MINNEAPOLIS NEWS.

Presbyterian Pastors and Elders Dispose of a Large Amount of Business—Many Reports.

Speedy Termination of a Case of Alleged Bigamy—Rushed Through in Thirty Minutes.

More Testimony as to the Shaking Up that Passing Trains Give to the University.

Aldermen's Deliberations Last Night--Matters from the Court House--Briefs.

PRESBYTERY OF ST. PAUL.

An Immense Amount of Business Transacted Yesterday.

The Presbytery of St. Paul was called to order at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, at Westminster church, and was led in prayer by Rev. E. V. Campbell. After the transaction of routine business, the name of the Fort street church, St. Paul, was changed to Goodrich avenue. Philip Jamison, a student, was received in the care of the presbytery. Rev. C. R. Strong was granted a letter to New Brunswick. Rev. W. C. Smith was transferred to the Presbytery of Chicago. The organization of the Ninth Presbyterian church of St. Paul was reported, and was ordered enrolled as soon as completed. The following committees were reported by the moderator:

Judicial—J. C. Whitney, J. M. Patterson and C. W. Moore.

Finance—A. R. Miller, Robert Andrews and M. B. Lewis.

Mileage—V. E. Weller, William Killgore and D. Holderman.

Ministers' General Assembly—C. W. Anthony, J. S. Sherrell and J. A. Gordy.

Leave of Absence—J. A. Paige, J. B. Dyart and M. P. Ingles.

Narrative—R. F. McLaren, E. B. Caldwell and H. L. Williams.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of $124 on hand. Rev. Peter Stryker, on foreign missions, stated that $5,195 had been expended. To all missions there had been an outlay of $100,972.

J. C. Whitney, home missionary, reported $5,320 received and two churches organized within the past six months, and 248 members had been united to the several churches.

After a report by Rev. Dr. Campbell on publications, Rev. John Woods of Merriam Park read a paper on work among the foreign population. He told of much success among the German element and advised that the Presbyterian German theological seminary be financially upheld to the end of sending teachers in their own tongue among the Germans.

Rev. Mr. Benson reviewed the condition of the freedmen, followed by a voluminous document on temperance, by Rev. Dr. Carroll of Stillwater, giving a resume of the cause from the time of Benjamin Rush to date.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION

opened with formal reports by the delegates to the general assembly. Revs. John Woods and R. F. Sample reported attendance. It was formerly reported to the presbytery that the House of Hope church of St. Paul had called Rev. Dr. Christie of Louisville, who had accepted. Dr. Christie was admitted to the presbytery and a committee consisting of the pastor and representatives of that church was appointed to attend the installation.

Various delinquent churches that had failed to contribute to the boards gave explanation of their failure to do so, the general reason being utter inability. Rev Joseph Lanman of the Bethlehem church of Minneapolis reported as follows: Of the forty-six churches which have contributed only seventeen had contributed to all of the boards and those seventeen constituted the honor roll of the presbytery. Of these the Central of St. Paul has given the largest average per member and the Westminster of Minneapolis the largest total. The Second church of Minneapolis was second in both particulars. The averages per number are as folows: Central, St. Paul, $10.47; First, Minneapolis, $10.36; Westminster, Minneapolis, $8.50; House of Hope, St. Paul, $5.63; Dayton avenue, St. Paul, $4.72; Andrew, Minneapolis, $4.62; Taylor's Falls, $3.25; Bethlehem, Minneapolis, $2.82; Farmington, $2.24; Red Wing, $2.03; Hastings, $2; Litchfield, $1.82; St. Croix, $1.70; Franklin Avenue, Minneapolis, $1.69; St. Cloud, $1.17; Eden Prairie, 95 cents; Hope, Minneapolis, 40 cents. The contributions, in total, are greater than ever before, but the committee was pained to say there were several churches which had contributed nothing to any of the boards.

The committee on finance reported in favor of an assessment of 2 cents per member on each church for presbyterial purposes, and ½ cent per member for mileage.

HOUSE OF HOPE INSTALLATION.

The committee to which was referred the matter of the installation of Dr. Christie reported designating Wednesday, Oct. 21, at 7:30 p. m. as the time. The following appointments were made for that occasion: To preside and propound questions, Rev. M. D. Edwards; preach the sermon, Dr. R. F. Sample; to charge the people, Rev. D. R. Breed; to charge the pastor, Rev. Dr. McCurdy; to make the installation prayer, Rev. M. McLaren.

Litchfield was selected as the place of the next meeting.

The call of Rev. J. C. Robinson to the pastorate of White Bear was accepted, and the cordial support of the presbytery was urged. The installation will take place on Wednesday, Nov. 4, 1885, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. John Wood will preside and propound questions: Dr. Carroll will preach and offer the prayer of installation; Rev. George F. McAfee will deliver the charge to the pastor, and Rev. S. G. Anderson to the people.

CHURCH ERECTIONS.

Rev. D. E. Wells of the committee on church erections reported the Presbytery had received $500 from the board during the year, which had been received by the Bloomington Avenue church. Bloomington church will receive an appropriation of $700 which had been voted, and $500 had also been given to McNair church at Northern Pacific junction. The following churches were recommended for aid: Westminster, St. Paul, $800; Bloomington Avenue, $500 for the enlargement of the church. A church building at Tower, at the terminus of the Duluth & Iron Range railroad, has been completed at a cost of $1,800, having been donated by the railroad company and the church now applies for $600. During the year there has been contributed by thirty-two churches for church erection, $11,249. The report concluded with the statement that the Fifth church of Minneapolis was in sad need of aid of $5,000, which debt imperiled its existence. In regard to the Fifth church the special committee appointed at the last presbytery found the funded debt to be $3,000 and the floating indebtedness $1,500. An effort was now being made to lift the latter by subscription and personal obligations. The committee recommended the securing of Rev. J. S. Boyd for four months from Aug. 1, which was recommended to the board of home missions. The night session was devoted to an interesting series of talks on home missions, after which the routine business was taken up and completed.

THE BIGAMY CASE.

A Tale of Two Wives--How Mr. Gove was Acquitted.

The Gove bigamy case met with a speedy termination in the district court yesterday. A jury was impaneled, the evidence for the state received, a motion for dismissal on the part of the defense heard and granted—all within thirty minutes. The dismissal was not due to the apparent innocence of the accused, but to the peculiar technicalities of the law which prevented the prosecution from making out a case. Oct. 10, 1884, Maria Scripture married a man by the name of Edward Gove, who had come to Minneapolis some months previous, and had engaged in the business of selling wooden-ware for a Wisconsin manufactory. After they had lived together about a week Gove disappeared. The wife was lead to believe that he had already been married to a woman at La Crosse. Correspondence substantiated this, and Gove having in the meantime been traced to Houston, Minn., he was arrested by Detective Quinlan and brought to Minneapolis last summer. The case was set for Monday, but owing to the length of the Charbonneau trial was continued from day to day. At 5 o'clock last evening the case was called at last and Gove was brought into court. Both ladies bristled up perceptibly when they saw him, and their heightened color and flashing eyes seemed to say, "Oh, you villain!" County Attorney Davis put in evidence the certificate of the marriage of Edward Gove to Cecelia Miller at La Crosse. Detective Quinlan testified to Gove's arrest at Houston. Then wife No. 2 testified that her maiden name was Maria Scripture and that she was married to the defendant Oct. 10, 1884; they had lived together as man and wife about a week. She also identified certain letters. The state rested, and Attorney Boardman, for the defense, moved a dismissal, on the ground that the prosecution had failed to make out a case. Judge Lochren granted the motion, saying there was not sufficient evidence to identify the defendant with the Gove named in the marriage certificate issued at La Crosse. Gove was discharged and wife No. 2 ran up to the county attorney with:

"Oh, Mr. Davis, can't I stop him. Does he get off?"

"I can't do anything more," answered the eloquent prosecutor, "for we haven't any witnesses." This was the difficulty. Wife No. 1 could not be put on the stand, as the law does not allow a wife to testify against her husband. No witness can be subpœnaed from outside the state, and one man from Wisconsin acquainted with the parties, who could be found in the city, had skipped. Wife No. 2 was in a predicament. "Here I am married to him when he's got another wife," she said, looking as though she'd half a mind to cry.

Gove left the court-room alone, not favoring either wife with his company. He was asked by a GLOBE reporter what he had to say, and replied: "Never mind, I had a good defense; I was married to the woman who testified (wife No. 2) all right. The other one I was never married to and don't know her."

It is said that the defense would have tried to make out that this was a case of mistaken identity, a twin brother having married the La Crosse lady.

TREMOR DISTURBANCES.

Interference With Observatory Work.

Yesterday the matter of taking testimony in the case of the State University against the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway company was resumed by Referee Hitchcock. The first witness was Prof. E. S. Holden, director of the Washburn observatory, and professor of astronomy in the University of Wisconsin. He had surveyed the campus grounds at the request of the regents and had selected three sites for the observatory, each of which would be rendered undesirable if the Northern Pacific railway tracks were laid and operated as proposed. There would be no advantageous site left on the grounds in his estimation on account of the tremor from passing trains.

The Washburn observatory, although removed 1,200 feet from any railway, is annoyed by passing trains; and should twenty or thirty trains pass daily, instead of eight or twelve as now, the detriment would be serious.

Being cross examined witness defined fully the difference between university observatory work and scientific research. The latter requires larger and more expensive instruments, and for the instruction of pupils the absolute absence of tremors is not imperative. Witness believed that there is no point on the campus grounds which is not affected by the jar of the Manitoba trains. The site selected on the campus is about 1,300 feet from the Manitoba tracks. He did not believe that an observatory of the highest class could be established on the grounds. An observatory for original research must be a mile or more removed from any track; smoke from trains or factories would be detrimental to work in case the wind should be in the right direction and drive it upon the campus.

Prof. Downey, professor of mathematics and astronomy, corroborated the last witness.

President Northrup testified that he thought the campus a desirable location for the state university, all things considered, and preferred it to a removal. He regarded the removal of the university as things now are, as a serious calamity; it is near the center of the population of the state, easy of access from either city and from any part of the state, and has all the advantages incident to a city and very few of the disadvantages; the campus is sufficiently large to provide sites for buildings contemplated in appropriations; the removal of the institution would stop all development, and stop the purchase of apparatus for carrying on the scientific work, and the growth and development would be retarded; he should expect his life of activity to close before the university could be settled again; it would require fifteen years.

Cross-examination—He thought he should prefer to retain the university building on the campus grounds rather than to remove it, even if the Northern Pacific road was actually built, although other points at which he had looked were not objectionable for university sites.

The plaintiff rested, and the defendant will introduce testimony to-day.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

An Interesting Session of the City Council--Work House--Etc.

At last night's meeting of the city council a communication was received from the water board, recommending that an eight-inch main be laid in Wilder avenue. Referred to committee on water works, and a large number of unimportant communications and nominal petitions were given proper reference.

WANTS RESTITUTION.

Mrs. F. W. De Vough claimed that she had paid into the city treasury the sum of $200 for a license to practice in the city astrology and clairvoyance, and alleging that the ordinance under which the license was issued is illegal and unauthorized, and therefore she asked the return of her $200. Referred to the committee on licenses.

Chief Stetson reported that the houses of the fire department are in need of new heating apparatus, and asked that he might be allowed to try steam heating. Referred to committed on fire department.

THE WORKHOUSE.

The city engineer reported the following proposals for building the cells for the workhouse:

M. W. Glenn, $12,604; J. T. Tobin, $12,650; John Devereaux, $14,445; R. M. McMillan and R. Cheney, $14,629; F. A. Foster & Co., $13,990.

A contract was ordered awarded to Owens & Evans for building on the ground purchased by the city for the purpose a quarantine hospital. This settles it. The Eighth ward will have the pesthouse.

The health officer reported several lots below grade in the Third ward and filled with stagnant water, and asked that they be filled at once. Referred to committee on health and hospitals.

THE FIRE LIMITS.

Chief Stetson recommended that the fire limits of the city be extended to the following streets:

On Fifteenth avenue north, from Mississippi river to Fourth street; on Fourth street to Sixth avenue north; on Sixth avenue north, from Fourth street to Sixth street; on Sixth street, from Sixth avenue north to line of Manitoba road, thence west on the line of the railway tracks to First avenue north, and on First avenue north to Twelfth street, and on Twelfth street to Hennepin avenue; thence west on Hennepin avenue to Willow street, and on Willow street to Fourteenth street; thence south on Fourteenth street to Fourth avenue; on Fourth avenue south to Eighth street; on Eighth street to Fifteenth avenue south; on Fifteenth avenue south to Sixth street; on Sixth street to Nineteenth avenue south; from Sixth street to Mississippi river; from Nineteenth avenue south to Fifteenth avenue north; the bank of river to the southeastern line of the limits. And on the east side as follows: On First avenue northeast, from Fourth street to Seventh street; on Seventh street to Third avenue southeast, on Third avenue southeast and Seventh street to Fourth street, on Fourth street to Seventh avenue southeast, on Seventh avenue southeast, from Fourth street to river bank.

Referred to the committee on fire department.

The sum of $1,000 was ordered paid to the Brush Electric Light company in payment for use of incandescent plant. Payments of various sums to several individuals were authorized on report of the committee on claims.

W. M. Collins was appointed engineer, and James David as assistant engineer at the city hall, and H. Chamberlain to run the elevator.

The committee on gas recommended that the proposal of the Electric Light company for the mast for $3,200 be accepted. Adopted.

TRIBUNE GETS THERE.

Upon recommodation of the committee on printing, the Minneapolis Tribune was made the official paper, and the job printing contract was given to L. Harrison of the firm of Johnson, Smith & Harrison.

The committee on ordinances was requested to propose and present an ordinance forbidding people walking on the railway tracks inside the city. Ald. Haugan urged the measure. He thought the time had come when something should be done to protect not only the railway companies, but the life and limb of citizens.

M. D. Elliot, manager of the Northwestern secret service, asked to be given police power. Referred to the police committee.

The clerk was authorized to draw a warrant for $330 in favor of the sisterhood of Bethany, the same being one-third the amount of fines collected from the houses of ill-fame for the month of September.

THE CONDUIT SYSTEM.

As anticipated, the various electrical companies owning all the wires now in operation in the city, presented an ordinance granting to them the right to lay conduits beneath the streets, in which to stretch their wires. Referred to the committee on ordinances.

An ordinance establishing the grades on West Fifteenth street was given its first reading, and the ordinance establishing the grade of Franklin avenue, from Nicollet to Hennepin avenue, was taken up only to be laid on the table until the next meeting.

Ald. Swanson moved the Milwaukee Railroad company be requested to immediately protect its crossing at the intersection of the road with the streets from Twelfth avenue south out to Twenty-second street. Carried.

The city attorney was authorized to draw a contract with John Norton for furnishing the city with fuel during the year, and the proper city officers were authorized to execute the contract.

The street commission of the Sixth ward was instructed to have the obstructions being placed in Bluff street immediately removed, and the engineer was requested to investigate that street from Nineteenth avenue south to the river, with a view of making excavations therein.

Ald. Cooley moved that the work upon the quarantine hospital be delayed one week and that the council look up a new site. Laid on the table.

Ald Cutler moved that Martin be discharged from the employ of the city as engineer at the city hall. Carried.

Ald. Phelps moved to reconsider the motion awarding the contract for building the quarantine hospital, and the motion prevailed.

Ald. Cooley then moved to postpone the matter for two weeks, and Ald. Sly amended to refer to a committee to look up a new site, and Ald. Comstock presented an amendment to the amendment laying it on the table, but a motion to adjourn prevailed.

THE DISTRICT COURT.

Yesterday's Criminal Cases--Civil Suits and Miscellaneous Notes.

In the trial of John Myers for assault with a dangerous weapon upon Lewis Dockman, about twenty witnesses gave evidence tending to show that the assault was the result of a neighborhood quarrel. The jury returned a verdict of "guilty of assault only," and recommended that the full penalty of the law be inflicted.

No effort was made to open the default in the bonds of Henry Clay James, which were declared forfeited Tuesday, and it looks as though the defendant would not appear for trial upon the indictment, which charged him with keeping a house resorted to for immoral purposes at 119 Second street north.

William Middlemish, the boy who embezzled $15 from John A. Purchase, of the Cascade laundry, his employer, was yesterday sentenced to sixty days in the county jail.

Annie Hopkins, indicted for keeping a place resorted to for the purposes of prostitution, was yesterday arraigned and pleaded not guilty. She gave bonds in $500 for her appearance this morning. Carrie Moore pleaded guilty to keeping a house of prostitution at 232 First street south and was sentenced to pay a fine of $250.

The following criminal cases are set for trial to-day: Annie Hopkins and Charles Hopkins, indicted for keeping a house of ill-fame; Alexander Souci, bastardy.

Small Fires.

Yesterday afternoon a rickety house at the corner of Lake street and Fourteenth avenue south was destroyed by fire. The loss was not great, but is unknown, as the owner lives in Wisconsin.

The store room of Valentine Bros., at 625 Hennepin avenue, was damaged by fire, yesterday afternoon, to the extent of $250, which includes a loss of $150 on the building, owned by John Vanderwalker, fully insured with Gale & Co.

MINNEAPOLIS GLOBULES.

There will be no meeting of the water board this week.

After to-day there will be no more regular boats on Minnetoka.

Z. Harrison, sheriff of McLeod county, is in the city on a still hunt for somebody or something.

The health officer has information that another case of the glanders exists on Grand avenue near West Twenty-ninth street.

George Bates was found guilty yesterday of stealing a revolver from E. Cunningham, and his sentence was thirty days in the county bastile.

The Minneapolis Society of Physicians and Surgeons was to have met last evening at Dr. Hance's residence, but the meeting was postponed one month.

The German and English recitations which were to have been given by Miss Helene Wagner in Harmonia hall last evening have been postponed until Oct. 14.

Elmer Foster will leave to-day for Chicago to begin active rehearsal of his role, Horatio Marsden in "The Union Heroine, or Siege of Vicksburg." Rose Lisle will be the star.

Yesterday Detective Hankinson recovered the lost laprobe stolen in the raid made upon George Eastman's barn last winter. The thief is already serving time in Stillwater.

Luke Doyle and Ellen M. Clantier, Thomas Cabell and Sarah Sullivan, Andrew C. Lamareaux and Anna McVeety, John A. Vlarek and Josephene Aubech yesterday obtained marriage licenses.

The Artists' club will meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon in Room No. 26 Skiles-Lindley block, and discuss plans for future work of the club. It is proposed to hold a fall exhibition soon.

The rooms of the Young Men's Library and Reading Room association in the Missionary Tabernacle building, corner of Riverside and Twenty-Fourth avenue south, will be formally opened on Friday evening with a book reception.

Peter Olson, the bartender who had assaulted him, was arraigned in the municipal court on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, and in default of $500 bonds was remanded for a preliminary examination Oct. 16.

On and after Saturday, Oct. 10, the Motor Line will run but two trains daily to Excelsior, leaving Washington avenue at 7:30 a. m. and 4 p. m., and leaving Excelsior at 9:10 a. m. and 5:40 p. m. All other trains will run as heretofore.

Yesterday Detectives Gleason and Caswell arrested two colored men named Woodbridge and Henderson, the first charged with larceny and the latter with being a suspected accessory, in stealing a watch from J. F. Macmoer's jewelry store.

C. H. Lucas, a colored man, and Annie Frye, a white girl, were up yesterday for disorderly conduct. The testimony in the case failed to show that Lucas had done anything which could be construed into a misdemeanor, but the girl had clubbed him and she said she was perfectly willing to pay her fine of $10 for the privilege.

The injuries sustained by Henry Myers were more serious than at first supposed. Yesterday he was very weak from the excessive hemorrhages from the wounds about the brow, and he had spit large quantities of blood. The city physician, who had attended him the previous night, had him removed to St. Barnabas hospital. It was impossible to determine the extent of his injuries, which may be fatal.

There is no change in the Minnetonka trains on the motor line. Steamer Saucy Kate connects with all of them.

THE NICOLLET CLUB.

It Opens its Public Career in a Blaze of Glory and Amid Sounds of Sweet Music.

Over a Thousand Well-Dressed People From Three Cities Partake of its Hospitality.

The Resources of the West Hotel Added to the Clud House to Accommodate the Guests.

The Dance Went On and Joy Unconfined--Who Were There and How They Dressed.

The Nicollet Club Party.

The Nicollet club of Minneapolis was in its glory last night. It threw open the hospitable doors of its swell club house to a large and admiring coterie of friends and at the same time threw open the elegant West hotel to piece out the hospitality. As a general proposition, its latch-string hangs on the inside and only members have the mystic faculty of pulling it. But divers glimpses of the interior beauty have reached the street and bright glances from soft eyes have so frequently attempted to pierce those tantalizing silken curtains, that finally the club determined to allow its fairy palace to be invaded, or as one of the members expressed it, "to allow the ladies to come in and look out." Besides, they knew, those gilded youth of the Nicollet club, that to longer monopolize so much gorgeousness would be selfish indeed. So a grand reception was decided upon and for six weeks at least the beauty of the city has been in preparation for the great event, and not of Minneapolis alone, but St. Paul, Stillwater, Fort Snelling and other near localities tied together by the silken bands of society. Last night was the time selected and the realization of the event actually exceeded any and every expectation, fond and highly colored as some of them were. The club had resolved that its name should be honored, not tarnished, by this, its real debut, and the result showed the resolution was not taken in vain.

THE EXTERIOR VIEW

gave full promise of what was to be seen and enjoyed within. The club house is a sightly mansion, occupying a high location just back of the West hotel, on Fifth street. The elegant grounds and spacious lawns were revealed, as with noonday brightness, by gleaming strings of incandescent electric lights, stretched from corner to corner, set off in places by larger blazes, as a solitaire is circled by brilliants. From the windows of club house and hotel the lights streamed down to the streets and showed large throngs gathered to see the arrivals. Carriage after carriage rolled up and the number of arrivals ran rapidly up into the hundreds. The members of the club entered by way of the club house, from which a brilliant covered bridge, gorgeously decorated and brilliantly illuminated, led to the hotel. And all the while the soft strains of music and the softer melody of faint laughter floated out from the huge, gleaming buildings, telling the multitude below the scenes of gayety were at their height.

THE BEAUTIFUL INTERIORS

were well worthy the most minute description. The principal attraction lay in the club house, which had donned its most winning air for this occasion. The three parlors, including the smoking parlor, were elaborately dressed with flowers, clusters, wreaths and stands appearing on every hand. Sprays of smilax and ivy were gracefully depended on the walls and about the chandeliers; huge pyramids of roses adorned the tables; palms and tropical plants peeped from every odd nook, and about the rooms floated a delicate and exquisite aroma. In the lower hall a string quartet rendered choicest music. On the second floor the card, pool and billiard rooms were dressed in a similar style, the upper parlor forming the reception room. Here the flowers were really exquisite, the striking feature being a huge pillow, on the mantel, with the words "Nicollet Club" appearing in pink on a white bed. From this room the bridge, muslin-covered and dressed with flags and flowers, led to the dining hall of the West which was arranged for the dancing hall. Heavy linen covered the floor, and a combination of Danz' orchestra, stationed at the south end, furnished the dancing music. The parlors and crystal corridors were specially prepared, but were simply decorated with an occasional stand of flowers, their natural beauty being a sufficient attraction. The dressing rooms were on the second floor above.

THE ARRIVAL OF GUESTS

began about 9 o'clock and for an hour and a half the stream of equipages was increasing until in the neighborhood of 1,000 guests had assembled. The prominent society men of the twin cities and the gay uniforms of the Fort Snelling contingent were among the number. The leading beauties of the state lent their presence to grace the occasion. Solid business men and substantial dowagers with marriageable daughters were there, and the reception was marked by the presence of several prominent ones of this season's debutantes. It seemed that few of the cards had been returned with regrets, and nearly all promptly and joyously accepted. It seemed, too, that no pains had been spared by the several committees of the club to make the affair a success, and that attention had been paid to details that showed the arrangements were in master hands.

THE DANCING

began at 10 o'clock and continued, with suitable intermissions, until 3 a. m. The selections of music for the dancing were made with Danz's well-known taste and received many commendations. The dancing cards, designed as souvenirs, were beautifully gotten up and reflected great credit on the taste of the committee. The dances were twenty-three in number and included all of the popular figures, and among the dancers were all of the best known and most skillful of the city's devotees of the Terpsichorean art.

THE BANQUET

was served soon after midnight in the ladies' ordinary. The tables, suffice it to say, were laid with that skill and taste which has made the chef of the West hotel famous throughout the Northwest. It was a feature of the entire reception.

To sum up the reception, it may be well said that the Nicollet club has covered itself with glory, for its party was an event that will be the gossip of society for months to come and will be marked as a brilliant epoch in the society annals of the neighborhood.

THE GUESTS PRESENT.

In such an immense throng it is practically impossible to obtain the name of every guest. Among those who were present were the following:

Minneapolis—Miss Alice Bigelow, W. H. Jones, Miss Sallie Flandreau, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neiler, Will L. Eldrid. Frank H. Scott of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harrison, W. J. Hahn and wife, Fred. W. Ames and wife, Sherman Finch and Miss Finch, E. M. Wilson, C. S. Careins, Mr. and Mrs. John Crosby, Judge and Mrs. M. B. Koon, Prof. O. V. Tousley, Herbert Putnam, A. B. Barton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pottle, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Camp, George A. Camp, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Chesborough, John Wynd, Miss Nellie Chesborough, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Mackey, Miss Alice Ames, Mr. F. E. Holmes, C. D. Velie, Miss Buddington, Thomas Coughlan, Prof. W. W. Folwell and daughter, Hon. and Mrs. A. B. Hush, S. C. Gale, E. C. Gale, Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Young, Dr. E. A. Patten, J. W. Pomeroy, Jr., John Buller, E. P. Capin and wife, J. P. Smith, Mrs. H. L. Haven, D. L. Frackleton and wife, C. S. Parmlee and Miss Alice Parmlee, F. L. Caldwell, Jr., of Aberdeen; Harry Barnes, Fred Dean, Mr. and Mrs. H. Alden Smith, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Leonard, Miss Bertha Bausman, Dr. F. A. Dunsmoor and Mrs. F. W. Baker, W. F. Bishop and Miss Nellie Potter, A. S. Huey, Miss Mabel Shaw, A. Y. Bayne, W. B. Boardman, Miss Alice Maffell of Milwaukee; E. A. Brooks, Miss Sadie Moses, Al Shuey and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Paine, Judge J. M. Shaw and wife, A. M. Clerihew and wife, J. C. Eliel and wife, W. F. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Black, Miss Belle McCabe of Wheeling; Ira Murphy and wife, Mrs. W. L. Bassett, C. T. Thompson and wife, A. M. Keith and wife, L. D. Gillette and wife, W. T. Ralph and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller and daughter, F. C. Snyder and wife, Hon. Thomas Lowry and wife, F. A. Bovey, C. M. Loring, G. B. Eustis and wife, H. H. Thayer, Miss Maud Merrill, George T. Huey and wife, L. K. Graves and wife, E. S. Corser and Miss Corser, Col. C. W. Johnson and wife, A. T. Morse and wife, Miss Lillian Stoddard, W. H. McMullen and wife, H. L. Martin and wife, Miss Mina Merrill, T. H. Boardman and wife, D. W. Elliott, George E. Bell, C. M. Douglas, Mrs, L. A. Douglass, Miss Clara Gibbs, John Washburn and wife, Miss Nettie Walker, Mr. Walter Morrison, G. B. Shepherd and wife, A. W. Harley and wife, E. J. Davenport and wife, Robert Jamison and wife, W. F. Brooks, Miss Carrie Skiles, W. B. Mead and wife, P. H. Newton and wife, Ed Capen and wife, Miss Kate Weller, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; S. S. Small, William Peet, Miss I. H. Peet, Brooklyn; Capt. S. P. Snider, Miss Anna Whitcomb, Charles Palmer, C. T. Peavey, F. H. Peavey, S. F. Wadhams, W. H. McMullin and wife, George R. Newell and wife, C. L. Lamp, H. P. Heath, Misses Emma and Bertha Oswald, Will Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hame, Dayton Adams, Miss Georgie Kelley, J. J. Jones, E. H. A. Williard, H. L. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nimocks, A. J. Blethen and wife, Judge William Lochren and wife, W. P. Van Norman, E. P. McManus of Hartford, Conn.; John Warnan, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. King, Frank Benner and wife, F. W. Lyman, J. S. Thurston, W. C. Tiffany, W. L. Bigelow and wife, C. H. Prior and Miss Nellie Prior, Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Hunter, Dr. and Mrs. French, L. Whetmore, Miss A. J. Wetmore, Mrs. Williams, Boston; Mrs. Ahern, Dr. and Mrs. Scott, Judge J. P. Rea and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Heffelfinger, Joseph Barrows, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood, Will Neiler, Judge Babcock, Clarkson Lindley, Dr. and Mrs. R. Hill, Dr. Leyton, Charles Sidle, J. K. Sidle, Mr. and Mrs. Will Woolford, Henry Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell, J. E. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kelly, Lewis J. Thian, W. E. Goddard, Samuel L. Hill, Frank Thresher, J. R. Vanderlip, Hon. Loren Fletcher and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Paine, H. A. Morse, A. B. Jackson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Byrnes, Hon. E. M. Wilson, wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Miller, C. S. Leeds, Hon. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Will Eldred, J. S. Bradstreet, Frank Halmer, John Long, Mr. and Mrs. George Eustis, J. W. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamer, Miss Della Moses, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lovejoy, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Loring, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Stone, W. A. Baker, Charles Babcock, A. J. Modisette, Will Boardman, Judge and Mrs. Springer, George Caldwell, Miss Nellie Baker, Reuben Tomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mulford, E. A. O'Brien, Mel Eddy, Hon. C. A. Pillsbury and wife, Hon. R. B. Langdon, Hon. V. G. Hush and wife.

St. Paul—Hon. Albert Scheffer and wife, George K. Shaw, Hon. P. H. Kelly, Hon. W. P. Murray, Mrs. Murray, Miss Gorman, L. K. Stone, Miss Adams, H. R. Harvick and wife, C. H. Warren, Miss C. B. Burton, E. S. Chittenden and wife, H. F. Stevens, E. R. Fitzmorris, E. H. Ozmun, Mr. and Mrs. Rundlett, W. P. Richards, G. C. Squires, Miss Squires, Miss Stickney, H. F. Stevens, Dr. A. F. Schiffmann, L. G. Washington, Miss Washington, Dr. C. B. Witherle, H. B. Wenzell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Young, W. H. Adams, Miss Adams, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hines, Miss Bigelow, Frank W. Barton, G. L. Bigelow, W. E. Bramhall, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Chittenden, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Driscoll, Miss Seixes, A. E. Dickerman, Dr. and Mrs. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Flandrau, J. N. Granger, J. S. How, F. E. Hanson, H. C. Ives, F. G. Ingersoll, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jenks, Hon. Stanford Newell.

Fort Snelling—Gen. Vincent, Col. Van Horn, Lieut. Johnson, Lieut. Glenn, Lieut. Ahern, Lieut. Tear, Lieut. Marlon, Lieut. Morgan and wife, department of Texas,

The Costumes.

Where all were so elegant it would seem invidious to particularize in the matter of costumes. The temptation was irresistible, however, to note down some of the most brilliant toilets displayed.

MINNEAPOLIS.

Miss Fanny Wagner, handsome short costume of creamy oriental lace with broad satin sash, natural flowers.

Miss Stella Winston, short dress of blue satin, garniture of white lace.

Mrs. F. M. King, magnificent trained costume of ivory satin, side panels of crimson velvet, front of brocaded gauze in shades of crimson, diamond ornaments.

Mrs. Charles J. Martin, trained costume of white satin, square neck; elbow sleeves, petticoat of white brocaded satin, diamond ornaments.

Miss Carrie Carr, short dress of pale pink wool and wine-colored velvet.

Mrs. Charles A. Mitchell, short dress of black satin, orange-colored flowers.

Miss Bell Cadwell, handsome long costume of white moilette cloth and rose velvet, natural flowers and diamonds.

Mrs. Hamer, short costume of black silk, crimson flowers, diamonds.

Miss Isa Thompson, trained overdress of crimson velvet, petticoat of pale gray silk, natural flowers.

Misses Berty and Emma Oswald, short dresses of pale green crape and lavender silk, the crape thickly sprinkled with the mulle balls of pale gray, natural flowers.

Mrs. C. C. Elfelt, short costume of pale blue surah and pink brocade.

Miss Forman, short dress of white ottoman silk, ornaments of pearl and steel.

Miss Kitty Forman, short costume of pale pink crape, and pink and white plush, corsage round and sleeveless, pearl ornaments.

Miss Cheseboro, short dress of white wool, garnished with white lace and cut pearl, natural flowers.

Miss Carrie Barnabe, short dress of gray silk, profusely draped with black lace, pink ribbons and pink plumes at corsage.

Miss J. Louise Merriam, short costume of white surah, richly embroidered in gold passamentarie.

Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, magnificent trained costume of pale blue brocaded silk, petticoat of blue surah, real lace, silver ornaments, pink flowers.

Miss Baker, short dress of pale cream surah, creamy roses.

Miss Whitmore, short dress of white silk, natural flowers.

Mrs. E. C. Whitney, beautiful trained costume of gray silk and brocaded gray velvet, real lace; ornaments, pearls and amethysts.

Mrs. S. B. Lovejoy, white brocaded silk looped over petticoat of white lace with knots of pale yellow flowers, diamond ornaments.

Mrs. F. L. Greenleaf, handsome trained costume of sulphur blue satin, combined with rich brocade in Persian colors, square neck, elbow sleeves, real lace and diamonds.

Miss Phelps, petticoat of brocaded silk in shell pink, crimson and primrose yellow, long train of shell pink with primrose lining, Neal lace.

Miss Rickey, short dress of pale pink and blue silk.

Mrs. Alden Smith, trained costume of ivory-cream satin, front of brocaded velvet in crimson and cream; corsage profusely ornamented with real lace and pearls; diamonds.

Mrs. F. C. Snyder, short dress of pink brocaded silk, garnitured with cut pearl ornaments.

Miss Potter, short dress of white wool, trimming of white lace; pearls.

Miss Smyth, trained costume of white tullle over white satin; corsage round and sleeveless.

Maud Andrews, short dress of creamy wool, corsage bouquet of crimson carnations.

Mrs. William Bassett, trained costume of pale pink silk and wine-colored velvet.

Miss Nellie Prior, corsage and train of wine-colored velvet, plaited petticoat of lavender silk, pale blue plumes of corsage, diamond ornaments.

Miss Nimocks, short dress of orange surah and white lace.

Mrs. J. Thompson, Jr., short dress of pale blue moire and blue and black brocaded velvet; real lace and pearls.

Mrs. Robert Jamison, short dress of cream-dotted mull over cream surah.

Mrs. L. S. Gillette, short dress of black velvet; square neck and elbow sleeves; natural flowers.

Miss Clara Gibbs, trained costume of white satin, pearl embroidered.

Mrs. George Eustis, short dress of white satin and orange and white brocade; knot of orange and white feathers at corsage; diamond ornaments.

Miss Jessie Wilber, short dress of pale blue surah and blue and white brocade.

Miss Fannie Sheney, white wool, the front striped and overdress locked with white satin ribbon.

Miss Bausman, pale pink wool, trimmed with white lace, natural flowers.

Mrs. Dr. Leonard, black costume with square collar of pale pink crape.

Mrs. W. A. Nimocks, long dress of white silk, the front veiled with tulle, richly embroidered in gold and lavender; real lace, diamonds.

Mrs. Dr. Hunter, petticoat of brocaded satin, roses in natural tints upon a black ground, train of plain black satin, a profusion of white lace, orange plumes in coiffure.

Miss Hill, handsome trained costume of black satin and black lace.

Miss Annie Hill, short dress of cream satin, dotted with chenille balls, garniture of cut pearls.

Mrs. J. D. Springer, handsome dress of brown brocaded velvet and brown silk, natural flowers and diamonds.

Mrs. J. F. Foss, handsome dress of gray satin and velvet.

Mrs. T. E. Byrnes, short dress of pale gray surah, profusely ornamented with white lace and knots of rose and gray ribbon, rose colored plumes in hair and at corsage.

Mrs. J. G. Jones, trained costume of brocaded satin in almond brown, and pale blue over petticoat of almond satin, bonnet to match.

Miss Ankeny, a costume of pink surah with court train of pink plush, diamonds.

Miss Garber, white silk mull and lace, amber.

ST. PAUL.

Miss De Camp, short costume of black satin; scarlet roses.

Mrs. Albert Scheffer, short dress of white mull and lace, lavender trimmings; ornaments, cameos.

Miss McLaren, trained costume of ivory ottoman silk and silk gauze, garniture of scarlet roses,