

ST. PAUL MATTERS.

The Board of Health and County Commissioners Consider Important Sanitary Measures.

Mary Schmidt from Hudson, Wis., Comes to St. Paul by Night to Become a Mother.

Work Among the Freedmen, as Told by Men Who Have Once Been Slaves.

Guests at the Hotels--The Criminal Record--Fires of a Day--Notes.

A HOSPITAL "ANNEX"

And Other Matters Recommended by the Board of Health.

The city board of health held a meeting in the council chamber at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon with the county commissioners, the chief object being action on sanitary restrictions and devices for the good of both city and county.

Dr. Jones recommended a system of sewers such as has been adopted in the city of Chicago, the sewer to be constructed in the center of the street, at about the water mark, to extend up Cass to Plato street, thence on Plato to Starkey, up Starkey to Concord, and at Concord it should be divided into two branches, one branch to run up Concord, and the other up Dakota avenue to points to be determined upon by the city engineer.

Dr. Jones was authorized to serve a formal notice on Mr. Bruggeman, the West City brewer, ordering him to construct a sewer connecting his brewery with the public sewer, in accordance with city ordinance, he to be given ten days in which to complete the work.

A communication from the mayor was read in reference to the construction of an annex or "contagious ward" to the city hospital. In his communication the mayor called the attention of the board to the fact that there is no proper place for the care and treatment of patients suffering from contagious diseases.

THE OLD, OLD STORY.

Mary Schmidt of Hudson, Wis., a Sufferer in St. Paul.

Between 3 and 3 o'clock yesterday morning a young woman giving the name of Mary Schmidt entered the office of the Inter-Ocean hotel on Fifth street and engaged a room. After she had retired the clerk of the hotel heard groans in the room occupied by the Schmidt woman and knocked on her door to inquire if she was sick.

FOR FREEDMEN.

Interesting Facts Brought Out Regarding the Negro.

A meeting was held at the Home of Hope church last evening to discuss the work of the Freedmen's board of missions, Dr. R. H. Allen, secretary of the board, being present. On the stage were seated Gen. Johnson, Dr. Christie and six colored clergymen: Revs. A. A. Jones, Madison, G. M. G. Johnson, Humboldt, S. and E. Williams, Abbeville, S. C., Robinson, Hood, Beaufort, S. C.; Henry C. Maybray, Chadbourn, N. C.; and H. B. Thomas, Orangeburg, S. C. Gen. Johnson presided.

Dr. Allen said that there were 500 little freedmen born in the United States, doubling their population every twenty years, already holding the balance of power in eight Northern states, and in twenty years would hold it in ten. The first cry of this people after being liberated was for education, and after a study of them for twenty years, he knew the negro would learn just as easily as white ones.

The Manitoba Shop Laborers.

To the Editor of the Globe: Mr. J. J. Hill, president, and Assistant General Manager H. C. Ives of the Manitoba railroad, in giving their reasons to the public for reducing the working force at the company's shops, have no doubt followed the line of sharp business principles, which right is not denied. However, a more humane course would have avoided the distress in which many families are now involved.

YESTERDAY'S FIRE RECORD.

Several Blazes That Kept the Department Pretty Busy. At 3:47 o'clock yesterday morning an alarm of fire was sent in from a box at the corner of West Seventh street and Western avenue, occasioned by a fire in

the hall of the C. S. P. S., a Bohemian society. The building was ruined. The fire was undoubtedly the work of an incendiary, as no light or fire had been used in the building for several days.

At 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon a lively blaze occurred at Seeger's gasoline storage house on Minnesota street between Ninth and Tenth streets. The fire was the result of carelessness on the part of an employe, who was engaged in filling cans for city delivery. He was smoking. Over 1,200 gallons of gasoline were destroyed.

At 8:47 p. m. an alarm was turned in from a box on College avenue, caused by the burning of the barn of Fire Commissioner Warner, the result of children playing with matches. The barn was soon in ashes, destroying with it two sleighs, four sets of double harness and a large quantity of hay.

CAPITAL CITY VISITORS.

Some of the Well-Known Men in St. Paul for a Day. Ex-Speaker John L. Gibbs, of Freeborn county, was about the city yesterday. He was most interested in the proceedings of the executive committee of the Farmers' alliance which was held at the capitol, and was for the purpose of deciding whether the alliance should hold a state convention and place a ticket in the field for governor down, or not to hold a convention but endorse the nominees of one of the two political parties for state officers, or not to take any action as an organization, but allow the members of the alliance to follow their own desires.

Mr. Gibbs is a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, and is posing himself as a farmer, he is represented as the choice of several members of the executive committee, who desire to force the alliance into endorsing his candidacy. The ex-speaker was about the capitol a considerable portion of the day, and was more or less engaged in explaining to the members of the committee and others from different parts of the state.

The Hon. Ignatius Donnelly, the sage of Nininger, was about the hotels, before the meeting of the committee of the Farmers' alliance, which was held at the capitol, he has been closely identified since its inauguration in this state. He found time during his stay, to visit the capitol, and to see the statue of the farmer, to advocate the claims of Bacon as the author of Shakespeare's plays. His new book, "The Farmer's Alliance," is an exposition of his theory as to the authorship of the great plays, is now in press and will be in circulation in a few days.

Senator S. G. Comstock, Moorhead, was an arrival. He is the present senator from the upper district and has represented that section in either branch of the legislature for a period of ten years. He is a lawyer, combining a lucrative real estate business in connection with his law practice. Early in his life he bought acres of land, which has increased in value, and after many years he finds himself a well-to-do man.

Capt. H. E. Malone, Grand Forks, is an old-time steambos captain who walks the deck of a Red river steamer from Grand Forks to Pembina. As he walked through the corridors of the Paul hotels it was evident that he was a steambos man, his physique and make-up, fat and jolly, being that of an occupant of the Texas. He said that years ago he ran on the Mississippi from St. Paul to St. Louis. The business grew less and he set out to make a fortune on the Red river. It was his opinion that the business of the latter would be materially injured if the railroad line to the Hudson bay country was constructed.

Judge M. D. O'Connell of Fort Dodge, Ia., was at the Clarendon yesterday. Mr. O'Connell is a leading attorney in his part of the state, and is in St. Paul on a combined business and pleasure tour. He is married and two years ago, and is greatly surprised at the rapidity with which the city had grown since he last visited it. He is an intimate friend of Ignatius Donnelly, and like the Sage, is a close student of William Shakespeare's work. An effort will be made to get a confession from her, with a view of having the guilty man arrested.

THE CITY'S CRIMINALS.

Local Offenders and the Disposition Here of Them. In the municipal court yesterday M. Hanahan, John Thompson and John Loveland were arraigned on the charge of selling liquor without license and were fined \$25 each, which they paid. P. M. Rogan, accused of keeping his saloon open after 12 o'clock at night, was arraigned and the hearing continued until 10 o'clock. J. D. LeBlanc was fined \$20 for a violation of the prohibition laws. H. H. Miller, charged with larceny, was discharged. Fannie Zabowsky, the kleptomaniac who "shop-lifted" a quantity of articles from various drug and confectionary houses, was fined \$100, which was paid by friends of the woman. San Shapera was arraigned on the charge of receiving stolen goods. He was accused by two supposed thieves, who were held to the grand jury, with knowingly receiving their booty, which was a lady's gaiter, watch, ring, and a pair of shoes. Frank Monroe and Louis Clouse sold him \$8. Shapera is a second-hand store at the corner of Cedar and Seventh streets. He gave bonds in the sum of \$1,000 for his appearance when wanted. Simon Schwab and A. Rosenthal going his security.

Sherry and Other Wines.

guaranteed absolutely pure, for \$1 per Gallon at the California Wine House, (the only exclusive dealers in California wines in the city), corner of Seventh and Cedar streets. "Take the bull by the horns" is an old adage, but you take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup by the teatopful. A few drops for a child. One bottle will save the lives of a family. For coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., it is excellent and safe.

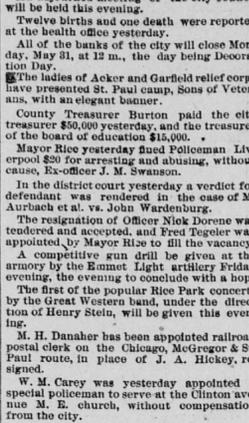
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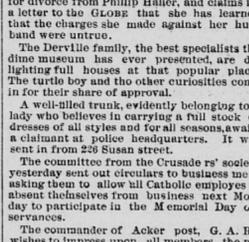
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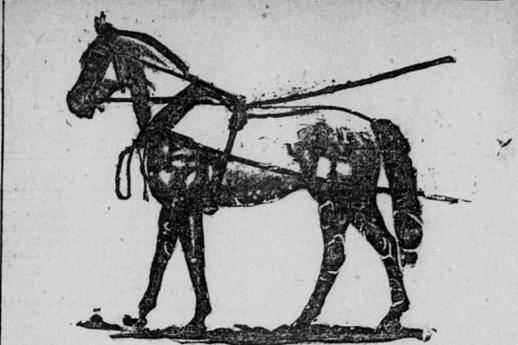
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White Imported black and White Sack Suit for \$20 (twenty dollars) here, would cost forty-five at a tailor's and be no better than ours.

A novelty that should interest gentlemen of taste is an elegantly made fine silk lined Sack Suit, made from an imported Black Serge. It's a perfect suit. We have marked them to sell for Twenty-five Dollars (worse suits are made to order for \$40.)

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It means that we will sell you Ingrain and castrage papers at our regular prices and hang them without extra charge.

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It means that the people of St. Paul and the Northwest are to learn that the place to buy wall papers and decorations in large lots and at moderate prices is at OLIVER BAKER'S.

It means that the citizens of St. Paul and Minneapolis should understand that they should go to the store and make their purchases instead of giving orders to solicitors at two to three times more than same grades of papers can be furnished by us.

It means that while we have had a large trade in wall papers, for a new house, that our trade in this department does not compare relatively to our business in the carpet and drapery departments, and consequently needs boosting.

It means that our wall paper trade is not commensurate with the wants of a great and growing city like St. Paul, nor is it what we are bound to make it, and we shall never rest satisfied without a larger share of the wall paper trade.

It means that when we furnish paper hangings on the wall on the foregoing basis it must be complete with suitable borders or creases to match.

It means that we have no time to spare for customers, so well known to the trade, who are forever hunting for cheap papers to use as borders.

It does not mean that we will hang common papers (worth 10c to 15c) free of charge, or anything short of a silk paper worth 40c to 50c.

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