SAINT PAUL MATTERS.

The Fire Commission Re-Elected John T. Black Chief of the Department Last Night.

Bert Steenstra, a Messenger Boy, Fell From His Pony and Was Fatally Hurt.

Location of a City Building for South St. Paul--In Favor of a Mining Exchange.

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CHIEF BLACK RE-ELECTED

And His Assistants in the Fire Department Reappointed--Doings of the Commissioners.

Chief Engineer John T. Black, of the St. Paul fire department, was re-elected last night unanimously, upon Commissioner Parker's motion, for the two years commencing April 1. He then renominated for his assistants John Jackson, first assistant chief, and M. F. Kelliher, second assistant chief, which nominations were unanimously confirmed by the board. On Commissioner Pendergast's motion L. R. Jenkins was unanimously re-elected superintendent of fire alarm telegraph.

The following bids for the new two-story brick engine house, corner of Ninth and Fort streets were received: Dowling & Ruse, $17,200; William Johnston & Bro., $17 950; J. L. Rood, $17,295; G. H. Fletcher, $18,875; A. Bassford, $17,369; Henry Maltby, $17,392.71; J. F. Hedinger, $17,400; W. O. Erickson, $16,900; Romaine Sheire, $18,365; John H. Donahue, $16,475; M. P. Ryan, $15,700; McSherry & White, $14,700; Dolan Bros., $17,800. The awarding of the contract was postponed until the No. 1 property on St. Peter street is sold. The information was received that Auctioneer Doherty had said the property would bring all the way from $26,000 to $28,000. The board wants to get $30,000. If a less figure than that carries off the property it may be necessary to cut down the estimated cost of the new engine house. McSherry & White are the lowest bidders. Only one bid for painting and glazing was received, that of Nesbitt & Co., $472. It also was laid over.

THE INTERURBAN STATIONS.

Architect H. E. Hand's plans (No. 2) for the proposed engine houses at Hamline and Merriam Park were adopted. They represent very substantial and handsome looking buildings in the old English Renaissance style, with double entrance, two stories high, fifty feet wide by 110 feet deep, both to be of red brick with cream brick and brown sandstone trimmings.

The new second size Silsby engine, for which the board exchanged the old No. 5 and a "boot" of $3,000 cash, was ordered to be sent here. The March pay roll amounts to $11,887.42. The committee on machinery will report what new fire apparatus will be needed for the year at the next meeting. No sites for new engine houses in West St. Paul have yet been selected by Commissioners Martin, Pendergast and Freeman, so the matter is still in their hands. It being represented that Engine House No. 6 was in a condition of rapid decay, the board decided to condemn it.

When the board adjourned Chief Black celebrated his re-election by doing the handsome with a very palatable lunch in the Ryan cafe. His guests were Commissioners Warner, Parker, Prendergast, Freeman and Martin, Col. Emerson, Architect Hand, A. Brassford, Assistant Chiefs Jackson and Kelliher, and representatives of the press. Several congratulations were directed at the host, and the night passed pleasantly.

KILLED BY A FALL.

Bert Steenstra, a Mounted Messenger Boy, Thrown From His Pony and Fatally Injured.

Last night, shortly after 7 o'clock, Bert Steenstra, aged about 13 years, a mounted messenger, in the employ of the American District Telegraph company, was riding up Fourth street on his way to deliver his last message, before going to his home on Selby avenue, he collided with a pedestrian and all went down in a heap. The boy struck his head on one of the rails of the street car track and sustained a fracture of the skull near the base of the brain. He was carried into K. P. Cullen's house, corner of Fourth and Franklin streets, and Dr. Metcalf summoned, but he lived only about twenty minutes. His father, a compositor on the GLOBE, was at once notified and he proceeded to break the sad news to the mother, who was at that time attending the meeting of the Congregational club at the Plymouth church. The pedestrian, after sitting on the curbstone a few minutes, walked away, apparently uninjured. His name could not be learned. The officials of the District Telegraph company, as soon as they learned of the accident, proceeded at once to Mr. Cullen's house, and did everything in their power toward the relief of the grief-stricken family. The deceased had been in the employ of the company for some months, and the manager and his companions spoke in the highest terms of him.

FROM THE WEST SIDE.

A Town Hall Site Selected for South St. Paul--Doings of the Sixth Ward Citizens.

The South St. Paul council met Saturday afternoon in the McClung school house. After routine business sites were selected for school houses as follows: First ward, in South Park addition; Second ward, on Ald. Wentworth's farm on Oakdale avenue; Third ward, near the junction of Sunfish lake and Dodd road; Fourth ward, on Ald. Minea's farm on the Sunfish lake road; Fifth ward, in South St. Paul proper. Three lots have been donated by the present owners for each of these school lands. The city hall was located on the north line of section 20, between Eaton and Oakdale avenues. An acre, clear of streets, has been set apart for this building. Patrick Brennen was appointed street commissioner. The ordinance providing for the appointment of police officers and other city officials was laid upon the table and will be acted upon at a future meeting. A city marshal will probably be appointed at the next meeting and the police force increased as occasion demands. The next meeting will be held next Saturday at 2 o'clock.

NOTES.

The second of the series of lectures on the United States senate of 1860–61, by Maj. T. M. Newson, before Bircher post, G. A. R., and Gen. H. H. Sibley camp, Sons of Veterans, will be delivered to-night in Marti's hall, near the end of the Wabasha street bridge. The exercises will be interspersed with songs by Nathan Prescott, Ethan Allen, C. Brennan, Harry Bauer, Harry Huntsman and Clarence Merritt. The Daughters of Veterans have agreed to sing a chorus and Gov. McGill has promised to be present if circumstances will permit.

J. M. Hawthorne, of the law firm of Woodbury & Hawthorne, has just been informed that his essay on a legal subject, which took first prize in the university of Wisconsin contest, has received third prize in the national contest at Philadelphia, in which there were contestants from twenty other colleges and universities. The board which made the award consisted of Justice Miller, of the United States supreme court, Judge Burnett, of Boston, and Dr. Hammond, of the St. Louis law school.

Officials of the North American Telegraph company were looking over the ground yesterday with a view toward establishing a branch office in West St. Paul. They hope to affect an arrangement with the District Telegraph company whereby they may open an office together. At any rate, the residents of the Sixth ward feel reasonably sure that they will have telegraph service within a short time.

Rev. C. C. Herriott will celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of his marriage by entertaining the Ladies' Aid society of the Westminister Presbyterian church at his residence on Wednesday evening.

A side track is being put in on the ground of the Capital City syndicate, on their fill near Concord street, to accommodate the manufactories soon to be located on the grounds.

Ald. Bryant, Minea, Henry Martin and the remainder of the California excursionists are expected to return from their trip in about two weeks.

The Wharry Conservatory of Music is looking about for a location on the West side. Already they have a number of pupils there.

It is authoritatively stated that the Red Cap base ball nine will be reorganized for this season in the near future.

J. N. Wilgus, who has been investigating the booms at Duluth and Ashland, returned last night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bartlett have returned from their winter's sojourn in Florida.

FAVORS A MINING EXCHANGE.

Such is the Report of a Special Committee From the Chamber of Commerce on Sprinkling Streets.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce yesterday, notice was received that the city had been divided into sprinkling districts and bids had been advertised for doing the sprinkling. Mr. D. R. Noyes from the special committee reported in the matter of the mining exchange. He said that though the committee does not approve of the establishment here of a mere mining exchange, it believes, however, that this is the place, and probably the time for the establishment under the best and most conservative influences of a general stock exchange, including, of course, mining stocks for the Northwest, and that the need of such an exchange is a growing one. A number of corporate stocks originated in St. Paul, and others are largly owned and controlled here. St. Paul is the financial and commercial capital of the Northwest and the only place in it for such an exchange. While the chamber of commerce cannot take the initiative in the matter, the establishment of a conservative and general stock exchange in St. Paul will meet its hearty approval. The report was adopted. The Trades and Labor Assembly of St. Paul sent in a communication asking in substance that the St. Paul chamber of commerce should use its influence to have the contracts for the plumbing, gas-fitting and steam apparatus for the new court house done in St. Paul, and the same was referred to the committee on court house. A resolution that the council be requested to order the sprinkling of Seventh street, from Earl to Victoria street, also all the streets on the territory bounded by and including the following portions of streets, viz: Third street, Hoffman avenue, Cherry street, Maria avenue, Westminster, Somerset, Thirteenth, Jackson, Cedar, Viola, Rice, Iglehart, Kent, Lincoln, Ramsey, Sherman, Franklin and Eagle streets, around Irvine park, and University, Como, Western and Pleasant avenues, excepting such streets, if any, in the northwestern part of the territory as should, in the judgment of said council, be omitted.

The president reported that at a meeting of the perpetual members held on the 24th inst. it was resolved that certificates of indebtedness of the chamber of commerce to the amount of $15,000 be issued for the purpose of taking up the floating debt of the chamber, the certificates to be 150 in number of $100 each, and to bear 7 per cent. per annum interest, to be signed by the president and recorder of the chamber, to bear the corporate seal of the chamber, and that each perpetual member be requested to take one. Accompanying the president's report was a communication from Peter Berkey, the treasurer, stating that the certificates were ready and asking the perpetual members to come forward and take them.

"RIENZI."

A Grand Production of Miss Mitford's Tragedy by Lawrence Barrett and His Efficient Company--A Superb Stage Setting--The Audience Large, Critical and Enthusiastic.

Both as regards its dramatic and its spectacular effects Lawrence Barrett's production of "Rienzi" is the acme of stage art. The drama itself is a masterpiece of tragic work, deserving to stand alongside with Shakespeare's productions, and in some respects superior to "Richelieu" and "Francesca." In his revival of "Rienzi" Mr. Barrett has paid due regard to the modern taste for scenic display. The play is beautifully mounted, being the most gorgeous stage setting that has ever been seen in this city. The chief scenes are a view of Roman ruins in the first act, the Tribune's palace in the second, and the banquet hall and the cathedral in the third and fourth acts. In his impersonation of "Rienzi" the Tribune, Mr. Barrett has a part which is unquestionably his crowning achievement. It is a complex character, which requires the highest ability to give a successful interpretation, but is so admirably adapted to Mr. Barrett's methods that he seems to have been born into it. It was a large and critical audience that Mr. Barrett played to last night. With the characteristic caution of a St. Paul audience, there was nothing demonstrative until the convincing proof of genuine merit in both the play and the actor was given. There was ample demonstration of this before the first act was concluded, and when the curtain dropped the first time there was an ovation. From that time on until the conclusion of the performance there was an enthusiasm which is seldom seen in a St. Paul theater, and which was not exceeded even during Edwin Booth's engagement in this city. Mr. Barrett was called before the curtain twice at the conclusion of each act, and as many as four times at the end of the third act. Miss Gale, whose impersonation of Claudia is a charming piece of dramatic work, and Mr. Weiles, who plays Angelo with an intelligent conception of the part, were the recipients of frequent applause. The other members of the company did good work. The music, both in the magnificent bridal scene and in the equally superb cathedral setting, was well rendered. The supernumeries and the madrigal boys acquitted themselves with credit, and it is seldom that a first night's performance moves off as smoothly as the one last evening. The costuming was magnificent. The same performance to-night.

Don Cameron, the midget, appeared before crowds at the Seventh street museum last night. In the theaters Bobby Newcomb in his specialty, McIntyre and Heath in their funny act, the quartette and the after piece, "St. Paul Bakery," kept the audience in a roar. Friday every lady and little girl attending the museum will be given a bottle of perfumery.

Symonds & Hughes' Sunny South company opened at the Olympic last night before a good audience. Hits were made by the Dillons, Symonds and Hughes, the Nester brothers and Etta Melnotte. The latter lady, who does mind reading, is really a wonder, doing some exceedingly difficult tricks.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A Number of Improvements Ordered--No Damages to Be Assessed For Removing the Slaughter Houses From the Seventh Ward.

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works yesterday the clerk was directed to give first notice to property owners for a a change of grade on the following streets:

Twelfth, from Jackson to Minnesota; Summit avenue, from Dale to Lexington; Magnolia, from De Soto to Bradley; Eighth, from Jackson to Minnesota; George, from State to Livingston; Ducas, from George to Dearborn; Robert, from Eighth to Central avenue.

The board will report favorably on the grading of Erie street, from Banfil to Randolph; the engineer's estimate of cost for the 4,740 lineal feet being $6,960. The board will also favor the opening of Western avenue north to city limits; opening Belvidere from Hall avenue to South Robert. The report of the city attorney as to the power of the board to assess damages for the removal of the slaughtering establishments from the Seventh ward, advised that if any nuisances existed from the slaughtering establishments they should be abolished by order of the health commissioner. The order was returned to the council with this recommendation.

Property owners on the line of the proposed change of grade on Sixth street, between Broadway and John, will have a hearing before the board at a special session on Thursday evening, March 31. A hearing will be given interested parties in the matter of grading Stryker avenue, from Annapolis to Louisa streets on Friday, April 1.

CONGREGATIONAL CLUB.

An Evening Devoted to the Discussion of Renting Church Pews.

The March meeting of the Congregational club was held last evening in the parlors of the Plymouth church. Early in the evening a supper was served by the ladies of the church, after which the meeting was called to order and M. F. Hawley, Esq., of Minneapolis, read the paper of the evening on the subject of "Church Finances." He said one-half the time of most congregations was spent in divising methods to raise the church debt. He discountenanced the system of pew renting as one which gave the renter a feeling of proprietorship, which was embarrassing to strangers. He thought the system of pledges preferable. After the reading of Mr. Hawley's paper, the subject was open for discussion. Judge Woods, of Minneapolis, thought the system of free seats was unsatisfactory. He was a firm believer in a strict system of bookkeeping, the same as in business life. He looked for co-operation among churches whereby the number of churches would be reduced in small towns. H. H. Hart spoke of the system now in use in one of the churches of Cleveland. There the pledge system had been adopted, and it had proven satisfactory. George R. Dickinson, of the Atlantic Congregational church, was in favor of the pledge system. Under it his church had become self-supporting. Rev. L. W. Campbell, of Minneapolis, also favored the subscription plan. He said that there were men who wanted their preaching for nothing, and those were the men who most needed the preaching, and he wanted to get them to come to church.

Mr. Gribble Denies It.

Edwin Gribble came to the GLOBE office yesterday and denied the statement that he has been wont to visit the Stillwater penitentiary as often as once in two weeks for the purpose of consulting the convicts in secret. He says he has probably been there as often as twice in six months for the purpose of consulting clients, and this he has always done in the committee room in the presence of witnesses. Once, he claims, he went to a woman's cell who was sick, but was accompanied by the matron. He said that he had never met Warden Stordock, and he did not tell him that he was entitled to his meals there. Mr. Gribble said that he had once been kept under lock and key by a deputy for two hours, and then had not been treated courteously. He said that no warden or any man could keep any lawyer from visiting clients there, for the legislature had given attorneys that right.

The Park Commission.

The park commission met yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock in City Attorney Murray's office. A temporary organization was effected by the election of W. A. Van Slyke president and Dr. R. Schiffman secretary. There were present W. A. Van Slyke, John D. Lutton, Stanford Newell, R. Schiffmann, W. M. Campbell and Beriah McLaughlin. After passing a resolution requesting the city engineer to furnish descriptions of all the public parks in the city, the commission adjourned to meet next Monday at 3 o'clock, when it is hoped the entire board will be present.

New Incorporations.

Articles were filed yesterday incorporating the following concerns: The Zenith Iron Mining company, of Duluth; incorporators, Edwin Ellis, Ashland, Wis., George C. Greenwood, Duluth, J. T. Gregory, Ashland, R. D. Mallett, Duluth, J. H. James, Milwaukee. Capitol stock, $1,000,000.

The Eighth Ward Relief Association of Minneapolis, an association designed to give aid to needy persons; capital stock, $10,000.

The St. Louis Iron Mining Company of Duluth; incorporators, Richard H. Lee, Isaac P. Beck, Albert L. Chase; A. J. Whiteman, A. H. Viele, W. B. Dixon and Charles B. Woodruff, all of Duluth. Capital stock is $1,000,000.

To Protect Nurserymen.

A delegation of nurserymen from Sioux City, Ia., called on Secretary of State Mattson yesterday and signified their readiness to give the bond required by the new law in this state and take out the necessary license. The law passed was drawn and backed by the State Horticultural society, and is designed to protect purchasers in this state from unscrupulous venders of trees, who impose on the unsuspecting farmers by peddling spurious articles. The bond required is the sum of $2,000, and all nursery men are requested to give this and furnish a certificate to the secretary of state, showing the kind of trees, shrubs, etc., it is proposed to deal in.

Said to be a "Tough Joint."

Two warrants of arrest were issued yesterday against Annie Preston, a white woman who presides over a bagnio of colored sisters at 378 Minnesota street, for keeping a house of ill-fame and selling liquor without license. When the papers were served she was ill in bed, and her physician testified that she was too sick to be moved. Her house has the reputation of being a "tough joint," and will be closed. A lumberman from the woods complained at police headquarters yesterday that he had been robbed there, while asleep, of $186, his entire winter's earnings, the Saturday night, and similar reports have reached the police before. Annie Preston will have to answer for complicity in the robbery when the other cases are disposed of.

WHAT SOME MEN SAID.

Secretary of State Mattson—There were several general laws of the last session that did not appear in the list published by the papers throughout the state. There was not room for all of them in the size of paper decided on, and we picked those of the greatest general interest.

Receiver of Public Money Frank S. De Mers, at Fargo—I have just heard of my appointment. When I was a boy I used to carry a route for the Buffalo Courier. My father did not know I was doing it until one New Year's day I asked him if he wasn't going to give the carrier-boy a quarter. He said he was, and handed it to me, telling me to give it to him. I put the quarter in my pocket, and when he investigated he found out what I was doing. I used to get $8 a month for the work.

E. D. Chaddick, Railroad Editor of the Tribune—I am not investing at Ashland. Next week I'm going to Texas to boom some mines I own down there.

Assistant Supt. Pendergast—No Ashland in mine; Hutchinson booms enough to suit me.

COURT NOTES.

Mary Barteau, nee Bailey, wife of William L. Barteau, has sued Charles E. Fowler for $750.20 on promissory note.

Suit for $200.60 is brought by the Smith Fuel and Towing company against Herzog & Reardon, on account of goods sold.

Action to recover $2,000 has been brought by the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha road against its agent, F. H. Harvey. Plaintiff alleges that Mr. Harvey has converted the amount asked for to his own private use. Garnishment proceedings have been commenced against the Second national bank.

H. W. Foote claims that L. T. Stensgaard conveyed certain property in Eastville Heights addition to James J. Nelson for the purpose of cheating him out of a judgment of $100 and costs rendered by the municipal court. He therefore asks the Ramsey county district court to set aside the sale and order the property to be sold to satisfy said judgment.

GLOBULES.

Bank clearances yesterday, $621,471.76.

Diphtheria is reported at No. 2 Fire street.

Prof. Kiehle will attend the teachers' institute at Winona on Wednesday.

Teachers' institutes will be held this week at Wadena, Glencoe and Winona.

Five births, ten deaths and three marriages were reported at the health office yesterday.

For money to loan on real estate at lowest rates, no delay, interest payable here, see E. S. Chittenden.

The board of regents of the state university will hold a meeting at the office of Supt. Kiehle, at the capitol, at 10 o'clock to-day.

The work of removing the mayor's office and records to the new quarters in the Bank of Minnesota building will be completed to-day.

Prof. Pendergast, assistant superintendent of public instruction, left last night to visit Winnebago City and Blue Earth City high schools.

To-day the ladies of the W. C. T. U. will conduct an all day prayer meeting in the temperance rooms, 58 East Seventh street, commencing at 10 o'clock.

Mayor Smith left the city for the East last night and will be absent about a week. The reins of office will fall into the hands of President Kerr, of the council, meanwhile.

H. E. Hoard, of Montevideo, has been appointed agent to co-operate with the county commissioners of Chippewa county in the distribution of money for the relief of sufferers by the hail storms there last year.

A meeting of the West Seventh Street Citizens' union will be held at A. O. U. W. hall, corner West Seventh and Bay streets, this evening. The report of committees on the Mississippi river ferry and the location of a market house will be the special order.

H. H. Fuller has awarded the contract for grading Clifton park, a beautiful piece of ground near the Indian mounds on Dayton's bluff, to John W. Best for $4,755. Mr. Fuller intends to make the property as beautiful as possible, so that they will be desirable residence sites.

PERSONALS.

E. R. Mills, of Duluth, is at the Ryan.

R. W. Kerr, of Winnipeg, is at the Ryan.

H. C. Howells, of Chicago, is a guest at the Ryan.

H. J. Gleason and wife, Neenah, are at the Windsor.

Frank B. Hilton, of Fargo, is a guest at the Clarendon.

J. H. Hanson has gone to Chicago and will return Thursday.

Insurance Commissioner Shandrew returned yesterday.

Charles Thompson, of Bismarck, is a guest at the Merchants.

E. C. Waters, of Billings, Mont., is putting up at the Merchants.

Congressman McDonald, of Shakopee, was in the city yesterday.

James Noxon and wife, Winona, have rooms at the Windsor.

W. O. Mulcahy, of Grand Forks, is registered at the Merchants.

John T. Tinkee and wife, Eau Claire, were at the Windsor yesterday.

E. L. Prussing, a prominent capitalist of Chicago, is at the Ryan.

Anton Klaus, of Jamestown, Dak., is at the Clarendon, en route to the territory.

Girls waiting places at Kent's package delivery, 209 West Seventh street.

Capt. M. R. Flint, of Fargo, and a member of the Fargo Argus staff, is putting up at the Merchants.

Addison Leech, J. W. Leech and Addison Leech, Jr., of Erie, Pa., are at the Merchants. They are bonanza farmers en route to Dakota to put in a crop of wheat.

Conrad Kerst and Ed Schliek have returned from a European trip which lasted three months. M. Lux is also home again and was serenaded upon his return. These gentlemen traveled over Germany, France, Italy, Switzerland and Austria and took in all the places of note.

Don't Fail

To see the bargains McLain is giving in white goods; 10c., 12½c., and 15c, check white goods marked down to 8c. at McLain's, 384 Wabasha street.

ROTUNDA RIFF-RAFF.

Men Who Were Met in the Corridors and By-Ways of St. Paul Hotels Yesterday.

How Ex-Gov. Gil Pierce Slipped Into a Nice, Little Cosy Nest Lined With Silver.

John D. Lawler, of Mitchell, Stands a Good Show of Being Next Territorial Treasurer.

A New Recipe for Clothing Bleak and Barren Scalps With Luxuriant Raven Locks.

Dr. Collins came in from the East yesterday and wrote his name on the Merchants register. Dr. Collins is a citizen of Grand Forks, and was a member of the territorial council during the last session. He has not been home since the legislature adjourned, but has spent his time regaining his strength in the East and in and around St. Paul and Minneapolis. The doctor unbosomed himself regarding things political, and said that while Maj. Edwards was a social king and the prince of good fellows in his opinion, he was not the man who would suit the people for the position of public examiner, and he thought Gov. Church took the right step when he withdrew his name from the council and substituted that of E. S. Tyler. The doctor was the father of the railroad bill that was found to be missing on the last night of the session, and charges were made on the floor in the heated debate that followed the discovery that he had been induced to withdraw it, and it could be found in the bottom of his wife's trunk. In regard to this the doctor isn't saying a word. Grand Forks got within about $7,000 of the appropriations she asked, and he is comparatively happy.

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During the run of conversation, Dr. Collins gave it out that ex-Gov. Gil Pierce was elected president of the Grand Forks university, as intimated by the GLOBE, before the legislature adjourned. The election of the ex-governor had actually taken place by the old board of trustees, and needed only to be ratified by the new board, which would probably do so without a dissenting voice. This will make a very soft nest for the ex-governor to lie down in, as Dr. Collins said when the bill providing for the appropriation for the maintenance of the university was drawn up, it was calculated that $3,000 per year would be devoted to the payment of President Pierce's salary. This was with the understanding that the ex-governor should remove his family from Bismarck to Grand Forks, and this, the doctor says, Pierce had agreed to do. It is intimated that the ex-governor, in connection with his duties as president of the North Dakota university, will perform some newspaper work, and that the headquarters of the Dakota department of the daily paper that he represents will be taken from Bismarck to Grand Forks, which is a great distance from the news center of that territory. It is claimed that Mr. Pierce is drawing a salary of $3,000 per annum from the paper he represents, for the column and a quarter of double leaded brevier editorial paragraphs that he furnishes it a week, and this salary, coupled with the emolument of the university president's office, will give him an income that will enable him to live sumptuously. Outside of his regular income, it is hinted that the citizens of Grand Forks will contribute liberally to his exchequer if he will make his journalistic headquarters in that city. It is the general impression that the whilom governor of Dakota is bent on laying up treasures for himself on earth and will use his newspaper representation to further his ends financially and politically.

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There is much speculation as to who will be the next treasurer of Dakota, among the Dakotans now stopping in the city and among these men the subject is one of interesting discussion. Some have the impression that ex-Treasurer Raymond will be re-appointed, but this is not the opinion of the majority who express themselves on the subject. In conversation with a GLOBE representative yesterday a prominent citizen of the territory said that, in his estimation, the most promising man for that office was John D. Lawler, of Mitchell. Mr. Lawler was a member of the last council, and is an active Democrat. He is a banker, represents the interests of the Milwaukee road, in which his father is a heavy stockholder, and is a thorough business man. In the last legislature Mitchell got the cold shoulder. In her attempt to get the United States court from Yankton she was badly defeated, and it was a noticeable fact that whilt Mentzer, the Mitchell representative in the house, fought tooth and nail for this measure, and carried it through his branch of the legislature, Lawler sat in the council with no more apparent interest in the issue than that evinced by the most careless spectator in the lobby. In his selection for treasurer, Dakota's new governor could hardly make an appointment that would be more satisfactory to representative Democrats and the people of the territory at large than John D. Lawler. He is a brother of W. D. Lawler, assistant United States district attorney of St. Paul, and a son-in-law of Gen. Sturgis, now retired from service.

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City Attorney Dodge, of Jamestown, Dak. has been in the city several days, quartered at the Clarendon, accompanied by Mrs. Dodge and the babies. Mr. Dodge was one of the most active members of the territorial council and got mixed up in several hard battles with much older heads than his, but he never failed to come out on the top of the heap. He won the title of Adonis by his gentlemanly manners and Apollo Belvidere figure. Dodge went there to guard the interests of the Jamestown insane asylum, and he came away with his hair full of plumes and honors heaped high upon him. He secured the biggest appropriations made and had the supreme satisfaction of getting every cent he asked for. This disgruntled some of the less successful petitioners for territorial funds, and they charged Dodge with getting a foothold in the favor of the governor by promising him that he would stand by him through thick and thin if he would give him what money he asked for for the Jamestown asylum. However this may be, Dodge got there, and came away from Bismarck with brighter colors than any other member of the council. On the night that Dr. Stewart tried to pass his soldiers' home bill over the governor's veto, Dodge was fast asleep in his chair when the clerk called for his vote. The clerk yelled his name twice but Dodge refused to wake up and the bill was lost. As soon as the vote was counted and the governor's veto declared sustained, Dodge lifted his head, rubbed his eyes and said to the councilmen near him: "Boys, let's have a bottle of wine on the Jimtown appropriation." They had the wine. Mr. Dodge and his family left for home last night.

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Cashier MacDonald, of the Ryan, is home from Chicago where he has been for the past few days whetting his appetite on the lake breezes. Mac now wears long hair of raven hue, that covers his head in a thick, curly crop. Last summer he had a habit of wearing his hair closely clipped and a large round spot of baldness was noticeable on the top of his head. This spot gave the daper cashier considerable uneasiness especially when he was obliged to prouse around in the presence of ladies. Hair invigorators and coaxers he used in unlimited quantities, without the desired effect, and he was about to give up in despair, when one day a guest advised him to use gin and salt. Anxious to get a growth of hair, he tried it, and when two months later the guest asked him if he had tried the gin and salt, he said yes, but it was the d——st stuff he ever drank.

At this the guest fell down on a settee and laughed till he perspired.

"What's the matter with you?" inquired Mac.

"Why you don't want to drink it," said the guest between gasps, "bathe your head in it, rub it into your scalp. Did you think drinking gin and salt would make hair grow on the top of your head?"

Still ambitious Mac applied the gin and salt to his bleak and barren scalp, and as a result he now has a wonderfully fine crop of silken hair.

Yesterday a traveling man, whose hair had thinned out considerably and who had not seen Mac since last summer when his hair was short, came up to the Ryan register, and shaking hands with Mac, drew him off to one side and said in a low tone:

"Where did you get it, Mac? I want one just like it and I don't care a d—n how much it costs, either."

"What do you mean?" inquired Mac.

"Why that head of hair. It's the most natural looking wig I ever saw."

Those two men now converse with each other in monosyllables and when Mac sees the traveling man coming his way, he chews his gum with more than ordinary emphasis.

Slugged and Stabbed.

Special to the Globe.

ST. CLOUD, March 28.—Charles Schmitt on Saturday evening, while returning home, was knocked down with a slung-shot and stabbed in the side by three brothers named Oeffner, who had followed him for that purpose. Schmitt had a quarrel with some of the brothers a few evenings before, and had ordered them out of his place of business. Warrants have been issued for their arrest.

Senator Eustis speaks and reads French like a native, and is fond of yellow-colored novels.

Fortunes in Ashland.

E. P. Miller, of the firm of George Bros. & Miller, 305 Robert street, will be in St. Paul to-day, where he will be pleased to see the firms, customers or any persons desiring information about or wishing to invest in Ashland. Mr. Miller says the boom has only just begun, and that thousands are flocking into Ashland from all parts of the country, and property will advance 500 per cent. in the next thirty days. C. H. George and Mr. Miller have opened a branch office in Ashland and will take good care of any one wishing to make a deal in what is prophesied to become the great lake port of the Northwest.

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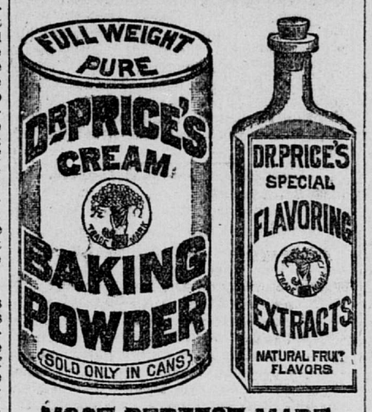

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