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NEW ULM, - - MINNESOTA.

EVIDENCES multiply that a life of luxury and ease is the parent of crime. A Brooklyn reporter has just been arrested for having a wife too many.

THE Braganza diamond, the largest in the world, weighs 1,880 carats. It was found in Brazil in 1741, and is now one of the Portuguese crown jewels.

COMPRESSED air delivered from a flexible hose with a small nozzle at a pressure of 50 pounds to the square inch is very effective in cleaning plush cushions. It is so used on the Union Pacific Company's road.

EDWIN M. FIELD's eccentricities cost his friends and business associates not less than \$2,000,000; to say nothing of the mortification of his family. The proper treatment for insanity of that type is hard labor in a zebra uniform.

WITH the desire of giving her husband a true picture of herself, a woman in Atchison, Kan., had her photograph taken as she appeared at daily housework in her kitchen dress, with a baby on one arm and broom and dust pan on the other.

THE only thing in the way of complete acceptance of the identification of Henry L. Norcross of Boston as the man who bombarded Russell Sage is the "theory" of Inspector Byrnes. The theory of bacillus has destroyed the efficiency of more detectives than any other complaint.

It may be necessary for young people inclined to the kissing act to undergo a sanitary examination. A young lady in a New Jersey town went home from Brooklyn the other day and kissed forty of her friends, giving them all the diphtheria. Still there will probably always be those who will take such chances.

MR. GARNER, who is trying to demonstrate that monkeys have a language, is using the phonograph to record the different sounds they make under varying circumstances for purposes of comparison. Some practical joker might insert into the instrument a dialogue with an anglo-maniac dude and drive the experimenter crazy.

MEDICAL men seem to have some confidence in the idea that the phonograph will be of great value in teaching the dumb to speak. Yet the poor mute who talked in imitation of a phonograph would be in hourly danger of being thrown downstairs by exasperated creditors. Imagine a man coming into your place of business and gravely saying: "Buz! click! bang! Do you need any lead pencils? Whir-r-r! Zipp-p-p! Whizz-z-z!"

A RECENT traveler in Morocco says that for people who dress in white and love to be very neat in personal appearance the Moroccans are very different to the cleanliness of their towns. Around the most beautifully furnished houses are heaps of refuse and the bodies of dead animals. All the care of the people is centered upon the interior of their houses. They furnish them as expensively as their means permit, but what is outside of their walls does not trouble them.

A CITIZEN of Salt Lake City sued the city last week for \$5,000 damages for injuries sustained in falling on a defective sidewalk in the city. The citizen was pretty drunk at the time he fell, and he admitted the fact to the court. The city set up the defense of contributory negligence. The plaintiff's lawyer laid down the very plain and plausible proposition that "a drunken man is as much entitled to a good sidewalk as a sober man and is much more in the need of it." The jury was still wrestling with the logic of the plea at last reports.

ONE of the earliest excitements about the "nude in art" arose over Michael Angelo's cartoons in the Sistine Chapel, in Rome, some of the figures in which were afterwards draped by another hand—that of Volterra. When the decoration of the chapel was finished the cartoons were examined by the pope and court, and, as many of the figures were nude, the sensibilities of some of the pope's attendants were shocked. Among these spectators was the pope's chamberlain, Biagio de Cesaria, on whom Angelo took a unique revenge by painting his portrait on one of the figures in the inferno. Biagio begged Paul III, the reigning pontiff to have the portrait erased, but the latter wittily replied: "I can release from Purgatory but not from hell."

AROUND THE GLOBE.

A Record of the Week's Happenings That are Now Part of the World's History.

The More Important Foreign and Domestic Events Arranged for Rapid Reading.

WASHINGTON. The treasury department this month has paid out \$7,000,000 on account of pensions. The national executive silver committee will meet at Washington Tuesday, Jan. 5, 1902.

The Republican membership of the senate committees is arranged. Davis retains the chairmanship of pensions, and Washburn is chairman of the committee on improvement of the Mississippi river.

When the house is in a condition to proceed to business, Representative Ryan, of Nebraska, will propose a constitutional amendment that will, if adopted, permit any state to elect its United States senators by the vote of the people.

The president and Secretary Tracy on the recommendation of Col. Haywood, commandant of the United States marine corps, have granted permission to Mr. Sousa, conductor of the celebrated marine band of Washington, to make another tour the coming spring.

PERSONAL MENTION. WILLIAM GORMAN WILLS, the well known dramatist, is dead in London.

Rt. Rev. Edward Harold Browne, D. D., bishop of Winchester, England, is dead.

MADAME JANATSKY, the actress, is lying seriously ill in Baltimore.

MAJ. MCKINLEY's condition is unchanged. He is still confined to his room, unable to see callers.

The Virginia legislature has re-elected John W. Daniel United States senator without opposition.

Miss Mitchell, daughter of Senator Mitchell of Oregon says that her marriage to the Duke de la Rochefoucauld will probably take place in February.

Daniel Parent, who died at Haverhill, Mass., from grip, was supposed to be a descendant of Daniel O'Connell. He was an actor.

HON. M. S. QUAY said to a Pittsburg reporter that he was not a candidate now for re-election to the United States senate, but did not know what he would do in the future.

Miss St. John has been granted a judicial separation from her husband, Mr. Marius. The court ordered that Miss St. John and Mr. Marius each pay their own costs in the action and counteraction brought by them or divorce.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS. The Chicago & Northwestern railway suys the Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western.

SENATOR CASEY introduced a bill granting right of way to the Duluth & Winnipeg across the Bemina Indian reservation in North Dakota.

G. H. Smith, who has filled the position of train dispatcher for the Northern Pacific at Staples, has been transferred to Minneapolis, where he fills a like position.

The interstate commerce commission in an opinion by Commissioner Morrison, amended its decision in the case of Lehman, Higgins & Co., of Humboldt, Kan., against the Texas & Pacific and the Missouri & Kansas.

SPORTING TRIFLES. In a fight in Chicago for the welter-weight championship Tommy Ryan defeats Frank Howson of England in four rounds.

ERNEST M. BESCHER of Galveston, Tex., has challenged Tommy Warren. Beschere was whipped once by Warren and on another occasion fought him to a draw.

JAKE KILRAIN has refused a proposition to meet the winner of the Woods-Choyinski fight, which soon takes place in San Francisco. Jake says his business takes up all his time and he does not believe that he will ever don the mittens again.

FOREIGN NUGGETS. MICHAEL DAVITT has recovered from the injury he sustained in a melee in Dublin.

The independence of Belgium states Sweden and Norway are preparing to enter the German anti-protection league.

In the reichstag Herr Mirbach proposed to amend the new commercial treaties by placing a tariff of 20 marks upon all kinds of wines.

At a meeting of bondholders in London a motion to accept the agreement between the Virginia state debt commission and the Elliott committee was adopted.

The French institute has granted the Javer prize of \$300 to the United States zoological survey for the excellence of its work.

EMPEROR WILLIAM, accompanied by Prince Henry, of Prussia, attended the launching of a new ironclad at the Vulcan shipyards at Stettin.

INFLUENZA is epidemic in many parts of Europe. Among the many prominent sufferers from the disease was the Archduke Siegmund, who died in Vienna.

A SYNDICATE of British capitalists have made an application to the government of Argentina Republic for the privilege of exploring the Patagonian coast for mineral.

A REVOLT in Sao Paulo, Brazil, by which it was sought to depose the governor of the state, has been suppressed by the government troops, and quiet now prevails throughout the state.

The Russian minister of war has summoned all the chiefs of the general staff to attend a council which will be held for the purpose of making a new disposition of the Russian forces.

The thirteenth anniversary of the death of the prince consort, memorial services were held at Windsor castle, and attended by Queen Victoria and other members of the royal family.

When Signor Imbriani's interpellation in Italy's relation to the United States came up in the Italian chamber of deputies the chamber, on the demand of Premier Rubini declined to discuss the matter.

YUGOSLAVIA, in Brazil, has started the rebellion afresh. The cause for the new outbreak is alleged to be refusal to accept the orders of President Peixoto. The national guard has been commanded to suppress the revolt.

ONE of the last acts passed by the Brazilian congress before its dissolution grants a pension of \$60,000 per year to Dom Pedro de Alcantara ex-emperor of Brazil, with arrears from Nov. 15, 1889. The money will be paid in monthly installments.

UNFORTUNATE EVENTS. A FATAL railroad wreck occurs in Iowa.

Fire in Porter, Donaldson & Co.'s wholesale millinery establishment in Pittsburg caused a loss of about \$150,000; insurance, \$81,500.

A MOVEMENT is under way in Chicago that has for its object the construction of an elevated road over the tracks of the Illinois Central, to extend as far south as the world's fair grounds, at Jackson park.

At New Orleans a fireman named Hanon was instantly killed by coming in contact with an electric light wire while working at a fire.

JOHN UNCHURCH, chief of the Sandusky (Ohio) fire department, was killed by falling through the hatchway of the propeller B. E. Schuck, while making an inspection for fire.

An old man named Bronson, living near Wichita, Kan., persuaded his grand-daughter to let him bleed her to cure the grippe. The knife the old man was using slipped, an artery was cut, and the young lady died before the blood could be stopped.

The official report of General Superintendent Walts, of the Pennsylvania company, on the wreck of the Columbian express at Lima, Ohio, recently, gives three killed and nineteen injured, two of whom are dangerous. F. A. Eappen of Milwaukee is suffering from serious scalp wounds and injuries about the back, and Mrs. Edward Dunn of Seattle is also badly injured. She is attended by her husband, who is slightly hurt.

THE Inman Line steamer City of Chicago arrived at New York from Liverpool. She brought, in addition to her regular passenger list, 15 cattle who had embarked at Liverpool, on the British steamer Kansas, for Boston. The Kansas broke her shaft and was about in mid-ocean when she signaled the Inman steamer. After transferring the passengers the Kansas was taken in tow by the German steamer Wandralum, bound from Boston to Hamburg.

SINS AND SINNERS. CYRUS FIELD's son is arrested on the charge of embezzlement.

TIMOTHY E. BYRNES is arraigned in Minneapolis on a charge of forgery.

THE perpetrators of the quadruple murder in Florida are being tracked by bloodhounds.

The trial of John Mazue on the charge of murdering Annie Brander is begun at Buffalo, Minn.

Mrs. MARY MILLER, on trial at St. Peter for the murder of her husband, is acquitted on the ground of insanity.

At Mattoon, Ill., Judge Horace S. Clark, commander of the Grand Army of Illinois, was shot by a crank and severely wounded.

THE Paris wife of a Sioux City millionaire's son gives birth to an illegitimate child, and is sent back to Paris by her parents-in-law.

FIVE highwaymen, at the points of revolvers, rob a United States mail wagon of several mail pouches in the streets of Chicago.

CHARLES LOMAX (colored) resisted arrest at Washington and fired upon Police Officer Mellen, who returned the fire killing LOMAX instantly.

EDWARD ALBERTSON and Fred N. Chantler, who robbed the Fidelity Trust Company of Tacoma of over a million, are sentenced to the penitentiary for ten and five years respectively.

At Roaring Springs, Ky., Ben Davis shot James Dunn dead and fatally wounded George Dunn, a brother to the murdered man. The killing was the outcome of an ancient feud.

A BOLD attempt to burglarize the parsonage of St. Michael's Roman Catholic church and murder the priest, Father John Heine, was made early one morning recently, in Holydaysburg, Pa., by two men.

DR. ALLEN, a young physician, was brutally murdered by Matt Dunlavey on the streets of Richmond, Tex. Dunlavey, who is one of the wealthiest stock raisers and planters in Texas, claimed that Dr. Allen had made disparaging remarks about Dunlavey's daughter.

At Hannibal, Mo., as a result of frequent drunks and quarrels with his wife, Edward Brown, colored, shot his wife in the abdomen. She prematurely gave birth to a child, which was dead, the bullet having passed through its head. The mother died shortly afterward.

At a social dance in Boston, Pa. Joe Law and his friend, J. W. McCracken, quarreled over who should dance with a young lady. They renewed the quarrel on the street and Law crushed McCracken's skull with a cobble stone. Both men were well connected.

At Sheboygan, Mich., blood was discovered on the deck of a small boat lying in the river and also on a pile near by, which led to an investigation. The river was dragged and the body of James Kemp, who has been missing for several days, was found. Kemp was a laborer and was well known. It has since been learned that he was murdered and that arrests of two parties suspected of the crime will follow.

OTHERWISE. THE Missouri river improvement convention opens at Kansas City.

Two Democratic state conventions are held in Louisiana as a result of the lottery fight.

There is so great a rush to pay taxes at the county treasurer's office in Cincinnati that a panic, almost a riot, ensues.

The waterways convention at Detroit adjourns after preparing a memorial to congress.

Two important amendments to the interstate commerce law are introduced by Senator Cullom.

An English syndicate buys the property of the Montana Sapphire and Ruby company for \$200,000.

NEW York merchants, at a mass meeting, adopted resolutions asking the legislature to appropriate \$500,000 for the world's fair.

DR. FRISZ, chief dispensary physician of the city, estimates the number of cases of la grippe in St. Louis at 20,000.

The conference committee of the St. Paul council recommends a 1-mill tax levy to raise money to build an auditorium.

The United States revenue cutter Bear arrived at San Francisco from the Arctic. The cutter Rush is expected in a few days.

The sales of Montana cattle this year will bring \$1,000,000. The highest figures ever before reached were \$6,000,000.

THE North Dakota railroad commissioners are charged with having prevented the freight rates on coal from being lowered.

The condition of Frank A. Lappen, of Milwaukee, one of the victims of the recent disaster at Lima, O., is about the same. Physicians say his injuries are not necessarily fatal.

The appointment of several Roman Catholic bishops in the United States is announced. Father Mesmer, appointed bishop of Green Bay, Wis., declares he will not accept.

THE National Citizens' Industrial Alliance of Kansas has issued a call for a general convention to be held at St. Louis Feb. 20, two days before the industrial council convenes.

THE retail grocers of St. Louis have subscribed \$12,000 to a fund to erect an independent cracker factory to fight the cracker trust, composed of the New York, American and United States Biscuit companies.

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THE NORTHWEST.

A Summary of the Important Events of the Week in the Northwest-ern States.

Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, North and South Dakota News in a Nutshell.

MINNESOTA. John Meski, of Alberta, was instantly killed by a falling tree.

The graphic-Sentinel, of Lake City, has been sold to Mr. Myers, of Mazerpa.

An old lady, known as mother Timm, was struck by a train and killed at Revere. The Imperial mill of Duluth will contribute a carload of flour to be sent to the suffering people in Russia.

Bertha Hanke, a 13-year-old girl, was burned to death at St. Paul in a fire caused by a kerosene lamp explosion.

Woodburn & Co., dry goods dealers at Anoka, assigned with liabilities of \$4,500; assets in excess of that sum.

George Lutz, of Union, a pioneer settler of Houston County, fell while driving cattle, and sustained fatal injuries.

Ernst Nebel, of Richmond, left for parts unknown with \$1,000 belonging to other parties, which he secured in a hotel purchase.

Dr. S. V. Grosbeck, a prominent physician of Watertown, S. D., shot and killed John Sherman, a Spanish-Mexican farm hand, in self-defense.

August Johnson, living with his brother-in-law, John Lindberg of Hector, cut his wind pipe with an old jack knife. He may recover. Is probably insane.

Mrs. C. H. Lang, milliner of Faribault, assigned to Thomas J. Conlin recently. Liabilities are believed to exceed \$4,000, while the assets are estimated to be about \$1,500.

The county commissioners decided to establish a county hospital at Crookston, and purchased a building which will be remodelled and ready for occupancy by January 15.

A man named Schultebein, of Duellum, was accidentally shot by the discharge of a gun in the hands of a friend while on a rabbit hunt. The wound will not prove fatal.

Albert Martinson, a farmer near Milan, was struck with paralysis on the train and taken off at Granite Falls. He was on his way to La Crosse to visit relatives there.

Dennis McGinty, who was indicted by the grand jury at Buffalo, for an attempt to commit arson, was arrested by Sheriff Nugent in Minneapolis and taken to Buffalo for trial.

John Melady of Hastings was sentenced to state prison for four months by Judge F. M. Crosby for forgery, and W. E. Yeager to six months for stealing a team of Peter Lang of St. Paul.

The John Windom Lumber Company, which has recently purchased the largest mill in Pine City, will commence operations in a few days. The cut will exceed that of all previous years.

Jordan has given a bonus of \$35,000 and five acres of land to the Wilford & Northway Manufacturing Company of Minneapolis, to locate here. Work will be commenced on the building immediately.

No new cases of scarlet fever have been reported at Plainview for the past few days and the several churches were allowed to hold services Sunday. The public school will probably not be reopened until after the holidays.

The trustees of Carleton College held a regular meeting at Northfield. Besides the regular routine business the board considered the matter of military drill now given at the college. It was decided to abolish the drill with the close of this term. Instruction in physical culture will be substituted at some future date.

A committee appointed by the board of trade of Winona met and adopted resolutions most heartily approving the plan recommended by the state commissioners of the world's fair, and that Winona county is ready and willing to furnish her share of the sum required.

The county Alliance met at Fergus Falls. About 300 delegates were present. Various committees were appointed and resolutions adopted. John H. Burke of St. Paul, made an address on the inequality of taxation in this state. John B. Homps was elected delegate to the state convention.

The grand jury for the December term of court, for Stearns county, brought in a report recommending a new court house and jail to be built for the county. They place the cost of the site and building at \$150,000. The board of county commissioners will act on the recommendation.

At the annual meeting of Huram A. Bi Lodge No. 83, A. F. and A. M. of Kasson, the following officers were elected: H. W. Brown, W. M.; Horace Anthony, S. W.; C. Gleason, J. W.; Edward Fry, treasurer; H. C. Brobeck, secretary. The installation of officers will occur the first Wednesday in January.

L. P. Hunt, a member of the World's Fair commission, was at Northfield recently. He is here for the purpose of raising a portion of the \$1,100 assessed Rice county to represent Minnesota at the World's Fair. A meeting of a few of the business men was held at the City Hall to confer in regard to the matter, and a resolution was adopted approving the scheme.

A. K. Hanson's hardware store and A. M. Hanson's grocery store at Rushford were entered by sneak thieves and pilfered of cash and goods aggregating a large amount. H. Madland and Emanuel Iversen, both young men residents of that city, were arrested on suspicion, confessed their guilt, and waiving examination were bound over to the district court. Bail was fixed at \$500 each.

Great excitement has been created at Winona by the finding of iron on the farm of John Condon, living among the big hills bordering on the Mississippi river a few miles from there. Specimens are now in St. Paul to be assayed. It is claimed the find will yield 50 per cent of fine iron. Other parties are still prospecting in the vicinity. The vein just struck is near the surface.

NORTH DAKOTA. Ed Fallon was convicted in the district court at Fargo of shooting Charles Kurian with intent to kill.

The United States court petit jury has been dismissed. There were no civil cases. If any indictments are found by the grand jury the case will be tried next term.

E. G. Spillman, ex-register of the United States land office at Devil's Lake, left for his future home in West Virginia the other day. His successor's commission has arrived.

At Fargo, Judge McConnell sentenced Olaf Knudson, a young Norwegian about twenty years old, to five years in the penitentiary for attempted rape on a seven-year-old girl.

Grafton will send a carload of flour to the destitute of Russia, W. C. Lertskov, the miller, donating 25 140-pound sacks, and putting in the rest at cost. A car load will also be shipped from Minto.

A St. Thomas special says threshing still continues notwithstanding that nearly half the crop will be left until spring. The recent blizzard has left the roads in a terrible condition and transportation overland is almost impossible.

Louis Wilson, formerly porter at the Griggs House at Grand Forks has skipped for parts unknown, after having secured goods and money from various traders on worthless checks. His parents are said to be residents of Minneapolis.

The report that E. F. Rea, station agent of the Northern Pacific road at Gilly, had been found short in his accounts and placed under arrest by the company proves to be unfounded. Mr. Rea's accounts are all right and he is still in the employ of the company.

A covered ice rink has been built at Fargo this winter and has been ready for opening for more than a week, but the weather is so mild that water will not freeze. The Fargo Curling club will use it five afternoons and four evenings each week. The rest of the time it will be used as a skating rink.

Judge Ronard, of McLean county, said recently: "We are through threshing; haven't missed a day in December. The weather is fine and no snow." W. H. Fallon, chief of the weather bureau, issued a special bulletin, showing the depth of snow in the state. There is not four inches on the level, and in many places none at all.

In the district court at Bismarck thirteen hours were consumed in the work of securing jurors in the Healy bribery case. The prosecution is being conducted by John M. Cochran, the noted criminal lawyer of Grand Forks. It is admitted that Saloon-keeper Swenson, who is under bonds on the same charge, will be a witness against Healy.

Joseph Schmitt, the liquor dealer at Wahpeton for contempt of court, was found guilty and sentenced to 90 days in jail and a fine of \$200. The judge stated that he believed that someone had held out false hope to the defendant by representing that the officers would not enforce the law, and that liquor sellers would not be molested, hence the sentence was made light as possible. The other cases will be heard Jan. 10.

SOUTH DAKOTA. The Commercial club of Watertown have taken steps to send a carload of flour to the Russian sufferers. W. H. Stokes will ship half a carload, and the Commercial club will fill the car.

George W. Skinner, a farmer living north of Parker, commenced plowing, and kept his team going from sunrise to sunset. A pretty good commentary on South Dakota winter weather.

The Parker roller mills resumed work for the first time since their former proprietor, John Norton, absconded. A large amount of new and improved machinery has been put in.

The first special stock train ever taken from Mitchell to Chicago pulled out of the station the other night. The stock was all bought in this county the past month and was purchased by a local buyer.

James Stronik, a young Bohemian living in Hamlin county, is charged with stealing a horse from Henry Buck, near Grover. He was captured. At the preliminary examination he was bound over to the grand jury without bail.

Irving Bath, publisher of the Pierre Democrat, has leased his newspaper plant to Frank Foster. Foster formerly ran the Express at Eagan. Col. Jefferson will edit the paper, and it will continue to advocate Democratic principles.

As the north bound freight was pulling out of Trent the other night, Billy Mills, a brakeman, fell between a couple of cars, had one of his legs run over and sustained injuries about the head from the effects of which he died.

The Commercial Club of Mitchell held an important meeting looking toward the establishment of a beet sugar factory at that point. An experimental sugar beet farm conducted this summer shows that beets of superior quality can be raised in this section.

A case of love and marriage rather late in life occurred at Onida, Sully county, recently when Capt. B. A. Southerland, aged seventy years, and Mrs. C. C. Bennett, sixty-two years of age, were joined in wedlock. The groom was a veteran in the late war, being one of the first to organize a company of volunteers from Kanabakee, Ill. He is a pioneer of Sully county and has been a widower for twenty years.

George Robinson was committed to jail at Huron in default of \$1,000 bail, for assisting Harry Pratt in robbing Levy's jewelry store a month ago. Robinson came from Minneapolis. He said he would disclose the names and whereabouts of persons connected with other robberies if his bail was made nominal. He and Pratt, also in jail, are believed to belong to a gang that has infested these parts for several months.

WISCONSIN. R. Cole, of Superior, had his leg broken while skidding near that place.

Fire broke out in the marsh near La Crosse and destroyed hundreds of tons of hay. The damage is estimated at \$5,000.

The buildings of the F. B. Garton Manufacturing Company, of Sheboygan, which burned a few days ago, will be rebuilt.

The annual fair of the Rock County Agricultural Society will be held at Janesville September 6, 7, 8 and 9, 1902.

The drug store of G. W. Bartlett, at Albany, was damaged \$1,800 by fire. The loss is covered by insurance.

Thomas Kelley, of Racine, charged with selling liquor to a drunken man, was acquitted by the City Council.

The store of Thomas Chattle, of Glenbeulah, was closed by the sheriff. The liabilities are about \$4,000.

It is expected that the telephone line between Shullsburg and Ladinsine will be completed by January 1.

The residents of Appleton are urging the city fathers to appoint a day policeman at that place.

The death is announced of Mrs. Jennie Dodd, of Oshkosh, aged 39 years. She was

a member of numerous charitable institutions.

The Mills block at Portage was damaged \$1,000 by fire. It is thought to be the work of an incendiary. The loss is covered by insurance.

B. B. Inman, of West Superior, has made a proposition to the Common Council at that place to furnish the city with two fire-tugs at a cost of \$800 a year.

Capt. McDougall, T. B. Mills and W. F. Street, at the head of fifteen other delegates of West Superior, left for Detroit to attend the waterways convention.

A girl, commonly known as Mamie Swenson, attempted suicide at West Superior by swallowing a heavy dose of morphine. She was resuscitated.

Fred Duchine, aged 19, employed to tend the pump at the Iron Belt mine, near Ashland, was found dead at the bottom of the shaft. The cause of the accident is unknown.

Frank Clematis, of Spooner, was arrested charged with criminal assault on the 12-year-old daughter of Floyd Gay, of Bashawa. Bail was fixed at \$2,000, and was not furnished.

The case of Mrs. Frances Hall against the city of Racine is being argued before the supreme court at Madison. Mrs. Hall sued for \$5,000 damages to her property on account of some street grading.

The investigation by a council committee into the police department at West Superior has been concluded. The committee sustained the charges against Detectives Earnshaw and Evans and they will be removed.

IOWA. Stephen Rowe, of Deerfield, Chickasaw county, was killed by the bursting of a circular saw recently.

At the meeting of the Sabbath Union at Des Moines, the constitution was revised and districts rearranged. By the change, an additional field secretary will be elected.

Frank Stantz, an oiler at the T. M. Sinclair Packing House, Cedar Rapids, was caught in the belting, wound around the main shaft of one of the big engines and instantly killed.

The trial of Lester Treat for shooting Will Noble, at Nashua, last summer is completed, the jury finding Treat guilty of assault with intent to do great bodily injury. Judge Hatch will pass sentence.

The Steamer Ward Kenner, employed in towing, sunk in the ice harbor at Dubuque. She had sprung a leak. The river is coming up fast; it raised seven inches in 24 hours; water four feet one inch.

A bad wreck occurred on the Q at Dudley, a section of a freight crashing into the rear end of the first section, demolishing 17 cars and killing Engineer Wm. Welsh and Fireman Thos. McGovern, of Ottumwa.

The Iowa Land Title Guaranty and Abstract Company, of Cedar Rapids, filed articles of incorporation with the county auditor at Marion. The capital stock is \$50,000, and Geo. T. Hedge is president and C. C. Wood secretary.

Wolves are now running in Hancock county, Ill., across the river from Burlington, in gangs of seven or eight