MINNEAPOLIS NEWS.

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MINNEAPOLIS GLOBELETS.

A court of the Order of Foresters is to be instituted in this city.

The South City Mission Industrial school for girls reports a membership of 200.

Thirty-four deeds were recorded yesterday with with the register of deeds, amounting to $75,950.

Ald. C. C. Huston has just repaired a number of the engines on the steamers at Lake Minnetonka.

The Irish National league will hold a regular meeting this evening at No. 110 South Washington avenue.

The Father Maltbee T. A. society will hold a meeting in Catholic Association hall at 5 o'clock this evening.

The Rev. D. Matewson, is the speaker for this afternoon at the gospel temperance meeting in Chestnut's hall at 3:30.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday in the office of the register of deeds of Bethleham Presbyterian church.

It has been reported that the street commissioners of the various wards will hold a secret meeting on Monday night to make a kick against the health officer.

Switch engine No. 92, of the Manitoba road, jumped the track near the east side junction smashing up things pretty generally. A wrecking train cleared the track soon after and traffic was not blocked.

T. J. Cowan will soon issue a pictorial album, a pamphlet containing the portraits of all the leading officers, together with their biographies, who will appear prominently during the coming national encampment.

It seems rather strange at this time of the year but there is a mud hole at the corner of Ninth street and Third avenue south, so deep that a child, five years old, who fell into it yesterday was nearly drowned.

The police are endeavoring to prevent fast driving as much as possible on the public thoroughfares. G. W. Grove fell a victim to the unusual enforcement of the ordinance and was arrested Friday afternoon.

Until further notice trains will leave Washington avenue for Calhoun and Harriet every fifteen minutes, commencing at 6:43 a. m. Trains for Minnetonka will leave at 9. a. m., 12:10 a.m., 5:15 p. m. and 8 p. m., returning will arrive at 8:45 a. m., 12 noon, 2:35 p. m. and 8:20 p. m.

The following couples received licenses to wed yesterday from Clerk Davenport: Auton Fosnes and Carrie Willer, Charles E. Remster and Fannie McEdwards, Frank Lundston and Mary Hawkins, C. P. Howard to Mary Olson, Benj. H. Gilbert to Sarah R. Spencer.

Phillip Etschield, employed at Libby's carriage factory, was arrested yesterday upon a telegram from Red Wing, saying he is wanted for forgery at that place, and that a reward of $400 is offered for his apprehension. Officer Kirkham is the lucky man if the arrest proves correct.

The Canadian Americans are making arrangements for a proper observance of Dominion Day in this city on the evening of June 30, as it has been found to be impossible to secure the band July 1. The programme is not complete, but the two hours of the evening will be devoted literary and musical selections followed by dancing and a supper.

An inquest was held yesterday morning at Conolly & O'Reilly's morgue over the remains of August Anderson, the Swede who was buried alive in the Hennepin avenue sewer Friday afternoon. The verdict says Anderson came to his death by his own carelessness, as he went into the tunnel at his own risk, and against the warning of those present.

A party of boys were bathing in the mill pond near the Pioneer mill Friday afternoon, when another party of kids came along and went through their clothes, stealing two watches and about $15 in money. Twelve vags were run into the cooler Saturday night and locked upon the charge of suspicion. Yesterday seven were discharged and five held in $100 bail each, to appear Tuesday morning.

The Travelers' hotel and cafe, 20 and 22 Bridge square, which was opened last week, seems to fill exactly a popular need, for it has received a large patronage at the start, which is increasing as the house becomes better known. The house is run upon the European plan, and a good restaurant is on the first floor. Everything is neat and new, in pleasant contrast to some of the rookeries which are called hotels in this overcrowded city.

The iron platform being constructed at the union depot site, at the west end of the suspension bridge, has progressed so far that travel may be turned upon the roadway while the other half of the platform is being constructed. For several days past it has been a question as to how the connection could be made between the bridge and the platform, in order not to interrupt travel. The city engineer has concluded to allow the bridge to be closed two or three nights, providing it is opened in the day time, and if found absolutely necessary the bridge will be closed one Sunday, but whether on to-day or next Sunday has not yet been decided.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

A. J. Hoskins, of Wapheton, D. T., was in the city yesterday.

Rev. Father Jas. McGolrick is confined to his house by sickness.

Geo. N. Lomis, of the Duluth *Tribune*, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. G. T. Thomas, of Fargo, is the guest of the family of W. A. Nimocks.

C. G. Carr is in Boston, Mass., and it is suggested he will not return alone.

Elmer F. Scheig is back from Columbia college for his summer vacation.

E. K. Ramsey, with the Syndicate clothing company, left for Chicago last night.

Jas. A. Brown and wife, of Fergus Falls, are spending Sunday in the city with friends.

The Misses Sprainley, of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. I. N. Baker, 912 Fourth avenue south.

S. C. Gale and family left last evening for Europe, accompanied by Miss Laura M. Payne.

Mrs. H. G. Conner leaves this evening for a visit to friends and relatives in Council Bluffs.

Geo. Murry will play a cello solo for the offertory of the Central Baptist church this evening.

Mrs. E. E. Decker, with her daughter, of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending the summer with her son, W. E. Richmond.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson celebrated their golden wedding anniversary very pleasantly Thursday, many friends being present.

Miss Helen Havey takes Miss Burt's place in St. Paul's church choir, during the latter's absence from the city for a visit to friends at Peoria, Ills.

C. E. Wheeler, quartermaster of the Flambeau club, of Kansas, arrived yesterday to arrange for the pyrotechnical display during the week of the G. A. R. encampment.

Ex-Gov. Redfield Proctor, of Vermont, who has been visiting his cousin, H. M. Parker of this city, returned home Thursday night. He is very much pleased with Minneapolis.

Carroll S. Bartram, city editor of the *Evening Journal*, left last evening for Detroit, Michigan, where he will be united in marriage to Miss Jennie A. Stockhouse. Upon returning the bride and groom will be at home at the Lyndale.

J. E. Welsh, St. Cloud; E. B. Sterling, J. F. Franciscas, F. E. Parsons, Brainerd; L. O. Thorpe and daughter, Willmar; A. N. Johnson, Benson; M. L. Quinn, Faribault, were Minnesota people registered at the Nicollet yesterday.

MINNEAPOLIS AMUSEMENTS.

The Grand.

The attendance at the Grand the past week has been by far the lightest of the season. Mattie Vicker opened on Tuesday night in "Jacquine," and closed on Wednesday night. She was followed by Tony Pastor with the best Vaudeville company which he has ever brought to this city. He claimed last evening to a fair sized audience.

OUR STRATEGISTS.

Haverly's Comedy company in "Our Strategists" will appear at the Grand the first half of this week. The company has met with pronounced success everywhere and has been playing "Our Strategists" of several years. It is a play without particular plot, but is an aggregation of probably more genuine funny things than has ever been crowded into any other play. Its peculiar originality is a refreshing feature. An exchange says:

"The comedy of 'Our Strategists,' by Dr. T. H. Sayre, of New York, is claimed to have been written just for fun. It is called a farcial comedy, because that term more clearly expresses its character, but it is vastly different from the class of plays recently introduced by that title. It is peculiar in its originality, full of unexpected situations, numerous surprises and bright ideas that leaves a lasting impression upon the auditor long after other memories have passed away. The plot is perhaps the most ingenious piece of dramatic construction ever placed before the public; beginning with a simple little domestic story of 'two souls with but a single thought,' it becomes a terrible tangle, apparently beyond readjustment. But the unravelling of the long string of documents, mistakes and mishaps is watched with humorous interest, and the hearty and incessant peals of laughter which convulse the audience are the best proofs of its unqualified success.

PASSION SLAVE.

For the first half of the week John A. Stevens is booked with his "Passion Slave." The press speaks praises wherever the play has been presented. The following is a laconic abstract of the plot:

"Mr. Stevens has chosen to place the scenes of his new play in Louisana, and the first act opens on General Briscoe's plantition, with a chorus of colored jubilee singers. General Briscoe (Mr. John Jack) has a manages, Fredinand Shepley (Mr. Henry Holland,) and a private secretary, Butterworth Golight (Mr. W. J. Ferguson.) The manager is in love with the general's daughter, Mamie (Miss Ellie Wilton,) and the action of the play rests mainly on his manœuvaring to secure her as his wife. The other characters in the opening of the play are Patti, Miss Lillia Vane,) a modle lady's maid, and Manuel Da Foe (Mr. John A. Stevens,) who is a recent acquisition to the neighborhood. Two years before the story opens, Shepley has indulged in a game of poker with Walter Briscoe (Mr. Harry Colton,) a son of the general, the latter losing heavily and forgoing his father's signiture to a check which he intends to cover before banking hours the next morniug."

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Programme of Festivities Preceding the Annual Grand Conclave.

The following details have been decided upon for the reception and entertainment of the Sir Knights of Minnesota Tuesday. The visiting commandaries are expected to arrive in the morning by 9 o'clock, and will be met at the depots and escorted to the armory where breakfast will be served. At 10:30 the parade will form on Eighth street, the right resting on Fourth avenue south.

THE LINE OF MARCH.

The following will be the line of march: First avenue south along Eighth street to Sixth avenue south; thence to Seventh street and along Seventh to Nicollet avenue; down Nicollet avenue to Third street, along Third to Hennepin avenue; down Hennepin avenue to Bridge square; up Nicollet avenue to Washington avenue, and along Washington avenue to the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway depot, where the parade will be dismissed. The Sir Knights and their ladies will take a train for the fair grounds. The parade will be under the direction of Grand Captain General A. M. Shuey, and will consist of five divisions as follows:

The first division will form on First avenue south, right resting on Eighth street. C. McReeve, assistant marshal.

Danz's Minneapolis Light Infantry Band.
Zion Commandry No. 2.
Great Western Band.
Darius Commandry No. 7.
First Regiment Band.
Damascus Commandry No. 1.

The second division will form on Second avenue south, right resting on Eighth street. C. H. Benton, assistant marshal.

Cœur de Leon Commandry No. 3.
Germania Cornet Band.
Mankato Commandry No. 4.
Rochester Cornet Band.
Home Commandry No. 5.
Lake City Commandry No. 6.

The third division will form on Third avenue south, right resting on Eight street. F. C. Pillsbury, assistant marshal.

Faribault Band.
Faribault Commandry No. 8.
Owatonna Band.
Cyrene Commandry No. 9.
Red Wing Commandry No. 10.

The fourth division will form on Fourth avenue south, right resting on Eighth street. John T. West, assistant marshal.

Stillwater Band.
Bayard Commandry No. 11.
Austin Band.
St. Bayard Commandry No. 13.
Brainerd City Band.
Ascalon Commandry U. D.

The fifth division will form on Fifth avenue south, right resting on Eighth street. Fred L. Smith, assistant marshal.

Elgin Military Band.
Chicago Commandry No. 19
Escort.
Reception Committee, and
Grand Commandry.

All sojourning Sir Knights are invited without further notice to be present. Those having full regalia are requested to participate in the parade and are cordially invited to turn out with Zion or Darius commandery, whichever they may choose. The ladies are all requested to come to the armory at 9 a. m., to assist in the entertainment of visiting ladies. Badges will be given them which will admit them to the banquet and evening party. The exhibition drill will be a feature of the day and will probably be participated in by five or six commanderies. It will occur at 1 o'clock p. m. on the track in front of the grand stand at the fair grounds. A sufficient number of seats in the grand stand will be reserved for visiting Sir Knights, and the public is invited to occupy all remaining seats or to come in carriages. No entrance fee will be charged.

At 3 o'clock the Sir Knights and their ladies will participate in the banquet, all being seated in the main building; this will be followed by music and toasts. At 5 o'clock the commanderies will all appear on the grounds for dress parade to which the public are invited. At the conclusion of dress parade the commanderies will return by train to the city and at 8 o'clock will assemble at the armory and rink, where the promenade concert and ball will close the festivities of the day.

Most of the commanderies will remain for the evening's entertainment, taking special trains home about midnight, hence the committee have decided that it will be impossible to entertain others than the Sir Knights and ladies, and none others will be admitted.

The following named Sir Knights have been appointed as Reception Committee, and they are requested to meet at 5 o'clock this evening at the store of J. R. Everard, No. 238 Nicollet avenue. E. Sir John A. Schlener, Commander Zion No. 2; E. Sir W. E. Johnson, Commander Darius No. 7; E. Sir John I. Black, E. Sir D. M. Goodwin, Sir George A. Bracket, Sir R. B. Langdon, Sir E. M. Wilson, Sir O. M. Laraway, Sir E. B. Ames, Sir J. H. Thompson, Sir W. H. Norris, Sir M. B. Koon, Sir Thomas S. King, R. E. Sir William Lochren, E. Sir H. M. Kent, Sir O. T. Swett Sir R. W. Cummings, Sir W. H. Nudd, Sir J. A Lovejoy, Sir A. E. Higbee, Sir Woodbury Fisk, Sir M. P. Hayes, Sir F. C. Barrows, Sir C. A. Coe.

Installation of a Pastor.

At the Grand Opera at 3 p. m. to-day, Rev. W. T. Chase will be installed as pastor of the First Baptist church. The following is the order of exercises:

1. Invocation, Rev. Dr. Cooly, Chicago.
2. Anthem by choir.
3. Reading Scripture by Rev. W. W. Pratt, of Calvary church.
4. Prayer by Rev. D. D. McLawrin.
5. Response by choir of Immanuel church.
6. Hymn read by Rev. Frank Peterson, First Swedish church.
7. Sermon by Rev. Galusha Anderson, D.D., president of the University of Chicago.
8. Prayer of installation, Rev. J. R. Manton, Richfield church.
9. Anthem by choir.
10. Address to pastor, Rev. H. C. Woods, D. D., St. Paul.
11. Hand of fellowship, Rev. T. G. Field, Fourth church.
12. Address to church, Rev. R. R. Riddell, D. D., St. Paul.
13. Hymn read by Rev. H. L. House, Central church.
14. Benediction by the pastor.

The Park Commission.

At a meeting of the park commission yesterday a communication of the Sisters of Mercy was read declining the offer of the board for their property in the Sixth ward.

The financial statement of the secretary was read showing the resources to be $375,491.50, the liabilities $48,887.22,

Bonds to the amount of $65,000 were ordered negotiated at par and accured interest, and an order made for the payment of the interest upon the bonds until July 1.

The report of Messrs. Haywood, Kust and Robinson, appraisers upon the boulevards around the lakes, was read. The report gives an award of $319,574 around lakes Calhoun and Harriet, an increase of $121,220 over the appraisal of four months ago. Dissatisfaction with the report was expressed because of the unwarranted increase of the awards, and Commissioners Barrett, Sutherland and Nimocks were appointed a committee to confer with the attorney in regard to the matter, with power to act.

A petition was read and referred from the property owners of Lyndale avenue north of the railroad, asking that Lyndale avenue be made twenty-two feet wider than at present, one-half of the ground to be donated by property owners.

Ninth street between Ninth and Tenth avenues south was ordered vacated and thrown into Elliott park.

Death of Charles W. Christmas.

The Chicago *Tribune* of Thursday contains the following;

"Charles W. Christmas died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. S. H. Howe, No. 29 Park avenue, Tuesday, at the age of 88 years. Mr. Christmas suffered from no particular complaint, but he had been failing for nearly a year.

"He was born in Brownsville, Pa., and removed when quite young to Wooster, O. This place he made his home, following the profession of civil engineer. When over 50 years of age he removed to the west, arriving at the present site of Minneapolis, Minn, July 4, 1849. He was amongst the first to take a claim when that part of the country which had been a reservation was opened to settlement. He laid out the town site of Minneapolis, and for many years was county surveyor of Hennepin county, the richest in that state. He took large contracts for government surveys in Minnesota and Michigan. Minneapolis remained his home until about a year ago, when he came to this city. Five of his children survive him. The funeral services will be held at No. 29 Park avenue at 10 o'clock this morning, and the remains will be taken to Minneapolis for interment.

DUSTY MILLERS.

They Go a Picnicing—One of the Happiest Occasions Possible.

The jolly millers gave their fourth annual picnic yesterday at Lake Minnetonka. Fully 2,500 people participated in the festivities, going out on three trains, over the Manitoba road, starting at about 8 o'clock. The first train was composed of seventeen cars, the two others of nine coaches each, and they were all filled. Besides these a large number went out on the 2 p. m. train, joining the party at Lafayette.

The day was clear and hot, and it is a wonder that not more than

ONE CASE OF SUNSTROKE

did not occur. The millers formed at the office of the *Northwestern Miller* at 7:30 and marched to the Manitoba depot, headed by Danz's band, and carrying a huge banner.

AT THE LAKE.

Arriving at the lake Chas. McC. Reeve delivered an oration from the balcony of the Hotel Lafayette. He reviewed the millers' interest from 1865 down to the present day, and complimented the head millers of the city of Minneapolis on the very important part they had played in our development. The head millers' association, he said, was not an organization for the agitation of labor and wages question, but confine their efforts and deliberations to the advancement of the science of milling and benevolent deeds. He alluded to the present efforts of the associations in raising funds for the erection of a monument to the victims of the terrible mill explosion a few years ago.

THE SPORTS.

Then the sporting programme was opened by a base ball match between picked nines from the Pillsbury A mill and the Washburn mill. It was fairly well played, the Pillsbury boys winning in a score of 17 to 7. This was followed by the dinner, a symptuous spread at the hotel, and picnic spreads in the parvillion and among the trees. The Belle of Minnetoka, and City of St. Louis carried the excursionists through the lower lake.

The next order was the head millers' sack race, distance 75 feet. The starters were: Jas. McDaniels, Chas. G. Hoyt, M. Walsh, Thos. Scott, Jas. Lam, John Dodge, Fred Zimmerman, Fred Stevens, C. M. Wright, Thos. A. Baker, Thos. Clark, Anoka; Stohler, John Darwin, H. Bidwell, John Kroft, W. M. Helfrich.

It was a most ludicrous sight. Many of the contestants tumbled down and rolled down the grassy lawn, exciting peals of laughter from the crowd. Matt Walsh won the race, Jas. Lamm second, and John Dodge third.

A free for all sock race, 175 feet, for prizes divided—$5 to first, $3 to second and $2 to third,—was quite as funny. It was won by John Allen in 18¼ seconds, John Zimmerman being second and LeRoy Johns coming in third.

In the 100 yard foot race by the Packers for the *Northwestern Miller* prizes,—$7 to first, $5 to second and $3 to third. The starters were C. O. Suder, P. M. Cordozo, M. O'Meora, Patsy McMontora, Frank Cugler, Thos. Scott, C. Thazer, John Zimmerman and Angus Chism. Chism won first, O'Meora second, and P. M. Cardoza, third. Time 12½ seconds.

The tub race afforded an immeasurable amount of fun. It was for a purse of $18, divided, and the distance was fifty feet around flags and return. The starters were, Charles Dugan, of the Anchor mill; E. Mitchell, Galaxy mill; S. F. Madden, Standard mill; F. Morrill, Pallisade mill; W. Buckham, Northwestern mill; Wallace Mitchell, Galaxy; Owen Agnew, Humboldt; William Holliday, Zenith; L. Madison, Pettit, Charles Averington, Washburn A; Joe Hall, Washburn B; John Dahl, Washburn C.

The first attempt was a failure, the boys not fully understanding the rules only went to the line and returned without rounding the flag. A new start was made and the people shouted and crowded down upon the wharf. Some of the tubs were capsized, and in the last race several were swamped by the big waves which came rolling in. During the first trial the lake was quite calm. Hardenburgh came in first, Dahl being second and Merrill third.

While the race was in progress the wharf boards gave way and a half dozen or more of spectators were plunged into the lake and given an involuntary bath, but they easily made the shore. The major portion of the excursionists returned to the city shortly after 6 o'clock, but a large number remained until later in the evening. It was unquestionably the largest picnic excursion ever given, and one of the pleasantest. Danz' orchestra furnished music for dancers who made merry at the pavillion.

Ned Bolan, one of the party, became overcome with the intense heat, and was fanned by friends, lying prostrate and insensible on the bank of the lake. Dr. Ames restored him to consciousness, and thinks he will finally recover from the effects of the sunstroke.

THE COURTS.

District Court.

SPECIAL TERM CALENDAR.

17,554. In ra assignment of J. A. Gilbert & Sons to J. C. Higgins; account allowed and funds ordered distributed.

17,702. In re receivership of Amelia Hertogs; same as above.

14,646. F. B. Lincoln vs. Gillis & Nicholson, defendant, and Matt Clark, garnishee; stricken from calendar.

15,963. North Star Boot and Shoe Co. vs. J. M. Ladd, defendant, and S. B. Lovejoy, garnishee; motion for new trial denied.

Crim 1,124. State vs. James Edwards; motion for new trial denied.

17,331. David Griffin et al. vs. Geo. W. Famer & Co.; motion for new trial submitted.

17,987. S. D. Todd et al. vs. John Wheeler et al.; judgment for plaintiff.

17,592. Johnson & Hurd vs. Libbie J. Gold et al.; continued till July 19.

17,804. W. W. Cargill & Bro. et al. vs. The Millers and Manufacturers' Mutual Insurance Co.; motion foi new trial denied, and plaintiff given twenty-five days to perfect appearance and proceedings.

17,595. Huch McMahon vs. Mason B. Austin et al.; motion for new trial denied.

18,752. Cassiday & Findlay vs. D. H. Coates; temporary injunction granted till July 5.

17,825. Bulle Redner vs. City of Minneapolis et al.; motion for new trial argued and submitted.

18,523. Kund Aslesen vs. Claugh Bros., garnishees, E. A. Leonard; motion for discharge of garnishee demanded.

18,763. Alice M. Bakeman vs. Charles H. Bakeman; divorce granted.

18,765. Elmer Hullosio vs. Dansilla Moses; judgment for plaintiff.

107. In re assignment of Louis Blaustein, insolvent; order discharging assignee.

18,336. Jensen, Gilbranson & Co. vs. L. P. Crevier et al., order to show cause; discharged.

18,602. Monitor Plow Works vs. E. K. Sytte, defendant, and Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company, garnishee; disclosure taken.

17,899. S. M. Bell vs. P. Clark, defendant in default.

16,671. Francis Martin vs. E. A. Upham; order made appointing C. J. Bartleson receiver.

17,950. Superior Lumber company vs. R. W. Jordan; continued two weeks.

Cases 17,663, 17,800, 17,763, 18,544, 18,275, 18,255, 16,032, 17,735, continued each one week.

NEW CASES AND PAPERS.

18,770. H. Brewer vs. H. N. Lauer; transcript for $1,162.39 filed.

18,771. Bayley Bros. vs. W. E. Chamberlain; transcript for $60.25 filed.

18,772. Julia C. Vaazie vs. Julia McDarting; complaint for $656 and interest on note.

JUDGMENT DOCKET.

18,383. A. M. Scott vs. S. A. Reed, et al.; judgment for defendant.

COURT CASES.

(Before Young and Koon, JJ.)

In re distribution of estate of H. M. Cragin, deceased; triep.

17,825. Belle Redner vs. City of Minneapolis; new trial ordered.

Municipal Court.

[Before Judge Bailey.]

Fred Widdell, drunk; committed five days.
J. F. Davis, drunk; sentence suspended.
Jas. Riley, drunk; sentence suspended.
Dan Hurley, drunk; committed five days.
John Lewis, vagrancy; sentence suspended.
John Connors, vagrancy; sentence suspended.
A. Anderson, drunk; committed ten days.
Thos. King, larceny; hearing June 24.
Frank Wilson, larceny; hearing June 24.
Frank Boil, larceny; hearing June 24.
John Henery, larceny: hearing June 24.
Martin Black, larceny; hearing June 24.
John Doty, vagrancy, sentence suspended.
Denny Tomilson, disorderly conduct; $5 and costs paid.

The Comique.

The patrons of this pretty vaudeville theater the past week have been highly pleased by an unusually good company. The management is particular to book people of merit only. The new specialty artists for the comihg week will be Ed. Kelly, comedian, vocalist and dancer; Miss Ida Bertha, a ballet dancer and sketch artist; Roger Dolan and Dennis McCarthy, Irish comedians; Miss Belle Dolan, in rough Irish songs; Miss Ada Mortimer, serio-comic vocalist.

Eleven clergymen sailed from New York to Europe last Sunday in one steamer.

BLAINE AND HIS FRIENDS.

Blaine Formally Notified of His Nomination For The Presidency.

Address of The Convention Committee Delivered By Gen. Henderson, of Wisconsin.

The Party Position Defined. Its Pledges Recalled and All Declared Fulfilled.

Mr. Blaine Makes a Short Response, Expressing Thanks and Promising a Letter of Acceptance.

AUGUSTA, Me., June 21.—Early this morning the streets began to assume a lively appearance, and long before the time appointed by the national convention to notify James G. Blaine of his nomination to the presidential candidacy of the Republican party to perform that duty, a considerable crowd was gathered around the Augusta house to gaze with curiosity upon the members of the committee. A circus being also in town brought out large numbers of people who with the allied attractions of the national committee and the sawdust ring seemed disposed to make the day a general holiday.

Promptly at 11 o'clock the committee proceeded in a body to Mr. Blaine's residence, and were received by Mrs. Blaine. As the day is oppressively hot and the rooms of the mansion crowded almost to suffocation, it was suggested that the presentation be made upon the lawn. Accordingly the committee proceeded to a well shaded portion of the grounds where a semicircle was formed, and all present stood with uncovered heads, making it.

The rustling of the spreading branches of the great elms and the buzzing of insects were the only sounds to disturb the stillness. When all was in readiness Mr. Blaine was escorted to the lawn where he stood within the arc of the semi circle. Gen. Henderson then stepped forward and presented the address of the committee, reading from manuscript. He spoke as follows:

THE COMMITTEE'S ADDRESS.

"Mr. Blaine, your nomination for the office of president of the United States, by the national Republican convention, recently assembled at Chicago, is already known to you. The gentlemen before you constituting the committee composed of one member from each state and territory in the country, and one from the District of Columbia, has now come as the accredited organ of that convention to give you formal notice of the nomination and to request your acceptance thereof. It is of course known to you that besides your own several other names among the most honored in the councils of the Republican party were presented by their friends as candidates for this nomination. Between your friends and the friends of the gentleman so justly entitled to respect and confidence of their political associates the contest was one of generous rivalry, free feom any taint of bitterness, and equally free from reproach or injustice. At an early stage of the proceedings of the convention it became manifest that Republican states, whose aid must be invoked at last to insure success to the ticket, earnestly desired your nomination. It was equally manifest that the desire so earnestly expressed by the delegates from those states was but the truthful reflection of an irresistible popular demand. It was not thought nor pretended that this demand had its origin in any ambitious desires of your own or in the organized work of your friends, but it was recognized to be what it truthfully is—the spontaneous expression by a free people of the love and admiration for their chosen leader. No nomination would have given satisfaction to every member of the party. This is not to be expected in a country so extended in area and so varied in interests. The nomination of Lincoln in 1860 disappointed so many hopes and overthrew so many cherished ambitions that for a short time disaffection threatened to ripen into open revolt. In 1872 the discontent was so pronounced as to impel large masses of the party to organize in opposition to its nominees. For many weeks after the nomination of Garfield in 1880 defeat seemed inevitable. In each case the shock of disappointment was followed by sober second thought, and individual preference gradually yielded to the conviction of public duty. The promptings of patriotism rose superior to the irritations and animosities of the hour. The party in every trial has grown stronger in the face of danger. It gives us pleasure to remember those great measures which furnished causes for party congratulation by the late convention at Chicago, and which are now crystalized into the legislation of the country. Measures which have strengthened and dignified the nation, and while they have elevated and advanced the people, have at all times and on all proper occasions received your earnest and valuable support. It was your good fortune to aid in protecting the nation against the assaults of armed treason; you were present and helped to unloose the shackles of the slaves. You assisted in placing a new guarantee of freedom in federal institutions. Your coice was potent in preserving the national faith when false theories of finance would have blasted national and individual prosperity. We kindly remember you as the fast friend of honest money, commercial integrity in all that pertains to the security and repose of capital and the dignity of labor, the elevation of manhood, freedom of the people, the right of the oppressed to demand and the duty of the government to afford the protection. Your public acts have received the unqualified endorsement of popular approval but we are not unmindful of the fact that parties, like individuals, cannot live entirely on past, however splendid the record. The present is ever charged with immediate cares and the future presses in with its new duties and its perplexing responsibilities. Parties, like individuals, however, that are free from stain of violated faith in the past are fairly entitled to the presumption of sincerity in their promises for the future. Among the promises made by the party in its last convention at Chicago, are economy and an honest administration, protection of the citizens, native and naturalized, at home and abroad, prompt restoration of the navy, wise reduction of surplus revenues, relieving the tax payer without injuring the laborers, the preservation of public lands for actual settlers. Import duties, when necessary at all, ought to be levied not for revenue only, but for the double purpose of revenue and for protection and regulation of intercommerce, the settlement of internal differences by peaceful arbitration, and coupled with the reassertion and maintainance of the Monroe doctrine, as interpreted by the fathers of the republic. Perseverance in the good work of civil service reform, to the end that the dangers to free institutions, which lurk in the power of official patronage, be wisely and effectively avoided. Honest currency, based on a coin of intrinsic value, adding strength to the public credit and giving renewed vitality to every branch of American industry. Mr. Blaine, during the last twenty-threeyears the republican party has builded a new republic, a republic far more splendid than originally designed by our fathers, as its proportions are already grand, they may yet be enlarged, its foundations may yet be strengthened, and its columns adorned with beauty more resplendent still. You as its architect in chief, will soon be assigned this grateful work.

Mr. Blaine listened to Gen. Henderson's address standing under an elm tree with his arms folded on his chest and his eyes usually cast down, but at times wandering about scanning the faces of the audience. When Mr. Henderson had concluded speaking, Walker, the candidate's son, stepped forward and handed his father the manuscript of an address in reply to that of the committee. Mr, Blaine then read as follows:

BLAINE'S REPLY.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the National Committee—I receive not without deep sensibility your offiaial notice of the action of the national convention already brought to my knowledge through the public press. I appreciate more profoundly than I can express, the honor which is implied in the nomination for the presidency by the Republican party of the nation. Speaking through the authoritive of the duly accredited delegates, to be selected as a candidate by such an assemblage from a list of eminent statesmen whose names were presented, fills me with embarrassment, and I can only express my gratitude for so signal an honor and my desire to prove worthy of the great trust reposed in me. In accepting the nomination as I now do, I am impressed—I am also oppressed—with a a sense of the labor and responsibility which attaches to my position. The burden is lightened, however, by the host of earnest men who support my candidacy, many of whom add, as does your honorable committee, the cheer of personal friendship to the pledge of political fealty. A more formal acceptance will naturally be expected and will in due season be communicated. It may not, however, be inappropriate to this time to say that I have already made a careful study of the principles announced by the national convention, and that in the whole and in detail they have my heartiest sympathy, and meet my heartiest approval. Apart from your official errand, gentlemen, I am extremely happy to welcome you all to my house. With many of you I have already shared the duties of public service, and have enjoyed a most cordial friendship. I trust your journey from all parts of the great republic has been agreeable and that during your stay in Maine you will feel that you are not among strangers, but among friends. Invoking the blessings of God upon the great cause which we jointly represent, let us turn to the future without fear and with manly heart.

At the conclusion of Mr. Blaine's reply to the members of the committee they were introduced to him individually, and an hour was spent in social and informal converse. The members of the committee then repaired to the residence of Col. Osgood where they were entertained at lunch. At 1 o'clock they left for Portland where they have a reception this evening.

Democratic Congressional Convention of Fourth District.

A Democratic convention of the Fourth congressional district of the state of Minnesota, is hereby called to meet in the city of St. Paul on Thursday, the 17th day of July, 1884, at 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate who shall be elected a member of congress from and for said district at the next ensuing general election.

The basis of representation fixed for such convention is one delegate for each county of the district, and one delegate for each two hundred and fifty voters or major fraction thereof, cast at the last general election for the Democratic candidate for governor. The several counties of the district will on this basis be entitled to representation as follows:

Anoka	3	Pine	2
Chisago	2	Ramsey	16
Hennepin	19	Sherburne	2
Isanti	1	Washington	7
Kenabec	1	Wright	8
Total delegation			61

EUGENE M. WILSON,
Chairman of Congressional Committee of Fourth District.

Cleveland and Victory.

To the Editor of the Globe:

With Cleveland, and with an equally good man for second place the Democracy will sweep the country. An aggressive ticket is what we want. Cleveland asserts this. He is a pure man and political methods are in keeping with his personal character. His nomination will give moral tone to the ticket and command its support to the best elements of the country. His name is the synonym of reform, and his election would insure it in every department of national administration. What a rallying campaign could we have under such a leader! Party enthusiasm would be merged into fervid patriotism. The young men of the country would be swift to come to the support of this brave young standard bearer. The name of the popular and progressive New York governor would inspire courage and command victory. In contrast with his unblemished career how the political trickery and party subserviency of Blaine and Logan would stand out in bold relief against the background of history! The people want just such a man as Cleveland for whom to vote; nominate him and they will elect him. C.

Joe Cook Rampled Again.

[Lansing Telegram.]

On Tuesday morning, as one of Porter & Godrich's hacks was on its way to the L. S. & M. S. depot, a travelling man with a heavy "grip" hailed the driver and told him he would ride. He had a freshly lighted cigar in his mouth, and as he went toward the hack, its occupant notified him that a smoker could not ride with him. Politely tossing the cigar aside, he approached the hack, but the occupant again informed him that he had hired that hack. The man of the "grip" without reply, told the driver to go ahead.

Arrived at the depot the aristocratic passenger tendered half a dollar as his fare but the driver told him it was in this case, a dollar; that he could ride anywhere in the city for twenty-five cents, but if he hired the hack all for himself, the fare was a dollar. The vituperation and loud abuse that flowed from that man's tongue is almost beyond belief. Liar, thief, &c., with the usual stock expressions of a blackguard, flew thick and fast. The station agent hearing the altercation, and knowing his duty as an officer of the law put in his appearance and demanded to know the cause thereof. The autocrat of Billingsgate vented his vials of wrath and ugly spleen on him in terms not fit for publication, but was finally obliged to listen to our "Mack" long enough to be convinced that he must both keep still and pay the dollar demanded. With many threats that he would report Mack as in league with liars and thieves, he departed. This was the Rev. Joseph Cook of Boston.

No Blindness About Nettie's Love.

[Oswego Times.]

Miss Nettie Brott of Oswego Falls read an advertisement in a newspaper soliciting correspondence with some lady with a view to marriage. After correspondence and the exchange of photographs, the gentleman sent for the lady to visit him in his home in Montana. She left here about the 1st of May for the far West. He met her for the first time about 200 miles this side of his home at the town of Billings, in Montana. She would not then marry him until she had visited his home, and learned more of him and his character. She found in his home his mother and two nieces, who cordially received her. Suffice it to say that this daring orphan girl two weeks later fully determined to remain and grow up with the country. The aggreement was that if she did not like him or he her enough to marry, he was to pay her expenses back to this place. She paid her fare out to him. The young lady was a member of the Baptist Church, and bore a good reputation. The following is taken from a Montana paper, and tells the sequel to the story:

"Married May 13, 1884, in Stillwater, Mr. Alexander Hundley of Stillwater, Montana, and Miss Nettie Brott of Oswego Falls, N. Y.

A Saddened Sinner in the Sanctuary

[Houston (Tex) Post]

The Willis *Index* man sometimes goes to church, though not without getting into some little trouble, as the following shows: "We admire painted churches and varnished pews but when in warm weather we attend upon the sanctuary we very much dislike for anything to detract from our devotional frame of mind. When we rise to participate in the vocal refrain and become painfully aware that the entire pew is gradually but surely following us up as we assume an upright position, the emotions engendered in our devout mind are far from peaceful and serene and our hasty calculations as to how much noise the pew will make when it drops back into its proper place somewhat interfere with our amen-corner feelings of devotion."

Vital Questions!!!!

Ask the most eminent physician

Of any school, what is the best thing in the world for quieting and allaying all irritation of the nerves, and curing all forms of nervous complaints, giving natural, childlike, refreshing sleep always?

And they will tell you unhesitatingly,

"*Some form of hops!!*"

CHAPTER I.

Ask any or all of the most eminent physicians:

"What is the best and only remedy that can be relied on to cure all diseases of the kineys and urinary organs; such as Bright's disease, diabetes, retention, or inability to retain urine, and all the diseases and ailments peculiar to Women"—

"And they will tell you explicitly and emphatically:

"*Buchu!!!*"

Ask the same physicians:

"What is the most reliable and surest cure for all liver diseases or dyspepsia; constipation, indigestion, biliousness, malaria, fever, ague, etc?"

And they will tell you:

"*Mandrake! or Dandelion!!!*"

Hence, when these remedies are combined with others equally valuable,

And compounded into Hop Bitters, such a wonderful and mysterious curative power s developed, which is so varied in its operations that no disease or ill health can possibly exist or resist its power, and yet it is

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"Almost dead or nearly dying"

For years, and given up by physicians, of Bright's and other kidney diseases, liver complaints, severe coughs, called consumption, have been cured.

Women gone nearly Crazy!!!!!

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People drawn out of shape from excruciating pangs of rheumatism, inflammatory and chronic, or suffering from scrofula.

Erysipelas!

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Nature is heir to.

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