

THE CITY.

CITY GLOBULES.

The steam pipes are now being overhauled at the state capitol.

The county board of abatement meet at four o'clock this afternoon.

Volume 57 of American Decisions was received at the state library yesterday.

Jacob Auer was found to be insane at an examination at the probate court yesterday and was immediately sent to St. Peter.

Acker G. A. R. post will hold a meeting at their hall to-morrow evening, at which time the soldiers' monument committee are expected to report.

State Insurance Commissioner A. R. McGill left the city for Chicago yesterday to attend a convention of the state insurance commissioners of the United States.

The governor of Wyoming territory is making arrangements to ship fifty car loads of cattle to the New Orleans exposition, was the announcement of St. Paul parties yesterday who are in correspondence with him.

A farmer named Joel Griggs, residing on the Hastings road about five miles from St. Paul, reported at police headquarters yesterday that tramps had broken into his house last Monday and stolen a suit of clothing and five dollars in money.

Prof. D. L. Kiehle met Prof. W. F. Phelps, of Winona, yesterday afternoon at the state house to complete the details and plans for the Minnesota educational exhibit at New Orleans. Prof. Kiehle will issue his third exhibit circular in a few days.

Victor Richards, the accomplished and skillful sailor of boats at the Lep house, White Bear, found the other day on Manitowish island, in that lake, a beautiful spear head made of agate, imbedded in a decayed tree-trunk, and of a very rare, and this is an unusually fine one. Mr. Richards has presented it to the state historical society, to be placed in their cabinet.

The board of public works are engaged in perfecting the Park avenue change of grade system which includes St. Peter street, Park, Aurora, Brewster and University avenues. The improvement will necessitate an expenditure of \$75,000 to be raised by assessment on property owners and streets benefited, the whole length of Wabashaw street, being included in the latter list.

The rapid improvements in the many ills to which the human race is heir, says the Daily World, Nashville, Tennessee, can be attributed to but one source, and that is St. Jacobs Oil, the world renowned pain-cure.

PERSONALS.

J. F. Ryan, Duluth, is at the Windsor.

Hon. C. E. Rice, Willmar, is at the Merchants.

H. L. Scott, U. S. army, is at the Merchants.

O. W. Streeter, Caledonia, Minn., is at the Merchants.

W. F. Steele, of Steele, Dakota, is at the Merchants.

E. L. Hall, of Detroit, Michigan, is at the Clarendon.

Mrs. Emma C. Kellogg, Chicago, is at the Metropolitan.

J. W. Smith and wife, Grand Forks, are at the Merchants.

D. W. Maxwell, of Hudson, is in the city yesterday.

F. H. Fellows and wife, of Fargo, are at the Merchants.

Major H. B. Strait, of Shakopee, was in the city yesterday.

M. S. Chandler, of Red Wing, is registered at the Clarendon.

Miss E. L. DeMunn, of New York, is quartered at the Clarendon.

Hon. T. G. Mealy, of Monticello, was at the Merchants yesterday.

A. W. Middleton and wife, of Fargo, are visiting friends in the city.

C. W. Potter, insurance adjuster, of Milwaukee, is at the Metropolitan.

Mrs. H. W. Lord and Mrs. Hulbert, of Devils Lake, are at the Metropolitan.

Jas. L. Norton, Winona, and E. W. Durant, Stillwater, were in the city yesterday.

Dr. Sallas, of Dublin, and E. W. Sallas, London, were at the Merchants yesterday.

Mrs. George W. Robinson and Mrs. F. D. Sullivan, of Eau Claire, are visiting friends in the city.

S. B. Pinney, Fargo; W. G. Peck, Duluth; and J. A. Johnson and daughter, Fargo, are at the Merchants.

L. H. Baker, of Rochester, Minn.; T. K. Long, Mandan; E. S. Hill, St. Cloud, were at the Merchants yesterday.

We hardly believe the report that the man who attempted to shoot Sitting Bull was Dr. Frank Powell (White Beaver).

White Beaver.

When White Beaver (Dr. D. F. Powell) first came to La Crosse he had two little rooms, neatly but inexpensively furnished, and for a week or two was undecided whether to remain or not. A series of daring, brilliant and successful surgical operations soon brought him to the front, and to-day it is worth a trip to La Crosse to visit the doctor's elegantly furnished rooms, parlors, laboratory, etc., and to see the patients come swarming into his rooms during office hours.

The whole secret of Dr. Frank Powell's success lies right here: He is kind, courteous and polite to all; the poorest receive the same attention at his hands as the most wealthy, and finally, he knows just what he can do and he does it. A patient visiting his office will not be experimented with, but the doctor will inform him in a few words whether he can cure the disease or not, and if he says he can he does it.

While here, White Beaver has straightened scores of cross eyes, and has performed such difficult operations in surgery as would be a credit to the largest city in the world.—La Crosse News.

State Coal Contracts Let.

The award of the state fuel contracts were made at Auditor Braden's office yesterday afternoon.

Smith & Lewis are to furnish hard coal for the state capitol building at \$8.50 per ton.

Griggs & Foster have the state reform school contract at Willow Bank \$7, Ohio contract \$6.50, Wheeling creek \$6.40, Illinois \$5, Iowa \$4.25, anthracite grade \$9.

The Northwestern Fuel company deliver Iowa lamp at Fairbault at \$4.05, and A. J. Norvell anthracite grade at \$9, and anthracite \$9.25.

C. W. Van Densen & Co. fill the contract at Rochester with Brazil Indiana black at \$5.40, Willow Bank \$7, Iowa \$4.65 and anthracite stove at \$9.30.

The St. Paul & Pacific company fill the contract at St. Peter with Willow Bank at \$6.50, anthracite egg and grate \$5.50, and nut and stove \$8.75.

Meeting of the Water Board.

A meeting of the board of water commissioners was held yesterday. President Hoyt in the chair. Bills were examined and allowed amounting to \$601.18.

The bond of H. G. Foster, to whom the contract was let for supplying the board with coal, was opened.

On motion Mr. A. G. Kinslow was granted a license to do plumbing in connection with the city water mains.

A petition from J. D. Ludden, asking for a meter made on Stillwater street, was placed on file.

The master of plastering a part portion of the city was referred to the president, and engineer with power to act. After the transaction of minor business the board adjourned.

Incorporation.

Attempted articles of incorporation of the Bankers' Association of Minnesota were filed with the secretary of state yesterday by John B. Sauborn, vice president and chief executive officer, and Russell R. Carr, secretary. The principal changes made is the change of name to the Bankers' Life Association of Minnesota, in regard to time to be granted members in making deferred pay-

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Hundreds of baking powders have been placed upon the market with great flourish of trumpets, and have strutted their brief hour in imaginary contention with Royal for the patronage of the public, but their impurities and imperfections were soon exposed by the chemist's skill and they speedily passed away, the victims of their own mephitic gases, or are awaiting the fate that sooner or later overtakes the fraud and the charlatan.

But thousands of analyses, many of them by the most celebrated chemists of the world, the most searching scrutiny by the scientific bodies in this country and Europe, the exhaustive tests before the juries of competitive and industrial exhibitions, and all the minute and prejudiced investigations by rivals and their chemists in the endeavor to find something upon which to base the shadow of a fault, have had but one result, to more fully determine and establish the fact that the Royal Baking Powder and all its ingredients are absolutely pure and wholesome. All reputable chemists, and all but the most ignorant makers of the low test, short weight, lime, alum, and other impure powders, long since ceased to examine the Royal Baking Powder to find anything impure or unwholesome in it.

While the Royal is proud of these unimpeachable indorsements, and highly gratified at the perfect result which it has, by the aid of the most competent chemists, the adoption of every available invention, and the expenditure of great sums of money, been able to accomplish, its greatest pleasure arises from the fact that its labors have been parallel with those great interests of the public sought in the protection of the lives and health of the people.

The gravity of the danger to the consumer from the many impure and unwholesome baking powders of the market is but faintly appreciated. The small amount of injurious substance imparted to the system at one time in the use of such powders is unnoticeable. They are therefore continued by the consumer in ignorance of the serious results sure to follow from the accumulated effects. This slow, insidious poisoning, because unapparent, is more dangerous than a larger dose at once. All the baking powders upon the market, except Royal, have been found to contain lime, alum, terra alba, or other ingredients that injuriously affect the health of the consumer.

The great advantage to the public of a baking powder like the Royal, whose purity and wholesomeness have never been questioned, and whose practical worth has stood the test of cooking for so many years, will be apparent to every consumer.

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HOUSES

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We have a nice large house and barn on Marshall avenue, "cheap."

We will build you a house FROM YOUR OWN PLAN, near the New Summit Park, within ten minutes walk of business.

We have lots for sale in Lockwood's addition for \$250, on \$30 cash, and monthly payments for balance.

Lots on Summit avenue that are \$400 cheaper than anything within three blocks of them.

Money to Loan!

COCHRAN & NEWPORT,

LIVINGSTON, MONTANA.

We have just platted and now offer for sale lots in the Livingston Addition. This addition lies adjoining the great machine shops of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, which are the largest and most extensive on the line of the road, those at Brainerd alone excepted. The lots are started at very low prices \$25 to \$75 a piece and will show a very handsome advance by fall. Livingston is less than two years old, with a population of over 3,000 people, is the brightest town on the Northern Pacific Railroad, has many brick and stone buildings, is growing very rapidly and bases her claims for making a large city on the following grounds:

It is the gateway to the National Park. It is the terminal point of the National Park R. R.

It is the headquarters of three divisions of the R. R.

It is the geographical center of the R. R.

It has immense machine shops, with capacity for several hundred.