A MINNEAPOLIS THURSDAY.

Congressman Wadsworth Taken Very Ill While Making His Plea in the Nelson Will Case.

His Condition So Serious That His Physicians Refuse to Allow Him to Continue His Argument.

A Great Crowd in the Court Room in the Afternoon to Hear the Tall Sycamore of the Wabash.

Hon. Eugene M. Wilson Speaks for the Proponent and Will Finish Up This Morning.

Congressman Wadsworth, of Kentucky, opened the argument for the contestants in the Nelson will case yesterday morning. He began his address in a low voice, and it was with difficulty that the spectators heard what he said. "I knew Col. Nelson from childhood," he began, "and I knew his father, his brother, Gen. W. H. Nelson, whose work at Shiloh entitles him to consideration by the citizens of this country. I am here to speak in behalf of my client against this outrage sought to be perpetrated. This proceeding is alike unnatural and unnecessary. A lifetime of devotion is utterly overthrown by this document here. If it were a man who claimed this will it would strike me as a hoggish thing—a disposition to take everything and send home to a fond sister only the corpse of a dead brother. You have a function to perform in this case. It isn't an idle ceremony that calls you to that jury box. You must find the facts according to the evidence and the intelligence with which Almighty God has endowed you. It is for you to say how much credence a witness is entitled to, whether he be the attending physician or some other party." Speaking in regard to Nelson's sanity at the time the will was made, Congressman Wadsworth continued: "The human mind consists of the power to recollect, to decide and to will. If a man is not capable of either of these functions he is not capable of acting in a testamentary capacity. I shall maintain this proposition. If a man at death's door, by reason of sickness, makes a will by which he suddenly changes the purpose of his life and wholly unexplained, except by the circumstances by which he was surrounded when he died, then he is not capacitated to revoke a will made in health and which agreed with the acts of a lifetime. A man in this condition might be of sound memory, but he would not be of sound mind. The life of Col. Nelson, his affection for his sister, for his old Kentucky home, his longing to be buried by their side, are all irreconcilable with this last act of Col. Nelson." Taking the will from the table and holding it on high he exclaimed, with ill-concealed bitterness: "That the signature of Col. Nelson, of the United States army! That the signature of the man who wrote every week to his sister, and in her illness sent her regular remittances! That the grand old signature of Col. Nelson, shrunken and shriveled to a thing like that! No, never; and all who have seen his signature know that it is not." The speaker passed to the testimony of Dr. Hopkins, who attended Col. Nelson in his last illness, and to the testimony of Mrs. Nelson, who had sworn that her husband was conscious until the last few moments. At this point the congressman turned pale and grasped at the table for support. In a moment he rallied and continued, but his voice grew fainter and fainter, and he swayed about as though to fall. Several of his colleagues left their seats and stepped forward, but as they did so he dropped back into a chair limp and to all appearances dead. An adjournment was taken amid great excitement, and the congressman was carried into an ante room, where he was cared for. In an hour and a half he was able to sit up and converse with his friends, but was still weak and nervous. It was with difficulty that he appeared at all in the afternoon. Congressman Wadsworth is 65 years of age, and since his return from congress has been working very hard and is in a weak condition.

SENATOR VOORHEES' ADDRESS.

The afternoon session opened with the court room crowded almost to suffocation. Long before 2 o'clock every seat was occupied and all the standing room was in use. The audience was about one-third ladies, who had come to hear Senator Vorhees speak. Promptly at 2 o'cock Judge Lochren ascended to the bench, and the deputy sheriff rapped for order. As soon as the session opened Senator Vorhees arose and said he deeply regretted that Col. Wadsworth had not been permitted to carry out the the remarks begun in the morning. "I come as a stranger," said he, "but in reality we are not strangers, as we are drawn together by a strong desire to see the law upheld. By this will a great wrong is attempted, and we are here to see justice done. If we cannot show that Col. Nelson made his last will while under temporary mental abberation, then we will submit to the inevitable with good grace. When I ask you to set aside this will you all know there is a law in Minnesota which will settle the estate of Col. Nelson as he intended it should be settled. This is a simple case, and while I ask you to give the most serious attention to this cause I do not ask you to do any injustice. Let us look at this matter calmly and coolly. There are people from all over the globe here in Minnesota, and had I seen its beauties before I might have settled here myself. It was not Col. Nelson's disposition to wander around the world. His home was at Maysville, that little town on the Ohio river, and there lived in peace and happiness. He came home from the war and found his sister there, and how natural it was for him for a love for her to sink deep into his manly heart.

IT IS NOT TRUE

that Col. Nelson made a will leaving everything to strangers and forgetting his own relatives, whom he idolized as only a man in the true sense of the word can. Everything Anderson Nelson ever wrote or said gives the lie to this will, as every fair-minded man must see. Col. Nelson stood as father and brother to this sister, protecting and caring for her and protecting her children as his own. Col. Anderson Nelson never changed his home; his home was at Maysville, where his sister's house was. Can any man say Col. Nelson ever had any other home, except his sister's house? No, and I defy any man to do so. Does Mrs. Nelson show that she made any sacrifice for her husband? Did she help her husband to build up his property? She did not. Instead, she was in Europe and in other portions of the country. It is justice now that she should come into this property, to the exclusion of a sister who has given the best part of her life to her brother. Mrs. Nelson was not content with a fair division of the property. She wants it all, and would send the poor sister back home, alone and forgotten by her brother. The great question arises, was Col. Nelson's mind sound when he is alleged to have made the will leaving his property to his wife? That is the vital question, and from all that mortal man can see it was not.

The speaker reverted to Col. Nelson's home life again, and drew a glowing picture of his life among his relatives and the children. Why, he asked, did not the lawyers for the proponent want it known what Col. Nelson had said in wills made previous to his property. I should have objected myself, had I known, as did Mr. Wilson, that by these wills Col. Nelson left his entire property to his sister and her children. I should object myself if I were made $10,000 for so doing. Whether Col. Nelson was in love with his wife or not, as he thought I was, I shall not say. But it seems to me that God has not created a man of 60 to leave a young girl of 20 and make him forget his beautiful sister, who was all the world to him. Mrs. Nelson's testimony and her deposition presents a peculiar aspect, and shows conclusively that Col. Nelson had made another will in which he did not forget his sister and her young brood on the banks of the Ohio river. If he made such a will early in his married life, when he loved his wife with all the tenderness of which he was capable, is it possible that he would change it at the evening of his life? He had enough for both his sister and his wife, and he said so. He intended to do what was right and just. I dare Mr. Wilson to tell me when during his married life, except within ten days of his death, did he ever tell his wife he would give her all his property. There he was, away from home and in a condition that made it impossible for a man to dispose of a quarter of million dollars worth of property. I am armed with documents to prove that Col. Nelson never intended to give his wife all his property. Just how the real will got away I am not prepared to state, but we all know that it did exist, and that by it Mrs. Stockton was to have a fair share of Col. Nelson's property. One of the wills made by Col. Nelson is here in court, and I will read it to show how it puts to shame this fraudulent will by which Mrs. Nelson gets all the property." [Here Senator Voorhees read the will, dated three years ago. It stated that the wife was to get only one-half of the property, in lieu of any dower.] Turning to Mr. Wilson, the senator continued, "Mr. Wilson, you told Col. Nelson yourself that in case there was no will that the wife did not get all of the property. Col. Nelson knew that himself, and if he did make that last will he was certainly as crazy as a loon when he made it. This will I hold in my hand was made when Col. Nelson was in good health, and the last one was made when Col. Nelson was dying, when he was surrounded by such mourning men as Gen. Thorn, Mr. Bass and others. I appeal from the sick-chamber to the clear air of Minneapolis, in Eugene Wilson's law office, when Col. Nelson made a will that demonstrated his sanity and his love for his sister and her children. The will shows that in case his wife died before he did all the property should go to his sister and her children. He did not intend that half of his property should not go to his wife's relations in case she should die before he did. Did Anderson Nelson intend that if his wife married again his property should go to another man's children? I say he did not, and no man can demonstrate that he did mean it. Col. Nelson never named anyone but E. H. Moulton and John Farrington to be his executors, but Gen. Thorn and Mr. Bass did, in this miserable will presented by the wife. No better will was ever made than the one made by Eugene Wilson, when Col. Nelson was in his right mind. It was a just and equitable will and disposed of the property as was right.

"It has been my lot to visit many insane asylums, and I have seen all kinds of insanity. There is no better evidence of insanity than to see a man become suspicious toward his own friends and relatives. It is a sure sign of insanity, and never yet have I known it to fail. There is not a jury of twelve experts on insanity in the world who would not tell you that Col. Nelson was insane when he made this last will, forgetting entirely his old home at Maysville and his darling sister, whom he loved so well. This terrible disease, pleuro-pneumonia, attacked Col. Nelson and made him insane in his last days. You all know it, and dare you say that he was not? When Col. Nelson left his home for the last time he told his sister that he did not want to go, that he felt like a boy who was driven to school. His wife was the one who wanted to go. What was it that caused Col. Nelson to change his mind and forget his home and his sister and all the loved ones? There was nothing. Instead, he wrote to them kind and loving words, and showed in every way that he still thought of them. If anybody tells me that it was true that Col. Nelson forgot his own blood and left all his property to strangers, I cannot believe it, though angels should swear it. It is against the eternal fitness of things, and no man of Col. Nelson's age and fixed affections would do it.

"Allow me to show certain depositions showing the true condition of Col. Nelson just previous to his death. They all show that he was dying. Strange that everyone around the hotel knew Col. Nelson was dying, and this his wife and the physician who attended him did not. Gentlemen, they did know it, and they knew it in time to get this will made, too. Dr. Hopkins, who attended Col. Nelson, if his statements are true, was as devoid of learning as the Georgia major was of clothing, who appeared in society clad in a paper collar and a pair of spurs. I challenge the history of fictitious literature to produce anything equal in ghastly horror to Mrs. Nelson's testimony in regard to Col. Nelson's condition. Mr. Wilson tried hard to prove that the colonel might rally from a comatos condition, but I have the honor to congratulate Mr. Nelson on a magnificent failure. If any one goes down into the country where Col. Nelson died, I would advise them to stay away until the medical faculty there is changed. Dr. Hopkins does not know enough to tell the same story twice in the same way. Of all the burlesques I have ever known, the worst is to take a country doctor and place him on the stand to testify in matters of mental weakness, when the highest minds in the world can give no opinion. If a will including hundreds of thousands of dollars is to rest on the testimony of such a doctor as this, farewell to all justice in the world. Here we have the testimony of the most prominent physicians in the country against Dr. Hopkins, and I appeal to your common sense as to which you will believe.

Now the question arises, how did Col. Nelson come to make this will? Had Col. Wadsworth been able to finish his speech he would have told you. As it is I will have to do it. Col. Nelson never suggested the making of this will. It is not his will as the law requires a will to be made. To make a true will, it must be by a mind's own wish and not the suggestion of someone else. According to Gen. Thorn's own testimony Col. Nelson had no idea of making a will up to ten hours before his death. The evidence shows that Gen. Thorn not only urged the making of a new will, but presumed to act for Col. Nelson. All the time the scheming was going on, Mrs. Curtis says that everyone around the hotel knew that Col. Nelson was going to die. It was a peculiar circumstance that nothing was said in regard to Col. Nelson's sister, in regard to the payment of his debts, and other things, but these things were forgotten by the meddlers who drew this will.

Col. Nelson's will, indeed! This is the will these people intend to palm off on a jury of fair-minded Minnesota men. The will was made without the consent of Col. Nelson, who was in such a condition that he could not tell what was read to him. All Col. Nelson did in regard to this will was to sign it, when he did not even know what it was. Col. Nelson had not seen Gen. Thorn for over thirty years, and old Thorn did not even know that Col. Nelson had a dear sister and many relatives. When it was known that Col. Nelson was going to die—when he was really dying—this will was made by Thorn and Bass. It must be a queer method of making wills they have down in Georgia. One man writing the will and another man writing out deeds. I do not say these men were actuated by corrupt motives, but Lord deliver me from foolish friends. Gentlemen, do not lend your sanction to such a hideous blaspheming of will-making. Let us turn our attention to Mrs. Nelson, who has acted in such an innocent manner. She says she did not know her husband had pneumonia until after his death, but in a letter to Mrs. Stockston she tells her that the colonel was sick with pneumonia. How do you explain this? Where are we to pin our faith? We can believe when this woman came here, appealing to Almighty God, and says she did not know what was the matter with her husband when she did. I do not like to expose the terrible falsehood of a woman, but I would not be faithful to my trust did I not do so. It is a severe contradiction when a person is confronted by a letter written by herself which directly contradicts her testimony on the witness stand. When she says her husband was not unconscious any of the time, either she or Dr. Hopkins lies. It can not be true that she did not know her husband was dangerously ill. It does not stand to reason, when every one else in the house knew that the colonel was dying. She says no one told her that her husband was dying. They all knew it at 8 o'clock the morning before his death, but yet Mrs. Nelson denies that she did not know it. Why, she even says Col. Nelson was bright and talking all the time until the last moment. May the Lord forgive her for this. Even the physician and Gen. Thorn and Bass testify that Col. Nelson was in a comatos condition. Peculiar state of affairs, seems to me, when the powers of fun can triumph over the agonies of death. It is something that has never been heard of before in the war or political history of the world. It is utterly impossible that such a thing could have been. False! False! Take all the estate if you will, but do not profane Col. Nelson's memory by such a statement. Mrs. Stockton will know her brother never did her this great wrong. Let Mrs. Nelson travel and gaze on the pictures in the galleries of Europe, but there is one picture on which she will not care to look. It is a picture of the day of judgment, when all things will be made clear. She can reflect on her falsehood, but the picture, I say, will never be a pleasant one for her to gaze on. The three wills made while Col. Nelson was in health protest against this monstrous and ghastly false one, which even goes out of its way to cast an insult upon the loving and loved sister. It is not Col. Nelson's will, and can never be made so, so help me, my Maker! Eternal right is a power, and the court will tell you that subsequent wills place all later wills under close inspection. Take the case, gentlemen, and I pray God will direct you to do the right.

HON. E. M. WILSON'S ADDRESS.

Hon. Eugene M. Wilson, for the proponent—We are here to decide this case as all others are decided. It is not a question of sympathy. Let us come down to the plain facts in the case as presented by a cloud of witnesses. Notwithstanding that Mrs. Nelson has been charged with almost every kind of crime, we propose to show the will is just what it is and should be. The case has already been tried in the probate court. The opposing counsel has appealed to public opinion to carry their case. Even Senator Voorhees has spent a portion of his speech in abusing the widow of Col. Nelson. He has drawn a beautiful picture of Col. Nelson's home life, but from what he has said you may suppose that outside of the Blue Grass region there were no family ties. Perhaps if Col. Nelson had not married he would have left his property to his sister. In fact, I think he would have done so, but after he was married he transferred his affections to his wife, whom he loved devotedly. She gave her love and devotion to him, and are we to hold here that the love of a wife is inferior to the love of a sister. I say no. It is not true that such is the case, and it never can be made so. The law, human and divine, recognizes the obligation of a man to his wife as the highest. She must have one-third of his property, at least. The only question for you to decide is for you to say whether Col. Nelson was in his right mind or not when he made this will in Georgia. He made several wills, and each one has shown a change of mind. Who cannot say he did not change his mind for the last time when he made his last will. Mr. Wilson will conclude his argument this morning.

"WHERE'S MY BABY?"

An Abduction Which Created a Sensation.

"Oh, where's my baby?" wildly screamed a little woman in gray at the corner of Washington and First avenues south last night. In response to her agonized inquiry no baby appeared, but a dozen idlers gathered around her and pedestrians stopped to find out what the matter was, so inside of a minute the distracted mother was wildly trying to tell, in broken German, a hundred people how she had left her baby in its cab at the foot of the stairway, and how somebody had run away with it. A policeman appeared and cleared the way, and a gentleman escorted the woman to police headquarters. Here she sobbed and moaned, but managed to that her husband was C. F. Anderson, a tailor at the corner of Nicollet avenue and Fourth street. She lived at 49 Washington avenue south, upstairs, and had just run up for a moment, and when she came down her precious baby had gone—oh, what should she do! The 9 o'clock detail was instructed to lookout for the infant and the telephone operator began to notify the patrolmen at their beats. Just then a man out of breath came into the room. "Its all right, mum," he said. "Your husband had the baby an' he's brought it back." "Oh, it can't be. He wouldn't take the baby and not let me know," hysterically screamed the mother. "He has red whiskers, mum," said the man, probably referring to the husband and not the baby. "That's him," she said; "but how could he?" and away she rushed, while all the big policemen who had before looked serious began to grin. The corner of First and Washington avenue witnessed another scene shortly afterwards—the spectacle of a mother hugging and kissing a fifteen-months'-old baby, which appeared to be very sleepy, while a man with red whiskers looked on in a shame-faced manner, and emchanically began to push a baby-carriage upstairs. He said he had only been taking the child out for a little ride, but he will probably tell his wife about it next time.

PRELIMINARY WORK.

Pawnbrokers Kicking --- Several Important Matters Deferred.

E. A. Campbell appeared before the council committee on licenses yesterday afternoon and asked that the pawnbroker's license be reduced from $500 to $100, which is the sum usually charged in large cities. He stated that a $500 license meant that there would be no pawnbrokers. The committee deferred action until this afternoon, and turned its attention to the examination of about fifty applications for free license for peddling.

The committee on ordinances passed the ordinance requiring theaters and halls of public entertainment hereafter built to be fire-proof.

The Burgess street railway ordinance was postponed for one week until the city attorney can be consulted.

Owing to the absence of Engineer Rinker the committee on ways and means took no action in regard to the laying of water pipe by the day's work.

The committee on health and hospitals received a petition asking for the removal of the pest house from St. Louis park, but took no action. A protest against the location of the East side dump was placed on file, the dump having been already constructed.

THE CO-OPERATIVE COLONY.

New Officers Elected—A Pledge to Carry on Business.

At a regular meeting of the stockholders of the Co-Operative Land association, held at Hunt's hall, April 26, a new board of managers were elected, consisting of J. H. Pinz, president; S. R. Jensen, vice president; A. J. Bacon, secretary; Ole Berrum, treasurer; and William Krech, J. Y. Smith and H. F. Jenkins as members of the board. On account of many unavoidable reasons, the past board of managers were unable to give it the time and attention to the business of the association which it demanded, hence matters were practically at a standstill. The new board of managers has pledged itself to carry on the business of the association as it should be carried on—to give it all the time and attention that will be necessary. At the meeting of stockholders it was ordered to levy a third assessment of 20 per cent. on each share, to purchase more land. There is a very desirable island close to the colony, known as the Big island, which has a good situation, and is very valuable. It is to the interest of every member of this association to make a success of this undertaking. It is the foundation stone to the solution of the labor problem. In order that the efforts may be crowned with success, all are requested to call on the secretary and pay assessments now due. And those in arrears are notified that they will forfeit all moneys paid in heretofore, unless they pay up their assessments. The secretary is the only authorized party to collect any moneys due this association, either as assessments or loans. The present board of managers guarantees the safe investment of all moneys paid into the association, while holding office. The secretary will be at the office of Dr. M. P. Finnegan, Room 11, 257 First avenue south, every Saturday evening, from 7:30 to 9:30.

TALKING FOR TRACTS.

Baptists Hard at Work---The Ladies Again---Service of Praise.

About the last of the Baptist delegates have arrived and the city is full of them. The special New England train, consisting of six Wagner sleepers, arrived at 8:30 in the morning, bringing in 180 delegates, who were welcomed by a large crowd at the union depot. The Baptist registers filled up rapidly and there are now nearly 800 delegates in the city, representing thirty-nine states and territories. The Publication society resumed its sessions in the morning and devoted its time to the discussion of tract work. Secretary Griffith enthusiastically advocated the extension of work of this character. Dr. Wayland Hoyt, Philadelphia, took the same view, but strenuously insisted on having tracts printed attractively. Half a dozen brief addresses, all in favor of tracts, followed and continued until the noon hour. In the afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Samuel A. Crozer, Pennsylvania; vice presiden's, Thomas Armitage, D. D., New York, H. H. Tucker, D. D., LL. D., Georgia, Edward Goodman, Illinois, Joshua Levering, Maryland; secretary, Benjamin Griffith, D. D.; recording secretary, Howard Gendell, treasurer, Charles H. Banes; managers, George W. Anderson, D. D., Henry G. Weston, D. D., Adoniram J. Howland, D. D., Isaac C. Wynn, D. D., Jesse B. Thomas, D. D., Wayland Hoyt, D. D., Rev. George E. Rees, Rev. William H. Robinson, Jacob G. Walker, D. D., Rev. Lewis Kaiser, J. T. Beckley, D. D., Ebenezer Morgan, B. F. Dennisson, William Bucknell, W. Frederick Snyder, Charles Abbot, Horatio Gates Jones, D. C. L., George Callaghan, George K. Crozer, Thomas J. Hoskinson, David P. Leas, John S. Stevens, Harry S. Hopper, Samuel J. Creswell, Joseph H. Gaskill.

AFTERNOON MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Foreign Missionary meeting at the Hennepin avenue M. E. church brought out a large assembly composed largely of ladies. Mr. Horn, of Boston, presided and had the pleasure of introducing to the audience several missionaries from the Orient, home on vacation. Among these were Miss Higby, who spoke of her work in Burmah, dwelling particularly upon the schools for native women and children, and Miss Inbun, of China, who spoke of the vastness of her labors and of the foreign field generally, as compared with that of home missions. Miss Wept, who has but recently been appointed to the foreign field, made an intensely interesting address. The Rev. Drs. Dean and Jewett also made brief remarks on the greatness of the work and the need of workers. A necklace and bracelet of Oriental make, was presented to the society by Mrs. Gates, secretary of the Eastern branch. "Aunt Lizzie" was there, and knowing money to be of more value to the treasury than jewels, she made a plea for the sale of the souvnir, which brought $168, and the jewelry was returned to the society.

CHRISTIAN CARE AND TRAINING.

The large auditorium of the First Baptist church was crowded to its utmost capacity last night by people anxious to hear the distinguished divines who had been announced to speak on "Christian Watchcare and Training." The addresses were by Rev. Dr. O. P. Eaches, of New Jersey, whose subject was "Care in the Reception of Members;" Rev. Dr. C. H. Henderson, of Michigan, who gave, in a discourse of unusual merit, practical hints on "How to Hold and Train Converts;" and Rev. Howard B. Grose, of New York, who spoke of "The Press—Its Relation to a Strong and Intelligent Membership." The addresses were all very interesting, and were listened to with the closest attention by the audience. Mr. Grose's paper was replete with striking thoughts, attractively expressed: "The world always has plenty of men remarkable for wide and varied misinformation." "Reading on the run is weakening to the mind and character." "We want more reading of fewer books; better reading of better books; prayerful reading of the best book"—these are but samples of the many good things it contained. That portion of his remarks devoted to the daily papers was very much of a newspaper roast. He said the dailies contain "paragraphs of Christianity and pages of crime." "The press Samson—whimsical, unreliable, untamed Samson." He credited the dailies with bringing criminals to justice, terrifying boodlers and in other ways rendering meritorious service to the public, but with rare and honorable exceptions they run "liberty into license," and seek sensations rather than healthy news. The only honorable exception which came to the good man's mind was the Minneapolis Tribune, (save the mark!) which evinced a disposition toward righteousness by the publication of full and complete accounts of these meetings.

The Sunday newspaper was arraigned in a way to make even the sporting papers respectable by comparison. The eloquent preacher poured out the full measure of his denunciation against these devils of darkness. "The Sunday paper is one of the most insinuating foes to all that Christianity is trying to do in the world." The elegance of the speaker's diction did not detract in the slightest degree from the strength of his condemnation. He may be fanatical; he is unquestionably sincere. Having done up the Sunday papers, he cast about for a means to exterminate them, and recommended a general boycott by all Christians, not only of the Sunday paper; but against every newspaper having a Sunday issue. With the sinful daily properly squelched, the Christian will proceed to patronize the religious weekly, a press power whose agency for good cannot be estimated, and one deserving the unqualified support of all good people everywhere.

LAUDING THE LILY.

Enthusiastic Reception of Mrs. Langtry---The Press Club Benefit.

They Jersey Lily could not have been otherwise than pleased with the magnificent audience that last night turned out at the Grand to welcome her to Minneapolis. The house was crowded in every part and contained more separate theater parties than were ever known to have been given on one evening. Many of the gentlemen wore evening dress and most of the ladies were gorgeously attired, a respectable minority removing their headwear upon being seated. The play, "A Wife's Peril," has already been fully reviewed in the GLOBE, and was admirably put on. Mrs. Langtry was given several enthusiastic recalls and the members of her company were well received. Mr. Everill was the favorite and the work of Mr. Coghlan was not entirely satisfactory. To-night "Lady Clancarty" will be the bill.

THE PRESS CLUB BENEFIT.

The annual benefit of the Minneapolis Press club, which is to occur about June, will exceed in interest and merit all previous efforts of the club, exceptionally fine as they have been. Miss Agnes Huntington, the famous contralto of the Boston Ideals, will have too numbers on the programme, through the courtesy of Signor Jannotta, to whom she is under contract to sing in "Alidor." Sol Smith Russell, the veteran comedian, will give his well-known and popular monologue. The St. Paul Banjo club will contribute two interesting numbers, and it is hoped Miss Etta Hawkins will be added as an additional attraction. The Danz orchestra will be an important feature of the programme and the Lachmund 'Cello quartette will make up a collection of talent not to be surpassed anywhere. The Press club committee is confident of giving a superb entertainment. Manager Conklin has kindly donated the Grand opera and hopes it will be crowded.

Decoration Day Announcements.

The G. A. R. posts request all business houses in the city to keep closed during decoration day, not only as a mark of respect, but in order that friends and relatives of the honored dead shall generally be given the opportunity of attending the ceremonies at the different cemeteries. It is announced that John Day Smith will deliver a short address at the grave of Gen. George N. Morgan, at Lakewood cemetery in the morning.

Sunday's Violations.

The police have been keeping tab on the saloons that were open Sunday, and by instruction of Supt. Hein warrants will be issued to-day for the following saloonkeepers:

Bram Bros., 115 Washington avenue south; Larry Garrity, 206 Washington avenue south; Eha & Vasey, 213 Washington avenue north; Fred Miller, 114 Washington avenue north; O. Olsen, 1419 Washington avenue south; I. M. Ilstrap, 423 Cedar avenue south; W. M. Sexton, 1013 Second street south; Charles Taberman, 1020 Washington avenue south; — Anderson, 1107 Washington avenue south; — Dahlstrom, 1027 Washington avenue south; H. Nyberg, 317 Washington avenue north.

MINNEAPOLIS GLOBULES.

Bank clearings yesterday amounted to $525,787,63.

All the old trustees of the Washburn Home have been re-elected.

There has been no strike of men employed on the sewers, as reported.

The body of Willie Clough, drowned Tuesday, has not yet been found.

One case of diphtheria and two cases of scarlet fever were reported yesterday.

The Lake Calhoun Gun club will have a shoot at the Calhoun grounds this afternoon.

The Hodsdon case, to have been taken up by Judge Rea yesterday, will be reached some time to-day.

Ladies will be given souvenirs at the Dime museum to-day. Next week the cow boy fiddler is announced.

Mdme. Modjeska will appear the first three days of next week at the Grand. Seats will be on sale this morning.

Ladies of the G. A. R., are requested to assist in making wreaths for decorations at 609 First avenue south, Saturday morning.

The $30,000 libel suit of Thomas J. Canney, the contractor, against the Tribune, was concluded yesterday when a verdict was returned for the defendant.

The Irish National League will have a very important meeting this evening at Windom hall, several prominent speakers will deliver addresses. Members are requested to be present.

John McCracken died Wednesday evening after an illness of nine years, aged 74 years. Funeral from the residence of his son, 1238 First avenue north, this morning at 10 o'clock.

The case of Thomas Loftus against the city to recover $200 damages for a horse killed by falling into an excavation on Fifth street and Sixth avenue north, was on trial before Judge Young yesterday.

John Undhym, living at 2805 Ninth avenue south, last evening stepped from a Washington avenue street car in front of a horse driven by W. H. Hastings. He was knocked down and the carriage passed over his left leg, breaking it at the ankle.

Inspector John Hoy says in regard to the assault he is alleged to have made npon the boy, Joseph Sweeney, that the boy kicked him and he struck back with his open hand. Court Officer Byrnes, who witnessed the occurrence, substantiates the statement.

A. Cohen, proprietor of a second-hand store at 320 Washington avenue north, was struck by the pole of an express wagon belonging to J. A. Shea, two ribs being broken. The accident occurred in the alley at the rear of the Nicollet house.

A team attached to one of the Orth Brewing company's wagons ran away on the Tenth avenue north bridge yesterday afternoon. James Loftus, the driver, was thrown off and severely injured, his collar bone being broken and right shoulder severely crushed.

George D. Moulton, superintendent of the St. Anthony elevator, last evening read a paper upon "American Elevators" before the Mechanics' club. He gave an interesting description of the elevators of the state, and stated that the elevators at Duluth were the first in the country to establish the annex system.

PERSONALS.

Lewis B. Hibbard, general manager of the exposition last year, is in the city.

At the Nicollet: Alex Tully, Sauk Centre; D. J. Knox, Aitkin; R. B. Abbott, Albert Lea.

At the National: J. R. Edson and wife, Miss Emma Anderson, Glencoe; N. R. Strong, Sioux Falls.

At the St. James: J. F. Wilson, Granite Falls; J. McChesney, Red Wing; Burdett Thayer and son, Spring Valley.

At the West: H. P. Hubbell, Winona; C. A. Greenleaf and wife, Litchfield; H. E. Horton, Rochester; G. K. Gilbert and wife, Glencoe; S. W. Stevens, Fargo.

BARNABY'S OPENING.

Notable Event in Commercial Life Pleasantly Celebrated.

The grand opening of the furnishing goods store of E. G. Barnaby & Co., in the Nicollet house block, last evening, was an event that attracted more than casual notice; and well it may have, for never has there been another opening like it in Minneapolis in any line. The doors were advertised to be open at 7:30 o'clock, but long before that hour the sidewalk in front of both the Nicollet avenue and Washington avenue entraces was crowded with ladies and gentlemen. The handsome store was brilliantly lighted, and an especial happy thought on the part of Mr. Barnaby was the carpeting of the floor clear from the Nicollet avenue entrance through to the one on Washington avenue. The taste displayed in arranging the complete and fashionable stock of goods was something marvelous, and the most experienced eye could not detect a flaw anywhere. Strings of white and colored handkerchiefs hung in graceful festoons from the walls, and the various other articles of wearing apparel were arranged in such shape as to at once catch the eye. Baskets of beautiful flowers were scattered around in great profusion, and the air was heavy laden with the odor of roses and mignonette. A small army of clerks were kept busy in presenting to all comers, who were indeed numerous, small fans, handsome pictures and button-hole bouquets. The evening was rendered still more enjoyable by the presence of Danz' orchestra, which gave an interesting programme of ten numbers.

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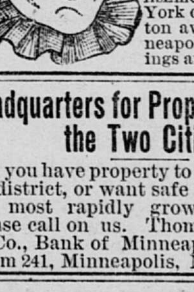

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GLOBE, May 27, 1887.

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