

LITTLE FALLS TRANSCRIPT.

LITTLE FALLS, DEC. 12, 1878. H. C. STIVERS, Editor and Proprietor.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHURCH OF ST. SALVADOR.—Services on Sunday next, at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11 P. M. Vespers at 8 P. M.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Wood wanted immediately at this office on subscription.

I pay the highest price in Cash for Furs and Hides. LEON HOUE.

Mr. George Geissel, of Two Rivers, was in town on Monday last.

The gayest Slipper in the State may be bought of RHODES & WETZEL.

Enormous quantities of venison have been coming in during the past week.

The Rt. Rev. H. B. Whipple will hold service in the Episcopal church this evening.

If you want a nice Christmas present, go and see those nice sets of 25 cent subscribers, and we learn from late papers that the publication of the Advocate was entirely suspended about the first of the present month.

Go to L. Worthington & Co.'s and get a Crescent Axe. They are the best in the market.

Minneapolis has had another flouring mill explosion. For particulars see second page.

Fresh Oysters, the cheapest and best, at L. WORTHINGTON & Co.'s.

Remember the firemen's ball to be held New Year's eve, and heard up your nickles accordingly.

Highest cash price paid for Furs and Hides at L. WORTHINGTON & Co.'s.

A new road has been opened from the town of Two Rivers to the town of Buckman, via. Royalton.

A few more nice Winter Apples, by the barrel or bushel, for sale cheap, at LEON HOUE'S.

Wm. Bredfeld has just returned from a hunting tour of eight days duration. He got one deer.

Bring in your Beef, either dressed or on foot. L. Worthington & Co. want it.

Our new Washington correspondent is an uncompromising Democrat. Read his letter on the first page.

Call on us for Cooking Stoves before you buy elsewhere. We keep the best and cheapest.

The Pioneer Press says that Gov. Pillsbury will sell another lot of Brainerd Branch lands on the 18th inst.

Some of the citizens of Little Falls propose to contest the payment of the special school tax, on the ground that it is higher than the law allows.

If you want a reliable Sewing Machine cheap, or want a machine repaired, go to RHODES & WETZEL'S.

Mr. Leonard Root, son of Isaac Root, formerly of this place, but now of New York, arrived in Little Falls on Saturday last, after an absence of about five years.

Christmas Goods in assortment at RHODES & WETZEL'S.

Rhodes & Wetzel have nearly covered their store with a condensed statement of the dazzling splendors within, painted in large black letters, in the highest style of the art.

New York State Apples only 45c. in one gallon cans.

On Monday last, while workmen were engaged at work in a well in this place, belonging to Mr. T. Hyson, they discovered what seemed to be coal oil. On trial the oil burned.

Don't fail to visit Rhodes & Wetzel before buying Christmas Goods. If you do, you will regret it.

On Tuesday last as Mr. Bojsojof, of Belle Prairie, was standing in his wagon, near Leon Houe's store, his horses made a sudden movement that threw him out, and dangerously bruised his head.

Hunters, don't forget to call on us before you sell your Venison. We will pay you the highest market price. MAURIN & MEDVED.

On Tuesday last George Hull was crossing the Mississippi river six miles north of Little Falls with a heavy load of corn, when the ice broke where the water was fifteen feet deep. The team was saved with great difficulty. Mr. Hull hauled up a better crossing place and kept right on hauling.

The best Pocket Knife in the State for the money at RHODES & WETZEL'S.

We understand that Blako & Bent, the popular merchants of Rich Prairie, have had a very heavy fall trade. They have means sufficient to carry a large and complete stock of general merchandise, and are building up a very extensive business.

Don't forget that Rhodes & Wetzel have much the best assortment of Candies above Minneapolis.

Gen. C. C. Andrews has written to Hon. N. Richardson, of this place, expressing his willingness to deliver his lecture at Little Falls on "Life and Customs in Norway and Sweden" for a reasonable compensation. It is not probable that a sufficient inducement will be offered.

Notice. Little Falls, December 12, 1878. All persons indebted to me are hereby notified that they must settle at once. I need the pay and must have it. HENRY J. BREDFELD.

A. J. Demoules, of Saak Rapids, made a pleasant call at this office yesterday.

A good many of the citizens in Morrison county, especially in the town of Little Falls, subscribed last summer for the New York Advocate, a green-back paper that was offered for the exceedingly low price of 25 cents per annum. Everybody who knew anything about the newspaper business, was aware that no publisher could furnish a weekly paper at that price. In October the publishers of the Advocate stopped sending their paper to 25 cent subscribers, and we learn from late papers that the publication of the Advocate was entirely suspended about the first of the present month.

Just received, a large lot of Christmas Toys, which we are selling at bottom figures. MAURIN & MEDVED.

Notice. Little Falls, December 12, 1878. All persons who are indebted to me, and whose accounts have been standing on my books for over sixty days, are hereby notified that I shall place their accounts in the hands of an attorney in ten days from the date of this notice, unless previously settled. You were glad to get my goods, and I would be glad to get my pay. Please attend to this and save costs. MOSES LAFOND.

We have Summer's Condition Powder, and guarantee every pound of it as represented. If not satisfactory, we will refund the money.

F. N. Foster has invented a plat box, very convenient for real estate dealers, civil engineers and others. He will get a patent at once. There is money in it.

Leon Houe is paying the highest price in Cash for Wheat. Do not fail to see him before you sell.

The Literary Association. Last Friday evening a literary association was organized in Little Falls, and it was decided to have the first regular meeting at the Court House on Saturday evening, the 14th inst. The following are the minutes of the meeting held on Friday last:

At a meeting held this evening at the Transcript office the Little Falls Literary Association was organized, and officers were elected as follows:

H. C. Stivers, president; J. D. Lachance, vice president; R. M. Worthington, secretary; J. D. Harker, treasurer. Committees were appointed as follows:

Executive, E. D. Tingle, Leon Houe, and J. O. Flynn. On music, Mrs. J. H. Rhodes, Mrs. E. D. Tingle, Miss Julia A. Russell, Miss Jennie Stillwell, and Mr. R. Brown. On programme, Dr. J. O. Simmons, J. H. Rhodes, R. H. Paine, Mrs. J. Taylor, and Mrs. J. D. Harker. Moderator, T. J. Hayes. To attend to opening and lighting the hall on the evening of the 14th inst., Elmer Hamilton and Raymond Richardson. A motion was carried directing that the exercises at the meeting of Dec. 14th, shall consist of an address by the president of the association, music, and such other exercises as may be provided. On motion the meeting adjourned.

R. M. WORTHINGTON, Secretary. There is no regularly defined membership, no constitution nor by-laws, no admission fee, and nothing required but good behavior. A contribution box will be passed around at each meeting to raise the small sum that will be necessary to defray expenses. Let all attend.

Hunters, bring in your Venison, as it has to be all sold and out of the State on or before Dec. 14th. You can get the highest market price in cash for all your Venison from

L. WORTHINGTON & Co. want 500 dozen Eggs, for which they will pay 18 cts per dozen.

Whitney Fined \$500. From the Pioneer Press, Minneapolis Department Dec. 11. In the district court yesterday George R. Whitney, convicted of obtaining goods from N. B. Harwood under false pretenses, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$500, paid it and was discharged.

W. Preston came near being shot by a deer a short time ago while hunting. He laid his gun down, and a wounded deer, while struggling with a dog, kicked the gun and fired it, the ball passing through Mr. Preston's clothes.

If you want nice and good winter double Shawls at low prices, call at MAURIN & MEDVED'S.

Several weeks ago Mr. D. Michaud, editor of a French paper published in St. Paul, called "Le Canadien," visited this county, and on his return to St. Paul he gave such a glowing account through his paper of what he saw here, that a number of his French readers decided to locate here. Last week County Auditor Lachance received a letter from Mr. Michaud, stating that twenty French families would soon come to this county, and requesting information in regard to various matters connected with the arrangement. Mr. Lachance cheerfully responded with the desired information.

If you want a good 5 cent Cigar, call for the Marblehead. We keep them. The best in town for the money. MAURIN & MEDVED.

Shot 12 lbs. per lb. at L. WORTHINGTON & Co.'s.

All persons interested in the organization of a singing school, and the public generally, are invited to meet at the Congregational church on Friday evening, the 13th inst. First the sentiment of the members of the church and the Sabbath school will be taken in regard to having a Christmas tree; and if it is decided to have one, steps will be taken to make it a success. Afterwards Prof. R. Brown will make a few remarks upon the topic of vocal music, ascertain the wishes of the audience as to having a class taught in Little Falls; and, if found desirable, will proceed to organize, preparatory to commencing a course of instruction in the beautiful art and science of music. Come one, come all. 500 pounds of Choice Butter wanted at L. WORTHINGTON & Co.'s.

Farmers, bring in your Beef Cattle. We will take them at any time and pay you the highest market price. L. WORTHINGTON & Co.

At the recent election Crow Wing county cast sixty-six votes for Wm. Fridley for Representative, instead of A. M. Fridley. It was a mistake, but A. M. Fridley still had a plurality of nine votes. The mistake was doubtless the result of a "put up job," for there was no candidate running by the name of Wm. Fridley.

Call on us for Trunks and Valises, if you want cheap ones. MAURIN & MEDVED.

From the St. Cloud Journal Press. On Sabbath last as Mr. Adam Langer, of LeSak, was driving home from church, accompanied by his wife and children, his horses ran away. The wagon was upset and the whole family thrown out, Mr. and Mrs. L. both having an arm broken. The children were unhurt.

Remember Rhodes & Wetzel sell good Ready Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps &c, for what they are worth.

Go to L. Worthington & Co.'s for your Gloves and Mittens. They have a large assortment and can suit you all.

From the Pioneer Press, Dec. 6. About twenty-eight of the citizens of Alexandria have banded together, and are known as the Alexandria Elevator company. They propose to erect a warehouse for the reception of grain, and yesterday their articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of State.

Go to Lafond's for Christmas Toys. He has the best and cheapest in town.

From the Pioneer Press, Dec. 7. An execution was issued yesterday to satisfy a claim of creditors to the amount of some \$49,000 against the firm of Hanauer & Liehtenauer, wholesale clothing merchants on Third street, and the store and goods are now in the hands of the sheriff. It is understood that the dullness of the fall trade in clothing has embarrassed their settlements with jobbing houses East, and the execution was obtained in the course of trade.

Bring in your Beef, either dressed or on foot. L. Worthington & Co. want it.

From the St. Paul Globe, Dec. 7. Another victim of the thin ice. A young man named Jenkins, living near Wazata, was married on Thanksgiving day. On last Sunday he put on his skates and tempted the fates by gliding over the unsubstantial ice of Lake Minnetonka. Of course it broke through, and it happening to be in deep water, of course he was drowned. His body was recovered, and his bride-widow is heart-broken.

Wm. Butler keeps the entire series of Merrill school books for sale at his store.

From the Sherburne School Star. The drive wheel fender was in town last Monday, notifying all those who are the possessors of a little round

hole in the ground to walk up to the captain's desk and pay ten dollars royalty, without delay. There was some talk of riding him out of town on a rail, but we guess it was mostly talk.

L. Worthington & Co. want all the Hides in the country, for which they will pay the highest market price.

Just received, a few nice sets of Ladies' and Children's Furs, very cheap at LEON HOUE'S.

From the Fergus Falls Advocate. The money lenders here are doing a land office business.

The late term of court has so far cost over \$2,000, with the clerk of court, sheriff, and other officers to hear from.

And don't you forget it; if you want the worth of your money and good goods, go to RHODES & WETZEL'S.

From the Alexandria Post. This week ninety men are between here and Osakis building snow fence along the railroad.

Two frightened deer mistook the mirror-like ice of Lake Le Homme Dieu for open water. On the ice they could neither run nor stand. Arthur Baker took them as his lawful prize.

Don't forget to call around and examine L. Worthington & Co.'s new line of Pocket and Table Cutlery. All goods warranted.

Cash paid at Vassaly's for Eggs and Fresh butter.

Stop at the Minnesota House when you are in St. Cloud.

More stoves! More stoves! Just go to Bredfeld's and look at that enormous stock of Cooking and Heating Stoves, which are being sold cheaper than ever; the largest and cheapest stock ever brought to this town. Remember the place, second door north of the Vassaly House.

From the Saak Centre Herald. Receiver Farley is offering for wood delivered on the line of the railroad \$2.90 for maple, \$1.50 for oak, and \$1.00 for soft wood. Green oak wood is offered in town for \$2.00 per cord.

Do not fail to go to Houe's, if you want anything in the Clothing line, as he is selling at cost.

After serving for three years under sentence as a horse thief, in the Oregon State prison, Mr. Francis Tompkins came out the other day, proved innocent by the confession of the real criminals. He had not only suffered undeserved imprisonment, but his property, worth seventeen thousand dollars, had been used in defending his case.

CHEAP FARMING MACHINERY.—I am selling all kinds of Farming Machinery and Implements at lowest figures. I have a fine lot of improved plows, the best in the market. F. D. HALL.

Best White Lime for \$2.00 per barrel at L. WORTHINGTON & Co.'s.

From the Melrose Record. It is reported that there is a number of boys in this town who are clubbed together for the purpose of pilfering tobacco and such small articles as they need. Several articles have been stolen at the auction rooms this week, and, strange as it may appear, the fact is some of them belong to respectable families, and are taught better, but the influence of a very few have corrupted many. We have the names of the clique and warn all that a change of conduct alone will prevent an exposure. We would suggest to parents that they keep their boys at home in the evenings if they would shun the disgrace that awaits a conviction of petty larceny, for forbearance will cease to be a virtue. In this case prevention is better than cure.

We keep new styles of Ladies' Hats, which we sell at bottom prices. MAURIN & MEDVED.

Milwaukee Beer at VASALY'S.

The State of Virginia groans under the pressure of a heavy debt, the annual interest of which amounts to over a million and a half dollars.

We have on hand a full line of Doors, Sash, Glazed Sash, Lime, Building Paper and everything required in building or repairing buildings. Call and learn our prices. L. WORTHINGTON & Co.

Miscellaneous. Whiskey is about the only enemy man has succeeded in really loving. A colored, Mass. minister is lecturing on "The Uses of defeat." What other uses he finds for "defeat," in addition to walking and lifting one's enemy, is not stated. Hawkeye Correspondence. "Times ain't what they used to be, anyhow," the passenger from Kentucky remarked, in answer to the wailing of the old passenger who was mourning over the degeneration of people and things. "You are right, times ain't what they used to be, the women ain't as pretty as they used to be, and the boys are faster; the men don't work so hard, and they ain't so honest; the cattle don't come up so early, and they don't low like they used to; they bawl; the sun doesn't shine so bright, and the birds don't sing as sweetly; it don't rain so often, and the water ain't as soft as it used

to be; the dogs ain't as smart as they was, the sun rises later and sets earlier than it used to; the days ain't so long and there ain't so many of them."

Dressed Chickens wanted at L. WORTHINGTON & Co.'s.

On Friday last an old gentleman at Saak Centre, named George Hoople, aged seventy-two years, was run over by a railroad train and instantly killed. His head and one hand were nearly severed from his body.

A splendid lot of Holiday Goods cheap at RHODES & WETZEL'S.

From the Princeton Union. Peter Roy and O. W. Sylvester start to-day for Mille Lacs, with a load of goods, to trade with the aborigines—Little Falls Transcript.

The Mille Lacs Indians were paid their annuities some five weeks ago, and ever since that time, about half of what Indians there are in the vicinity of the lake, manage to keep gloriously drunk. One day last week, while three or four of the braves were on a drunken spree, they attempted to murder a white man who was camped on the south shore of the lake, looking after hay. We do not mean to insinuate that Roy and Sylvester furnish the Indians with whiskey; but we are reliably informed that parties from Rich Prairie and that vicinity, make it a business to supply the red skins with fire-water. At any rate our informant alleges that all the drunken Indians come from the direction of Rich Prairie, and it is the general understanding among the lumbermen that Rich Prairie and Little Falls, are the places where the whiskey comes from. This matter is deserving of the special attention of the Indian agent, Major Ruffee.

Bring in your Beef, either dressed or on foot. L. Worthington & Co. want it.

Fresh Oysters! Fresh Oysters! at LEON HOUE'S.

From Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper. The national debts of France and England are now not far apart in amount, that of France being a little the larger. The French debt is held by 4,380,000 persons, being an average of about \$55 to each holder; England's debt, on the other hand, by the latest returns, is held by about 300,000 persons, being an average of about \$12,500 to each holder. In France, the masses of the people seem to be the bondholders; in England, the capitalists instead. In France there are about 7,500,000 land-owners, of whom some 5,000,000 have little plots of about six acres, as an average. In England the number of land owners is put down at 1,173,000. In France one person in five is a land-owner; in England, however, 850,000 of these owners have in the aggregate but 188,000 acres, being an average of a trifle more than one-fifth of an acre each.

Smoked and Fresh Sausage at L. WORTHINGTON & Co.'s.

We are paying the highest prices for farm produce. MAURIN & MEDVED.

MARKET REPORT. Corrected weekly, by LEON HOUE, general dealer in grain and merchandise. Wheat, No. 1, 70c. No. 2, 68c. Oats, 28c. Beans, 14c. Barley, 40c. Eggs, 18c. per dozen. Butter, 18c. Green Hides, 4c. Hay, \$5.00 per ton.

And further notice is hereby given that all personal property taxes must be paid before the first day of February, A. D. 1879, or the same will be collected by distrain as required by law, and five per cent will be added. All real estate taxes must be paid before the first day of June next, or 10 per cent penalty will be added, besides twelve cents advertising charges which will be added to each tract of land or town lot as required by the laws of this State.

Notice is also given that the undersigned Treasurer of Morrison County, or his Deputy, will be in attendance at the places hereinafter mentioned for the collection of taxes for the year 1878 as follows:

Town of Bellevue at the house of J. Lambert, January 6th, 1879.

Town of Two Rivers at the store of G. Geissel, January 7th, 1879.

Town of Swan River at the house of D. Dorbin, January 8th, 1879.

Town of Caldum at the house of J. Workman, January 9th, 1879.

Town of Green Prairie at the house of F. D. Hall, January 11th, 1879.

Town of Belle Prairie at the house of F. J. Farrand, January 13th, 1879.

Town of Pierz at the house of N. Meyer, January 14th, 1879.

Town of Benkman at the house of A. A. Morrill, January 15th, 1879.

Town of Little Falls at the Court House, on and after January 16th, 1879.

Dated at Little Falls, Minn., December 1st, 1878. W. T. LAMBERT, Treasurer of Morrison County, Minnesota.

No. 1 Meat Market AT THE VASALY HOUSE.

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Notice. Green Prairie, Minn., Nov. 30, 1878.

All persons are hereby notified to not trust or harbor Mary Bates, or her daughter, Veldora, on any account, as I will not pay any debt of their contracting. WILLARD BATES.

Notice. To all whom it may concern:

Take notice that George R. Whitney, of Rich Prairie, Morrison county, Minnesota, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, to the undersigned, of St. Cloud, Minnesota, which assignment, has been duly filed with the Clerk of the District Court, of said county, and that the undersigned has taken possession of the property so assigned.

Dated October 31, 1878. JOSIAH E. WEST, Assignee.

Notice. Mrs. F. A. Whittier would announce to the ladies of Little Falls and vicinity that she is now prepared to do all kinds of Fancy Work in Wax and Worsted. Hair Work a Specialty. Residence opposite Wm. Harrison's, Belle Prairie Township. Nov. 20, 1878.

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