

NEW ULM AND VICINITY

The next issue of the REVIEW appearing Dec. 26th, we embrace this, our only opportunity to wish all our patrons a MERRY CHRISTMAS.

The fine weather has caught a bad cold, and yesterday mercury was down to 10° below zero.

H. P. Felch, of Butternut valley, suicided by hanging last Wednesday. Social troubles was the principle cause.

Don't wear dingy or faded things when the ten-cent Diamond Dye will make them as good as new. They are perfect.

And, Wagner gives notice elsewhere in this issue of the Review of a grand Christmas ball at West Newton, next Wednesday evening.

Your health depends on the purity of your blood. People who realize this are taking Hood's Sarsaparilla with the best results.

W. H. Rounsville, the St. Peter creamery man, made over 60,000 pounds of butter the past season, and he pronounces it a poor season at that.

Our old friend Charley Goodnow is going into the hotel business at Pipestone. Now, Charley, when you get the ranch in trim, can't you invite your New Ulm friends up to a square meal?

The special election for the purpose of authorizing the city authorities to negotiate a loan of \$4,000 was held yesterday. The vote was light and nearly unanimous for the proposition.

St. Peter officials have captured a professional overcoat thief. His field of operations extends over a large portion of the State. The Tribune is of opinion that he will be given a free ride to Stillwater.

OVERSEAS—J. Nic. Nemo, opposite the post office, is just in receipt of three cases of nice, select oysters for the holidays. Don't wait until they are all gone, but lay in a few cans for Christmas at once.

A petition is being circulated in the town of Brighton, Nicollet county, for a new county road—a straight course to New Ulm. "A right move in the right direction," is the way the correspondent of the Tribune puts it. So say we all of us.

We take it all back. The lecture on "the cost of a boy" didn't materialize at the Congregational church last week Tuesday. Rev. Mr. Mowery assures us, however, that Prof. Fisk will be here to deliver the lecture about January 11th next.

An army officer at Fort Custer writes that the bears in the region round about the Fort have laid up no stock of winter food whatever, and that is considered out there to settle conclusively the fact that this is to be a mild and "open" winter.

Saleratus and Soda may be as white as snow, and yet be adulterated; and it may be off color and perfectly pure. Recent improvements place DeLand's brands ahead of all others, in that while the whitest, they are of the purest quality possible to attain.

Come, now, Bro. Whitney, nothing has been further from our mind than to seek to array the News against New Ulm. The News, editorially, has only good words to say for the people of our city; but the News informant, that's the chap we wanted to be explicit.

Postmaster-General Gresham is not satisfied with the quality of paper in the government postal note now in use, and the contractors are preparing a better grade, which will be a blue tint. Some changes will also be made in the form and design of the note.

Last Tuesday was a red letter day in the annals of New Ulm, as its attractive Congregational church was dedicated then. All the community has shown a deep interest in its success. The story of its progress and success is of great interest.—St. Paul Dispatch.

"A fair outside is but a poor substitute for inward worth." Good health inwardly, of the bowels, liver and kidneys, is sure to secure a fair outside, the glow of health on the cheek and vigor in the frame. For this, use Kidney-Wort and nothing else.

Our merchants complain that the holiday trade is just a little slack. This state of things is no doubt owing to the low price of wheat. If the wheat was all eggs and selling at 22 cents a dozen, the current price, our farmers could stand the holiday racket better.

From advance sheets of Commissioner Malmros' statistics for 1888, it appears that during the year 1882 297,580 pounds of butter and 16,869 pounds of cheese was manufactured in Brown county from the product of 4,473 cows. The number of cows for 1883 is given at 4,573. In the cheese producing counties in the State, Brown county ranks fifth.

St. Paul's big hotel is up—on paper. It's a gay affair for steeples and gables. The steeples look as if patterned after the old wind mill tower at New Ulm, and a poor job of copying.—Radical.

There you are mistaken, Mr. Radical. The old wind mill tower at this place collapsed about the middle of last September. But then the copying referred to may have been the means of the collapse.

Better than \$10,000! "I spent over \$10,000, in 23 years," said Mayor H. W. Hines, of Boston, Mass., "in being doctored for epilepsy. I employed the best physician in New Orleans, St. Louis, N. York, Phila., Boston, London and Paris, but all to no purpose. Scleritans Nervine has cured me entirely." \$150.

To-morrow night (Thursday) clob dance at Union Hall. All members, also those who wish to join them, are requested to be present.

The New Ulm string band has been engaged to furnish music at the grand opening of the new hall at Tracy, on Christmas evening. The boys will get there in good shape.

Hon. H. B. Strait last week introduced in the House a bill granting a pension to John C. Fenske of this city. The bill passed the lower house of Congress at the last session, but failed in the Senate for want of time.

When a man takes a print shop for a hotel and stretches himself out on the imposing stone at 2 o'clock in the morning, with mercury way down near zero, he has certainly just "seen" a man. Such was the experience in this city last week of one of the hardy tillers of the soil from the town of Mulligan.

CHRISTMAS TREES.—Chas. L. Roos at the City Drug Store has received a carload of evergreen trees direct from Moose Lake. They are beautiful, and going off like hot cake. Don't wait until the nicest ones are all picked out, but make your selection at once.

The St. Peter papers have discovered the identity of Miss Ella Jenkins, the lady who came on from New Hampshire to marry a Le Sueur county widower. The girl came as per agreement, and was well pleased with her new found lover, and two days after her arrival they were married, and are both as happy as can be. The happy man's name is Orlando P. Williams.

The Drake block one of the largest brick structures in St. Paul, was consumed by fire last Wednesday morning. Magee's restaurant, the finest west of New York, its fixtures costing \$30,000, was entirely ruined. The Drake block was only finished last spring. The loss on buildings and contents destroyed is estimated at \$352,500. Insurance \$256,200. It was by far the most disastrous fire that has occurred in the saintly city for many years.

The Postmaster-General instructs postmasters to exchange for the public, as application is made, 3 and 6 cent denominations of postage stamps and stamped envelopes for others of different denominations. Stamped envelopes will be exchanged at full current rates. Stamped envelopes bearing printed cards and special requests, as well as ordinary stamped envelopes, will be exchanged; also stamped envelopes that bear printed addresses. Stamps and envelopes issued prior to 1881 will not be exchanged.

A San Francisco scientist advances the theory that the magnificent coloring of the sky, which has been noticeable of late, is due to ashes coming from the late volcanic eruption in Alaska. Ashes from that eruption have been carried all over Japan and similar coloring of the skies has been observed. During the eruption in Java, similar coloring was exhibited in different parts of the world, and as far east as Panama. Prof. Ford, of Elmira, N. Y., coincides in this view of the cause of the beauty of recent sunsets.

The Winona & St. Peter company's elevator at Winona, the storage warehouse of the Schlitz Brewing Co., also owned by the Winona & St. Peter company, and the Diamond steamboat dock and warehouse was consumed by fire last Saturday. The elevator contained 135,000 bushels of barley, which is a total loss. The head of the pier of the draw bridge in the channel of the Mississippi and the flouring mills of the Winona Mill Co. and L. C. Porter Milling Co. also caught from sparks sparks, but were extinguished before much damage was done.

Brown county has 68 school houses the total valuation of which, including sites, is \$43,067. Nicollet and Redwood counties have each 53 school houses. The valuation of those in the former is \$48,756, and of those in the latter, \$20,473. The total cash receipts in Brown county in 1883 for school purposes was \$38,934; total expenditures, \$29,827. The receipts and expenditures in Nicollet and Redwood counties were considerably less than in this county. The total number of school buildings in the State is 4,352, representing a total valuation of \$4,352,840, including sites.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker, of Lake Stay, Lincoln county, have just served a short term in the Brown county jail. The man was in on ten days' sentence, and the woman had four days, for an assault upon a neighbor. At the expiration of the woman's sentence she was turned loose upon this community, penniless, to await the liberation of her husband. It seems to us that in this case it would have been more just to have sent the woman home at the expense of the county from whence she came. Transporting a prisoner nearly a hundred miles to serve a four days' sentence for a trivial offense is rather small business.

Attorney-General Hahn rendered another opinion last week concerning the terms of office of county treasurers, commissioners and superintendents of schools. It is to the effect that the terms of newly elected county treasurers commence on the first Monday of January, 1889, instead of on the first day of March. The same period of commencement is also applicable to county commissioners, whether elected this year or not. As to county superintendents of schools their official term begins Dec. 1, 1888. The attorney general adds that it is entirely unnecessary at this time to decide when the terms of these officers expire.

The Mankato Free Press warns County Auditors in southwestern Minnesota to be on the watch for a man who makes a business of procuring through questionable means the bounty offered for wolf scalps. He tried his game in Blue Earth county, successfully at first, but upon suspicions being aroused at his second appearance within a short time inquiries were made into the matter. He was unable to explain satisfactorily where he killed the wolves, and it is thought that he had lieutenant farther west who ship the scalps to him. This may account for the large bounty business lately reported by some of the counties in Southern Minnesota.

"Man-d-e-e! Help! Thieves! Thieves!" Were the piercing shrieks emitted upon the still night air from the rear premises of an up town liquor establishment, about 10 o'clock last Friday night. Hastily buckling on such weapons of war as lay within immediate reach, the neighbors rushed up on the scene of trouble, fully expecting of finding the victim of a terrible murder; but instead they ran slap up against a booby tiller of the soil who in his hurry to make off with his mortgaged team to avoid paying a debt, had run against an obstruction in the person of the lady of the house. While the belligerent lady was busily engaged in unitching the team the farmer appealed to the bystanders to prevent his horses from being "stolen," as he put it; but the latter only grinned. It was not a first-class case, but it had the effect to give the up town people good stirring up.

At the citizens meeting held last Wednesday in Turner Hall, Mayor Constans opened the meeting by explaining the object thereof—being to make a loan of \$4,000, part of which being necessary to pay an old railroad bond of \$1,000, and \$400 interest on other outstanding city bonds. He also explained how it came that our city expenses were more than ordinarily. On account of the heavy storm which washed out Centre street and gutters, and also doing damage to First South street, it had become necessary to borrow money from the Citizens' Bank to complete and pay for the work begun in the early part of the season. He then handed a financial statement to City Clerk Nix who read and explained the same. On motion it was resolved that the city authorities be authorized to loan \$4,000, interest not to exceed 6 per cent., whereupon the meeting adjourned.

We clip the following from the Minneapolis Tribune of Dec. 11th: "Unusual significance is attached to the movement (the dedication of the Congregational church) from the well-known fact that New Ulm was originally settled by a colony of German rationalists, and none of the Christian denominations have until very recently obtained any foothold in this community. The people of New Ulm have contributed more than \$500 towards the cost of the new Congregational church, and there are many evidences that the character of the community is radically changing."

The Tribune correspondent, evidently one of the Minneapolis gentlemen present at the dedication, was not well informed. Religious services were held in this city, regularly, long before the Indian outbreak in 1862, and Catholic church structure was completed the year of the outbreak, but soon after consigned to the flames by an Indian torch. New church edifices were built soon after the Indian outbreak, and religious denominations have on all occasions met with due encouragement. Does this look as if Christian denominations have only recently obtained a foothold in New Ulm?

Christmas Festivities. The several churches in this city and the Turnverein will celebrate Christmas with appropriate festivities. At the CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH there will be a concert and Christmas tree on Christmas Eve, Monday, Dec. 24. Recitations, singing, etc., by the children. A large evergreen tree will be placed in the church and will be loaded down with presents for old and young. The ladies never fail in making these festive most enjoyable. Of course everybody will be welcome. At the LUTHERAN CHURCH there will be a tree on Christmas Eve, Monday, Dec. 24th. The exercises will consist in singing, recitations and music. This church has a large parochial school and the scholars invariably have something new with which to entertain their visitors at these annual festivities. The splendid church choir will be in attendance and render some of their sweetest selections. A most pleasant evening can here be spent.

There will be a Christmas tree at the METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH on the evening of the 25th, commencing at 8 o'clock. The Methodist Sunday School in Lafayette will have a Christmas tree on the evening of the 24th. At both places there will be select songs and recitations rendered by the young people. All are cordially invited.

The Christmas festivities at the SISTERS SCHOOL will be held on Christmas evening, commencing at 7 o'clock, in the new addition of the Catholic church. There will be a tree, singing, recitations, etc., by the scholars of the school, and a most enjoyable time is anticipated.

AT TURNER HALL there will be a Christmas tree on the evening of the 26th, for the benefit of the scholars of the Turnverein Sunday school. The exercises will consist in music, singing, recitations, tableaux and a hop for the little folks.

AT UNION HALL there will be a grand ball on Wednesday evening, the 26th. See announcement in another column.

Divine services will be held on Christmas day in all the churches in the city, at the usual hour.

Personal Tax Payers

of the towns of Milford, Home, Eden, Prairieville and Sigel:

Arbes N	371	Hoffmann H	10 80
Backer G	7 13	Hoffmann M	2 46
Buenger H	59	Lueder W	3 39
Dorster J	16 92	Meyer L	12 54
Dietz A	2 49	Mack J & F	8 76
Dehn W	2 08	Pungel F	3 18
Erdmann E	3 21	Pfiffer J	6 16
Falk A	4 63	Ries W	1 01
Gluth W	1 33	Runk H L	9 11
Haugartner A	5 85	Wiedemann J	6 92
Haubrich J	5 61	Arnold M	5 99
Jurgens W	5 39	Altenburg L	1 17
Krueger J	6 18	" " C	1 02
Kneis F	3 09	Adam B	2 34
" " W	6 12	Black J	2 58
Lieder Johanna	19	Baugatz F	2 85
Mauch M	7 17	Bauer H	3 87
" " L	8 65	Clasen C	4 94
Rossmann F	1 36	" " B	1 32
Roeder G	3 05	Jones H	4 64
Steinmetz A	82	" " G	5 66
Schramm C	5 41	Lambrecht A	7 68
Seifert J	3 94	Marti S	4 40
" " M	2 55	" " B	1 32
Venke G	3 09	" " B	3 31
Vetter W	2 46	Manderfeld N	3 47
Wech J	4 83	Orth V	5 03
Lehman F	4 20	Prahl E	4 95
Current W P	4 48	Mertiz A	4 48
Dewanz P	3 17	Schlimbach V	2 19
Essig J F	2 17	" " S	4 15
" " J	8 88	Seifert C	4 53
Fleitz W	3 12	Skinner W	9 60
Frank Jos	4 42	Schubert F	10 25
Gahlbrecht H	5 11	Ziegenhagen J	6 22
Henle Anton	5 11	" " I	2 25
" " Athanas	7 50	Albrecht H	5 70
Heinen F N	5 98	Bollinger R	55
Heinen Mary	2 67	Backer M	55
Krieser J	6 23	Gutshew J	2 76
Moll H	4 88	Gares J	1 55
Marx W	1 35	Gutshew F	3 12
Mann W C	4 28	Hoffmann J	4 44
Serr A	3 84	Neumann D	2 22
Spehrink L	2 16	Kroschel H	2 06
" " W	2 16	" " A	4 89
" " G	2 16	Lukas J	1 84
" " G	2 14	Mecklenburg D	88
" " G	2 18	Permanen N	5 83
Vajen H	10 75	Roloff C	2 44
June B	3 45	Rattke W	4 65
Braunmeier C	2 77	Richartz W	2 03
Drusch J	2 00	" " T	5 10
Ekstein H	4 83	Radloff H	3 75
Kritze A	1 34	Sachs P	2 31
Geske H	2 27	Schmidt H	96
Hansing C	34 07	Schultz P	4 54
Hensel E	6 36	Schroeder J	3 31
Haeblerie D	4 02	Landend D	1 74
Heymann A	4 73	Zimanski W	1 31
		HOME.	
Bertrand Jac	9 03	Roose F Jr	1 30
" " John	4 13	Strom F	38
" " J J	10 54	Schmidt J M	68
Cutting W	4 15	Schwartz A	2 92
Current J P	3 12	Sasse F	1 97
" " J A	4 01	Strom J	70
" " W J	3 85	Wagner E	4 03
" " J P	3 59	Wagge G	1 42
Case T A	2 16	Watschke C	1 12
" " C H	38	Woodrick G	5 58
French W	1 51	Dunke M	2 49
Hille H M	5 13	Glatigny L A	5 44
Kline F	4 25	Gehrke D	2 57
Libert J	6 03	Hoffmann M	4 70
Moll C	4 88	Hoffmann L	1 20
Peck G	2 31	Kroschel W	3 54
Roberts J	4 15	Krammer A	1 90
Haverty P	7 65	Montgomery J	1 08
Tuttle F	4 91	" " J F	1 77
Thompson D	1 21	" " J N	2 57
Cutting C	5 76	" " J N	2 57
Crank M	7 98	McKenzie C	2 53
Gibbs P T	3 14	Murphy M	1 25
McLeod A	4 05	" " A	5 52
McThee P	5 00	Orien D	1 52
Maritime J	1 17	" " J	1 67
Roberts S	4 44	Serbus J	3 04
McBae J D	11 23	Serbus J	3 04
Robertson C S	4 44	Somerfeld C	1 73
Raverty G	12 65	Sperling C	1 73
Selle J	10 43	Uttey A	2 85
Schultz A	4 49	Brendall M	2 31
Steele J	2 43	Corey J	2 43
Werring W	6 78	" " C	1 95
" " C	5 05	" " M	2 75
Albrecht C	1 74	Hauser J sr	2 04
Arndt W	89	" " J Jr	2 57
Bobman S	2 26	Donavan M	1 12
Bryant G	1 85	Forster M	1 12
Cummings C	1 12	Gerboth F	4 85
Oon A	1 90	Kiesner C	2 71
Clary J W	3 49	Larabee E	2 28
" " F	2 48	Larabee A S	5 15
Fischer C	1 17	Pankratz A	7 18
Greene F D	4 94	Romberg H	6 45
Gerstmann L	6 09	Steffen A	3 21
Greene W	1 12	Tesmer J	4 56
Garabow F	2 07	Welter P	2 54
Heimerdinge J	22 45	" " L	1 88
Heimerdinge Meyer H	1 52	Meyer H	2 42
Heimerdinge Penning M	5 58	" " J	1 38
" " H A F	15 75	Watschke P	1 38
Ibberson A	08	" " W	1 79
Lee P	1 20	Christensen P	1 92
Meyer A	3 39	Dobias J	4 54
Molzau C	48	Kelly J J	9 37
Pickie G T	1 35	Ortwein W	3 68
Peck C	1 59	Remmele J	5 01
Port W	1 52	" " C	4 39
Potter C H	1 07	Schone N	15
Pulaski A	1 56	Adley J	1 33
Seifert M	1 17	" " J	1 03
Smith C	3 73	Briss A	1 76
Schermann F	1 54	" " F	3 92
Werring H	10 62	Block E	1 76
Bertrand D	82	" " F	2 07
Current B	1 64	" " F	2 07
Fraser J	2 87	Kramarick J	3 84
Kuelbs M	53	Krinke W	3 22
Klein F	1 18	Orth F	2 86
Krymaziak G	2 77	Piehl F	1 65
Loueban A	1 29	" " J	1 29
" " J	2 32	Prosch C	2 13
Oja J	1 47	Schmitz J N	5 25
" " E	1 50	Sieg M	97
Peterson J	82	Speckmann A	5 80
" " P	1 44	Spehrink C	1 05
Rose F	1 83		
		EDEN.	
Ball H M	15	Loose J	3 69
Drew M K	12 19	Matke A	3 93
Dresser O A	3 00	Mercant F	1 44
Flick L N	3 95	Otto C	4 56
Hewitt W	69	Otto E	1 25
" " J	8 13	Ott A	4 38
Johnson I	1 54	Prokosch F	2 41
" " G	88	" " F	3 63
Ludington W			
Olson A	55	Porter S F	1 47
Renty C	3 58	Steiniger H	7
Robinson G W	1 13	Stehausen E	1 11
Smith E C	73	Smith J	4
Talbot E	1 48	Stegman D	1 48
Tower M	2 91	Whipple R	1 48
Tretlar P	1 95	Allison J	0
Musell W B	2 97	Beltz C	4 66
Reeden v J	3 98	Brown A	2 14
Hewitt Ad	1 52	Baumann C	2 24
" " E	6 12	Lawney V	3 31
Carstensen L	2 12	" " J	3 31
Christensen L	3 62	" " M	5
" " L P	1 95	Dittenberger H	5 28
Cusic	92	" " A	4 88
Deuelson	1 48	" " J	4 88
Dyns T	1 79	" " C W	4 88
Fischer A	1 48	" " W E	4 88
Fleming J	89	Hagar H	7
Gluth J	4 78	Harde W	3 44
Grimes W	4 45	Jenning H	4 33
" " J	6 12	Koski J	4 33
Hanson O	4 15	Koenig A	0
Jensen J	1 76	Matewitz S	5 58
" " L	1 30	Mielke J	3
Wortensen J	3 29	" " H	2 11
Nelson G	2 22	Nelson A W	2 11
Peterson J C	4 09	Otto A	4 38
" " S	6 61	Biley B	1 6
Pretzer A	5 65	Reetz M	10 20
Schwab M	2 96	" " H	1 5
Tappe C	1 48	" " J	1 5
Johnson J	1 48	Bamboo C	1 5
Matthe H	5 51	Schluck M	5 28
Johnson J	2 91	Schult F	5 28