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BAPTIST.—(Church near second Ravine bridge.) Services every Sabbath at 10½ a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock. Seats free and all are welcome. Rev. W. E. Stanley, Pastor. Sunday School at 12 m.

METHODIST.—(Church, corner Washington ave. and Chapel street.) Services every Sabbath at 10½ a. m. and 7½ p. m. Sunday School at 12 m. Rev. H. S. Hilton, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—(Richmond avenue) Services every Sabbath at 10½ o'clock A. M. and 7:45 P.M. Sabbath School at 12 M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. Seats free. Special invitation extended to strangers.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—(South of Ravine bridge.) Union services at 10½ o'clock a. m. Sunday School at 12 m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock. Rev. G. R. Milton, Pastor: residence with Mr. C Bridgman in lower town.—Special attention paid to strangers and temporary worshipers.

CATHOLIC.—(Church of Immaculate Conception, St. Germain Street.) Pastor Rev. Benedict Haindl, O. S. B.; Assistant, Rev. Alphonso Kulsle, O. S. B.—Services, week days at 8 a. m.: Sundays, First Mass, 7½ a. m.; High Mass and sermon at 10 a. m.; Vespers at 2 p. m.; Cathechetical instruction at 3 p. m.

The First Division.

OF THE

ST. PAUL & PACIFIC RAILROAD.

1875. Summer Time Table. 1875.

ST. PAUL AND ST. CLOUD.—GOING NORTH.

Leave St. Paul	9:20 A. M.	4:10 P. M.
Arrive at St. Cloud	2:05 P. M.	8:20 P. M.
Leave St. Cloud	2:30 P. M.	
" St. Jo	3:05 P. M.	
Arrive at Melrose	4:50 P. M.	

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Melrose	9:15 A. M.	
" St. Jo	11:15 A. M.	
Arrive at St. Cloud	11:35 A. M.	
Leave St. Cloud	12:05 P. M.	7:20 A. M.
Arrive at St. Paul	4:53 P. M.	11:08 A. M.

SAUK RAPIDS TRAIN.

Leaves Sauk Rapids	7:00 A. M.
Arrives at Sauk Rapids	8:30 P. M.

(Running time, 10 minutes).

J. H. RANDALL,
General Ticket Agt.

E. Q. SEWALL, Supt.

TO MILL MEN AND OTHERS.

Several hundred pounds of old type, suitable for babbit metal, can be purchased at this office.

☞The Circulation of The Journal is DOUBLE that of any other Paper Published in Northern Minnesota. Advertisers should remember this.

Official Paper of the City.

—Typhoid fever has made its appearance in town.

—New pupils for the Normal School still continue to arrive.

—Remember the County Fair, which begins September 27th, and bring in your best stock and produce.

—Invitations are out for a "basket party" at the new hall in Davis & Clark's building to-morrow evening.

—The Rev. J. B. Smith, D. D., will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning, at 10½ o'clock.

—A dead-beat named Steinburg was this morning given ten seconds time in which to leave the city and get across the bridge. He got.

—It is rumored that a handsome two-story brick block, to accomodate three stores, will be built on the old Broker lots, on St. Germain street.

—Mr. Louis Goyette starts this afternoon for Fort Garry with 80 head of fat cattle. Mr. E. T. Tobey accompanies Mr. G., and will be gone about three months.

—Mr. S. Rathbun will speak in front of the West House next Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, if the weather is favorable. Subject: "Man, his origin, and present and future condition."

—The last quarterly meeting of the year will be held at the M. E. church next Sunday. Preaching Saturday evening at 7½ o'clock and Sunday morning at 10½ o'clock by the Rev. E. R. Lathrop.

—The Northern Minnesota Baptist Association meets in this city to-morrow (Friday) evening at 7½ o'clock, and continues in session three days. The Rev. J. B. Tuttle, of Anoka, preaches the opening sermon.

—In our report of the opening of the Normal School last week, we neglected to speak of the Model Department, in charge of Miss Murray, which is in satisfactory working order, with twenty-five pupils in attendance.

—The weather cleared up very pleasantly Saturday, making a favorable afternoon for the picnic of the Episcopal Sabbath school. The little folks, with their teachers and others, gathered in the grove at Pine Garden and had a good time until six o'clock, when they dispersed.

—The festival given Friday evening by the ladies of the Presbyterian church in the new hotel was well attended and passed off very pleasantly. The net receipts were $43. The ladies desire us to return their especial thanks to Capt. West for the use of the building, and to Messrs. J. N. Benson and A. W. Dennis for favors received.

—The series of lectures given by Dr. Smith on Egypt and Palestine have been quite interesting and have been listened to by large audiences. On the occasion of the closing lecture last Sabbath evening, the Methodist church was crowded to its utmost capacity and even then many persons were unable to gain admittance.

—Last Sunday a little daughter of Mr. Leonard Lieser had a miraculous escape. She was playing on the railroad bridge with some other little girls, when she fell off, striking the ground below close by the water's edge. Although the distance is nearly if not fully fifty feet, she was not in the least injured—not even bruised. The next child will tumble off a chair and break its neck.

—Yesterday an Austrian named Macsanick, living back of Winnebago Prairie, took the old familiar way of putting a ball through his anatomy. His gun was standing against a tree, when he pulled it toward him by the muzzle, and in some way the weapon was discharged, the ball entering his right thigh. He was brought to town yesterday evening for surgical treatment.

—A gentleman of this city who has given the matter considerable attention is of the opinion that, by reason of the largely increased yield, the amount of good wheat secured this year will be nearly if not fully equal to the amount of good wheat last year. The excess in yield, he thinks, will cover the amount of what is spoiled.

PERSONAL.—Mr. R. M. Russell spent several days in town last week, returning to Minneapolis Monday.

Mr. J. P. Hinchillwood started Monday to fill another government surveying contract.

Mr. E. C. Smith's family returned Saturday from Ashland, Wis., where they had been spending several weeks with Mr. S., who is engaged in business at that place.

We had a call Saturday from Mr. Leander Gorton, of Minneapolis.

Mr. W. C. Stevens, of Elk River, was in the city Tuesday.

Miss Nettie Swisshelm and Miss Jennie G. Mitchell started Saturday for New York city, where they intend spending the winter.

Dr. Smith leaves for the East next Monday.

Mr. Thos. Todd, the lessee of the new hotel, arrived Tuesday.

Mr. Fred. Proctor, of Boston, was in the city Monday.

Mr. Louis Vassaly, of Little Falls, favored us with a call yesterday.

The Rev. H. S. Hilton starts Monday for Red Wing to attend Conference. The Rev. E. R. Lathrop, P. E., will also attend.

—Workmen this week re-planked the fire cistern near Dearing's hotel.

—Mr. S. H. Parsons is having an addition built to his grocery store.

—Mr J. L Porter's little boy, aged six months, died last night of cholera infantum.

—We are again indebted to Mr. S. H. Bogenrief for a brace of nice prairie chickens.

—We understand that Mr. Leander Gorton, of Minneapolis, has purchased the Lufkin House, at Sauk Rapids.

—The fall term of the Union School at Sauk Centre began Monday with an attendance of 201 pupils.

—Kill two birds with one stone—come to the County Fair and the grand hotel opening on the 27th.

—Mr. Wm. Scherfenberg, who went to Germany some time ago on a visit, returned a few days since with a wife.

—Mr. J. B. Dearing began wearing Tuesday the leg received from Chicago to take the place of the one amputated last winter.

—Lot Robbers has leased the billiard hall in the new hotel and will fit it up in first-class style. He takes possession next week.

—This morning a car-load of wagons and a car-load of horses passed through here, from Alton, Ill., bound for Alexandria.

—Millers tell us that before the rains they were running and grinding the finest new wheat they ever saw. Now they have shut down for want of grain.

—We are indebted to County Auditor Voesberg for a copy of the General Laws passed by the last session of the Legislature.

—During a thunderstorm on the 26th ult., Ferdinand Groetzmacher, of the town of Zion, lost a cow and two three-years' old heifers—struck by lightning. He had them insured in the Farmers' Mutual.

—The circulars of the Tennesee "Ivory" and "Golden" wheat and Japanese pea men are thick again. Farmers who send these fellows money need not feel disappointed if they get little or nothing in return.

—The other day while some children in Sauk Rapids were at play, one of the boys threw some lime into the eyes of Lee Coburn. The little fellow suffered greatly, and it is feared will lose the sight of one eye.

—A military company of the high-heeled, swallow-tailed, gressed-plug, pinned-back, standing-collar, *bong-tong* order has been organized in St. Paul. Col. C. D. Kerr, lately of this city, carries off the 2d Lieutenant's straps.

—Circumstances alter cases; as for instance: When a lawyer is trying a case before a magistrate, it is, with all deference, "Your Honor," and "May it please the Court." When they meet on the sidewalk it is, with a familiar slap on the shoulder, "Come along, 'Squire; let's take a drink!"

—We noticed a six-years' old boy going along the street this morning with a double-barreled shot-gun, and have delayed going to press this afternoon in order to get an account of the accident, but it has not come in yet. Perhaps somebody took the gun away from the youth before he had a chance to experiment with its contents.

—Numerous inquiries have been made of late as to what became of the $25,000 appropriated by the last Congress for the improvement of navigation on the upper Mississippi. None of the money has been used up this way, as far as heard from, and reports are current to the effect that it has been gobbled at the Falls of St. Anthony. How is this?

—The Teachers' Institute, held at Alexandria the last week in August, adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we earnestly thank Prof. Kiehle, Principal of St. Cloud Normal School, for his noble and beneficial instructions.

Resolved, That we feel greatly obliged to him for his excellent lecture on Thursday evening.

—There is a general desire on the part of our merchants and business men that the road on the east side of the river, communicating with the Kling settlement, should be improved. It would be of much benefit to our trade. It is understood that funds belonging to the old Board of Trade are in the hands of its last Treasurer, T. C. McClure, to an amount sufficient to nearly if not wholly pay the expense of the desired work. Steps should be taken to render these funds available.

—Friday evening, while Mr. James Jenks, of Clearwater, was attempting to cross a marsh this side of Ellis Kling's, on the east side of the river, one of his mules fell and the other went down on top of it. Before they could be got "right side up with care" again the under mule had collapsed a flue; his musical voice was hushed; his spirit had fled to the happy hunting grounds; in short, he was a dead mule. Mr. Jenks had been accustomed crossing that marsh frequently in dry weather, but the recent rains had put it in bad condition.

—Prescriptions previously filled by C. F. VanMsanen will be re-filled by Rhodes & Spencer.

—The Mankato Normal School opened last week with an attendance of 80 scholars.

—Grapes, sweet potatoes and California pears received daily by express at

S. H. PARSONS'S.

—House to rent. Inquire of

J. G. SMITH.

—For canned goods, crackers, cheese and confectionery, go to Dennis's.

—The hat you have been looking for is at H. Z. Mitchell's.

THE WEST HOUSE.

Grand Opening, September 27th.

The new hotel has a name at last—the "West House"—given in honor of its energetic and enterprising projector and builder. This name was the selection not of Capt. West himself, but of those of our citizens who were most interested, and who felt that this much was due Capt. W. It is expected that the house will be ready to be opened September 27th, the first day of the county fair. Mr. Todd, the lessee, is here, the furniture is arrived, and everything is being done to get the house into tip-top shape by the 27th. It is intended to have a grand opening for the benefit of Mr. Todd.

CROPS AND WEATHER.

It is pretty difficult to get at anything like an exact estimate of the damage done to the grain by the late storm, partially because the reports from farmers in different localities differ widely and partially because the extent of the damage is not yet known to even the farmers themselves. Some of the wheat is entirely ruined, and much more will be reduced in grade. The average loss appears to range from 10 to 25 per cent. It will only be after threshing has been done that anything like a correct estimate of the loss can be made. It is believed that the increase in price will make up to a considerable extent the loss by the rains. Although there have been one or two light rains during the past week, the weather most of the time has been clear and very warm. This morning it is cool and fresh, with a strong wind, which will work wonders in drying out wetted grain.

UNION SCHOOL.

The fall term of the Union School opened Monday. The following is the attendance in the different rooms, as shown by the teachers' registers this morning:

Prof. Haines's room	38
Miss Powers's "	33
Miss Crimmett's "	25
Miss Cornell's "	25
Miss Owen's "	26
Miss Beal's "	36
Miss Wright's "	57
Total	240

About twenty-five pupils more appeared the first day, but being in the new district were subject to a tuition charge of $4.00 per quarter, which they were not willing to pay and so could not continue in attendance upon the school.

—The Owatonna *Journal* does not seem to be altogether satisfied by the report of the Spiritualist Committee in J. L. Potter's case. It says:

"J. L. Potter, the man who stole a pair of boots from the store of J. M. Morford, of this city, and who acknowledged the theft and paid thirty dollars to be relieved from prosecution, has been "exonerated" by the State executive board of Spiritualists. [Here follows the report.] "Without foundation!" Was there ever a greater piece of deception and effrontery attempted on the people? "After a thorough investigation of all the facts"—the fact that he was seen with the boots in less than five minutes after he stole them, and that he was detected in his attempts to secrete them; the fact that he made no denial of the charge when he was arrested, but that he admitted the theft and paid thirty dollars in cash to avoid prosecution—these men are "fully convinced of his entire innocence." If that isn't a clear case of whitewashing, then what is it? J. L. Potter innocent! What sophistry. But this is on a par with the generality of ecclesiastical trials, which are seldom intended to convict, but rather to acquit, and we don't know but it is right and proper that all societies should shield the villains within their circle since it is so popular. Let Potter go on his way rejoicing, but hang your boots and things high."

—Word has been received here of the death of Mr. John Easterday, which took place in a silver mine near Boulder City, Colorado, August 23d. Mr. Easterday had gone to work that morning and was at a depth of 92 feet. After being down about half an hour he called for matches. The bucket was lowered into which he immediately began to crawl, but only succeeded in getting in after some time and difficulty. After he had been drawn up about ten feet he fell out. The men who went down after him found him still breathing, but life was extinct when he reached the surface. The cause of his death is not known—whether it came from foul air or whether he was seized with a fainting fit and fell from the bucket. He was a son-in-law of Mr. L. Robbers, of this city; was about twenty-six years of age; and left a wife and one child. He went from Anoka to Colorada last winter, and had an interest in this mine (which was just beginning to pay) as had also Matt Laib, of Anoka, who, like Easterday, was at one time a resident of this place.

—We are in frequent receipt of letters from persons in different States who have resolved to make this part of Minnesota their future home and are seeking information. The last is from a gentleman in Wilmington, Delaware, who writes:

"Your valuable paper was handed me by a friend, and thinking you might possess the information I desire, take the liberty of asking you a few questions. * * * Are your people kind to strangers? There are a number of families of us going out to your locality in the spring. We are tanners, curriers and belt and hose makers, and better than all, good, honest citizens."

The information asked has been sent by letter, and we can inform this inquirer and all others that our people *are* "kind to strangers" and extend to them a most hearty welcome. Come right along!

—The discovery of a Chicago woman is how to eat a peach at the table gracefully. Cut the peach open in the middle and remove the pit. Hold one of the halves in the left hand, and use a spoon to scoop out the pulp and carry it to the mouth. Thus the fingers are not soiled, and the bother of feeling is avoided. No patent upon this device has been obtained.

Very good; now send along some peaches and we will proceed to "scoop."

—The other day one of the prisoners in the jail at Austin was sent across the road after a pail of water. He went, filled his pail, and turning to see that no one was watching, lit out. He was pursued, but not captured. In too many cases jailors are altogether too careless in their custody of prisoners, allowing them liberties and privileges which are neither safe nor commendable.

—A gentleman who knows all about the business of farming, advises farmers to separate their good wheat from the bad, and thresh separately; also the poor stacked wheat which has grown some, should be taken down, seperated, and re-stacked, where if allowed to remain until cold weather, the sprouts will fall off, and improve the grade.

—A French scientist says beer is the least offensive and most thirst-quenching of drinks.

There are a good many men here who feel just that way about it precisely at ten o'clock every day.

—Company G, 20th infantry, Captain McCaskey commanding, left Fort Ripley Monday for Leech Lake, to aid the United States Marshal in arresting the Indian pillagers, and to remain until the annuity goods are distributed.

—Cole's circus lost one of its sea lions at Hudson, N. Y.

—E. Curtis has a large stock of fresh family groceries which he is selling as low as the lowest. Call and see and satisfy yourselves.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

ST. CLOUD, Sept. 6. 1875.

REGULAR MEETING.—*Present:* Messrs. J. H. Raymond President, Alden, Stanton, Clark, Wing, Davis, Henderson and Brick.

The Committee on Claims reported in favor of paying W. B. Mitchell's bill, $8.50, for printing diplomas. Report adopted.

D. H. Freeman was elected member of the Board from the Fourth Ward in place of W. W. Wright, removed from the ward.

The Finance Committee was instructed to report at the next regular meeting the amount of tax necessary to be levied in order to support the Union School during the ensuing year.

It was resolved to adopt Monroe's series of readers in the school.

Prof. Haines reported that he had assigned teachers to the different rooms as follows:

1st Primary	—Miss Wright.
2d "	—Miss Beal.
1st Intermediate	—Miss Owen.
2d "	—Miss Cornell.
Junior Grammar	—Miss Crummett.
Senior "	—Miss Powers.

Prof. Haines suggested that vocal music be taught to the school, and Messrs. Clark, Wing and Davis were appointed a committee to confer with Prof. Rhys in regard to what compensation his services could be obtained for and report at the next meeting.

Adjourned.

RESOLUTIONS.

At a ministers' meeting, held in this city, Monday afternoon, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS. The Rev. J. B. Smith D. D., while visiting in our city, has kindly favored us with the presentation of his highly instructive and entertaining course of lectures on Egypt and Palestine, before large and appreciative audiences, therefore

Resolved. That in behalf our respective congregations we return to him our grateful thanks.

Resolved. That we recognize in his services in our pulpits and the genial manner of his intercourse the catholic spirit of the true minister of Christ.

Resolved. That our prayers and best wishes attend him and his wife in their homeward journey.

Resolved. That a copy of these resolutions be presented to Dr. Smith, and also a copy to each of our city papers for publications.

W. E. STANLEY,
G. R. MILTON,
H. S. HILTON.

NEW GOODS FOR EVERYBODY.

AT JOS. EDELBROCK'S

Mr. Edelbrock has been busy this week unpacking and putting on his shelves a very fine stock of staple and fancy dry goods, clothing, notions, etc. He has one of the best assortments of buck and kid gloves ever in this market, to which he would call the attention of all. As usual, this stock of Mr. Edelbrock's is well selected, and will be sold cheap.

His grocery department is supplied with the choicest and best of everything for family use. He would ask the especial attention of all to his new stock, confident that he can give satisfaction.

FIRST ARRIVAL!

LARGE STOCK OF FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING.

NEW STYLES—SPLENDID FITS—LOW PRICES.

H. Z. Mitchell is already in receipt of a considerable part of his fall stock of clothing, gentlemen's furnishing goods, hats, caps, etc. It is very complete, embracing everything wanted in this market, and at prices which must be satisfactory to everybody. The quality of these goods is the very best, and the styles are the latest. Perfect fits and satisfaction in every respect guaranteed.

The department of gentlemen's furnishing goods is unusually complete, and includes many novelties.

A full line of hats and caps of the newest styles.

Do not fail to call and examine this stock before making your purchases.

A CARD.

The *Times* of yesterday has "another harvester trial," which is a false statement. The "fat agent" had one-third of his harvesters returned. John Roller had very nearly four times as many sold as 'Rensalaer and none returned. The way it looks to us is that some fat reaper agent and some German apple-tree agent ought to attend to their own business and not to fighting. John Roller goes right on and sells his machines, and if 'Ransalaer and the apple-tree agent did the same they would not be beaten so bad. Do you think if a man stores his machines or a man sells all his machines as John Roller did, who do you suppose is ahead? We have always noticed that farmers testify as to the merits of the Elward Harvester, and say it is the best machine. How is that for high for the returned Pollo Harvesters?—*Adv.*

—Messrs. Geo. P. Rowell & Co., of the New York Advertising Agency, are spending large sums in advertising their own business. For some weeks past they have occupied from two to three columns in the New York *Daily Tribune*, besides having smaller advertisements, from time to time, in hundreds of newspapers in different parts of the country. Being themselves in the advertising business and having watched closely the results of money expended in this way, they *know that advertising pays.*

MONEY TO LOAN.

In sums of $200, $300, $400 and $500, on three to five years' time, on real estate farm security, by

BANK OF ST. CLOUD.

MONEY TO LOAN.

Inquire of

L. W. COLLINS.

—Remember that groceries are sold as cheap as ever at

S. H. PARSONS'S.

—New styles of clothing just received at H. Z. Mitchell's. Big stock—low prices—splendid fits.

—To buy or sell fruits and vegetables, go to Dennis's.

—A lot of extra buffalo robes for sale at H. Z. Mitchell's clothing store.

—The best and cheapest green apples in the market at S. H. Parsons's.

—Lewis Conrad Frauple, aged 14 years, was almost instantly killed Tuesday afternoon at Baltimore, by Frederick Rapp, aged 11. The boys were playing marbles and quarreled. Frauple struck Rapp in the face with his fist, when the latter threw a brick at the former striking him in the stomach. Frauple lived ten minutes.

—They have an imitator of Jesse Pomeroy in San Francisco. He is but ten years of age, and has already developed a disposition to torture young children and animals. He skinned a dog alive, and inveigling a child three years old into a barn, cut off its right ear with a bone, and inflicted nineteen other wounds upon it. He has been lodged in the Industrial School.

—A scrupulous murderer in jail in Nevada declined to escape when the prison door was accidentally left open "because he didn't have a clean shirt to go out in!"

A SPLENDID STOCK.

Ready for the Fall and Winter Trade.

MESSRS. YOUNG & BRADFORD'S NEW GOODS.

During the past few days dray-load after dray-load of huge boxes filled with the new purchases of the house, has been left in front of Young & Bradford's store, and still but about one-fourth of the stock has been received. This enterprising firm, having faith that the crops in this vicinity will yet turn out much better than has been expected, have purchased a stock far in excess of any heretofore brought here. Mr. Young has been in the East, and is still absent, selecting and buying just what this market wants, and his good judgment and good taste in these matters are proverbial. They intend to leave no lady with an excuse for going to St. Paul for anything she may want. In addition to staple goods, they have given especial attention to securing a complete assortment of the numerous little things not usually heretofore kept in this market. Their stock of winter goods, such as flannels, cassimeres and the like, is very full or will be in a day or two when the rest of the goods arrive.

Messrs. Young & Bradford's customers know that they make good in every particular their pledges both as to the extent and quality of their goods, and when they say that this stock is the largest they have ever brought here the people will understand that there is no exaggeration. As usual all goods are warranted to be just as represented.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

CLEARWATER, MINN., Sept. 8, 1875.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—The Wright County Democratic Convention at Buffalo yesterday made the following nominations:

Senator—J. K. Cullen, of Waverly.

Representatives—H. Tanner, of Middleville; J. Oakes, of Clearwater.

Register of Deeds—F. Gorman, of Albion.

Clerk of Court—G. A. Hoffman, of Buffalo.

Sheriff—J. Nugent, of Chatham.

Treasurer—J. Young, of Woodland,

Judge of Probate—Wm. Cochrane, Chatham.

County Commissioner—1st District, Patrick Butler, of Albion.

Coroner—Dr. Cady, of Buffalo.

County Attorney—J. W. Wendell, of Buffalo.

A mixed-up mess! The idea of throwing of on an old, staunch Democrat and a sound sensible man like A. D. Pinkerton, for instance, was simply suicidal. And the game was duplicated to a considerable extent.

LOGOS.

EDEN LAKE.

EDEN LAKE, STEARNS CO., Sept. 3, 1875.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—We are having a little too much rain just now, and farmers are feeling somewhat discouraged because of the sprouting of their wheat. Grain was not one half stacked, and what was stacked is sprouted somewhat on the outside. Corn was injured by the frost.

We have

A SPLENDID COUNTRY

here—good rich soil, with plenty of meadow and timber land, but our town is new and but little improved yet. There are good opportunities here for persons wanting farms.

Last year we had a

GOOD LITTLE GRANGE.

It ran smoothly for a while, but by-and-by things began to get loose, and finally the whole thing went down.

E. S.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Reported weekly expressly for THE JOURNAL *by John Zapp, Esq., Register of Deeds.*

For the week ending Sept. 9, 1875.

Wm A Bolkcom and wife to James P Weeks for se¼ S 34 T 127 R 35 w $900

Trustees 1st Div St P & R R Co to P Lommel for ne¼ sw¼ S 29 T 122 R 30w $200

Alexander Moore and wife to Lemuel E Coe for 25x177 feet of lots 10 11 and 12 blk 17 in Sauk Centre $500

Fred Schultz and P Peterson to Andreas Keller for lots 8 9 10 11 and 12 blk 67 Bowes add to St. Cloud $150

Lemuel E Coe and wife to Dean Stabler for 25x177 feet of lots 10 11 and 12 blk 17 in Sauk Centre $550

Weston L Thomas to Mary Ann Benson for 30 acres of L 2 S 28 T 123 R 27 w $350

Trustees St Paul & P R R Co to Nicholas Michels for sw¼ sw¼ sec 3 T 123 R 30 w $240

Winter Jaques to Edwin K Jaques for sw¼ se¼ and se¼ sw¼ sec5 and n½ ne¼ and ne¼ nw¼ sec 8 T 126 R 34 w and se¼ ne¼ sec 13 and sw¼ sec 24 T 126 R 35 w and s½ se¼ andpart of lots 2 and 3 sec32 T 127 R 33 and 22x-66 ft lot 1 blk19 in Sauk Centre $2,120

IMPORTANT BUSINESS CHANGE.

On and after the first day of October, 1875, the undersigned will sell goods for cash, and cash only, as necessity, not choice, compels this change. During five years we have worked for the public; as "the wages of sin is death," so bad debts have been ours. We have had to make the cash buyer pay for the "dead beat," which will no longer be the case at this store, as in future each one will pay for what he or she gets, and not for the maintenance of "dead heads." At the above date books, notes and all papers will pass into the hands of an attorney for collection. We may incur the ill-will of some in this move, but we have to study our own interests more than that of our neighbors.

Therefore, let it be understood that after the first day of October we will trust no person, keep no books or drawer tickets, will pay cash everything we buy, and anyone having an account against us will please call and get his money. Those owing us will please call and pay. We mean business, let the result be what it may

E. A. BOYD.

St. Cloud, August 19, 1875.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Stearns county at the next election.

J. A. MOOSBRUGGER.

Richmond, July 21, 1875. tf

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT.

A dwelling house in lower town, northwest of the Normal School. Good barn well, etc. Will be sold very cheap and on easy terms. Inquire at this office, or of Cooper & Hinchilwood.

—Do not fail to go to H. Z. Mitchell's and examine his new stock of furnishing goods, just received. It is the nicest and most complete assortment in the city. Find everything you want, and cheap too.

—"I'll be a good man and give up cards and smoking and chewing and drinking, and give you a diamond engagement ring," said the lover. "Oh, Edward, you—you are so good," and she leaned her frizzes on his shoulder. And there they sat and sat until the soft arms of night, that dusky nurse of the world, had folded them from sight, pondering, planning, thinking, she of the diamond ring, and he of how on earth he was to get it.

—This is the way they do it in Lefiore county, Ga.: "Dis prar meetin' called togeder for de purpos ub hearin' Broder Stags splane dose dings which am necessary fur our salvashun, 'nanimously resolbs dat Jake Smif am a fit and proper pusson to represent dis secshun at de Board ob Supervisors."

ST. CLOUD MARKETS.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Sept. 9, 1875.

The condition of business and of the markets remains unchanged. Farmers are too busy watching a chance to dry their grain and thresh it to come to town oftener than is absolutely necessary.

Very little wheat is offered; the price today is 96c for No. 1; 93c for No. 2.

Oats readily bring 40c.

Corn is very scarce, and 70c is paid for all that can be had.

There is a great abundance of everything in the vegetable line and prices are weak.

RETAIL.

Flour—Patent Process, per sack	$3.75.
XXXX, "	" $3.00
XXX, "	" $2.75.
Salt—$2.75 per bbl.	
Pork—$25.00 per bbl.	
Potatoes—40c @ 50c per bush.	
Beets—30c @ 40c "	
Beans—$1.40 @ $2.00 per bushel.	
Onions—$1.00 @ 1.25 per bushel.	
Cranberries—12½c @ 15c per quart.	
Butter—12½c @ 20c per lb.	
Eggs—12½@15c per dozen.	
Wood—Maple, $3.50@$4.00 per cord,	
Hay—$4.00 @ 5.00 per ton.	
Beef cattle—2c @ 2½c on foot.	
" " 5½c @ 7c dressed.	
Cut Meats—5c @ 12½c per lb.	
Pork—6½c @ 7c "	
Lard—18 @ 20c "	
Chickens—Dressed, 10c "	
Turkeys— " 12½c "	
Hams—City cured, 17½c "	
Country " 10c @ 12½c	
Cheese—15c @ 20c per lb.	
Honey—In comb, 20c @ 25c per lb.	
" strained, 15c @ 20c "	
Wool—Tub washed, choice picked	42c.
" " fair to good	38@40c.
" " poorly washed	35@37c.
Fleece washed, choice	37c.
" " good condition	33@35c
" " poorly washed	30@32c
Unwashed, light medium	27c.
" " light coarse	22@25c.
" " fine	21@25c.
" " heavy, chaffy	21@23c.

LUMBER.

Clear, per M	$25.00@$35.00
Common	12.00@14.00
Stock boards	13.00@15.00
Siding	20.00@22.00
Fencing	13.00
Matched flooring	20.00@25.00
Dimension	12.50@14.00
Shingles, No. 1	1.50
" X	3.00
" XX	4.00
Laths	2.25
Pickets	10.00
Lime— P. B. white	$1.75@1.90 per bbl.
Cement	$4.00@4.25 per bbl.
Hair	50c per bushel of 8 pounds.

FINANCIAL.

Gold—Buying at $1.11; selling $1.12.

Foreign exchange—$5.65.

Passage tickets—From New York to Europe, $22.50

—The vexed county seat question of Becker county has finally been decided in favor of Detroit, and the county offices will be forthwith removed to that place.

—Farmers should remember that wheat which has *once grown* will never grow again; so they must exercise the greatest possible care, in threshing, to select their sound wheat for seed. Don't fail to remember and act upon this caution.

—Byron Carr, of Sauk Centre, bagged last Wednesday 96 chickens and ducks and one goose. The *Herald* says he realized $12 in cash out of his day's sport.

—A railroad meeting of citizens of Douglas county was held at Alexandria recently, when Messrs. L. K. Aaker, Fred. Von Baumbach, Christ. H. Raiter and Wm. McAboy were elected a committee to confer with railroad authorities and agents to see what can best be done to promote the interest of the St. Vincent extension as far as Alexandria, and farther if possible.

—The Duluth blast furnace was sold at Sheriff's sale last week to Benneman & Ward, of Pittsburgh, for $26,767. There are $20,000 of unsatisfied claims still out against the concern.

—Joseph Trisco, a farmer living on Belle river, Douglas county, went out hunting Wednesday and climbed a fence. He has been spending his time since then in picking fine shot out of one of his arms.

COMMON SENSE vs. PREJUDICE.

By R. V. PIERCE, M. D., of the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., Author of "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," etc., etc.

I am aware that there is a popular, and not altogether unfounded, prejudice against "patent medicines," owing to the small amount of merit which many of them possess. The appellation "Patent Medicine," does not apply to my remedies, as no patent has ever been asked for or obtained upon them, nor have they been urged upon the public as "cure-alls." They are simply some favorite prescriptions, which, in a very extensive practice, have proved their superior remedial virtues in the cure of the diseases for which they are recommended. Every practicing physician has his favorite remedies, which he oftenest recommends or uses, because he has the greatest confidence in their virtues. The patient does not know their composition. Even prescriptions are usually written in a language unintelligible to any but the druggist. As much secrecy is employed as in the preparation of propriety medicines. Does the fact that an article is prepared by a process known only to the manufacturer render that article less valuable? How many physicians know the elementary composition of the remedies which they employ, some of which have never been analyzed? Few practitioners know how Morphine, Quinine, Podophyllin, Leptandrin, Pepsin, or Chloroform, is made, or how nauseous drugs are transformed into palatable elixirs; yet they do not hesitate to employ them. Is it not inconsistent to use a prescription, the composition of which is unknown to us, and discard another preparation simply because it is accompanied by a printed statement of its properties with directions for its use?

Some persons while admitting that my medicines are good pharmaceutical compounds, object to them on the ground that they are too often used with insufficient judgment. I propose to obviate this difficulty by enlightening the people as to the structure and functions of their bodies, the causes, character, and symptoms, of disease, and by indicating the proper and judicious employment of my medicines, together with such auxiliary treatment as may be necessary. Such is one of the designs of the People's Medical Adviser, forty thousand copies of which have already been published, and are sold at the exceedingly low price of $1.50, and sent (postpaid) to any address within the United States and Canada.

If you would patronize medicines, scientifically proved, use my Family Medicines. Golden Medical Discovery is tonic, alterative, or blood cleansing, and an unequaled cough remedy; Pleasant Purgative Pellets, scarcely larger than mustard seed, constitute an agreeable physic; Favorite Prescription, a remedy for debilitated females; my Compound Extract of Smart-weed, a magical remedy for pain, bowel complaints, and an unequaled Liniment for both human and horse-flesh; while Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy is known the world over as the greatest specific for Catarrh and "Cold in the Head," ever given to the public.

These standard remedies have been before the public for many years—a period long enough to fully test their merits, and the best argument that can be advanced in their favor is the fact that their sale was never so great as during the past six months.

—A youngster being required to write a composition upon some portion of the human body selected that which unites the head to the body, and expounded as follows: "A throat is convenient to have, especially to roosters and ministers. The former eats corn and crows with it; the latter preaches through his'n, and then ties it up. This is pretty much all I can think of about necks."

—The monument to be erected over the grave of Edgar Allen Poe in Westminister Church-yard Baltimore, has been finished. It is of white marble, and stands eight feet high, resting on a granite base six feet square. The design is simple and chaste. On the granite slab are two other bases of marble. On these rests the die block, three feet two inches square, surmounted by a heavy cap, carved with an ornamental lyre in the center of each face. On the front of the die block is a beautifully chiseled medallion of the poet, carved in the purest Italian statuary marble, after a plaster cast by Volck, the sculptor, from a photograph in the possession of a member of Poe's family. The likeness in marble is said to be correct. The memorial will probably be dedicated early in October.

—"Was not her death quite sudden?" said a condoling friend to a bereaved widower. "Well, yes, rather, *for her.*"

JERSEY MOSQUITOES.

A New Jersey Granger heard a great noise among his chickens the other evening, says the *Norristown Herald*, and thinking thieves were despoiling his roost, he rushed out with vengeance in his eye and a shot-gun in his hand, but discovered no one about. Then he counted his fowls, but instead of some being missing, he found six more than belonged to him. His eye-sight being a little defective, he didn't discover until the next morning that he had counted six vigorous mosquitoes of the New Jersey brand, which had been accidentally fastened in the coop with his hens. "I thought they were rather too big for chickens when I counted 'em," he afterwards remarked.

—F. A. Taylor, the book man, of St. Paul, has gone into voluntary bankruptcy.

—Grasshoppers in large numbers have been flying over different parts of Illinois this week.

—Prof. Swing's summary of the "True Citizen:" The man who minds his own business and does it well.

—The New York & Erie Bank of Buffalo, closed Monday. Outside speculation is the cause of the collapse.

—Aiken, S. C., has a debating society which recently wrestled with the question "which is de most beneficialist, de horse or de cow." The cow carried it.

—The house and grocery store of Peter Weiland, of the town of Highland, Wabasha county, was recently set on fire and burned to the ground. The loss is over $2,000.

—A girl in Iowa, bitten by a rattlesnake, was cured by whisky and soda-water alternately, and now the doctors are bothered to know whether it was the whisky or the soda-water which saved her.

—According to a Vicksburg newspaper there is not a broom factory in the South. If there were a market for broom corn, farmers could real