John Decurtis and Homer Sears. Judge Doe deferred further hearing until Monday morning. Mothers of two of the boys were in court and shed tears over the stories recited.

The Stillwater Lyceum has been incorporated and a course of entertainments arranged, beginning with the Royal Venetian band. The corporation officers are: S. Blair McBeath, president; Dr. T. C. Clark, vice president; Judge F. T. Wilson, secretary; H. C. Robertson, treasurer. The other directors are Rev. Charles Corcoran, Rev. S. J. Kennedy, A. J. Holm, F. W. Gall and R. S. Davis.

BASS MINNOWS TO BE PROTECTED

State Prosecutes Cases Against Two Men Who Seined for Bait.

MANKATO, MINN.—A new feature of the game and fish law came to light today when John Lurth and John Deglman were arrested at Madison Lake by Warden Seis of Red Wing on the charge of having seined fish illegally. The fish were black bass minnows, which they had scooped up with a net, with other minnows, for bait. They pleaded guilty and paid fines of $10 and costs each.

Local officials searched the law without finding any provision under which the men could be held. Mr. Seis then called up Executive Agent Fullerton at St. Paul and asked for instructions. He was told to make the technical charge of seining fish.

It appears that when the state stocks the lakes with black bass or pike fry it extends its protecting arm over them all thru the stages of their growth. When only minnows, they have equal protection as when fish. Fishermen who scoop up minnows for bait must throw out all bass, pike and crappy minnows and only retain such as are not protected by law.

The store and stock of Joseph Beshara, a Syrian merchant, was damaged $1,000 or more last night by a fire which started from some unknown cause. He carried $2,000 insurance.

SAW DASH-FOR-POLE OUTFIT

Red Wing Man Is Amazed at Magnitude of Wellman's Preparations.

RED WING, MINN.—A. F. Andersen, who is touring northern Europe, writes from Norway that he was on board the Wellman pole expedition ship at Tromsoe, while on its way to Spitzbergen. Mr. Andersen says:

"I saw the whole outfit, including the frame and the basket and other paraphernalia to be used in making the dash for the pole. The balloon itself was in a large box. There were large quantities of materials for the Marconi wireless telegraph system, 162 barrels of vitriol, to be used in the expedition, about 100 barrels and boxes of scrap iron, 150 barrels of cement and a great quantity of lumber and tent materials. This gives some idea of the magnitude of the enterprise."

Captain Killeen of the Diamond Jo steamer Sidney voluntarily appeared in court yesterday to answer to the charge of assaulting the negro Goodwin. He admitted striking Goodwin, but not with intent to do great bodily harm, and pleaded not guilty to the charge. Killeen twice escaped arrest by running his boat past Red Wing without stopping.

LAKE CITY CHURCH CELEBRATES

Congregational Society Has Golden Anniversary Exercises.

LAKE CITY, MINN.—The First Congregational church of Lake City celebrated its fiftieth anniversary yesterday.

The golden anniversary services began with addresses and letters from former pastors. In the forenoon brief historical sketches of the various branches of church work were given, and at 6 o'clock a home gathering of the church was held at a church supper. In the evening Rev. J. H. Albert of Faribault delivered an address on "The Church as a Factor of Social Progress."

This church has been a power for good in the community. Its present membership is 244. Two of the charter members are living: Mrs. Jane Van Vliet of Menomonie, Wis., who always has retained her membership, and Mrs. C. W. Hackett of St. Paul.

The church edifice is modern in its appointments and contains a fine pipe organ. The pastor is Rev. Willis A. Warrren.

KAMRAR WAS PREY OF THIEVES

Almost Every Business House in Little Iowa Town Shows a Loss.

WEBSTER CITY, IOWA.—Practically every business house in Kamrar, south of of this city, was sacked last night by robbers. No goods were taken, but cash drawers were emptied. The town is small and probably less than $1,000 was secured. A few residences were also entered.

A. Wilson of Ames, a North-Western freight brakeman running thru this city, was slugged by bums and thrown from the train south of this city yesterday while it was moving at a fast rate of speed. He was picked up unconscious and still lies in a comatose condition. The toughs escaped.

STARTS FIRE IN CELL, ESCAPES

Iowa Prisoner Quick to Take Advantage of a Town's Excitement.

MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA.—Ernest Long, a young man of Grundy Center was arrested and placed in jail. This made him so mad that he set fire to his bed in the cell and then began yelling lustily for help. By the time help arrived he was in a perilous situation and the jail badly damaged. In the excitement he made his escape.

Oberg E. Haug of Hillsboro, Ohio, has been engaged by the school board of this city to teach manual training in the public schools. The Beardsley system of manual training will be adopted. The new building will cost about $25,000 and besides the manual training department will have a complete gymnasium and swimming pool.

PAYNESVILLE, MINN.—Owing to the breakdown of the light plant of the village of Paynesville the council adopted a resolution to repair the plant by the addition of a new and larger engine and dynamo and other necessary machinery.

NORTHWEST WEDDINGS

WINONA, MINN.—Presiding Elder F. M. Rule of the Winona district on Wednesday afternoon united in marriage at Brownsdale, Rev. Irven B. Wood, pastor of the Methodist church at that place, and Miss Fannie Palmer, who has been a teacher in the schools there for several years.

STEWARTVILLE, MINN.—Miss Alma Dittoff and Verne Duncanson were married today at the home of the bride's parents.—Word was received here of the marriage of Miss Ada Williams to M. J. Ginter at Chicago. Both were at one time residents of Stewartville.

PELICAN RAPIDS, MINN.—A prettty wedding took place here today at high noon, when Hans B. Springer, cashier of the First National bank of Mayville, N. D., and Miss Hulda Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Anderson of this city were married.

MANKATO, MINN.—The marriage of Miss Franc Davis, daughter of Surgeon and Mrs. E. J. Davis of the state soldiers' home at Minnehaha, and formerly of Mankato, to B. F. Webber, Jr., an attorney of Franklin, took place yesterday afternoon at the soldiers' home chapel.

Miss Greta Hanson was married yesterday afternoon at her home at Faribault, to Roy Holmes of this city.

ANOKA, MINN.—Miss Josephine Driscoll and Thomas E. Grant of Harmony, Minn., were married here by Rev. Father Oliver Dolphin.

Marriage licenses have been issued to M. Hanson of Minneapolis and Carrie Christopherson of Chippewa county, and James L. Gardner and Kate McCumber, both of Bethel.

TODAY'S NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

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WOMEN TO VOTE IN ROCK COUNTY

COUNTY ATTORNEY THERE GIVES OPINION ON PRIMARY LAW.

It Differs from That of Attorney General Young and the County Auditor Will Prepare Ballots Permitting Women to Vote at the Coming Primary Elections.

Special to The Journal.

Luverne, Minn., Aug. 9.—The question of whether or not women shall be allowed to vote at the coming primary election, which was raised by the recently published opinion of Attorney General Young, stating that women have no right to participate in the primaries, was today definitely settled so far as Rock county is concerned by the announcement made by County Auditor Bruce that women will be allowed to vote, and that he will prepare the proper ballots to permit them to do so.

Auditor Bruce's decision was reached following his receipt of an opinion from County Attorney C. H. Christopherson in response to an inquiry as to whether or not he should prepare ballots for women for the coming primaries. The opinion of the county attorney is opposed to that of the attorney general. His view of the law in the case is that the intent of the law that women should participate in the primaries is very clear, and as this opinion coincides with that held by Auditor Bruce, the county auditor announced the decision above stated.

This decision, so far as Rock county is concerned, is final, as the county auditor has the power to decide whether or not the women shall be permitted to vote. The only recourse from the decision of the county auditor is thru the courts.

BOLT PLAYED AROUND BED

P. W. Thompson's Residence at Frazee Struck by Lightning.

FRAZEE, MINN.—The residence of P. W. Thompson was struck by lightning which destroyed the chimney, set fire to the house in several places and played around the iron bedstead in which the children were sleeping. The fire was put out and the damage was not important.

The local W. C. T. U. elected the following officers: President, Mrs. S. S. Jones; vice president at large, Mrs. George Clayton; recording secretary, Mrs. John Bates; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lois R. Geiser; treasurer, Mrs. M. A. Newman; vice presidents, Mrs. George Warner, Mrs. W. F. Kinneman and Mrs. J. M. King. Luncheon was served in the beautiful grove of J. M. King. This union is one of the largest and most efficient in the state. Last year three of the district officers belonged to Frazee union.

RAIN CAN'T SPOIL CHAUTAUQUA

Audiences at Worthington Enthusiastic Despite Constant Showers.

WORTHINGTON, MINN.—The enthusiasm of Chautauqua attendants has not been dampened at all by a two days' rain, varying from a shower to an hour's steady downpour. Fully four inches of water has fallen in this time.

The attendance each day has exceeded 2,000, and the campers are making the best of the inclement weather and still stick to their tents. Professor Pamahasika's trained dogs and birds were an unusually entertaining feature. Dr. Herbert not being present. Dr. Fort occupied the platform in his stead, and delivered an intensely interesting lecture entitled "Four Feet on the Hearth," referring to love and happiness as it should exist in the home.

The Carolina Jubilee singers closed their part in the program last night. The audience made numerous requests for repetition of songs that made a hit, and never grew tired of the music rendered.

LAST CASE AT FARGO

Present Term of the United States Court About to Return.

FARGO, N. D.—At the close of the trial of Samuel Davis, the United States court will be adjourned. The petit jurors have been here twenty-five days. Davis is accused of the robbery of the postoffice at Cavalier. He was traced along the Soo line across the northern part of the state to Minot, where he was arrested thru some Columbian half dollars, which were stolen when the postoffice was robbed. In addition to the coins $400 in currency was taken.

George La Trace was convicted by the jury of selling liquor to Indians and was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and to sixty days in jail. The rest of the criminal calendar has gone over the term, except those who wish to plead guilty.

The state board of optometry is after two fake opticians, who have been working in this vicinity. They are reported to have sold several persons cheap glasses, with composition frames for $20 a pair. The men represented themselves as licensed opticians.

The Great Northern made some fast time with the Oriental Limited between Fargo and Grand Forks. The distance is seventy-eight miles and was made, with one stop at Hillsboro, in seventy-five minutes. The train was composed of eight coaches.

MOTT AS COUNTY SEAT

Hettinger County Citizens to Vote on Organization This Fall.

MANDAN, N. D.—Judge Winchester visited Richardton to complete matters looking to the organization of Hettinger county. A petition is being circulated, and the question will be voted upon at the fall election.

Hettinger county has been the hotbed for land buyers and homestead seekers for the last year or more, and the land is now nearly all in the hands of actual settlers who demand that the county be organized so they can secure for their children convenient schools.

For the present, the town of Mott will be the county seat. Several good stores are located there, and now that the organization is promised, new ones will be started.

RAILROADS MUST PAY MORE

N. D. Main Line Assessments Increased from $7,500 to $9,000 a Mile.

BISMARCK, N. D.—The state board of equalization yesterday made a flat increase of 20 per cent in railroad assessment in the state, increasing all main lines from $7,500 to $9,000 a mile. The total increase in valuation is $5,400,000. The total valuation last year was $22,000,000. This year it is nearly $28,000,000.

At the average rate of taxation thru the state, railroads will pay some $200,000 in additional taxes th ecoming year. The total valuation of property in the state this year will be between $190,000,000 and $200,000,000.

GRABBED A LIVE WIRE

Brewer, a Young Man of Ottumwa, Instantly Killed.

OTTUMWA, IOWA.—A young man named Joseph Brewer, while playing with some companions, accidentally caught hold of a live wire and was instantly electrocuted.

MONTEVIDEO, MINN.—The barn of Ole Christiansen was struck by lightning and burned with a threshing machine and other machinery. The livestock was saved. The building was insured for $1,200.

CANNON FALLS, MINN.—A young son of Mat Fling is in a critical condition from lockjaw, resulting from an injury caused by a wooden stub penetrating his foot.

BURLINGTON, IOWA.—H. C. Schrader caught a catfish weighing sixty-one pounds. It took Schrader over half an hour to land the big prize.

STEWARTVILLE, MINN.—Armstrong Bros. were awarded the contract for putting in the sewer system in this village, to cost $3,700.

NORTHWEST NECROLOGIC

HASTINGS, MINN.—F. W. Kramer, for six years coroner of Dakota county, died yesterday afternoon after an illness of many months from diabetes, at the age of 35 years. His mother, Mrs. H. Kramer, and three sisters, Miss Pauline Kramer, Mrs. Peter Koppes and Mrs. D. E. W. Pringle, survive him. He was a member of the orders of Modern Woodmen and Royal Arcanum. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon.

RED WING, MINN.—Francis William Carlson, one of the pioneer settlers of this county, died yesterday at his home in Welch, aged 78 years.

BATTLE LAKE—Harold Mosher, eldest son of B. B. Mosher of St. Paul, died here from spinal meningitis.

CANNON FALLS, MINN.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Benson was held yesterday afternoon, by Rev. J. N. Brandell, at the Swedish Lutheran church, of which she was a highly esteemed member. She was 77 years old.

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O'NEIL REPORTS LOGGING STATUS

VAST SUMS ARE POURING INTO INDIAN COFFERS.

Operations on the Red Lake Almost Completed, but About 250,000,000 Feet North of Cass Lake Still Remain—Cut Is Running 25 Per Cent Above Government Estimates.

Special to The Journal.

Bemidji, Minn., Aug. 9.—William O'Neil of Cass Lake, who is superintendent of logging on the Chippewa Indian reservations of northern Minnesota under the provisions of the Morris Chippewa law, was in Bemidji last night on official business.

Relative to the progress that has been made in the cutting of the pine on the reserves, which was sold under the Morris law, Senator O'Neil says:

"There has been logged on the reservation since the Morris law went into effect, in round numbers, 340,000,000 feet of pine. We have collected $202,000,000 for the benefit of the Indians, entailing an outlay of $76,000 in doing the work, this expense being for superintending the work, scaling and other necessary labor. This gives the Indians 96.52 per cent of the total amount, 3.48 per cent being for expenses.

"The first sale of timber on the reserves was made in the winter of 1903, and there has been practically but two years of logging on the timber sold at that time. The pine disposed of at the 1904 sales has practically been logged but one year, as in the computation by the government, the first year, being but a month or two, did not count. Under the provision of the law, the timber must be logged within five years.

"The larger companies which purchased the pine were the Northland, Pine Tree, Standard, Mississippi, J. Neils, Burlington, St. Louis River, Namakin and Mueller, there also being a large number of minor purchasers of small tracts, and the territory covered has been divided into the Chippewa and Leech Lake.

"The operations on the Red Lake reservation are almost entirely completed, there remaining but about 2,000,000 feet yet to log. There is still about 250,000,000 feet lying north and northeast of Cass Lake which has not been sold.

"The logging operations have been conducted very successfully, and we have no trouble whatever, beyond the ordinary kicks on small matters which the average logger takes unto himself as his inalienable right to register against things in general.

"The cut has so far gone over the government estimate at least 25 per cent, but, as the timber is sold at bank scale, the Indian loses nothing on this account."

SUICIDE ON A TRAIN

Note Left by Stiggle Was a Prayer for His Family.

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—"O Lord, help my wife and family, for you know I love them. I wish I might have stayed with you longer."

The note, found in a notebook carried by the man who committed suicide last night on an eastbound Soo train, is the only clue to a motive for the man's act of self-destruction. The notebook bore the inscription, "Fred Stiggle, Considine, N. D."

Shortly after the train left Valley City Stiggle walked to the open platform of the car, drew a revolver and shot himself in the right temple. The bullet passed thru the head and carried away a portion of the hat band.

Apparently Stiggle intended to fall from the train when the shot was fired, but the lurch of the coach threw him back upon the platform and he was taken to Fingal. The coroner was notified and the body was brought here. The notebook and $28 were found in Stiggle's pockets.

NEBRASKA COLONY IN N. D.

Its Representatives Buy Several Thousand Acres in McLean County.

GARRISON, N. D.—One of the biggest land deals ever made in McLean county has just been closed by the Missouri Slope Land company, which sold to Nebraska men several thousand acres of land for $140,000. The land is in the Fort Stevenson reservation and will be settled by Nebraska farmers.

IOWA

STANDPAT PAPERS SHOW TRUE COLORS

WON'T BOLT, BUT WILL "KNOCK" CUMMINS ALL THEY CAN.

Alfree of Newton Bolts the Ticket Nominated at Des Moines Last Week and His Letter to Fellow Sufferers Is Given Great Prominence in Mr. Perkins' Paper.

Special to The Journal.

Sioux City, Iowa, Aug. 9.—The Sioux City Journal, Mr. Perkins' newspaper, publishes with great prominence the accouncement that J. W. Alfree of Newton, a standpatter who wrote much of the matter for the Perkins literary bureau in the late contest, has bolted the Cummins ticket. Alfree declares in his letter that "a striking performance of the state convention goes to prove that it was not republican. It reminded me of the copperhead days of the rebellion, when the name of Lincoln was hissed, while that of the arch-traitor, Davis, met with shouts of joy."

Describing the hissing of Secretary Shaw, he continues: "At this convention of August the mention of that honored Iowa name, like that of Lincoln, was hissed, while that of the arch-rebel to Iowa republicans was cheered to the echo. The copperhead may be dead, but the spirit still lives. Today a gander followed by the mother goose and cackling goslings struts before our people, and woe be to the man who does not heed their coming and bow in their presence. Vallandingham put brains into the copperhead hiss, but there is no such thing to be found with this strutting gander and hissing goslings."

The Standpat Policy.

Enough time has elapsed since the state convention to disclose the attitude of the leading standpat newspapers of the state, which include the Des Moines Capital, the Sioux City Journal, the Dubuque Times, the Cedar Rapids Republican and the Burlington Hawkeye.

They will not bolt the ticket. On the other hand, none of them has given any indication of actually supporting Cummins. In fact, in all of them sarcastic references have been made upon Cummins, and in some of them with frequency.

A fair statement of their apparent policy seems to be that they will preserve their record as republican newspapers by refusing to bolt, but that they will do Cummins all the harm possible consistent with that record.

Practice Marches at End.

Yesterday was closed in Iowa a practice march that regular army officers and members of the national guard in other states have been watching with interest. They have doubted its success, but the report that will be made of the three marches in this state will disabuse them of this doubt.

The Fifty-third regiment assembled at Dubuque and marched to Maquoketa, the Fifty-fourth at Muscatine and marched to Davenport, and the Fifty-fifth marched from Red Oak to Atlantic, arriving at its destination yesterday. It took about five days for each march, after which the companies were reviewed and embarked for home.

It was necessary to get together wagons to transport provisions, to provide hospital wagons and tents, a large amount of special equipment and to lay out routes in detail. It meant that the national guard regiments, on the order of the adjutant general, went on a war footing.

Each was required to conduct itself as it would in marching thru a hostile country and a regular army officer was in attendance to criticize and see that no regulations were overlooked.

Major Olmstead, retired, and assigned to the adjutant's office of the Iowa guard, accompanied each regiment, and will report to the war department.

IOWA UXORICIDE CONFESSES

Schaffer, Desperate, Does Not Care What His Fate May Be.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA.—Wesley Schaffer, who was arrested for the murder of his wife, made a complete confession yesterday. He says they quarreled over family matters, and he choked her into insensibility and then secured a hammer and beat her over the head until she was dead. He is perfectly unconcerned regarding his fate.

MINNESOTA

STATE TO OPEN A NEW SCHOOL

BUILDING ON EXPERIMENTAL FARM AT CROOKSTON READY.

Liggett and Vye of the St. Anthony Park Station Visit the Red River Valley City to Arrange Course of Instruction at New Institution—Seventy-five Students to Start With.

Special to The Journal.

Crookston, Minn., Aug. 9.—The school at the experimental farm on the northern edge of this city will open its doors to students this fall for the first time, and it is expected that an attendance of seventy-five will be registered. The new school building is completed and is one of the best structures of its kind in the northwest. The legislature appropriated $15,000 for it.

J. A. Vye of the St. Anthony Park experimental station arrived in the city yesterday, and it is expected Dean Liggett will be here today. The purpose of the visit is to arrange a course of instruction and to see what instructors will be needed.

The school and farm are special hobbies of State Senator A. D. Stephens, who has looked after their interests assiduously in the state legislature. Should the senator be returned to the senate this fall, and there seems no doubt but that he will, he will do his utmost to secure sufficient funds to enlarge and maintain the institution so that it will meet every requirement of the agricultural interests of the northern portion of the state.

Carl Kraus and his wife, Catherine O. Kraus, found that the marital bliss which a rather romantic courtship had promised did not materialize, and today the former started an action for divorce on the rather exceptional grounds of intention to defraud. The couple grew up together in faraway Russia, Catherine coming to Crookston at the age of 12 and Carl following a few years afterwards.

Last August Carl was brought before Judge McLean and, thru representations made by the faithful Catherine, a marriage was ordered by the court or Carl was given the option of a term in the service of the state. A short time elapsed when a child was born. It lived but four months, and then Carl began to doubt the parentage of the little one. He declares he has evidence that the charge upon which the marriage was forced was a fraud pure and simple, and he now appeals to the courts to relieve him of bonds that gall.

WAR ON CATALOG HOUSES

New Iowa Organization Girds for a Life and Death Struggle.

DES MOINES, IOWA.—A campaign of education showing the demoralizing effect of mail order patronage on business communities and the consequent depreciation in property values is to be started by the newly organized State Federation of Mercantile associations in its fight against the catalog houses.

Heretofore the fight against this class of business has been in the nature of a still hunt, but it is now to give way to publicity. The enormous business done by catalog houses is said to be making business dull in the smaller Iowa towns, while the state generally is prosperous. Startling figures are shown by officials of the association showing the amount of money sent from some communities to the mail order houses every day.

CRADLE, ALTAR AND GRAVE

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Alf Christiansen and Gunda M. Solberg.
Christian Tuft and Helma Bodin.
James W. Porter and Melina Normandin.
Marion E. Anderson and Ellen V. Gendron.
Guy Wentworth and Rose Maresh.
Tom Vines and Annie Reiseter.
John Sipola and Hilma Bistal.
Orel A. Kibbe and Corinne Broughton.
David E. Smith and Gertrude G. Nyhagen.
Benjamin F. Webber, Jr. and Franc Davis.
Fred J. Kidder and Grace L. Gibson.
Stanley McKirdy and Lillian E. Carlson.
Guiseppe Teresi and Frances Calderona.
Lowery C. Fernleaf and Blanche E. Sears.
Charles A. Anderson and Olivia Svedin.
Emil Headman and Ella Foster.
Hanislaw Stanaszek and Katharine Apalinski.
Benjamin Borgeson and Jennie M. Winquist.
Michael Coyne and Amanda Ulrick.
Charles Reiger and Mary E. Miller.
Louis H. Vorwerk and Frances M. Mayer.
Clarence Lake and Hattie M. Friel.
James McDonald and Marie A. Habemess.
Nathan Gantze and Sabra Gantze.

BIRTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Green, 4802 Vincent avenue S, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Josephson, 456 Pierce street a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Menger, 4812 Drew avenue, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. O. Oberg, 2304 Ninth street S, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Larson, 2809 Stevens avenue, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mosing, 1435 Washington street NE, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jacobsen, 1921 Clinton avenue, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Chellis, 3415 Garfield avenue, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. I. Segel, 622 Eighth avenue N, a boy.
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson, 1430 Sixth street NE, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. August Eklund, 1827 Riverside avenue, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. P. Peterson, 3219 Second street N, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert, 2919 Fourth avenue, a boy.

DEATHS.

Emma Russell, 1919 Fourth street SE.
Celia Myers, city hospital.
George W. Seavey, 37 Washington avenue S.
Christian Sharp, 1613 West Thirty-first street.
Nels Thompson, city hospital.
Thomas W. Stanford, 2750 Pillsbury avenue.
Hilda E. Hill, 114 Second avenue N.
David O. Pulverm, 3644 Fifth avenue S.

ITCHING PAINFUL SORES ON HANDS

Suffered for a Long Time Without Relief—Had Three Doctors and Derived No Benefit—One Doctor Was Afraid to Touch Them—Soreness Disappeared and Hands Now Smooth After Application of

CUTICURA SOAP AND CUTICURA OINTMENT

"For a long time I suffered with sores on the hands which were itching, painful, and disagreeable. I had three doctors and derived no benefit from any of them. One doctor said he was afraid to touch my hands, so you must know how bad they were; another said I never could be cured; and the third said the sores were caused by the dipping of my hands in water in the dye-house where I work. I saw in the papers about the wonderful cures of the Cuticura Remedies and procured some of the Cuticura So