

City News

THE WEATHER

The Forecast. Minnesota—Showers and cooler tonight; Sunday partly cloudy with cooler in east portion.

Weather Conditions.

Cloudy weather is general this morning over much of the country except along the Gulf coast, in the Ohio valley, the middle and southern Rocky mountain region and southern California.

Weather Now and Then.

Today, maximum 73, minimum 60 degrees; a year ago, maximum 89, minimum 59 degrees.

AROUND THE TOWN

Woman Fined \$100.—May Benson was fined \$100 in police court today on a charge of keeping a house of ill fame.

NECROLOGIC

JAMES COLLOGAN.—The funeral of James Collogan, died Aug. 20 aged 71 years, was held from the home of his son, J. W. Collogan, 2340 Bloomington avenue, on Wednesday.

MRS. LILLIAN G. RONDECK, wife of G. A. Rondeck, died at the city hospital. The funeral will take place Sunday at 4 p.m. at the undertaking rooms of E. M. Dauphine & Co., 43 Eighth avenue S. Interment will be at Sauk Rapids.

SHUTS OUT ALL "DOPE"

FOOD COMMISSIONER SLATER ISSUES STRICT ORDERS ON USE OF PRESERVATIVES.

Food Commissioner E. K. Slater today issued the strictest order relative to prohibition of preservatives and bleaching agents which has yet come from the state department.

WAKES TO SEE THIEF FLEE WITH HIS \$102

Peter Larson, while staying at the Columbia hotel, 211 Nicollet avenue, awoke last night to see a thief walking out of his room with his vest, which contained \$102 in cash.

GEN. H. W. CHILDS IN CRITICAL CONDITION

The condition of General H. W. Childs, critically ill with appendicitis at Cobb hospital, Merriam Park, is unchanged. At a consultation of physicians with Dr. S. G. Cobb, the surgeon in charge, it has been decided to attempt to rally the patient before performing any operation, as, in his present state, it is believed he would not survive the shock.

MIDSUMMER PIANO SALE

Great success of our 11th Midsummer piano sale. New sample pianos and discontinued styles going as follows: New \$225 Pianos Going for \$133.

UNIFORM LAWS TO COME BY DEGREES

NATIONAL COMMISSION MEETS TODAY IN ST. PAUL.

President Eaton and Other Officers Review Work of Year Along Line of Uniformity of State Laws—Much Good Has Already Been Done by National Congress.

Assembling quietly and opening their session without ceremony, the commissioners on uniform state laws began the annual conference in the senate chamber of the new state capitol today.

Some Suggestions. Criminal, vital, judicial statistics, according to President Eaton, offer a large field to the conference and he urged the necessity of securing state legislation looking toward uniformity in the methods of collecting and recording data on these important subjects.

Divorce Congress.

He reviewed briefly the work done along the line of insurance reform and went into the divorce question at length.

At the conclusion of the reading of this address it was referred to the executive committee with recommendation that action be taken with regard to the suggested reform as to statistics and pure food.

Insurance Reform.

Action in conjunction with the insurance reform forces already in the field rather than independent effort was the suggestion made by Charles F. Libby of Portland, Me., in his report as chairman of the committee on uniform fire and marine laws.

Other committees were called on at the morning session, but, with the exception of the committee on commercial law, either failed to report or deferred to a later time.

Negotiable warehouse receipts were the striking feature of the provisions for the insurance reform reported by this committee. In drawing up this law Professor Samuel Willison of the Harvard law school and Barrett M. Johnson of Washington, the major part of the committee, endeavored to make it simply an embodiment of usages and customs of the commercial world with references to warehouse receipts.

Spending Day on Report.

The consideration of this report began at the morning session and occupied the major part of the afternoon. The committee presenting it consists of Francis B. James of Cincinnati, chairman; James Barr Ames, dean of the Harvard law school; Rome G. Brown, president of the Massachusetts Bar Association; Charles F. Libby, Portland, Me.; E. W. Huffcutt, dean of the Cornell law school; Walter George Smith of Philadelphia, and Talcott H. Russell of New Haven, Conn.

Following the consideration of this report the same committee has extensive reports on the law of sales, the law of bills of lading, and the law of partnership which it will present.

The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Amasa M. Eaton, Providence, R. I.; president, John C. Richberg, Chicago, vice president; T. H. Russell, New Haven, Conn., treasurer; C. T. Terry, New York, secretary; Nathan Perrine, Ohio, assistant secretary.

The conference will hold a session both morning and afternoon in the senate chamber until the American Bar Association convention next Wednesday. The states represented at today's conference, with their commissioners, were: California, Charles Monroe, Los Angeles; Connecticut, Talcott H. Russell of New Haven; Water E. Coe of Stamford, E. H. P. Arvine of New Haven; Illinois, John C. Richberg of Chicago; Indiana, John Morris of Fort Wayne; Louisiana, W. O. Hart of New Orleans; J. R. Thornton of Alexandria, Maine; Charles F. Libby of Portland, Frank M. Higgins of Limerick, Massachusetts; James Barr Ames of the Harvard law school; Minnesota, W. S. Pattee of the Minnesota law school, Rome G. Brown, Frederick V. Brown of Boston; Massachusetts, Daniel Fish and Howard S. Abbott of Minneapolis; A. R. Moore, John D. O'Brien of St. Paul; New York, E. W. Huffcutt of the Cornell law school, Thaddeus Terry of New York; Ohio, Francis B. James of Cincinnati; Pennsylvania, William H. Stanke of Philadelphia; Walter George Smith of Philadelphia; Rhode Island, Amasa M. Eaton of Providence, Mr. Johnson; Kansas, Charles W. Smith of Stockton; Florida, Robert W. Williams of Tallahassee; Nebraska, Ralph W. Breckenridge of Omaha.

MORE INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS

Officials Who Are Seeking Uniform Laws, in Conference at State Capitol.



TEACHERS GAIN NEW CERTIFICATES

LIST OF SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS IS ANNOUNCED.

Original, Renewed, and Professional Licenses to Instruct the Youth of Minnesota Are Issued to a Large Number of Educators by State Superintendent.

The department of public instruction today announced the names of those to whom professional teachers' certificates are about to be issued.

Those receiving original certificates on college diploma duly approved, and the length of time for which each certificate is made good, are as follows:

- Helen L. Baker, Colton, N. Y., one year. Adelaide Ber, Hutchinson, two years. Brad Bronson, Luverne, two years. Elsie I. Burnham, Plainview, one year. Grace M. Burton, Tyndall, S. D., two years. Esther G. Chapin, McGregor, Iowa, two years. Edith Cain, Okato, two years. Edna Z. Dorman, Fayette, Iowa, two years. Sigurd B. Erickson, Maynard, two years. Helen M. Geiser, Monticello, two years. Winifred M. Gillis, Rushmore, two years. Mabel A. Goodsell, Grand Meadow, two years. H. H. Graff, Northfield, two years. Albert Hegstrom, Hallowell, two years. Nellie A. Hinckley, Mount Vernon, Iowa, two years. G. R. Ingalls, Ostrander, two years. Mary G. Jamieson, West Duluth, one year. Gertrude Johnston, Glenwood, two years. Sara M. Jones, Luverne, one year. Mary Lathrop, Vermillion, S. D., 2 years. Laurel Lewis, 62 S. Dale street, St. Paul, 1 year. Luella P. Livingston, Farmington, 2 years. Ina Lockwood, Fayette, Iowa, 2 years. Eliza S. Lee, Minneapolis, 2 years. James H. Mahaffy, Truman, two years. Roy Merrill, Norcross, two years. J. L. Pemberton, St. Paul, two years. Hallie C. Zerick, Primghar, Iowa, two years. Beryl L. Rice, St. Paul, two years. Clara M. Sander, St. Peter, two years. William C. L. Schafer, Colfax, Wis., five years. J. W. Schaefer, Jewell, Kan., two years. Miriam Sheldon, Miriam, 3 years. Mabel R. Simpson, Chippewa Falls, two years. S. A. Siverts, Jr., Minneapolis, two years. Alice B. Stratton, Northfield, two years. Grace N. Thompson, Albert Lea, two years. H. R. Tanning, Coon Valley, Wis., two years. Margaret Watson, Detroit, two years. Ruth West, Minneapolis, two years. Licenses renewed on college diplomas are as follows: Miss H. L. Andrews, Minneapolis, five years. G. H. Booth, Lake City, life. Harriet E. Chamberlain, Eau Claire, two years. W. H. E. Coates, Minneapolis, three years. Thyra Crawford, Bloomfield, Neb., five years. Charles Eginton, Hayfield, five years. W. H. Ellert, Stewartville, five years. Amanda Erickson, St. Peter, ten years. Margaret Fehr, St. Cloud, five years. W. J. Gilberston, Albert Lea, five years. Gertrude H. Gould, Minneapolis, 142 years. Oscar W. Hallin, Kennedy, five years. Laura A. Henry, Minneapolis, five years. Magda M. Hoff, Dalton, five years. Drusilla H. Hutchinson, Minneapolis, five years. Archie L. Ide, East Spokane, Wash., two years. Hugh E. Jones, Blooming Prairie, five years. A. Lehman, McIntosh, five years. G. E. Lundberg, Rush City, five years. J. K. McBroom, Excelsior, life. B. B. MacLean, Wheaton, life. Erna Maguire, Morris, five years. Katherine Olds, Granite Falls, five years. M. Frances Simonds, McGregor, five years. Augusta Starr, Excelsior, five years. Frances Tiltonson, Bank Center, five years. J. Vernon Turner, Granite Falls, five years. Luella Turrill, Redwood Falls, ten years. Blanche H. Wells, Minneapolis, five years. James A. Wilson, T. E. Falls, ten years.

BANK CLERKS GO TO NATIONAL MEETING

A full delegation of eleven members will go to the Atlantic City convention of the American Institute of Bank Clerks in September, leaving Sept. 3.

DESIRABLE IMMIGRANTS

Salvation Army Brings Proof of the Character of Its New People.

Among the Canadian dispatches to The Journal a few days ago was a statement to the effect that the class of immigrants known as the Salvation Army to Canada was not proving acceptable to the Canadians; that the Salvation Army was bringing over men from the London slums who were not desirable immigrants, and that the people of western Canada were protesting against such immigration.

FIVE CANDIDATES FILE

Several Take Formal Step in Quest of Office. A number of candidates for various county and city offices filed their affidavits with County Auditor Hugh R. Scott today. They were: N. D. Beavers, republican, representative from the forty-fourth district; William Stevens, republican, senator from the thirty-ninth district; Charles A. Nimocks, republican, park commissioner; Charles C. Laybourn, republican, judge of the district court and Frank J. Detterly, republican, representative from the forty-sixth district.

PHONE COMPANIES MISCONSTRUE LAW

PART OF GROSS EARNINGS TAX IS EVADED.

Public Examiner Kerst Discovers Practice in Making Reports of Long-Distance Earnings Which Deprives State of Considerable Revenue—Attorney General Rules Against Companies.

PEDDLERS ARE WARNED

VENDORS ON THE STREET MUST TAKE OUT LICENSES OR PAY THE PENALTY UNDER ORDINANCES.

Licenses Inspector Longfellow has informed the peddlers that every man who attempts to sell articles of any kind on the street without a license will be arrested and prosecuted.

13 TRY 13 MINUTES TO KILL ONE DOG

One patrolman and a dozen volunteer helpers were busy for thirteen minutes yesterday afternoon trying to kill an injured dog that had been run over by a streetcar at Twenty-eighth and Main streets.

WOMEN ARE MORE ADORABLE THAN MEN

What women are more adorable than men? Spain so proud, so simple so radiantly feminine? Is it not in fact? As a type, the Spanish woman of the south is unique. She is small and slender, exquisitely proportioned with star, but beautifully shaped hands and feet, her face is oval, finely chiselled, frank and smiling. Her eyes are the mirror of her soul, dark, lustrous, brave and passionate; they fire with fire and devotion; it is the glory of her race.

MILK AND MILK ONLY

Milk and milk only has formed the diet of our old Irish friends of Pennsylvania, Wales, and birth. He has been tempted with the choice of solid food to no purpose and medical men who have examined the food of the case believe that he is more developed and healthy and his mind is more contented than that of a third party of milk, mixed with sugar and a little water.

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Telephone companies have heretofore been escaping considerable taxation by reporting fees secured thru contract use of other companies' offices, as expense instead of earnings. The matter was unearthed by Peter M. Kerst, public examiner, and the attorney general's opinion asked in a case which is to establish a precedent. Attorney General E. T. Young's opinion on the case cited is self-explanatory of Mr. Kerst's question. It is as follows:

MANAHAN WANTS TO SEE ROADS' CONTRACT

James Manahan, attorney for the Minnesota Shippers' association, today filed a request with the state railroad commission that the railroad be issued a subpoena to produce its contract with the Northern Pacific for carrying coal from Duluth to St. Paul bound for Duluth, and also to make known the division of freight tariffs on Duluth-Hastings hauls between the two roads.

DIDN'T CARE TO WAIT

Daniel Hines today took advantage of the new law allowing a defendant to plead guilty to information without waiting for an indictment to be returned by the grand jury. He pleaded guilty to burglary in the third degree, and was sentenced to one year and six months in the penitentiary. Hines, in company with two other men, broke into a Washington avenue pawnshop and stole second-hand-larger. The other two men are still at large.

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HOST'S DIVIDEND BILL IS ADOPTED

INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS FINISH THEIR WORK.

Many Changes in Present Laws Recommended That Will Be of Benefit to Policyholders and Companies—Ames Bill for District of Columbia Sanctioned by Resolution.

The committee of fifteen of the national organization of insurance commissioners, which has been in session for several days at the capitol, has practically concluded its business of drafting uniform laws, and several of the commissioners left for their homes last night and today.

Late yesterday a revised draft of Zeno M. Host's annual dividend bill was approved. The bill provides that "every life insurance company contracted on the mutual plan or in which the policyholders are entitled to share in the profits or surplus, shall make an annual appropriation and accounting of divisible surplus to each such policyholder beginning on or before the second policy year, or on all participating policies hereafter issued, and each such policyholder shall be entitled to and be credited with or paid in a manner provided such a portion of the entire divisible surplus as has been contributed thereto by his policy."

Under the terms of the bill these dividends are to be carried as credits, and in the event of the death of the insured shall be payable with the policy. Another important feature of the bill is a clause providing for a contingency reserve fund on a sliding scale of percentage, such as has recently been enacted by the New York legislature. This contingency reserve fund is to guard against unforeseen contingencies and fluctuation of assets.

The commissioners also passed a resolution introduced by Commissioner Drake of Washington approving of the Ames bill as follows: "The committee reiterates its approval of the general scope of the so-called Ames bill, now pending in congress, recognizing, however, the necessity for many amendments to the bill as it appears in its present form. This committee, however, believes that a complete code of insurance for the District of Columbia is necessary, and that the establishment of an insurance department under the bureau of commerce and labor, to be so fully equipped that its operations will be in accordance with the state in the matter of making regulations of insurance companies, would be of the greatest possible public benefit."

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PAVING MATERIAL SLOW IN COMING

CITY IS DELAYED IN FINISHING STREET WORK.

Contractors for Blocks and Broken Stone Fail to Make Shipments and Concrete Crews Are Laid Off—Workmen Complain and May Quit City Employ.

Considerable delay to paving operations has been caused by the inability of City Engineer Andrew Baker to obtain crushed stone for concrete and foundations and cressed wood blocks. The latter material has been coming irregularly in small quantities, and several blocks which have been created for a long time have been closed to traffic because blocks could not be laid. It is now positively given out by the contractor that they are in position to furnish blocks in such quantities that they can make up for lost time.

Now the stone is giving out. A large crew of concrete workers has been laid off on account of lack of material. When the stuff will be coming again is uncertain.

In the meantime, the men are in anything but a pleasant frame of mind. To be laid off in the busiest part of the season when wages are high is not a situation that workmen can face with complacency. They are threatening to leave the city's employ, and according to the fellow Baker, they would be justified in so doing. No man with a family, as most of the men on city work are, can afford to be idle at this time of the year. Should a considerable number of the concrete crews seek employment elsewhere it would embarrass the city greatly, as there are still about 50,000 yards of concrete to be laid this season.

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