

New Ulm Review

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A Toledo man has been sent to jail for kissing a girl. There are girls in Sleepy Eye whom to kiss would be punishment enough.

It is still an open question as to which is the worst, for a millionaire to have his son abducted or to give his daughter away to a titled, impetuous foreign snob.

In speaking of the desirability of a change in the system of voting in this state the St. Paul Dispatch says: "Give us the single cross." It was the double cross that defeated John Lind without a doubt.

Two men made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the Nebraska state treasury the other day. Foolish burglars. They would better have gone at it in the regulation way—got themselves elected to the legislature.

It has always been suspected that St. Paul was gradually drifting toward the utter and it now seems that the heights have been reached. A man was arrested at the Windsor hotel for spelling Illinois with a lower case "i."

We pray thee, O thou great and mighty who sit in the halls of congress, cut down the war tax! We're getting tired of digging the pennies out of our pockets for stamps.—Arlington Enterprise.

Pshaw, don't kick, that's just the penalty for having a bank account.

While the construction of the isthmian canal would be of great benefit to this country it is not so necessary as to require the surrender of our treaty rights. Better have no canal than to have one over which we have no control should an emergency arise.

Two enterprising St. Paul burglars who served time in the state's prison for the robbery of the First National Bank of St. Paul are suing the bank to recover \$1000 taken from the person of one of them at the time of their arrest. Some men are too particular in small matters.

Speaking of the reduction of war taxes and unfair tariff burdens, our esteemed statesmen at Washington might remove the tariff tax on paper, which the makers no longer need as a prop for their "infant industry," and thereby earn the thanks of publishers and confer a benefit on all that have to use or pay for books or paper, and do no one any injustice.—Albert Lea Standard.

A Virginia member proposes that the national house of Representatives should vote by pushing electric buttons. Unless some electric stimulus is applied to the traditions of the Senate the system could do little toward facilitating the labors of Congress.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Likewise we notice that the average congressman's vote is quite as frequently stimulated by someone else pushing the button.

When you take into consideration the fact that McKinley carried the state by about 70,000 and Van Sant by less than 3,000 it would not appear that the much abused William Henry Eustis was such a dreadfully weak candidate after all. Give the devil his due, and instead of crowing so much over Van Sant's "wonderful victory" just tell the truth and admit that his election is more or less of an accident, anyway.

Few boys there are in this country who have the distinction of having had a money value put upon them, but \$25,000 is the figure at which millionaire Cudahy of Omaha was compelled to redeem his 15 year old son from the hands of some industrious kidnapers last week. The supposition is that the boy is worth it, but the price is considerably higher than might justly be placed upon many of the sons of wealthy fathers.

Now wouldn't this jar you? About 150 students at the state university recently got into a free for all fight and smashed up the furniture. Now the university management sends them bills for \$1 each with the notification that all who do not put up within a reasonable time stand a good chance of expulsion. So university students are to be taught, in addition to the regular course of study, that they may be rowdies and toughs if they choose, so long as they pay for it. For shame! If they cannot behave themselves like gentlemen but so act as to merit expulsion there should be no option of a fine. The "strenuous" life, from the Roosevelt standpoint, has no place in educational institutions, it serves no good purpose to permit the student to indulge in it, and certainly is not what the people of the state are paying for.

The Faribault Pilot gives Jim Hill a boost for the U. S. Senate and as one of the reasons says he is opulent beyond the dreams of avarice and hence would be incorruptible and unpurchasable. Of course but isn't it just probable that he might turn in and buy the senate chamber and several of the statesmen there? We hate to think of Hill owning everything.—St. Peter Herald.

The Review is, of course, very well aware that words of commendation with reference to the candidacy of any man for appointment at the hands of Gov. Van Sant can have little weight but it, nevertheless, wishes to add its testimony to the fitness of Col. Bobleter for the adjutant generalship. From republican standpoint the Colonel is the noblest Roman of them all, and if it is desired to appoint a man who has every qualification requisite for the position he is certainly first chop. By all means give us a chance to address the Colonel by the official title of Adjutant-general and everyone, excepting the disappointed aspirants for the place, will be satisfied and the service honored by a competent and trustworthy official.

That Grover Cleveland has any right to at this time assume to be the autocrat of the democratic party is a question very much open to doubt. After leading the party twice to victory and once to defeat, he attempted to hedge and in so doing placed himself in the anomalous position of a man without a party, a democrat with strong republican tendencies, and the suggestion that the party "return to its original principles" comes with very poor grace from him at this time. If Grover Cleveland cared for the success of the democracy and was in possession of a panacea for the cure of the various ills with which he now claims the party to have been afflicted why did he sulk in his tent before election instead of leading aid and counsel when it would have been of benefit. We very much fear that Mr. Cleveland is one of those physicians who make their diagnosis of a case after the patient is dead or providentially recovered.

No thoughtful person who has read the political news of the last week will charge that we are a nation of absent-minded beggars. No sooner did President McKinley suggest that \$30,000,000 be taken from the internal revenue taxes a host of interests rose up, with the most admirable presence of mind, and pointed out how the reduction should be made. The brewers were on the ground before the message was in type. The bankers are equally alert. It is interesting to note that nobody objects to a tax which falls upon the general public. The banker can see some sense in a stamp tax on checks, drafts and negotiable instruments, which tax is paid by his customers. The brewers will patriotically acquiesce in a tax on deeds, mortgages and patent medicines. Cigar manufacturers are not especially exercised over a tax on stock transfers. If the ways and means committee and the house wish to avoid all trouble they will remit all the war levies which fall upon powerful special interests and made up the deficit by assessing \$100 per annum against each inhabitant who cannot maintain a lobby.—Chicago News.

A verdant youth dropped into a jeweler's, and after gazing at some fraternity pins in the show case, said to the proprietor: "Them's mighty nice breastpins you got thar, mister." "What kind of a pin would you like to look at?" "How much is 'his one with a pair o' compasses and a square?" pointing to a Masonic pin. "Five dollars." "Five dollars, eh? You haven't got one with any hand saws on it, have you? I'm just outter my time, and as I'm goin' to set up as carpenter and jiner, I thought I'd like to have somethin' to wear so folks would know what I was doin'." Well, I'll take it, though I'd like one with a hand saw, but I guess mebbe that's plain enough. The compass is to mark out yer work, and the square is to measure it when marked out, and any durn fool knows that G. stands for gimlet.—Newsburg (N. Y.) News.

Weather bureau records covering a period of thirty years show that an average temperature of 12 degrees above may be expected during January. Only eight clear days may be looked for, while thirteen are apt to be partly cloudy and ten altogether gloomy. The average precipitation of the month is .90 inches and snow may be expected on nine different days.

The highest temperature in any January for thirty years was 51 degrees above on Jan. 23 of the present year. The lowest temperature was 41 degrees below on Jan. 21, 1888. The prevailing winds are northwesterly.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

Croze Bros.' Specials.

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Any amount of Christmas gifts to be had at our store. From the smallest to the largest.

Last Friday was, according to the calendar, the shortest day of the year. Now look out for the fulfillment of the old saying "As the days begin to lengthen the cold begins to strengthen."

Ex-president Cleveland is writing for The Saturday Evening Post a series of strong articles which will appear in the magazine during the winter months. Some of these papers will deal with political affairs, and others with the personal problems of young men. They will be Mr. Cleveland's first utterances in any magazine on the questions of the day since he left the White House.

All month January will we have inventory sale on dry goods and clothing at 20 per cent less usual price. J. F. Neumann.

A quartette of New Ulm sportsmen, Billy Meyer, W. E. Koch, John Toberer and Charley Hornburg, went to Springfield Saturday afternoon to participate in a grand rabbit drive which had been arranged by the sportsmen of that place. Owing to the severe storm, however, the drive had to be postponed although it is strongly suspected that some of the boys succeeded in finding a few jack (pota) just the same.

The beautiful day experienced Saturday was evidently but a weather breeder for with the coming of night the wind changed to the north and before midnight a genuine old fashioned blizzard was in progress, although not so severe as has occurred in former years. The storm continued throughout the entire day Sunday and but few people ventured out. The fall of snow was perhaps a foot but the high wind which prevailed piled it up in drifts leaving so many bare spots as to make it but little good for sleighing.

If you want a good position, why don't you attend the New Ulm Business College and prepare yourself? Enter now.

At its annual meeting held Friday evening New Ulm Chapter No. 57 Royal Arch Masons elected the following officers:

- H. P.—E. Mueller.
- K.—G. B. Weiser.
- S.—J. Larson.
- Sec.—O. M. Olsen.
- Treas.—F. H. Behnke.
- C. H.—S. G. Uplyke.
- P. S.—N. Henningsen.
- R. A. C.—O. C. Strickler.
- 3rd. V.—Paul Lehmann.
- 2nd. V.—H. L. Saverien.
- 1st. V.—A. Kiestling.
- Sent.—George Marti.

Mrs. Louisa Kruscheke, who has been a resident of this city for the past 35 years, died at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Otto Meyer on Broadway, Monday morning. Deceased was 87 years of age and the cause of her death was the general debility of old age. She was born in Germany and came to this country about 1850 settling in Wisconsin among the pioneers of that state, coming to New Ulm in 1865. The funeral will be held from the German Evangelical church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. G. M. Eyrich officiating.

The Madelia Messenger very aptly says: An editor who enjoys the confidence of his readers to such an extent that the readers will drop in and discuss pending questions with him can much better represent the will of the community. A newspaper man is always glad to have his readers come in and ask questions or make suggestions, our latch string is always on the outside and we are glad to see you. The weather is a little too frigid just at present to leave the door open for you, but you will find a good warm fire and welcome inside.

Comfrey Times: As a result of the school meeting held in the bank last Friday evening, a petition asking that the incorporated village of Comfrey be set off as an independent school district, will be presented to the board of county commissioners at their January meeting, by Attorney Olson of Springfield. County Commissioner Miller is interested in behalf of Comfrey and will do all he can in securing the result asked for in the petition. This year Comfrey is without school facilities, but those having the matter in hand will see to it that, when the machinery is started, the school will be first class.

17 pounds sugar for \$1, 12c per pound coffee, 10c per gallon kerosene oil. The above prices are good, all month of January. J. F. Neumann.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis carried its last load of winter Sunday night. The south bound train leaving here Sunday night at 8:40 was uncommonly unfortunate having been laid out between Searles and Habasa by the bursting of the mail car, which accident coupled with the storm delayed arrival at Hanska until 8 o'clock Monday morning and thereby preventing the northbound train due here at 7:10 a. m. from reaching this point until late. While the damage to the mail car was considerable it was not so bad but that the car could be taken in to the shops on its own wheels. The south bound train Sunday night never has much mail and the loss to the government or its patrons was of little consequence.

The Saturday before Christmas was an interesting day in this city. It was one of the most beautiful days of the early winter and at a very early hour in the morning the farmers with their families began to arrive from the surrounding country and before noon the streets were lined with teams and the stores were thronged with busy searchers after Christmas goods. Up to this day the holiday trade had been apparently light, but with Saturday all fears of a decreased Christmas trade were allayed. A round of the stores at about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon brought to light a most gratifying state of affairs. The local express offices as well as the post office were taxed to their utmost limit to take care of the business entrusted to them for dispatch.

A few friends were very pleasantly entertained Friday evening at the studio of Miss Grace Newsalt by a private recital given by the members of her class in voice culture. The program consisted of the following numbers:

- The King's Highway..... Molly A. F. Reim.
- Lullaby..... Charles Dennell
- Miss Emma Friton.
- Awake..... F. H. Krook.
- Homes so Blest..... Franz Abt
- Miss Hilda Koch.
- Violin Solo..... Selected
- Miss Dorothea Hauenstein.
- Imogene..... Geible
- Miss Flora Peterson.
- Lady Dearest..... Mrs. C. G. Reim.
- Baritone Solo..... Bonhure
- Roy Seiter.
- Angel's Serenade..... Braga
- Mrs. A. W. Bingham, with violin
- obligato by Mr. Pfander.

"Alvin Joslin", the best of all the rural plays, will be attraction at the opera house next Sunday evening. The piece, as is well known, was the first of all the dramas of this kind, and has been the greatest success because it has most merit. It is in four acts, and seventeen scenes, is full of the most ludicrous situations and exciting climaxes. All the interest and fun is caused by "Alvin Joslin", an old farmer, as green as the hills of Vermont, from which he came to visit New York. In the metropolis he falls into the hands of bunco-steerers, badger men and others of their class, who are looking for the verdant stranger at all times and places. He of course gets into all kinds of trouble but comes out on top in the end. His wife who is possessed of anything but a sweet temper helps along the fun when she comes to New York in search of Alvin.

Articles of incorporation have been filed with the secretary of state of the Inter-State Accident and Relief Association, the incorporators of which number several of the most prominent and reliable business men of this city, Sleepy Eye and Springfield. The home office of the association will be New Ulm and the objects are, as indicated by the name, to furnish accident and relief insurance to its members upon the assessment plan. It is expected that the new organization will be fully ready for business Jan. 1. The incorporators are: Jos. Bobleter, Einar Hoidale, O. C. Strickler, New Ulm, W. R. Hodges, B. H. Larrabee, G. W. Barnes, Sleepy Eye; N. N. Wooley, Comfrey; G. W. Meade, Mankato; J. C. Rothenburg, Springfield. The first official board of the new organization is as follows:

- G. W. Barnes, president.
- W. R. Hodges, vice president.
- Jos. Bobleter, secretary.
- O. C. Strickler, treasurer and medical director.
- Einar Hoidale, counsel.
- Directors—Einar Hoidale, Jos. Bobleter, W. R. Hodges, J. C. Rothenburg and G. W. Barnes.

Washington Star: "Tain" always easy," said Uncle Eben, to tell whether a man's runnin' fch office is due to patriotism or force o' habit."

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