

SAINT PAUL MATTERS.

Bright Promises of Victory for the Entire Democratic Ticket in Ramsey County.

A Sharp Trick on the Part of Republican Members of an Independent Union.

One of the Victims of the Railroad Disaster at Hic Well Known Here.

Increase in the Number of Divorces--A Semi-Political Sermon--Notes.

RAMSEY ALL RIGHT. The Troubled Political Seas are Smoothed in Time for Plain Sailing to Victory.

The political waters that, days ago, had in the minds of some a troubled aspect in Ramsey county, have rapidly smoothed themselves, and the straight Democratic ticket bids fair to have a pretty even track to victory to-morrow. For those offices over which the chief contest was predicted there has been something of a change in the general lay of things within two or three days. The election of Kain to the auditorship is conceded. A large number of Republicans will support him. If they are to vote for a Democrat they prefer Kain to O'Brien, and are hardly willing to run the risk of placing a man of Mr. O'Brien's inexperience in public life in so responsible a position. Added to this Aid. Kain will receive the entire support of the laboring men. In the contest for the clerkship Mr. Bell seems to be cutting no particular figure, although he still persists that he is a candidate, and will undoubtedly receive some votes. Ald. O'Connor and his friends, however, have made a red hot fight, and claim to be able to defeat Nichols, even without what Bell can bring to the aid. Ald. O'Connor is very popular, and the fight that Bell has been making being purely a piece of spite work, seems among some classes to have caused a reaction in favor of the man it was intended to injure. Friends of O'Connor claim to have secured the support of the sheriff George Allen has been making very lively for Mr. Richter. The hard work will, however, be kept up until the polls close, and in spite of Mr. Richter's strength among the Germans, Mr. Allen's friends believe that he will be elected.

UNFAIR FIGHTING. Stories have been industriously circulated in certain parts of the city, and among those voters who have come to St. Paul within the past few years, that the Democratic candidate for judge of probate is connected with O'Connor. The idea seems to be to bring up all the weak points, whatever they may have been, in the ex-sheriff's record, and use them against the Democratic candidate, who is not Henry O'Gorman, the ex-sheriff, but E. Stone Gorman, a gentleman with a different name and who never was sheriff in his life.

IT IS DEAD. Those gentlemen who called themselves the Jeffersonian Democracy have died by their own hand. A few members have made the whole organization a suicide. This organization was made up of certain Democrats who believed that the primaries on Sept. 6 were not conducted squarely. There were, during the pained days of the organization, forty-three members. It was proposed to put a ticket into the field, and the make up was left to a committee. This committee acted not wisely, but too well, and accepted and adopted, with few amendments, the Republican ticket. It was eagerly published by a Republican organ before it was adopted by the organization. That settled it for when the bulk of the members saw that the names of such men as O. O. Cullen, C. D. O'Brien, E. C. Starke, E. A. Hendrickson and others, against whom no Democrat or Republican could raise a finger, were deliberately left off, supposing the ticket was adopted, they remarked to themselves that such action was too thin and presumptuous, and immediately tendered their resignations, and by the overzealousness of a committee of three, and the publication of what proved a boomerang by a Republican organ, a total of thirty-six pretty pretty straight Democrats have been gained. The opinion is expressed, however, by one ex-member at least, that with but few exceptions the straight Democratic ticket would have been voted any how.

AN ARTFUL DECOY.

The Method Taken to Secure Votes for the Republican Candidates Through the Taxpayers' Union. The Taxpayers' association, or at any rate the portion of it which is comprised in its secretary, Mr. W. F. Mason, is sending out large quantities of ballots for use at the election to-morrow. Accompanying each is the circular of the association, which reminds the members that the association is pledged to support the ticket at the polls. It is said that about twenty-five thousand of these have been sent out. When the ballots for a ticket to be supported were counted on the other night, the secretary said there in the Lord only knows, and to tell who filled out the blanks would bother a man who is an expert at solving Chinese puzzles. A Globe reporter has been investigating the matter, and has the name of one who admitted that he collected, filled out and sent in to Mr. Mason ten of the blanks. It is possible that more were accumulated by Mr. Mason in the same way. But there are many who were largely on the Republican side of the house. There is a large-sized kick going on just at present at the clever Republican ruse that puts in the hands of all members the Republican ticket, it having received an alleged majority by return of about one-eighth of what were sent out. R. W. Johnson, one of the vice presidents of the association, has come out in a card against such methods, and many others join him. In a circular, sent out by Mr. Johnson when the ballots were mailed, five or six days ago, it was said that many whose names were on the list of members had not yet paid the initiation fee, and might not consider themselves members and entitled to vote. The secretary informed that the ballots returned by the ballot, marked, signified acceptance. As there were, perhaps, 400 who really consider themselves members, and few others, the great proportion of the men who are receiving their ballots, who did not understand that they do not consider themselves bound by the ballot, and to take Republicans who have made up this ticket, and wish the secretary to understand, that they consider it no breach of faith, or violation of any agreement, if they do not fall into this decoy, which they acknowledge is rather artfully set.

TRICKERY.

Republicans to Resort to Every Scheme, Even to Scratching Their Own Tickets, for the Sake of Catching Votes. The voters of Ramsey county are probably aware that the usual tactics to secure a majority, and even to obtain possession of the polls, have been settled upon by the Republican managers in their daily secret committee meetings. They will have paid workers for the party about the polling places to keep away Democratic voters. They are to try to secure all the vehicles of the livery stables--hacks, hansoms, busses and private rigs--in advance so as to facilitate the bringing of Republican voters in bodies to the polls early, and to take reporters from one polling place to another. They have engaged men with pasters and mongrel tickets handy and numerous, so that unsuspecting persons may be led into a trap and cast the ballot they had not wished to.

But there is a more important thing than all these. It is rumored that they have Democratic tickets with the names of Democratic candidates misspelled, or their initials transposed, omitted or substituted by wrong ones, so as to lead the voters to wrong voters to cast a ballot which will be declared null and void by the judges of election. An effort is also to be

made to obtain possession of what Democratic tickets can be secured by trickery and theft, to exhaust the supply as early as possible, and leave some polling places with only one ticket in the field. Gillilan, Sam Nichols and H. B. Willis were closed.

BEHIND LOCKED DOORS. The fire department will be materially increased and strengthened to-day by the putting in service of two new chemical engines and two new hook and ladder trucks. The trucks will be known as companies No. 3 and No. 4, and will be located at the new addition to No. 5 engine house at the corner of Selby and Mackubin streets, and No. 4 will occupy the new house at the corner of Conway and Maple streets. Each truck will be manned by eight men including officers, drivers and attendants. The trucks will be known as No. 6 and No. 7 and located in the new houses at Victoria and Hennepin and Payne and York streets. Each of the chemicals will have five men.

From a Colored Voter.

To my Fellow Colored Citizens: The Republican party claims to have freed us from slavery. If they did, it has also entrapped us into political slavery. Any expedient which it is possible to resort to is attempted to keep us in subservience, and make the "niggers," as the Republicans call us after election, mere voting cattle, simply political machinery. But to the eyes of the colored man, the Republican party is not to be trusted to be entrusted to give these tickets to the polls and dispense them. I have located in your city as the representative of a colored man, of Philadelphia, and shall be pleased to meet any citizen who wishes to call on me. J. P. BARKER, JR., 125 East Third street. St. Paul, Oct. 31, 1886.

No Advice Needed.

M. F. Proping, of this city, was at St. Michael's church since advocating the election of McGill. The audience he was addressing did not seem in sympathy with the speaker, for at the close of his remarks an old grey-haired man arose and said they did not need any young lawyer to come from St. Paul to tell them how to vote, and proposed three cheers for Dr. Ames, which were given with a will by the entire crowd present.

THE INCREASE OF DIVORCES.

Bishop Gilbert, Before the White Cross League, Touches on the Frequency of Divorces. The usual Sunday afternoon meeting of the White Cross league was held at the Bethel chapel yesterday afternoon. A good audience was addressed by Bishop M. N. Gilbert. The speaker congratulated the members upon the growth of the movement in this city, which is now universal and is being felt in all denominations. From recent White Cross conventions held in the East it has been estimated that in three years its influence shall be felt in the legislative bodies of the country. There are different agencies being employed to help along the cause, and every member should adopt some one best suited to himself to enable him in his efforts for the cause. The growing evil of divorce came in for just censure. The speaker believed that the White Cross movement should take up this evil, and as a reform of social purity, take a firm stand against it. The family life is the foundation of the nation. A divorced person, the bishop thought, should not marry again unless the divorce had been granted by a competent authority, and would not perform the marriage ceremony for such divorced persons, unless with the assurance that neither party has been married by either husband and wife. If men and women felt before they married more of the sacredness of the marriage tie, that in God's eyes it was for life, he believed that there would be fewer divorces, even if there might be fewer marriages. It has been estimated at the present ratio of divorces, that of the people married will be divorced. In his conclusion the bishop acknowledged with fitting words the receipt of a floral cross of roses, which stood upon the desk before him, and was the present of the league.

MRS. G. A. MARR, A VICTIM.

A Young Woman Well Known in St. Paul Society One of Those Who Perished at Rio. The identity of another of the victims of the railroad disaster at Rio on the Milwaukee road was established yesterday, word being received in St. Paul that the body of Mrs. George A. Marr had been identified. Mrs. Marr was well known in St. Paul, having spent one winter in this city previous to her marriage. She was then Miss Corrie Butler, and while here she was the guest of Mrs. Francis Armstrong and mingled to a considerable extent in society. Her husband was for a time associated with Major Allen in his engineering work on the Mississippi river. They were married a little more than a year ago. Mr. Armstrong of this city was at the scene of the wreck yesterday and by means of pieces of jewelry that were found among the partially buried remains, established the identity of Mrs. Marr, and her husband. The remains were taken to Michigan, the late home of the dead woman. D. P. Parker, Jr., of St. Paul, who was mentioned in yesterday morning's dispatches as having been a passenger on the wrecked train, says that he came from Chicago a day later, and his friends have no occasion for alarm.

GOD SAVE THE COMMONWEALTH.

Rev. Dr. Dana Urges Every Voter to Cast His Ballot To-morrow. Rev. Dr. Dana wore a troubled look as he stood up in the pulpit of Plymouth church last evening and faced the 200 people who had assembled to listen to his views on the political contest. The speaker urged the importance of every voter being at the polls to-morrow to cast his vote. Absentees at the polls, he claimed, was what was filling the heart of the nation with corruption and dry rot. He spoke enthusiastically of the temperance party and believed that the grand old party, into whose hands the Prohibitionists had placed their banner, would march on to victory. He revealed his own views at the Columbia society, and said he hoped the day would soon come when that society would rue the day that they gave their name to the public. He indirectly lashed the Democratic party and hinted that it was upholding the saloon element, and referred to it as being a wily enemy, devoid of principle and conscience. He closed his sermon by saying that he hoped and believed the Republican party would come out of the light with victory perched on its banners. "God save the Commonwealth" were the speaker's last words, as he closed the Bible.

Suggestions as to Street Cars.

To the Editor of the Globe: Please allow me to make two suggestions to the management of the street railways: First--That they issue orders to have the rear platforms of their cars kept free from passengers while in motion. These platforms are small and only intended to be used in entering and leaving the car, and it is not pleasant for a day, after stepping out of the car, to be kept standing a full minute or two in the mud or dust awaiting the pleasure of one or more men to start their cars on a steady pull, instead of the jerk so universal on these roads. By so doing they will save the breasts of the horses from being bruised, as is the case when they set their weight against the collars suddenly and quickly; and they will conduce largely to the comfort of their patrons. It is not pleasant, just as a person is about depositing his

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Mr. and Mrs. George H. Power, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Harper, of Stillwater, were in the city for dinner yesterday.

W. W. Buchanan, of Duluth, and W. Baker, of Winnipeg, were at the Ryan yesterday. With them were J. L. Kowley and Hon. F. Sarine, of England, and W. L. Hoyle and C. S. Rice, of Minnesota. They were accompanied by their Winnipeg friends, left last night for Manitoba.

A Virginial Present.

The Virgin Salt company, of New Haven, Conn., to introduce virgin salt into every family are making this grand offer: A crazy patternwork block, enameled in twelve beautiful colors, and containing the latest fancy patterns, engraved and mounted on card having a beautiful gold mounted ideal portrait in the center, given away with every 10