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MINN. STREET, NEW ULM, MINN.

At New Orleans the board of health reported thirty-six new cases and seven deaths from yellow fever during one day last week.
During the month of July there were forty-five petitions in bankruptcy in Chicago, covering liabilities amounting to over three millions and a half, mostly unsecured.

Diphtheria is raging in parts of Winona county. Mr. Henry George, of Lewiston, has lately lost one child and has two others sick. Several other children in the neighborhood are also attacked with the disease.

Crop reports from Michigan are very encouraging. The entire yield is estimated at thirty million bushels, a crop beyond all precedent in that State and placing Michigan among the foremost wheat producing States in the Union. The average yield per acre is between nineteen and 20 bushels. The crop, though not equal in quality to last season, is fully up to the average.

Mr. P. Wood, a citizen of Rochester in this State, was stabbed near the heart by a tramp named Dan Crowley, on the verandah of the Norton house, last Friday. Sheriff White who was near by, instantly organized a company who followed him with horses and arrested Crowley about one mile from the city. Mr. Wood is said to be in a dangerous condition.

Several destructive storms and tornadoes passed through parts of Illinois and Indiana about the middle of last week, destroying crops and blowing down several buildings. In the vicinity of Bloomington, Ind., a large quantity of timber was blown down, fences prostrated, barns leveled or unroofed and buildings damaged. Many hundred acres of corn were destroyed on the line of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers from Lexington, Kentucky, northward.

Gen. M.D. Flower is prominently mentioned by some of our State exchanges as a probable candidate before the coming Republican State Convention, for State Auditor. The General certainly possesses all the necessary qualifications, and should he succeed in carrying off the nomination Mr. Whitcomb can rest assured that he could be succeeded by no worthier man than General Flower; but we are afraid he has entered the field at too late a stage of the game.

A great invasion of kangaroos recently occurred in various settled parts of Australia, especially Queensland, the animals being no doubt, driven from the interior by the drought in search of food. They came in thousands, devouring everything in the shape of grain or herbs, so that the sheep and cattle were often obliged to feed on dry leaves. The colonists promptly met the attack, in some cases driving them into enclosures and shooting them. More than 4,000 kangaroos were killed in four days.

Major Strait has returned from White Sulphur Springs, and in conversation with a Pioneer Press reporter last Sunday, said that the congressional committee having under consideration the reorganization of the army, and which had been in session at White Sulphur Springs, Va., have had most harmonious meetings, and will unanimously agree upon a bill to present to congress immediately upon its convening. He is perfectly dumb in regard to the details of the proposed bill, but intimates that it will prove satisfactory to the country.

Now that our farmers are pretty well supplied with all kinds of farm-machinery, the next thing to attract their attention will be the steam road wagons. In order to test the practicability of such a wagon the State of Wisconsin offered a prize of \$10,000, in response to which several vehicles of this description were built and a trial trip was made a

short time ago. Only one wagon entered and made the trip from Fort Howard to Oskosh, a distance of 201 miles, which it accomplished in 33 hours and 27 seconds, or a little over six miles an hour. The speed required was 5 miles an hour, and it therefore had some six hours and a half to spare. The telegraphic account says the machine hauled throughout a wagon weighing thirty-five hundred pounds. At Oshkosh it made a tour of the lumber yards among sawdust with ninety hundred pounds. The weight of the machine alone is 4,800 pounds; with water and coal for eight miles, sixty-six hundred pounds. It is a handsome affair, neatly and simply made and appears calculated to do any amount of work. The engineers report no breakages on the trip, no runaways and not a bridge blank disturbed. Most of the roadway has been hard travel, being heavy sand and gravel. The fastest time was between Johnson's Creek and Fort Atkinson, fifty-seven miles in eleven hours and thirty minutes. The machine was made in Oshkosh.

The Minneapolis Tribune when commenting upon the nomination of Major Strait and the influence exercised in Congress by that class of quiet men, says:

It is the habit of many of the stump haranguers and beardless disciples of Blackstone to sneer at men like Strait and the late Col. Aldrich, of this city, and to measure influence by a capacity for blab. Such men are innocent of the slightest knowledge of the influences which secure votes and carry measures in Congress. It is the man who is on good terms with and button holes not not bodes, flatters but not aggravates, his fellow members, that is the successful and influential Member of Congress. It is only the occasional orator towering above his fellows as Blanc above the surrounding Alps, that Congressmen do not have contempt rather than an admiration for. If Minnesota wants to empty the chamber whenever one of its measures comes before the House, let it send its average "orators" to Congress, who flatter themselves that they can carry measures of local moment by making speeches upon their merits! Acquaintance, good fellowship, a faculty for securing and reciprocating favors, are what constitute "influence" in Congress. Mr. Strait combines these in an unusual degree, and will do more for Minnesota in a Congress with whose members he is already acquainted, and the key to whose good graces he is already possessed of, than forty fresh and new men like Henry Pöhler could do.

THE IMPENDING STRIKE.

A Wilkesbarre letter in the New York Tribune gives the conversation of a gentleman engaged in a manufacturing business in one of the northern counties of Pennsylvania. He says the chances are we shall have much more serious trouble within the next two months than that which came upon us so unexpectedly last summer. Preparations are being made for a simultaneous strike all over the country, railroads at the mines, in many of the largest manufacturing establishments, and nothing but the utmost vigilance on the part of the State authorities and such preparations as will make it possible to crush out a movement instantly, will prevent one of the worst calamities that has ever befallen this country. The fifteenth of June had been actually fixed for the strike, and the outbreak would certainly have taken place then or soon after but for preparations made by governor Hartranft, when he called out the militia and made arrangements to obtain uniforms and equipments for them at Frankford arsenal.

Those who were to have arranged the strike, called a committee meeting in Philadelphia and voted to postpone the attack to the 15th of August when, it was hoped, the country might be taken by surprise. A Chicago representative of the strikers, on his way to New York, stopped over at Hornville and said to his friends, they ought to take the property of the rich and they ought to specially break open the banks, take all the money and divide,

Major Strait's Strength, and Pöhler's Prospects.

Glencoe Register
All the talk to the contrary notwithstanding, Strait is stronger in this district than ever. His real worth as an industrious, faithful and untiring servant of the people is appreciated as it never has been before, and we predict that his election will be quite as triumphant as was his nomination.

Hastings New Era. (Ind.)
Mr. Pöhler is recommended as a man of fine business qualifications, of sound practicality and judgment. No doubt, were he elected, he would exercise his utmost influence to benefit his district, regardless of party issues, as Mr. Strait has done. There being no third party in the field this fall, we fail to see how Mr. Pöhler can turn the tide; he is fighting against huge difficulties, and, although he may make a good run, the prospects of his election are not, at present, very flattering.

A traveling Advertisement.

Glencoe Register.
As the train was about leaving Jordan on the down trip it was boarded by a very corpulent Dutchman, clad in a suit of clean white linen, the coat which made up in width what it lacked in length, being discontinued a few inches below the waist. The ponderous Teuton passed into the express car, and looking for a seat, espied one of those patent receptacles for bottled lager, upon the upper side of which was a fresh lampblack inscription. Thinking only of a comfortable resting place for his bulky limbs, toward it he moved and planted the extensive seat of his bicrural appendages square on box. By-and-by he wanted a drink of water, and walked to the rear of the passenger coach to get it. The scene in that car can be better imagined than described when, as the innocent Teuton passed back through the aisle, the numerous passengers caught sight of the inscription stamped distinctly on the white linen trousers, "Best's Bottled Beer!" Seeing that he was the "but" of the merriment and learning the cause, he exclaimed excitedly, "Mine Got in Himmel und Henry Pöhler! I wonder of dose beebles took me for a traveling advertisement!"

HOMESTEADS FOR SOLDIERS.

Chicago Times.
"An Old Soldier," at Lafayette, Indiana, asks the Times if a soldier who served over five years in the war of the rebellion is entitled to 160 acres of government land without having to live on the same, or, if residence is required, what length of time is necessary. Under the act of congress 20th May, 1861, providing for homesteads, a head of a family or person who has reached twenty-one years of age is entitled to enter one quarter section of unappropriated public lands, upon which such person may have filed a pre-emption claim, or which may, at the time the application is made, be subject to pre-emption at \$1.25 per acre. The application must be made to the land officer of the district, and be accompanied by an affidavit that it is made for his exclusive use and benefit, and for actual settlement and cultivation, and upon the payment of \$10 to the register the applicant shall be permitted to enter the amount of land specified. But a patent will not issue until the expiration of five years after entry, and then only upon the evidence of two credible witnesses that applicant has lived upon and cultivated the land, and has not alienated the same. By an act of 8th June, 1872, the privileges of this homestead act are extended to federal soldiers of the war of the rebellion, and the time of their service as such soldier shall be deducted from the time required to perfect title, but the patent will not issue unless the settler has resided upon, cultivated and improved his homestead for a period of at least one year after he shall have commenced his improvements. Having served five years, the "Old Soldier"

who makes inquiry of the Times would be entitled to a patent after one year's residence upon a quarter section of public land duly pre-empted. The cost to him would be \$10 for register's fees.

GRAIN AT MILWAUKEE.

Last of the corner excitement - barley looming up, and likely to touch \$1.50 - Unfavorable outlook for wheat.

Special Telegram to the Pioneer Press.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 2.—The excitement over the July corner has entirely disappeared and nothing remains of it but the unsettled difference between McGeoch and the shorts. The corner on barley, however, begins to assume more prominence. Prices to-day advanced again fully ten cents, No. 2, selling as high as \$1.10 for old, and \$1.25 for new. Crop reports continue unfavorable, and it is said the Canada barley is ruined. Wm. Young & Co. have all the old No. 2 in the market, but there is little speculation, the shorts being light—perhaps 15,000 bushels outstanding. There is not much danger of a squeeze, but Young & Co. will be likely to realize handsomely on their stock if they meet with no reverse. It is probable that the new crop will reach \$1.50. Reports from the wheat districts continue unfavorable. Most of the specimens received on change rank as No. 3 or rejected.

Sleepy Eye Correspondence.

Sleepy Eye, July 31st, 1878.

Editor Review:

Politics are at a low ebb. I know that it is rather out of place to repeat the following dialogue which once took place but as one of the parties has decamped, it is no longer a secret:
"Jim, it will soon be election time. You and I should begin to pull the wires. Let us play hide-and-seek convention."
"By the living Moses, it is just the thing!" says Pat.
"Well, then, Pat, you just take the north part of the town, as you have got a good horse, and kind of feel of the people. It will be just splendid."
"He jabbers, I will," says Pat, "and I am just the man to do it." "You are that," says Jim, "and I'll take care of this end of the town. I have peculiar talents for working among large bodies, as my profession is an element of right and truth; and being a creature with the magistry of a Jupiter, I can command the attentions of conventions."
"Pat, blushing up to the roots of his hair, exclaimed: "By me sowl, Jim, that's the Tammy style, and it will work just fine. I can feel of the craters in this way. I'll take along a bottle of the stuff, and I'll trate them up to the handle and get them to feeling well, and then I'll begin. You know those fellows in the north of the town might be easily influenced in this way. And am sure no man who wants office can have any delicacy in using means so potent as the crater to bring them over."
"You understand it Pat!" says Jim, "and recognizing the power there is in such an agency I have no doubt the thing will work well."
"It will be nice to have a nice fat office, and dress up in style, and be a gentleman. As you have the education and know how to use it you can kind of help me, and we can run the thing naturally."
Such might have been the substance of the conversation, but as one of the parties is absent the other, I fear, can't succeed as a successful manipulator. Pat needs Jim's scientific turn of mind to run the engine well, independent of Jim, he would push the election through by fists and feet; if necessary, while with Jim's sagacity he would only use these in case of dire extremity.
The attendance at the churches are slim. Hot weather and denominational zeal and unchangeableness have cut down the attendance. A telephone, set up in the churches, might bring about a more amiable state of things. Who will blit?
In our town two denominations (Americans) entered into a co-partnership in the organization of a Sunday School, but one of the parties not very gracefully backed out and left the other to conduct it alone. The retiring party, after having pledged its word and honor to stand by the institution and support it, I am sorry to say, did not act manly in deserting it, and showed anything but magnanimity. It is nothing to their credit but much to their shame.
The reaper is busy, and the incessant click of the machine as it makes its way through the standing (not tangled) grain, is not aggravating to the ear. Blight, heat, shrinkage, and wet weather is infinitely more to be dreaded than the "hopper." Last Spring the farmers looked forward with large expectations, each man sanguine with hope that the harvest would yield bountifully, but the hopes have vanished, and long sad faces is the result. It is a good to be chastened; it reaches the grace of economy.
Marriages will have to be postponed as it is impolitic to form compact now.
What occurs once in a lifetime—Three bachelors sitting in a row, discussing the loneliness of their situation and the brilliant scene just witnessed. A moisture would now and then gather in their eyes, and we felt sad. There is a few more left, and when prospects brighten, choose the rosiest checked girl, boys, and your mourning days are ended. (Theopholis.)

AN UNDENIABLE TRUTH.

You deserve to suffer, and if you lead a miserable, unsatisfactory life in this beautiful world, it is entirely your own fault and there is only one excuse for you,—your unreasonable prejudice and skepticism, which has killed thousands. Personal knowledge and common sense reasoning will soon show you that Green's August Flower will cure you of Liver Complaint, or Dyspepsia, with all its miserable effects, such as sick headache, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, habitual costiveness, dizziness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, &c. Its sale now reach every town on the Western Continent and not a Druggist but will tell you of its wonderful cures. You can buy a Sample Bottle for 10 cents. Three doses will relieve you. For sale by Jos. Bobleter.