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CITY FATHERS MEET

Discuss Bridge Matter, Ap- point Election Judges, Act On Other Matter

After two fruitless attempts to get a quorum, the city council met in regular monthly session Wednesday evening, with Aldermen Kiewel, Bastien, Brown, Lane and Hall present.

The city fathers devoted considerable of their time at this meeting after passing a small batch of bills, in the discussion of the preliminary work preparatory to the creosote blocking of the Broadway bridge. President Kiewel went over the city finances and by the figures it was shown that there would be plenty of money in the revenue fund to defray the cost of this work if the contract was let on April 1st, as on December 1, last, there was in the revenue fund \$9,164.56, which was about \$4,500 to the good over December 1st of the year previous. He figured that the bridge matter was a \$7,000 proposition, and that with the March appropriation, which will be in the neighborhood of \$6,000 the matter could be nicely handled besides attending to the regular expense of the city. An outline of an ordinance which is being prepared for the allowance of the issuing of \$3,000 of certificates of indebtedness, three of \$1,000 each drawing 6 per cent interest, to raise money for the replanking of the bridge with creosote blocks, was read by the city attorney, and the members present gave their unofficial approval of same, it being suggested that they be made payable December 1st, 1911 as the city would be in best condition at that time to take them up, and a month's interest would be saved by so doing instead of making them payable December 31, 1911. The ordinance will come up for its first reading at a special meeting to be called this month.

The city clerk was instructed to write F. W. Cappelen, the architect who drew the plans for the Broadway bridge, as to price of a set of specifications for the creosote blocking.

The city fathers gave the remainder of their time to other matters. They instructed the clerk to make the street sprinkling assessment for the coming season, and the following judges of election for the city election this spring were appointed:

First Ward—Walter Maska, J. J. Gross and Christ Virvig.
Second Ward—Victor Schallern, A. A. Fugner and Leo Gannet.
Third Ward—Jacob Posch, J. C. Barral and Ed. Tranberg.
Fourth Ward—H. J. LaFont, Ernest Kassar and N. H. Jackson.
The attention of Aldermen Brown and Hall was called to the needy condition of Mrs. Anna Whetook and John Olette, the latter being without stove or coal, getting heat from kitchen stove only, and has been sickbed.

The council directed itself to partially straightening out its revenue fund as regards to the revolving fund. The \$488.38 which was due from the former fund to the latter as the extra amount that was charged the city in re-assessment of the Broadway paving in consequence of reductions to some of the abutting property on lower Broadway, as transferred to its proper place.

Bills allowed:
MISCELLANEOUS.
Fred Cary, insurance.....\$ 6.75
Frank X. Bastien..... 36.20
F. E. Levin, mds..... 2.50
A. Thoma, rebounding plat book..... 2.50
W. S. Nott Co., hose..... 397.95
W. H. Ryan, mds..... 27.46
Transcript Pub. Co., job work..... 12.40
Same, job work..... 20.25
W. S. Nott Co., fire supplies..... 5.40
Morrison Co. Lbr. Co., wood..... 3.85
John Denis, city hall supplies..... 9.86
L. E. Water Power Co., hydrant rental..... 370.25
Same, lamps..... 1.35
Same, lights..... 302.12

FIRE.
D. Brown, freight and drayage..... 3.30
Rosetta Robins, washing towels..... 3.80
POOR.
Chas. H. Brown, mds..... 3.15
Union Provision Co., mds..... 7.64
Morrison Co. Lbr. Co., wood..... 7.40
L. P. Co-operative Co., mds..... 5.00
Richard Bros., mds..... 7.56
P. W. Hlake, mds..... 12.00
St. Gabriel's hospital..... 65.00
J. B. Anderson & Son..... 16.00

The street commissioner's payroll in the sum of \$51.10 was allowed.
In regard to the Little Falls Water Power company's November light bill in the sum of \$302.12, which had been laid over at the last regular meeting for correction because one of the arc lamps during a period 19 days, was allowed in the sum of \$297.52 at this meeting, a deduction of \$4.60 having been made by the council for same.

The city clerk was instructed to draw a voucher in favor of the state auditor for \$180, as the 2 per cent of the money received by the city for liquor licenses due the state for its nebriate farm fund.

CHEMICAL CO. NO. 1 FEEDS.
Chemical Co. No. 1 held forth at the city hall Wednesday evening, at which time an appetizing feed was served. At the conclusion of the city council meeting the city dads and other who were in attendance were invited to partake of the substantial feed. Some history was reviewed at this time in which were recalled incidents which were very mirth-provoking.

Miss Bertha Kaeser has enrolled at the local business college.

Mrs. H. M. Justin visited in St. Cloud Tuesday as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Campbell.

The two daughters of Alex Lemieux, aged eight and sixteen years respectively, are ill with scarlet fever.

COMMISSIONERS MEET

Lakin is Made Chairman- County Printing Con- tracts Let

The annual meeting of the board of county commissioners opened Tuesday, and lasted until Wednesday noon. The board is now composed of F. H. Lakin, W. H. Herum, D. Rochelle, Martin Viechorek and Henry Gassert, the latter two being new members, replacing F. X. Virvig and J. J. Jacobson. The board organized by electing F. H. Lakin chairman, and Henry Gassert vice-chairman.

The money in the hands of the county treasury was counted, and totaled \$61,526.47.

The financial statement for the year 1910 was approved.

The salaries of county officers not specified by law were made as have been received by them the past year, as follows: Sheriff, \$1,400, county attorney, \$1,600; superintendent of schools, \$1,500. The county treasurer was allowed \$300 for clerk here.

The appointment of Mrs. M. E. Barnes as assistant superintendent of schools, was confirmed.

The county attorney was ordered to proceed against bondsmen on the bonds furnished by petitioners of county ditch 19.

A contingent fund of \$200 for county attorney's use was set aside.

The petition of C. J. Nelson asking to be set off from district 37 to 35, was granted.

At Wednesday morning's meeting the bids on printing were awarded. The Herald gets the delinquent tax list and the Daily and Weekly Transcript the financial statement and proceedings of the board, at legal rates. Bonds were given by both concerns and approved.

Simon P. Brick was made custodian of the court house for the ensuing year.

The board will meet every first Tuesday in each month except at the regular meeting in January and July.

A. J. Fenn was appointed engineer of state roads at a salary of \$5 per day while necessarily employed.

A few bills were allowed and the names from which the grand and petit jurors will be drawn, were handed in.

**ALL STARS PLAY PIERZ MON-
DAY.**
The local quintet known as All Stars journey to Pierz Monday where they are to meet the fast basket ball team of that village at Faust's hall that evening. Getchel, center, Meyers and Gannon forwards and Berg and Captain Stoll guards, is the manner in which the Little Falls team is to line up against the villagers. Nick Ables, Kuppeler and Faust are strong members of the Pierz aggregation. A big New Year's dance is to be given in the Faust hall following the game at which the locals will be the guests of the management.

L. O. T. M. INSTALLS OFFICERS.
The local lodge of the Ladies of the Maccabees installed the following officers for the ensuing year at its meeting Tuesday afternoon:

Commander—Isabella Wood.
Lieutenant commander—Eva Smith.
Past commander—Rachel Franklin.
Chaplain—Minnie Corbin.
Record keeper—Elizabeth Steele.
Finance auditor—Nettie Warren.
Lady-at-arms—Nellie Ricker.
Sergeant—Theresa Fearing.
Sentinel—Margaret Foster.
Picket—Mary Peterson.
Official prompter—Ella Bowie.

DOG CATCHER QUILS.
With the coming of the cold weather Frank Cota, who has made quite a successful dog-catcher during the past summer and fall, ridding the streets of the surplus dog population, has balked and thrown up the job, turning over the keys of the dog pound to the street commissioner. Mr. Cota states that the frozen ground to dig dog graves at the amount allowed him for making such disposition of the canines is not exactly relished by him.

PLAY AT STAPLES NEXT FRIDAY.
The high school basket ball team goes to Staples next Friday where it will meet the high school quintet of that city in the evening. A good game is anticipated, from which the local boys expect to emerge with the laurels. It is expected that a fair delegation will accompany the team to the railroad town.

BOY SCOUTS NUMEROUS HERE.
The Boy Scouts are to meet at the Carnegie library tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock, to take a hike to a point as yet not decided on. The scouts have attained quite good proportion here, there being sixty enrolled. Some have dropped out however as the cold weather came, and the enrollment is to be revised.

Newcomb Kinney of Royalton and Paul Schmelzer of this city enrolled at the local business college this week.

Tommy Hayes of Royalton is anxious to go on the mat with some one of our local men and has issued a challenge to this effect.

The Little Falls Business college resumed sessions in the day school Monday morning, and the night school was commenced Tuesday night, sessions being Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings. About a dozen new students have enrolled.

A contest is to be given each week for the next ten weeks for a gold medal to be given to the student in the typewriting department of the college who attains the best average speed on the Remington, this company having offered same.

GOOD YEAR FOR CUPID

More Licenses Issued in 1910 Than 1909 Total 186

The number of marriage licenses issued during the year just completed ranks well with those of more auspicious years, and in fact is sixteen more than the year 1909, there being a total of 186 issued. Those to whom they were issued during the year follow:

JANUARY
John Schraut, Agnes Otremba.
D. S. Proper, Etta Boildia Yort.
Martin J. Brisk, Tracy Peioogkoski Kaminski.
E. M. Reese, Mayme M. Lisle.
Andrew V. Super, Lizzie Wielniski.
Hubert Kelzenberg, Arna Roos.
Edward W. Johnson, Florence Hartman.
Emil R. Kazoch, Clara Rutters.
Thomas Garmoth, Agnes Jendro.
Albert Zubroegel, Elizabeth Schommer.
Walter Wiesniski, Mary Patyk.
Peter Poesch, Martha Kliber.
Carl G. Peters, Helena Schneider.
August Roos, Lenora Coenen.
Erick M. Nelson, Etta Lucile Chesney.

Philip Lasky, Binie Motzko.
George Bataglia, Alvina J. Kuschel.
Albert Yatro, Anna Max.
George Yesser, Martha Wrobel.
John Plakus, Pauline Pikula.
Chas. Tidd, Julia Brousseau.
John Hamonick, Apollonia Knopik.
John A. Johnson, Hulda Johnson.
Walter Kneski, Celie Rutz.
Erick Anderson, Ruth Ahlberg.
Fred Ledoux, Edwige Moran.

FEBRUARY
Mauritz Hoeschen, Mary Wochner.
Joseph Ebel, Elizabeth Lokowitch.
John Gruden, Ellen G. Trystad.
Anton William Zaloudek, Tena Soldahl.
Ole A. Johnson, Carolina Sophia Blixrud.
Nels Peter Thompson, Anna Charlotte Anderson.
Eron Akerson, Phoebe Hamilton.
Sindey E. Smith, Jennie Isaacson.

MARCH
Charley Rieke, Katie Prigmeier.
Robert Kuschel, Rose Oravetz.
Elias E. Wittwer, Elsie M. Edder.
Ernest Schutt, Alvida Swanson.
Philip Moran, Irene Martineau.
Arthur Dufort, Rosie Marchant.
Oliver G. Hughes, Mary Phillips.
Edwa d. Stuckmeyer, Barbara Gross.

APRIL
Joseph Ziegler, Agnes Marshik.
Delbert White, Stine Nelson.
Henry E. Johannes, Mollie Fritz.
Christopher S. Robinson, Clarissa Love.
Dawie M. Moran, Alma Dugas.
Willie Peterson, Lydia Kinney.
Frank Lavery, Ellen Kennedy.
Hubert J. Virvig, Julia Gross.
Stephen J. Gross, Anna Virvig.
Martin Tillman, Julia Patyk.
Henry Langer, Jr., Annie Meyer.
Joseph J. Chirhart, Harrie M. Vandennevel.
George Pierzina, Louisa Blair.

MAY
Bernard E. Nygaard, Jennie Swanson.
Vincent Pilarski, Mary Stoltman.
Albert Johnson, Lydia Beckman.
J. Edwin Blom, Agnes Beckman.
Stanislaus Gosiak, Anna Tuzinski.
Jacob Brautcher, Johanna Thomsen.
Benjamin Felbaum, Annie Trampe.
Julius Nagorski, Anna Szwarca.
Henry P. Nye, Marie E. Bryant.
Simon Stodolka, Sonbia Sobania.
Peter Denzo, Barbara Droschba.
Oscar Bergstrom, Selma Anderson.
Percy Dage, Myrtle Standfer.
Jacob Seepurek, Mary Schlichting.

JUNE
Jacob P. Kaiser, Hedvig Walogski.
Frank Dezurik, Monica Baron.
Nick Gross, Annie Ficker.
Harry E. Biddinger, Thelma C. Leon.
Herbert Quick, Carrie Peterson.
Mike Vierzba, Annie Matzko.
John Hlad, Annie Jubas.
George Zanoth, Mary R. Salitros.
Wm. Thomas Maddux, Louise Michels.

Oscar Henry Anderson, Mabel Burt.
George E. Bailey, Pearl Eckerson.
John Psik, Agnes Yourek.
John Cichon, Nettie Pietrowski.
Albert Gunnson, Frances Grzeza.
Chas. Wing, Herman Beatty.
Edward Schultz, Annie Mrkworth.
Harry R. McMaister, Clara M. Be-langer.

George Blackhurst, Mary Salzbrun.
John Super, Elizabeth Wilinski.
Leonard Jelmar, Lizzie Eisel.
George N. Monk, Addie Lawrence.
Mathias Mayer, Anastasia Sobolewski.
Geo. H. Peterson, Beatrice Dewey.
Everett Savage, Myrtle Scott.

JULY
Vincent Ringwelski, Mary Palashevski.
Boyd Littlefield, Mildred Mae Graham.
Christ Olson, Ida C. Neimeyer.
Warran G. Farrow, Emma Shackman.
Roy L. Miller, Carrie Clark.
Hjalmar Setterstrom, Gertie Anderson.
Henry Kruscheck, Crensia Meyer.
Gustaf Tallberg, Caroline Sterr.
Fred Bachmann, Jr., Emma Letbrke.
Charley M. Anderson, Adma O. Ry-lberg.

Peter Nowatney, Salma Kuchinski.
Alfred Wedin, Kristina Hagg.
Lenora Juare, Addie Ledoux.
Fred G. Carlson, Marie Goodman-son.
Robert Cromwell, Hanna Erickson.
Otto R. Koenig, Bertha L. Vansal-low.

AUGUST
Peter E. Sauer, Katie Langer.
Walter A. Wagner, Rosie Tausenki.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Speakers of Reputation Will Discuss Matters of Importance

At the Farmers' Institute which will be held in Little Falls on Wednesday and Thursday, January 18 and 19, sessions will commence at 10 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. sharp.

This institute will be in charge of C. E. Brown of Elk River, who is well known all over Minnesota as an institute conductor and lecturer on corn, clover, and potatoes.

C. O. Carlson of Erskine, said to be Northwestern Minnesota's best dairyman, will be with Mr. Brown and will take care of all dairy subjects, feeding, caring for and raising of feed for dairy cattle.

H. G. Larson of Berner is a farmer who is working in a timbered district, a thoroughly good all around man, and he will speak on different phases of farm work. All subjects that are of interest to the farmers in this district will be taken care of, and every farmer who can possibly attend can count on getting much valuable information from the institute men.

Farmers' Institute Annual No. 23 will be distributed to those attending the morning session of the institute. This new book is devoted largely to corn growing and using, but also contains much material on other lines of farming. It is easily one of the most valuable books ever distributed to the farmers of Minnesota. The Annual is free.

The lectures given will be amply illustrated by charts and enlarged photographs. There is no expense whatever to those who attend the institute.

All of the local expense is taken care of by the business men, and the state of Minnesota furnishes the speakers and books.

Don't forget the date. Be on time for each session. Come yourself, bring your family and get your neighbors to come also.

A number of local checker players met E. N. Lynch, one of the best checker players in the state, at the city hall last evening.

A regular logging train has been put on, hauling the Pine Tree Manufacturing company's logs from the woods some thirty miles north of McGregor, and between thirty and forty cars are now being hauled down daily.

A. Raymond Vareo, Ida Soderstrom.
Milan Wakefield Dimond, Helen L. Getzkow.
Wacencz Wójciewowski, Gertrude Pawlicz.
Joseph Stangl, Anna Schrott.
John Bracke, Dean Newcut.
Frank Guilmer, Ella Lamb.

SEPTEMBER
Frank Fuhomann, Catherine Rahlf.
Nicholas Kobilka, Josephine Prall-witz.
Philip Jendro, Katie Soswieja.
John Hansmann, Annie Otremba.
Guy W. Kay, Elsie E. Hall.
Chas. Borash, Julia Halama.
Joseph Sypniski, Mary Rutz.
Frank Brodtkorb, Victoria Tillman.
Frank Hubbard, Maggie Mehrwerth.
Walter Pelowski, Thersia Kiddle.
Angus M. Baker, Anna S. Anderson.
Omar Luners, Frances Lyshik.
Frank J. Kurovski, Mary Lesinski.
Anton Kroll, Pauline Schelonka.
Reuben Anderson, Olga Olofson.

OCTOBER
Alfred K. Kohler, Kittie B. Griffith.
Math Lokowitch, Christina Riddle.
Gerhard Terhaar, Mary Bednar.
Thomas Teser, Annie Gruber.
Joseph P. Gohl, Annie Otremba.
Anton A. Hesch, Elizabeth M. Sand.
Ed. Skizner, Helen Kamermeyer.
John Ringwelski, Annie Kull.
Thomas Knoll, Pauline Ostrowek.
Geo. W. Wetherbee, Elsie E. Jensen.
Frank J. Gilbride, Eugenia Wermer-skirchen.
Charles Kleimert, Minnie V. Schlenz.
Joseph Vogl, Frances Zorzeimer.
Albert D. Johnson, Frances D. Gill-son.

George Czapko, Annie Hlad.
Joseph Janek, Minnie Drostowski.
Stephen Schwintek, Katie Lampert.
Dillon F. Dunbar, Lena Van Mark.
Jabe Berry, Leona Miller.
John Golombuski, Mary Yendron.
Frank Piekarski, Genievieve Mrozik.
Paul Kroll, Helen Masog.

NOVEMBER
Robert Hanson, Allie Rowe.
William Olson, Susan Nilson.
Frank Richter, Paulina Ohlek.
Vincent Stoltman, Mary Krych.
Jacob Berndt, Lillian Wood.
Ralph L. Hall, Ethel S. Gondr.
Peter Brausen, Elizabeth Roos.
George Henderson, Geneva Wait.
Joseph H. Grell, Lizzie Donek.
Rhinehard Chambers, Mabel John-son.

William Ziehdorff, Ida Hass.
Michael F. Casey, Johanna Kulla.
Joseph Kaneski, Katherine Kowal-czyk.
Minor Nerge, Elvira Nichols.
Chas. H. Werner, Flora I. Joslin.
Gustaf Olson, Anna Nelson.
John McGuire, Edna Bryant.

DECEMBER
Geo. Weatherby, Jennie Stevenson.
Conrad Thoma, Mary Carter.
John B. Eystad, Esther D. Regnell.
Joseph Starr, Gertrude Nelson.
August Rahn, Adelia Niemeyer.
Jos. L. Miller, Mrs. Elsie Vosen.
Fred L. Swanson, Cholee Crocker.
Geo. E. Myers, Marv E. Meyers.
Edward Nickiforo, Ethel Dawson.
Earl E. Eldred, Blanche Callaban.
Henry A. Berg, Etta Alice Doten.
August Frey, Katie Kempenick.
August Schauland, Mary Madsen.
Joseph Schelling, Mary Beveridge.
William Donley, Flora M. Renick.

30 FIRES PAST YEAR

A HEALTHY CONDITION Planing Mill Largest Fire- No Fires in September And December

During the year just completed this city has been visited by exactly thirty fires, but most of these have been of meagre proportions. There are two months in which the fire department was not called out a single time, September and December. February was the worst month, of the year, the north ice house of the S. Trebby Ice company burning down the 4th of the month, and the planer mill and sheds being destroyed by fire on Feb. 8 causing a loss of about \$22,000. April 5th was the Wilczek butcher shop fire, and in June five residences were burned.

SCHOOL RE-OPENS MONDAY.
The public schools of the city reopen Monday morning after a two weeks vacation. One of the basement rooms in the Central which up to now has been occupied by Miss Nelson's Second grade, has been fixed up for the manual training room, and that grade given a room in the floor above. The tools and material for the new department are expected to be on hand at the commencement of the second semester, at which time it is expected to have an instructor in charge of this new department.

The girls will be given sewing lessons, commencing soon after the resumption of sessions.

The coming semester promises to be a very successful one.

MARRIED.
Miss Flora Marilla Renick, daughter of County Treasurer and Mrs. Frank Renick of this city, was a bride of New Year's day, being wedded at high noon that day to William Francis Donley of Campbell, Minn. The ceremony was a simple one, and was performed by Rev. R. E. Walker, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, at the home of the bride's parents at Highland avenue in the presence of a few of the near relatives. The house decorations were in pink and white carnations.

The bride was beautifully gowned in cream serge with lace trimming and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The couple were unattended.

A delicious wedding dinner was served following the ceremony. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Hunter of Duluth, and W. H. Renick, Mrs. E. M. Fowler and Mrs. Mary Ayre of Royalton.

Miss Renick has made her home in this city during the past four years, previous to this time having resided at Royalton. She graduated from the Royalton high with the class of 1906, since which time she has taught in the county schools of Morrison and Itasca counties with excellent success.

Mr. Donley is engaged in the agricultural pursuit, and is prospering.

The newly wedded couple left on the afternoon train on a wedding trip to Minneapolis, and will be at home at Campbell after January 15.

NEW HOSE ARRIVES.
The five hundred feet of hose ordered some time ago by the city council for the West side house arrived Saturday. The West side fire fighters are in high glee over the acquisition of this new hose to their carts. The hose was measured the other evening, and it was found that there was some over-run in the length of it.

Mr. George M. Kiewel, who has been quite ill, is somewhat improved.

The trains have been running from several minutes to several hours behind their schedules this week on account of the cold snap.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith and little daughter, who have been on an extended visit in Chicago, have returned and have taken a suite of rooms in the Buckman hotel.

Miss Irene Gravel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gravel of Onamia, formerly of this city, returned to Crookston Sunday to resume her studies at St. Joseph's academy, after spending the holidays with relatives here and at Onamia.

A number of girl friends of Burdette Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlson of the West side, were entertained Monday afternoon at the young lady's home, it being her sixteenth birthday anniversary.

The Hillard Wight company presented the four act comedy drama, "All For Her" at the Milo theatre Tuesday evening to a small audience, owing no doubt to the exceedingly inclement weather. It was presented in a very acceptable manner, and included some exceptionally fine vaudeville.

The Modern Woodman and the Royal Neighbors will hold joint installation at their meeting at Maurin's hall next Monday evening. All members and their families are invited. There will be a program and refreshments will be served. Supt. H. E. White will be the installing officer.

The masquerade given at the West side roller rink Wednesday evening was a decided success, it being largely attended, the variety of costumes being a feature. Miss Winnie Larson as an Indian maiden took first honors and Miss Lottie Johnson as cow-boy girl took second place.

**GERMAN EVANGELICAL LUTH-
ERAN CHURCH.**
Rev. F. J. Oehlert, pastor, 409 third avenue northeast. Sunday services city 10 a. m. Randall 2:30 p. m.

A HEALTHY CONDITION

Randall Creamery Shows Excellent Growth Over Previous Year

Although the past year, conditions have been such as not to expect an increase over last year in the creamery business, the Randall Co-operative Creamery association, shows an increase of \$6500 over the previous year, the year's business aggregating \$46591.17. Besides paying a balance due on creamery of over \$700, the association had in the treasury January 1, 1911, \$2557.65. The creamery has 148 patrons, and promises of continued growth are excellent.

The report of Secretary Herum for the year, follows:

Received cream.....394,230 lbs.
Received butter fat.....116,262 lbs.
Butter shipped.....139,292 lbs.
Butter returned to patrons..... 908 lbs.
Butter milk returned to patrons..... 15,005 gal.
Oil returned to patrons..... 34 3/4 gal.

RECEIPTS
Balance last annual report, \$ 1,550.65
Received for butter shipped, 44,857.98
Received for butter sold at creamery..... 353.44
Total.....\$ 46,591.17

DISBURSEMENTS
Patrons for butter fat.....\$56,864.09
Freight and commission..... 4,418.89
Butter maker wages..... 1,248.56
Creamery supplies..... 808.00
Balance on creamery and Int on same..... 742.84
Refunding interest..... 359.78
Interest on shares..... 195.00
Butter maker helper..... 176.66
Secy. and Treas. salary..... 150.00
For wood..... 173.76
Pulling up ice..... 75.00
Finishing new ice house..... 58.55
Tax..... 33.72
Draying..... 31.00
Insurance..... 26.00
All other purposes..... 187.23
Balance Jan. 2, 1911..... 2,557.65

Total.....\$ 46,591.17

LEGISLATURE CONVENES.
The Minnesota legislature convened Wednesday. H. H. Dunn of Albert Lea was chosen as speaker of the House. Oscar Ameson of Herman, was selected as chief clerk, defeating Archibald Vernon of this city, for the place. Crawford Sheldon of Belle Prairie, was elected engrossing clerk, the same position he held last session. At the Republican caucus, Moses E. Clapp was endorsed for senator. The governor's message is published in this issue on page seven.

HOSPITAL NOTES.
John Newman of Pike Creek entered the hospital last Friday for surgical treatment.

Miss Eva Billstein entered the hospital Saturday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Mildred Langevin, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, was able to leave the hospital Sunday.

Mrs. John Bollig has left the hospital and is stopping with Mrs. Rose Miller.

Born—To Rev. and Mrs. E. Olson of Darling, Friday, December 30, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dufort Wednesday, January 4, a daughter.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lasky yesterday morning, January 5, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sprandel of the Brickyards, yesterday morning, a daughter.

Marriage licenses were issued to Willi Valley and Edna Plant, and Henry A. Olson and Hulda Olson.

Chas. M. Bensen of this city was yesterday granted \$7.50 bounty for a wolf he killed in Richardson, and Harry Blanchard of Swan River \$15 for two wolves he killed in the town of Bellevue.

DIES OF DIPHTHERIA.
Sylvia, the fourteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wotzka of the West side, died Monday afternoon of diphtheria, after a short illness. The funeral was held Tuesday from the home, interment being in the Polish Catholic cemetery.

Two or three other cases of diphtheria have been located in that vicinity, one of which is at the Danish home. There is one case on the East side, Celia Ste. Marie, fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Camille St. Marie of Seventh street, being ill with a complication of diphtheria and scarlet fever.

The board of health has these well in hand however and there is not likely to be a spread of the disease.

Mrs. Archie Conliff and sister, Miss Pearl Root, went to Staples Wednesday, where they attended the dance given by the Women's auxiliary to the locomotive firemen lodge.

George M. Jorgenson, a former resident of this city who is engaged in salmon catching off the coast of Alaska, departed Wednesday for a visit at Pillager, after a visit here as the guest of Julius Jorgenson.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Helga Olson was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her granddaughter, Miss Georgia Smith, 515 Ash street northeast. Rev. W. H. North officiating. Interment was in Oakland cemetery.