MINNEAPOLIS NEWS.

The Conductors Do the Beauties of Minnetonka and Prepare for the Yellowstone.

Close of the Gun Club Tournament—Some of the Gentlemen Who Can Shoot.

The Walking Match Fizzles and a Base Ball Manager Does Likewise.

Memorial Day Program--More Cedar Block War--Interesting Suit--Ready for Portland.

THE LAST OF THE CONDUCTORS.

A Day at Minnetonka--Thanks--Off for the Yellowstone.

As a day for Lake Minnetonka, yesterday was not exactly a model. The wind had a mournful wail as it curled the "great water" into white caps and the cool air robbed the delightful cafe of its chief charm—the contrast with the city. The conductors, however, had to take it as it came, as it was on the program, and was to be the delightful ending of their stay in the Flour City. The day must be poor indeed when the beauties of Minnetonka fail to strike a stranger's sense of the gorgeous in nature, and when the Minneapolis & St. Louis train pulled up at Lake Park the visitors poured out and lost themselves in admiration of the charming lake, set like a gem in the framework of hills and woods. Only a brief stay at Lake Park was permitted, as the day was to be spent at Lafayette, so two steamers and a barge came into requisition and the party was ferried across the lake. Once landed, the visitors were scattered quickly about, enjoying themselves in various ways as best pleased them individually. A party went sailing, and their hair-breadth escape from capsizing will be an event in their experience. Others boated and fished, and one jolly conductor pulled out an eight-pound pickerel, which lionized him for the remainder of the day. The large majority, however, indulged in the pleasures of the dance, which lasted most of the afternoon. A collation at Hotel Lafayette was an enjoyable feature, as the fresh breeze gave ravenous appetites to the excursionists. Finally the day came to an end, and a swift run on the Manitoba road brought the party back to Minneapolis. A promenade through the streets, headed by the band, wound up at the West hotel, and the pleasant day was ended.

RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS.

While at Hotel Lafayette the conductors called a meeting and adopted the report of the committee on resolutions. The report consists of three whereases and seventeen resolves, in which everybody who had anything to do with the success of the event was thanked for their attention.

OFF FOR YELLOWSTONE.

The conductors will leave this morning for the Yellowstone park at 10 o'clock, on a special train over the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba road. Ninety of the visitors have signified their intention of going, and the resident conductors, with their friends, will bring the party up to 135. The train will consist of five coaches and baggage cars. W. S. Kemp will escort the party to Fargo where the train is transferred to the Northern Pacific road. Col. John T. West and George B. Clason are to have charge of the excursion, which is a sufficient guarantee for a jolly good time, with perfect arrangements. The citizens of Moorhead, Fargo, Bismarck, Mandan, Billings and Bozeman have signified their intention of tendering a reception to the party on its arrival at their respective cities. They will arrive at Cinnabar Sunday afternoon, May 31, will start back the following Tuesday and arrive in Minneapolis Thursday.

CLOSE OF THE TOURNAMENT.

J. R. Stice Makes the Best Average with J. C. Kimble Second.

The tournament came to a felicitious close yesterday. The attendance was scarcely as large as on the previous day, yet the interest manifested was sufficient to encourage the gunners to do their best. All the visitors agree that Minneapolis is an excellent place to come for sport, and are emphatic in expressions in appreciation of hospitalities and courtesies extended by our gun club during their brief stay here. When the shoot broke up three cheers were given the club.

FIRST EVENT

At fifteen Peoria blackbirds, ten from traps and four straightaways:

Penfield	8	Duncan	14
Skinner	10	Van Vleck	13
Krueger	9	James	13
Kennedy	13	Rockey	12
Budd	9	Kimble	13
*Stice	13	Wadsworth	13
White	10	Harrison	14
Pfister	12	Paine	10
Russell	14	Steer	10
Lawrence	13		

*Stice handicapped in each event three yards.

Russell and Harrison in the shoot off divided first money, and in shooting off for second, Wadsworth, Kimble and James tied and divided. Rockey and Pfister divided third, and fourth money was divided between Skinner, White, Paine and Steer.

SECOND EVENT.

A sweepstake, at four singles and three pairs Peoria blackbirds.

Van Vleck	8	Krueger	8
Wadsworth	9	Raine	9
Kennedy	9	Budd	7
Duncan	9	Skinner	5
Rockey	7	Pfister	9
James	9	White	7
Penfield	8	Kimble	10
Lawrence	9	Harrison	9
Russell	8	Stice	7
Steer	4		

Kimble having made ten straight hits took first money. On the shoot-off on the nines James and Wadsworth tied and divided. The eights were shot off, Krueger winning. The fourth was shot off and Stice and White divided.

THIRD EVENT.

Sweepstake, six single and two pairs Peoria blackbirds.

Stice	9	Krueger	8
Kimble	9	Penfield	4
Van Vleck	8	Thorne	5
Wadsworth	6	Kennedy	7
Paine	6	White	6
Pfister	5	Rockey	4
Lawrence	9	Budd	6
Harrison	7	James	6
Russell	9		

In the shoot-off Stice won first money. The tie on 8 was divided by Van Vleck and Krueger. The tie on 7 was divided by Kennedy and Harrison. The tie for fourth money was shot off and won by Budd.

FOURTH EVENT.

At fifteen Peoria blackbirds, for a purse of $300, divided.

Stice	14	Kimble	12
Skinner	10	Budd	13
Krueger	10	Marshall	8
Duncan	13	White	13
Paine	5	James	11
Pfister	11	Macomber	13
Wadsworth	13	Rockey	10
Kennedy	10	Penfield	10
Russell	11	Van Vleck	10
Harrison	14	Lawrence	12
Badger	11	Parker	11
Winship	10	Legg	11

Harrison and Stice, tieing on 14 hits, divided first money. The ties on 13 were shot off, Duncan winning second money. Kimble and Lawrence divided third money on 12 birds. On the shoot-off Pfister took fourth money.

TEAM SHOOT.

Team Shoot between the Minneapolis and St. Paul Gun clubs for the state championship badge.

ST. PAUL.

Kennedy	11111111101110011011—16
Yandies	11111100100010111110—13
Pfister	00110111111011101111—15
Paine	00011100110010000010— 7
Paul	11010101111111011011—15
Budd	01101101001100110110—11
Total	67

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Kimble	11111111101111001110—16
Russell	11011101111110111010—15
Harrison	01110011101111100111—14
Rockey	11101111011111011001—15
Skinner	10111111010111111010—15
Krueger	11101111111010011111—16
Total	91

SWEEPSTAKES.

At three pairs of Peoria black birds:

Van Vleck	6	Legg	3
Kreuger	3	Kimble	5
Badger	4	Gruygla	3
Murphy	5	Paine	4
Winship	4	Penfield	4
Russell	6	Rockey	3
Wadsworth	5	Kennedy	4
Martin	5		

Russell and Van Vleck divided the first money. The ties on five were shot off, Murphy, Wadsworth and Martin tieing again. In the next shoot off Murphy and Wadsworth tied and divided second money. Ties on fourth for third money were then shot off, Penfield and Winship tieing. In the next Penfield made a miss, Winship carrying off the plum.

SWEEPSTAKES.

At six singles and three pairs Peoria blackbirds.

Van Vleck	9	Badger	8
Legg	5	Frank	6
Krueger	8	Kimble	6
Rockey	8	Pfister	6
Wadsworth	8	Jones	2
Winship	6	Marshall	6
Penfield	9	Russell	7
Harrison	10	Kennedy	6
Paine	5		

First money was won by Harrison, and the second was divided by Penfield and Van Vleck. In the shoot-off on eight, Wadsworth and Rockey divided. Russell took the fourth purse.

THIRD SWEEPSTAKE.

At five straightaway birds, twenty-one yards from the trap.

Van Vleck	5	Krueger	3
Paine	4	Wadsworth	4
Kimble	3	Winship	2
Legg	5	Grygla	4
Badger	3	Martin	3
Budd	5	Russell	3
Penfield	4	Rockey	3
Skinner	5	Marshall	4

Van Vleck and Budd in the shoot-off for first money divided. The tie for second place was shot off and won by Marshall. For third, Russell, Kimble and Krueger shot three straights, and continuing the shoot each hit eight straight birds and finally divided the purse.

Note—The shoot-off was from six yards behind the regulation mark.

Another sweepstake was shot by a few "just for the fun of the thing."

The following is the score of the sweepstakes shooting at six singles and two pairs which followed:

Van Vleck	9	Jones	2
Badger	8	Winship	6
Legg	4	Marshall	6
Grygla	6	Penfield	9
Krueger	8	Russell	7
Kimble	6	Harrison	10
Rockey	8	Kennedy	6
Pfister	6	Paine	5
Wadsworth	8		

Harrison won first money. Van Vleck and Penfield divided second money. Rockey and Wadsworth divided third money. Russell took fourth money.

In the sweepstakes at three doubles, Van Vleck and Russell divided first money, Harrison took second money and Badger third money.

THE BEST AVERAGES.

A deal of interest was taken in the average of individual scores. Many advanced the opinion that Mr. Stice, who was handicapped yesterday by being set back three yards from the point at which all the others shot, would in all likelihood fall behind in the average. But the total score showed that they had reckoned without their host. Mr. Stice carried off the first prize. The averages were as follows:

	Total Birds.		Total Birds.
1st—Stice	91	6th—White	77
2d—Kimble, J. C.	82	7th—Russell	76
3d—Duncan	81	8th—Harrison	74
4th—Van Vleck	80	9th—Kennedy	70
5th—James	78	10th—Skinner	69

MEMORIAL DAY.

Program Adopted for Its Observance by the Veterans.

Every arrangement has been completed by the veterans of Minneapolis for the proper observance of Memorial day, tomorrow. The chief marshal and president is Col. M. H. Sessions, who has appointed the following aides: Comrades J. H. Nye, A. A. Ames, D. R. Shockey, B. F. Cole, R. H. Branton, James Smith, D. M. Gilmore, H. E. Blaisdell and James Morrison. The orator of the day is John G. Woolley and the chaplain, J. M. Bull. The programs for the day are as follows:

MORNING EXERCISES.

In the morning the graves of the soldiers buried at Maple Hill and the Catholic cemetery on the East side will be decorated by the members of George N. Morgan, John A. Rawlins and Post No. 22. Impressive ceremonies at the grave of Gen. Morgan will be conducted by the members of George N. Morgan post, assisted by the ladies of its Relief corps, and George N. Morgan corps, Sons of Veterans. At the same time L. P. Plummer, Levi Butler and C. C. Washburn posts will conduct services at Lakewood and the Catholic cemetery on Chicago avenue. Prayer and short addresses will be made at the graves of Dr. Levi Butler and Col. L. P. Plummer, at Lakewood.

IN THE AFTERNOON

the column will form promptly at 1:30, right resting on Washington and Nicollet avenues, in the following order:

Platoon Mounted Police.
Platoon of Police on Foot.
Marshal and Aids.
Sidwell's Band.
Companies A, B and I, First Regiment, Minnesota National Guards, Lieut. Col. Harrison, Commanding.
Other Military and Semi-Military Organizations.
George N. Morgan Corps, Sons of Veterans.
George N. Morgan Post, G. A. R., W. P. Roberts Commanding.
L. P. Plummer Post, L. Whitson Commanding.
C. C. Washburn Post, Louis C. Gaver, Commanding.
Levi Butler Post, V. Truesdell, Commanding.
John A. Rawlins Post, R. R. Henderson, Commanding.
Post No. 22, C. E. Harris, Commanding.
Woman's Relief Corps.
Orator and Chaplain of the Day.
Mayor, City Council and Officers of the City Government.
Citizens generally.

AT THE CEMETERY.

The column will move up Nicollet avenue to Eighth street, down Eighth street to Seventeenth avenue south, out Seventeenth avenue south to the grand stand, near Layman's cemetery, where the following exercises will be held:

Dirge by the Band.
Reading of Orders by the Chairman of the Committee, who will preside.
Invocation by the Chaplain, Rev. J. M. Bull.
Music.
Oration by Hon. J. G. Woolley.
Music.

The column will then reform and march to the cemetery, where the graves of the heroic dead will be decorated by the comrades of the order. The exercises will close at the Grand Army lot, around which a square will be formed by members of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans and Woman's Relief Corps, N. G. S. M., and other military bodies. An original ode will be sung by the comrades. Wreaths in memory of soldiers buried elsewhere will be hung upon the decorated cenotaph. At the same time the incription attached thereto will be read by the chief marshal. Volleys are to be fired by a detachment from Butler post, and benediction by the chaplain.

The Milwaukee road will run a train to Layman's cemetery, leaving the depot at 2:30 p. m., and returning in the evening after the decoration services. Tickets for the round trip will cost 10 cents.

A BIG LAND SUIT.

Prospective Litigation Concerning Bassett, Moore & Case's Addition.

An action has been commenced in the distrct court and more are to be brought, involving the ownership of property lying in Bassett, Moore & Case's addition, worth over $75,000. In 1856 Rachel Moore bought from the government 175 acres lying in what is now Bassett, Moore & Case's addition. This land she conveyed to her son Alexander Moore. In 1858 Archibald Young and others obtained judgment against Alexander Moore for $453. Mr. Moore then reconveyed to his mother the land which he had received from her. The deed was made out Nov. 15, 1858, but was not recorded until Nov. 22, and the docketing of the judgment was four days prior to the recording of the deed. Under the judgment the sheriff conveyed a portion of the land to Archibald Young, Dennis Hoglund and Thomas Rutherford to satisfy their claim, it being claimed that they bid in this land, which was afterward sold to William Temple, who subsequently sold it to the present owners. In the meantime Mrs. Moore died and bequeathed her property to her son Alexander, who last year conveyed his interest in the property in Bassett, Moore & Case's addition to Edwin Bennet of St. Louis, who intends now to bring action to recover possession of the land which was sold on the judgment sale, on the ground that the judgment was void, as no summons was ever served upon Mr. Moore. In addition, that no sum was mentioned, and that while it purported to be a joint judgment against Mr. Moore and his partner, it was entered up against the former alone by the clerk. It is further alleged that the judgement was docketed after the conveyance to Mrs. Moore and at the day of her death she knew nothing of it; that the land conveyed by the sheriff at the sale was worth $25,000 and that it was sold for the nominal sum named in the judgment; that for several years the alleged purchasers did not assert their title to it, and that they afterward conveyed it to a speculator for $300. The foregoing are some of the principal points which it is claimed make out a strong case to prove that the judgment was void and the execution sale not valid. The land involved includes all of block 21, the greater part of block 37, half of block 36, one-fourth of block 34 and other scattering lots. The present owners of the property are considerably exercised over the prospective litigation and will engage the best legal talent and make a stiff fight for their interests.

GOOD WITH THE GUN.

Some of the Noted Shots Among the Tournament Participants.

There are several noted gunners among those who participated in the annual tournament of the Minneapolis Gun club, which concluded a three days' session near the romantic falls of Minnehaha yesterday. Perhaps the best shot was made by Fred Kimble of Peoria, Ill., although it was generally agreed that he was not "at himself"

in the tournament. Mr. Kimble, who is a member of the Peoria club, has been shooting for some eight or ten years with, as is the case with all crack shots, varying success. "The best of 'em have their off days," said an old gunner, in speaking of him. He does not claim to be a professional, however, but shoots because he enjoys the sport. "I always do the best I can. If I win any purses it is better than to be so much out of pocket for traveling expenses and entrance fees, when I go abroad to take part in tournaments," he said to the writer. He wears an elegant gold medal for the best individual score of the state of Illinois, made in a team shoot July 25, 1883, and he won a similar one from the same club in 1879. Each time he shot twenty-five straight live birds. He also has a large collection of badges and silver cups won. Mr. Kimble is now interested in the manufacture of the Peoria blackbirds used in the Minneapolis tournament.

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J. R. Stice is a noted marksman. His home is in Jacksonville, Ill., and he is a member of the Audubon club of that place. He has been shooting only four years, has won no medals, and expressed considerable surprise at being handicapped by the Minne-

apolis club yesterday. He is exceedingly modest and makes no pretensions to being a crack shot. He says he attributes his wonderful success in this city to the Parker gun he used. Formerly he had an E. C. Green, but he rates the Parker far superior to any other pattern. He has only been shooting it two weeks.

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Said Mr. Kimble: "I esteem Mr. R. B. Organ one of the finest shots in the country." Mr. Organ is the president of the Maksowba Gun club of Chicago, and in the tournament assumed, for some reason, the name of Wadsworth. He says he is not satisfied with his score. The day before the tournament opened he had the misfortune to break his favorite gun, and was obliged to use a strange iron which greatly handicapped him. He says he never shoots for notoriety.

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W. C. Penfield is unquestionably one of the most successful gunners in Minneapolis, and although a prosperous business man, devotes considerable time each season to winging the pheasant, grouse and other game. He was a winner in the tournament, shooting many straight blackbirds in different events. He has participated in various shoots of the Minneapolis club, of which he is a member, as well as in those given by other Northwestern clubs.

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J. A. Duncan of Chippewa Falls, Wis., is by no means the poorest shot in the tournament. He divided several purses, and leaves for his home a winner. He is the president of his club and wears the clay pigeon shoot championship badge for the state of Wisconsin.

CURRENT COMMENT.

There is a striking resemblance between Ald. Fairman of St. Louis and Ald. Johnson of Minneapolis. Mr. Fairman is spending a season in this city. Mr. Westphal met him in a Nicollet avenue dispensary of ardents, and asked a friend if he was not Ald. Johnson.

"Yes," was the reply. "I will introduce you," and the ceremony proposed was performed.

"I dot you vas a demperance man und a high-license fellow," ejaculated Mr. Westphal.

"I am," laconically answered Mr. Fairman.

"Vell den, vat for you come into saloons after you robs 'em by dis $500 licenses business?"

The joke has now been kept up for over a week, and Westphal never loses an opportunity to arraign the supposed high-license advocate, to the hearty enjoyment of everybody.

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The genial Capt. Vanderhorck made a ludicrous blunder at Lake Minnetonka on Sunday. Mr. Fairman and wife were members of the excursion party to the Hotel Lafayette, as was Capt. V. Arriving at the pavilion on the beach, the captain was introduced to Mrs. Fairman. Afterwards he innocently suggested to Mr. Fairman that he would like to have him meet a very agreeable lady whose acquaintance he had just made. Mr. Fairman assented, and was introduced to his own wife as Ald. Johnson, Capt. Vanderhork not knowing Mr. Fairman's real name. The facetious husband and wife carried out the joke. The captain's chagrin, upon subsequently being his error, may be easily imagined.

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By Sunday the Lake Minnetonka Sunday excursion season will be fairly opened. The Danz orchestra of Minneapolis and the Seibert orchestra of St. Paul will unite again, as last Sunday, if it does not rain, in a grand excursion to the Lafayette. Trains will leave Minneapolis at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

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Said a banker to a GLOBE representative: "It was thought that in honor of Decoration day all business would be suspended, but on a canvass of the banks of the city one, and one only, a leading national bank, everyone of which owe their existence to the war and the results of the war, kicked like a steer—a real wild steer, in fact—and declined peremptorily to close on a day so full of remembrance to dead soldiers and for the benefit of those who delight to honor them and their memories. Hence it is that the banks of Minneapolis will not be closed on Decoration day. Some of them are afraid they will lose a dollar or two by closing."

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Gov. Hubbard has ordered the state exhibit at New Orleans to be returned home, consequently it will not be allowed to remain over for next winter. D. E. Bailey, secretary of the Minnesota state exhibit, leaves to-night for New Orleans to make arrangements in connection with Col. Gibbs for its removal here to be exhibited at our state fair.

SPORTING NOTES.

Minneapolis Probably Not to Join the Western League.

Fred C. Hey, president and manager of the Omaha base ball club, visited Minneapolis yesterday, returning last evening to Kansas City. His mission to this city was to make overtures looking to the transfer of his club from Omaha to Minneapolis. He called upon Manager Whitcomb and President Ames of our club, and submitted his proposition. Hey is a modest young man. He don't want much and it may be surprising that he didn't get what he asked for, namely: That the good people of this city raise a fund, fit up an elegant base ball park at a cost of $1,800 or $2,000 and turn it over to him. He was considerate enough to say that he would take his salary as manager out of the gate receipts. Manager Hey went home disappointed.

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Minneapolis' prospect of getting into the Western league is now quite dubious. J. E. Whitcomb should be credited with having displayed indomitable pluck and perseverance in his struggle to secure a membership. He perfected an organization, hired his ball tossers, uniformed them and got them into good practice at a big expense, borne all by himself, only to find that the promises of an admission to the league were a delusion and a snare, to speak metaphorically.

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Mamager Hey of the Omahas says that a city has offered him a bonus of $500 for his membership in the league. That is, if he would drop out and resign to the aspiring city, he should receive $500 for his advantages. If this be true, let the city (which he failed to name) come to the front and make a direct application in conjunction with Minneapolis for a membership. President McKim of the league has repeatedly assured our club that it would be admitted just as soon as an eighth club could be fond, who will make up an even number.

ANOTHER PROSPECTIVE ROW

Over the Cedar Pavement--Words from Men Who Know.

There is a prospect of another lively squabble over the cedar paving on Second avenue, in which Engineer Rinker and Inspector Quinby with certain citizens, will take one side and Contractor Canney, backed by many citizens, will take the other. The prediction is freely made that Quinby will not stick until the contract is completed, as things are being made so warm for him. Yesterday afternoon he pulled a GLOBE reporter aside and said:

"The wood that is going into the street is awful and it ought be stopped. Just look at this old dead stuff," pointing to a lot of rejected blocks lying to one side. "And see this punky piece," jabbing his iron rod into a block already laid and jerking it up. "I will give you some inside pointers on some of this cedar," he concluded with a mysterious look, as he walked over and yanked another block out and tossed it aside.

The paving has now reached Fifth street and is attracting general attention. C. H. Pettit, J. K. Sidle and other large property owners on Second avenue were inspecting the work yesterday, as its fitness touches them nearly. It will be remembered that Inspector Quinby complained that Wisconsin cedar had been placed in the work and the paving committee, after hearing both sides, had solemnly decided that none but Canada or Michigan wood must be used. This is very good, but a gentleman in position to know said, yesterday:

"This Second avenue paving is the best contract work for paving Minneapolis ever had. There is no doubt in the world of that. But the contractor is a new man and the ring was busted, consequently Rinker is making all the trouble he can. If it was one of the ring doing the work, it would make no difference how much Wisconsin cedar went down. This is good work and any expert will say so. The property owners who pay for it are satisfied and that is a potent fact. If this fight comes up before the committee again there'll be music. I predict that Quinby will be gone before the work is completed."

THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT.

The Enthusiasm Growing--Arrangements for the Excursion.

A largely attended meeting of G. A. R. veterans was held last evening at Windom hall for the purpose of deciding upon the arrangements for the excursion to the national encampment at Portland, Me. Capt. Jack Hammond presided as chairman, and considerable enthusiasm was developed during the meeting. After some discussion a resolution was adopted that the trip as far as Chicago should be over the Albert Lea route. Comrades Murison, Sessions and Hicks were appointed a committee to make inquiries, and report concerning the route to be selected from Chicago to Portland. Comrades Mortimer, Murison and Hammond were appointed a committee to see that the car is properly decorated. It was decided to hold another meeting next Thursday night, to which all G. A. R. men and their friends are invited.

The enthusiasm over the national encampment is growing. Over one hundred G. A. R. men have signified their intention of going, while letters from outside towns from veterans intending to join the excursion are received daily. Funds sufficient to take the George N. Morgan drum corps have been raised, and sleeping car accommodations are to be provided.

DISTRICT COURT CASES.

Expediting the Business--The Berry Damage Suit Again.

Owing to the length of time occupied by the King-Remington suits the jury cases have been running nearly a week behind. Consequently the attorneys have become careless about being on hand to see if their suits were to be tried. Yesterday Judge Young called about twenty cases, the attorneys for which were not present. The cases were therefore continued and the calendar is now "up" to date, much to the disgust of many of the lawyers.

The suit of the St. Croix Lumber company vs. The North Star Iron works, to recover $3,000 damages, is on trial before Judge Lochren. The plaintiffs allege that they purchased a boiler of the defendants which proved to be defective, and caused great delay during the busy season of the year.

William H. Berry, the stonemason, who was so terribly injured by the falling in of the stone sidewalk in front of the West hotel, June 27, 1884, yesterday commenced a suit against Agnew & Cox, the contractors, for $30,000, alleging that the accident occurred through their fault and negligence. Berry first sued Col. John T. West for damages, but the courts decided that he was not the responsible party, so the suit has been commenced against the contractors.

Deenie E. Stafford, 23 years old, yesterday commenced an action to secure a divorce from William G. Stafford, aged 37 years, to whom she was married in this city Oct. 5, 1879, alleging that he is an habitual drunkard, with no hope for reformation; is ugly, uses profane language, and treats her in a cruel and inhuman manner, being liable at any time to brutally assault her. She asks also for the custody of a daughter 4 years old.

REDUCED TO ONE.

McAvoy Left Alone in the Walking Match.

The walking match at Crocker rink has about fizzled out. McAvoy of St. Paul is left alone in his glory, with about 245 miles to his credit. Yesterday morning Panchot went on the track and remarked that the game was not worth the candle, and that as he would get nothing if he did win he would draw off. Accordingly he did so. Morton came on and walked until 4 o'clock in the afternoon when, with 181 miles to his score, he retired and is no doubt off. The articles of agreement give the winners 65 per cent. of the net receipts, to be divided accordingly to Astley-belt rules, each man covering 300 miles or over to participate. McAvoy will accordingly have about 55 miles to cover and will get the 65 per cent. The attendance has been simply miserable, and the receipts all told would not pay a man for six days' work, which induced Panchot to pull off. He has a race in Baltimore week after next and will at once prepare for it. McAvoy is in prime condition and will certainly cover his 300 miles with ease. His friends are sorry Panchot did not stay on, as they confidently expected a lowering of the record. However, McAvoy, when all the expenses are paid, will have but little money to show for his work and pluck.

Yesterday's Criminals.

In the municipal court yesterday, Michael Fisher was sent to the bastile for ten days for disorderly conduct.

Pat Kougby was charged with disorderly conduct, and on the trial it was shown that he insulted some ladies. He was quietly laid away for twenty days.

Frank Froman is one of the few vagrants who has gone down for thirty days, although many are arraigned.

William J. Metzger was arraigned upon the complaint made by Henry Wirth, who alleged that the defendant assaulted the complaining witness with a heavy set of brass knuckles, injuring him badly in the head. The examination was set for June 3, Metzger giving bonds in the sum of $200 for his appearance.

There were nine plain drunks in all. Six of them paid a fine of $5 each, the balance going to jail for ten days.

Yesterday's Races.

The races of the Driving Park association yesterday afternoon were only slimly attended, owing to other attractions.

In the pacing race, W. H. Ensign's roan Duster won two straight heats over Whitcomb's Theresa Scott, in 2:43 and 2:41. Theresa Scott acted badly.

F. Winston's pacer shut out Inglehart's trotter in the first heat in 2:39.

Lovejoy's Pattie won two straight heats over Mackey's bay mare in 2:38 and 2:39.

Mackey's silver and Spear's black had a close race, but the black won both heats. Time, 2:37 and 2:36½.

MINNEAPOLIS GLOBULES.

The rush of taxpayers at the county treasurer's office was almost unprecedented, and the collections amounted to $104,847.79.

At Malcolm's hall this evening, at 7:30, a "Mother Goose" and fairy dance entertainment will be given by children in aid of the Sheltering Arms nursery.

A gentleman, intimately connected with a national bank of this city, is shortly to be united in marriage with one of the most prominent and popular young ladies of Hamilton, O. This city will be their future home.

The police believe that in the capture of Harry O'Neill they have bagged a crook by far too clever to be allowed his freedom. A short time ago a kit of carpenter's tools, valued at about $25, were stolen from No. 57 South Main street, on the East side. The case was worked up until O'Neill was arrested and a portion of the booty recovered.

A game of base ball will take place Saturday afternoon near Short Line junction between the nines of the boilermakers from the Milwaukee & Manitoba car shops. The boilermakers from the North Star, Glenn and Minneapolis & St. Louis shops are especially invited to be present.

John Pederson and Rundi Jersey, Ferdinand Polk and Rosina Wild, Elmer H. Bartlett and Maud Curtis, Hans Olsen and Betsey Henderickson, Benjamin Gilbert and Ida L. Precourt, Frank L. Scherer and Nellie Quinn, John J. Fisher and Amelia Smith, yesterday obtained marriage licenses in the district court.

MINNEAPOLIS PERSONALS.

Manager J. F. Conklin left yesterday for the East to book attractions for next season.

Col. John C. Edson, proprietor of the American house, Glencoe, is in the city.

A. C. Runyon of Fergus Falls was in the city yesterday on business.

Dr. G. R. Montgomery of New York is at the West.

John B. Wellcone of Moorhead was i the city yesterday.

C. E. Marvin, who had charge of the Minnesota dairy exhibit at New Orleans, is at the West.

O. M. Hall and wife of Red Wing are at the West.

J. A. Forsyth, Fargo; H. C. Semans and wife, Groton; W. W. Hartley, Brainerd; A. M. Ellithrop, W. M. Taylor, Montevideo, were among Northwestern arrivals at the West.

Minneapolis Real Estate.

YESTERDAY'S TRANSFERS.

Thirty-five deeds were filed with the register of deeds, as follows:

Lt 6, blk 10, St. Anthony; James Rice to Patrick Hanley	$2,000
W ½, se ¼, nw ¼, sec 22, town 28, range 24; Missouri Pr2tt to K W Wing	1,300
Lt 2, blk 3, Cornwell add; A D Rockey to S M Klarquist	1,750
Lt 10, blk 10, Excelsior add; A H Poltee to E A Thompson	1,000
Part of lt 2, blk "P," Tuttle's add; H B Tillotson to J W Perkins	1,000
Lt 8, blk 8, Davidson's 2d add; F P Rundell to J L Tabour	6,300
Lt 9, blk 3, Lake View add; L S Weymouth to H J Dahn	2,500
Lt 3, blk 3, Cornell's 3d add; Carrie W Kalkhoff to H H Ericksen	1,650
S ½, ne ¼ and n ½, se ¼, sec 12, town 116, range 22; Washington Becker to Robert Brown	1,800
Lt 8, blk 8, Davidson's 2d add; J B Tabour to F P Rundell	6,300
Blks 1 to 19, ex blks 9, 11, 12, 13, 18, and lts 1 to 24, blk 4, lts 4 to 21, blk 18, lt 12, blk 12, lts 9 to 12, blk 20, North Side add; W D Washburn to Minneapolis, Sault Ste Marie & Atlantic R'y Co	20,000
Sw ¼ of se ¼ of sec 2, town 29, range 24; J S Pillsbury to Minneapolis, Sault Ste Marie & Atlantic R'y Co	21,524
Lt 4, blk 5, C L Willis' add; D C Fix to Gwinea Fix	4,000
Lt 6, blk 6, Remington's 2d add; H Y Duncan to C B Dickins	1,000
Lt 3, blk 11, Oak Park add; E S Corser et al to J W Cobb	3,000
Lt 9, blk 1, Cornell's add; H E Selden to L H Selden	2,500
Part of lt 3, blk 3, Westfall's add; R J Thompson to Jas Cochrane	2,600
Land as described in nw ¼ of sec 35, town 29, range 25; Evline Spaulding to O B Taylor	1,700
Lt 2, Vose's subd in blk 2, Peters' add; Annie M. Allen to Martha M. Darrow	3,400
Lts 1, 2, 13, 14, blk 77, lts 1, 2, 13, 14, blk 28, Remington's 2d add; B F Pinkney to Willis Baker	2,661
Fifteen miscellaneous deeds, the considerations of which are less than $1,000	9,390
Total	$97,384

BUILDING PERMITS.

Building Inspector Pardee yesterday issued the following permits:

S B McDonald, frame dwelling, 19th ave, bet E 31st and E 32d st	$2,000
Mrs Capson, 2-story frame dwelling, Stevens av, bet E 31st and E 32d st	1,800
C A Smith, frame dwelling and barn, W 24th st and S Emerson av	5,500
Mrs Clara G West, frame dwelling, cor 3d av and 6th st	350
Two minor permits	125
H Olson, frame store, Riverside av, bet 20th and 21st sts	1,000

Number of permits 7, estimated cost $10,775

MINNEAPOLIS COURTS.

District Court.

NEW CASES.

Deenie E. Stafford vs. William G. Stafford; action for divorce.

James Parker vs. W. J. Ballard, transcript of judgment filed.

William H. Berry vs. Agnew & Cox; to recover $30,000 damages for injuries received.

COURT CASES.

[Before Judge Koon.]

Joseph Charbonneau vs. Charles Fuller; continued.

JURY CASES.

[Before Judge Young.]

Anderson & Co. vs. J. A. Wright et al. Thomas Murphy vs. Jensen, Gilbranson & Co.; verdict for defendant.

W. R. Finley vs. E. C. Webster; dismissed.

Minneapolis Harmonia vs. Peter Burfening; to be taken up later.

llen Crolley vs. Minnesota & St. Louis Railway Company; continued.

August Eckerstrom, administrator, vs. Bank of Minneapolis; referred.

B. McAuliff vs. Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Company; continued.

J. Berrett & Co. vs. Drunger & Mayer; judgment for plaintiff for $1,207.80.

Samuel H. Adams vs. J. Kelly et al; continued on motion of plaintiff's attorney.

H. K. Joslyn, appellant, vs. St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company; continued.

R. Fleming vs. E. A. Campbell et al. same.

C. E. Henshaw vs. Kenyon & Lara; continued.

C. C. Leland vs. Mississippi & Rum River Boom Company; continued.

B. H. Heller vs. J. Herrick; dismissed.

H. Lindblom vs. Lutheran Publication Society of the Northwest; continued.

J. F. Hedlund, respondent, vs. Wilks McDermott; continued.

A. Rossing vs. S. G. Lemer; continued.

Mary L. Sutton vs. B. S. Wright; dismissed.

M. J. A. McCaffery et al. vs. Annie L. Hill; continued.

C. Filteau vs. Thomas McCart; stay of proceedings for twenty days.

C. A. Bloomquist vs. George E. Goodrich; settled.

Charles Peterson vs. George E. Goodrich; on trial.

[Before Judge Lochren.]

W. C. Hanscome vs. Minneapolis Brick Company; verdict for plaintiff for $50.

St. Croix Lumber Company vs. North Star Iron Works; on trial.

LOCAL MENTION.

Great Three-Mile Race.

James Alger, champion of Minneapolis, and R. H. Ehlert, champion of Chicago, will have a three-mile race on rollers at Washington rink on Saturday night. The men are well-matched, their reputations are at stake, and the race will be a good one.

Dinner 35c.

Dinner, 35c; breakfast or supper 30c, at Richardson's, 205 Nicollet.

Champion Roller Race.

Alger, the Northwest champion, and Ehlert, the Chicago champion, will have a three-mile race at Washington rink on Saturday night. It promises to be the most exciting race of the season, as each man is on his mettle to win.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT we whose names are hereunto subscribed have agreed to and do hereby associate ourselves under the constitution and laws of the state of Minnesota, as a corporation for the purpose of carrying on a manufacturing business and to that end have adopted and signed the following articles:

First—The name of said corporation shall be the Mutual Benefit Publishers' association, and its general object shall be for the purpose of conducting a manufacturing and mechanical business for the manufacture of newspapers, stereotype plates, blank books and printers' and lithographers' supplies. The principal place of doing business shall be at St. Paul.

Second—Said corporation shall commence on the 1st day of June, 1885, and shall continue for the term of thirty years.

Third—The amount of the capital stock of said corporation shall be two hundred thousand dollars, and the same shall be divided into four thousand shares of fifty dollars