KEEPS HIS PLEDGE.

Judge Wilson Defines Himself in Regard to Removing Republicans.

Sparks Likely to Step Out Owing to His Fight With Lamar.

The Mother of M. H. Day, the Well Known Politician, Dies Near Huron.

A Batch of Northwestern News Items Covering a Wide Field.

Special to the Globe. WINONA, Oct. 17 .- The GLOBE correspondent called upon Congressman Wilson to-day, and, referring to the special

spondent called upon Congressman Wilson to-day, and, referring to the special from Owatonna in Saturday's Gl.obe relative to the postoffice at that place, asked what action he intended to take towards putting a Democrat into office. Judge Wilson said:

You ask about the Owatonna postoffice and what I propose to do about the same? As that question seems to be agitating some good people, I give you the situation, as I understand it. Before my nomination or election I signed a petition for the appointment of Mr. Darby, editor of the People's Press, to the place on the expiration of the term of Judge Wheelock. This I did believing that he was the choice of the people of that city generally, including Amos Coggswell. I do not wish to be understood that Mr. Darby made any misrepresentations. He did not. I believe he truthfully represented the situation, as he understood it, and also that he would make a good postmaster. But after the election a meeting of Democrats in Owatonna was called, which recommended Mr. Coggswell's appointment. On learning this I informed Mr. Darby that, as representative, I should feel bound to respect and act in accordance with the wishes of the people, irrespective of my previous action. Mr. Coggswell wrote to me that Judge Wheelock was about to resign in his favor. Soon after this I, being in Washington, called on the postmaster general with the view of recommending Mr. Coggswell's appointment on the receipt of Judge Wheelock's resignation: but the postmaster general requested me, if the matter was not pressing, not to call it up until after the adjournment of congress, as he, and especially the president, were very much engaged. On my return home I found

THE RESIGNATION OF JUDGE WHEELOCK (to be used only in case of the appointment of Mr. Coggswell, but, before I deemed it proper to send it on, Judge Wheelock wrote me requesting its return. I advised Mr. Coggswell of this fact, and on his request it was returned.

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I was soon thereafter called upon by a friend of Mr. Coggswell—also one of my most particular friends—who nrged me to recommend the removal of Judge Wheelock and the appointment of Mr. Coggswell. This I declined to do

You say Mr. Coggswell aided me in the con-You say Mr. Coggswell aided me in the congressional canvass. This is true. Not only has he been my personal friend for many years, but last fall, at great inconvenience to himself, he aided me. For these, and for other reasons which need not be here stated, I would be very glad to be able to serve him. But the case stands here: Not only did I run on a platform favoring civil service reform, but I emphatically and repeatedly indorsed the position of the president on this question. I over and over again during the canvass declared, publicly and privately, that if elected I would not recommend the removal from office of a fit man merely because he was a Republican to make a place for a Democrat. No one could have misunderstood my position on this question. Judge Wheelock I believe to be an upright, honorable man, and, so far as I know, he is a good officer. It is said he is a strict party man. I believe this to be true. But he is no more of a partisan than Mr. Coggswell. If I should act on this ground it would merely show that I sought an excuse to violate my pledges. I could not recommend the removal of Judge Wheelock kon such a transparent pretext without personal dishonor and political perfidy, and for that reason I have not recommended it.

SPARKS MAY RETIRE.

An Issue Will be Made Between Him and Lamar and the President Will Sustain the Latter.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Gentlemen who know him personally, admire Commissioner Sparks. The abused and villified defender of the rights of the settlers, as he sees them, is a genial gentleman, and a big hearted man. He is clear headed, industrious, honest, sincere, implacable when aroused. But he is human. His errors have been com-paratively few, when the vast number of cases handled by him are considered; but he has not been infallible. Wherein he has been misled by subordinates, or by misunderstanding and misinterpre-tation of the laws, he has undoubtedly been guilty only of errors of the head, and not of the heart. In brief, there may be better educated, better quali-fied, better understood men in the pub-lic service, but there are none more honest. William A. J. Sparks is a man of whom his compiler. of whom his enemies can say nothing than that they differed with him, and that he was possibly wrong. There is no doubt that the frauds which were perpetrated upon the public domain, under the administration of the Repub-

hiean party for many years,
WERE GIGANTIC, UNUTTERABLY BASE.
Commissioner Sparks was not long in
office before the evidences of fraudulent
entries and timber culture depredations
became apparent at every turn and on
every hand. The enormity of the original every hand. The enormity of the crime which were being perpetrated not only astonished the new commissioner, but they angered him and made his blood fairly boil with righteous indignations. He struck at the robbers right and left. He clave them to the middle and his blade entered every weak joint of their harness. They moaned, groaned, cursed, swore, gritted and gnashed their teeth at him in impotent rage. But, backed by a president with an adamantine back-bone, he pursued the even tenor of his way, checkmating them at every step? That they hated him is true; that they ied to officially crucify him, is but nat-

al; that they assaulted his character and reputation is as might have been expected. There is a possibility of his official demise. It is possible that he will soon cease to be commissioner of the general land office. There is a probability that the end of his official regret it, even though they differ with Mr. Sparks in much of his policy, for they know he is honest and incorrupti-

The fact is SPARKS IS TERRIBLY IN EARNEST sparks is terribly in Earnest in the matter of the recent decision of the secretary concerning the case of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad indemnity lands. Either he is radically wrong, and has been in all his conduct of the land office, or else Mr. Damar has been misled into making a dangerously erropeous decision. making a dangerously erroneous decision. Millions of acres of the public domain are involved. Unfortunately Mr. main are involved. Unfortunately Mr. Sparks has not only expressed his chagrin concerning this important decision in conversation, but he has officially given out his dissatisfaction through the medium of his annual report. Moreover, he has prepared a letter asking for a review of the decision by the secretary, and forgetting his usual preretary, and, forgetting his usual pru-dence in such matters, he has permitted the fact of the preparation of his letter to be given to the public. These things have excited a feeling of hostility in the mind of Secretary Lamar, and it is not to be expected that he will grant a review of the case unless there are pre-sented to him the strongest possible arguments to demonstrate that he has been misled or mistaken in his decision as promulgated. Besides, it is believed that, rather than reverse the decision, which is supposed to represent a great deal of thought and consideration on the part of Mr. Lamar, consideration on the part of Mr. Lama, the secretary will ask the appointment of a more congenial person to be com-sioner. It is well known that Mr.

might be a new commissioner of the general land office within a short

A CONVENTION CITY.

Mankato a Favorite Place for Benevolent and Religious Bodies to Meet--The W. C. T. U. to Convene To-Day.

Special to the Globe. MANKATO, Sept. 17.—Mankato is fast becoming a favorite city of conventions, as a result of the general hospitality of its citizens and its splendid railroad connections. No less than three important state conventions have been held here within the past twenty days, attended by at least 1,000 visiting dele-

The W. C. T. U., held Sept. 26 to 29, inclusive, was represented by 200 delegates; the state Baptist convention, held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week, called together 300 visiting delegates; and to-day 500 delegates of the German Roman Catholic Benevolent association are arriving on Benevolent association are arriving on each incoming train. The Second regiment band and a committee of forty members of the local association, constituting a reception committee are waiting upon each train as it enters the city to receive the visiting delegates. The German population of the city has turned out for a holiday, after having completed the elaborate decoration of their portion of the town. This is the eighth annual convention of the association held in this state. A special train from St. Paul arrives early tomorrow morning, bringing over 100 delmorrow morning, bringing over 100 delegates from that city and towns between here and St. Paul. Divine services will here and St. Paul. Divine services will be held at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning at the German Catholic church, after which all members of the association in the city will form in column and parade the streets in regalia. The various bands and local and visiting members will form a parade of pearly 1,000 perwill form a parade of nearly 1,000 persons. A business meeting takes place to-morrow afternoon at the Catholic college building, when officers will be elected, delegates appointed and reports

THE PARK RIVER FIRE. Further Details Regarding Last Friday Night's Blaze.

Special to the Globe.
PARK RIVER, Dak., Oct. 17.—The fire broke out in the Nort western hotel about 7 o'clock. The fiames spread rapidly to adjoining buildings, and despite the most violent efforts of the fire department and citizens, all the business houses in the Syndicate block were soon in ashes. For a time it was hoped that the fire might be confined to the one block, but the intense heat and the dry condition of every-thing made it impossible to control the thing made it impossible to control the fury of the flames which spread to the east side of the street, destroying the buildings on that side, together with most of the contents and much property removed from the west side. The fire was finally subdued, having destroyed two handsome business blocks and a number of detached buildings. Following is a partial list of the losses:

J. E. Milton, Northwestern, hotel and con-

ing is a partial list of the losses:

J. E. Milton, Northwestern hotel and contents; George Diebel, stock of liquors and buildings; J. P. Wagner. harness stock; James Wilson, two buildings and household goods; Beaton & Whalen, millinery goods; George V. Mayhew, building; W. D. Bates, household goods; A. H. Smith, printing material and library; H. A. Merriam, building and stock of furniture; C. J. Hill, building and stock of furniture; C. J. Hill, building and stock of machinery; John McCombs, butcher shop and fixtures; O. A. Trovatten, building; Ole Thorson, saloon, stock and fixtures; Anthony Burke, blacksmith shop; John Wilson, building; H. N. Hagstad, hotel building and furniture; John Johnson, livery stable; Mrs. Bowers, hotel building; F. H. Erwig, building and shoe store; T. Hanson, building; M. F. O'Brien, building and stock of harness; Frank Hughes, household goods; John Code, building and stock of machinery; William Schendel, two buildings; Moran & Cunningham, building; John Langan, saloon stock.

In addition to the above there are many small losses. The aggregate loss will foot up \$50,000, of which \$15,000 is covered by insurance. Men are now at work clearing away the debris and most of the buildings will be replaced before spow file.

The Hastings Fair.

Special to the Globe HASTINGS, Minn., Oct.17 .- The eighth annual fair of the Hastings Union Industrial association closed Saturday night, and proved a success. The attendance was fair, and the display of blooded horses and cattle very creditable, among which were entered twentyable, among which were entered twenty-five head of Percheron and coach horses belonging to Leonard Johnson, of East Castle Rock, and fifteen Shetland ponies Castle Rock, and force of the Cottage Grove. The Castle Rock, and fifteen Shetland ponies by John Zeich, of Cottage Grove. The game of foot ball between the High school and the Ninth grade was won by the latter. The base ball game between the county officers and city officials was hugely enjoyed by a large assemblage of people, it being called at the close of the fifth inning, the score standing 27 to 29 in favor of the former. The programme, as published, was carried out the races as published, was carried out, the races during the afternoon of the fair proving quite interesting. The following is a summary:

Dedicating a Church. Special to the Globe.

WINONA, Oct. 17 .- The Elmer Congregational chapel at the west end of the city was dedicated yesterday afternoon. Remarks were made by Rev. J. N. Crum, Mr. W. H. Laird, Rev. Mr. Herrick, President Iglehart, and Prof. Holzinger. The exercises were very interesting and witnessed by a large audience. The chapel is situated on the corner of Wabasha and Hilbert the corner of wabasia and information of the large number of people at the west, and who have here-tofore had no church within convenient walking distance. The chapel was built at the suggestion of the late Rev. Hiram Elmer, from whom it received its name. It is a handsome little edifice, 32x60 feet, with a vestibule 10x19

Death of Mrs. H. S. Ketchum.

nished in a first-class manner.

feet. It will seat about 300 people, is heated by a furnace and generally fur-

Huron, Dak., Oct. 17 .- Mrs. H. S. Ketchum died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Hamlen, in this eity Saturday afternoon. She was the mother of Frank E. Ketchum, formerly mother of Frank E. Ketchum, formerly proprietor of the Daily Huronite, now agent at Fremont, Neb., for the Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley railway. Mrs. C. W. Bowne, mother of Hon. M. H. Day, died at the residence of E. L. Bushnell, two miles west of Huron, Sunday afternoon. The funerals of both ladies occurred this afternoon and were largely attended.

In Financial Trouble. Special to the Globe.

ALBERT LEA, Minn., Oct. 17 .- John Hansen, a saloonkeeper, left for the West last week, and it is now learned that he is owing considerable to wholesale liquor dealers. George Benz & Son, of St. Paul, have attached his esson, orst. Faut, nave attached his establishment on a claim of \$5,000. His brick building is in the name of his wife, and it is believed that he took away a goodly sum of ready cash. Ed Wolden, a harness maker, made an assignment to-day to G. Gulbrandsen, his liabilities being about \$5,000 and bis liabilities being about \$5,000, and his assets considerably less.

Dakota Methodists.

Special to the Globe.

HURON, Dak., Oct. 17.—Twenty Methodist ministers went to Aberdeen to-day to attend the South Dakota con-

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Washington, Oct. 17—The followtration, and that Mr. Cleveland has
such high regard for his opinions and
beliefs that he will be more than likely
to act upon any recommendation that
he might make. As matters now stand,
it certainly does look as though there

Fensions Granted.

Washington, Oct. 17—The following Minnesotans were granted pensions
to-day: Minors of Samuel Wilson,
Special to the Globe.

RED Wing, Oct. 17.—The funeral of
the late Ald. Friedrich took place at 2
o'clock from "Christ church (Episcopal),
Rev. C. H. Plummer officiating. The
procession was one of the largest ever
seen here, embracing the Red Wing
the fall of a derrick.

Northfield. Original: Xavier Kohler, Minneapolis; Edward M. Hall, Little Falls; John W. Mounto, Rockford; Thomas B. Hobson, St. Peter.

Met at Mankato. Special to the Globe.

MANKATO, Minn., Oct. 17 .- The spacious auditorium of the German Catholic college was crowded at an early hour college was crowded at an early hour this evening by a large audience in anticipation of the opening exercises of the G. R. C. B. association. Q. Leonard, as master of ceremonies, introduced Mayor A. R. Pfau, who addressed the visiting delegates in words of hearty welcome. Speeches were made by the state president and secretary of the association and by Father Berghold, of New Ulm, which received the hearty applause of the audience. The Second Regiment band and the New Ulm band rendered some fine music and a bounrendered some fine music and a bounteous supper was spread for the visiting

"Good Enough for Oshkosh."

special to the Globe. WASHINGTON, Oct. 17 .- Senator Sawyer, of Oshkosh, comes down to Guenther's level and accedes to his demands. ther's level and accedes to his demands. The public building at Oshkosh has been ordered to be completed by the supervising architect of the treasury. Sawyer wrote a letter which was received a few days ago, and answered by the department, in which he agreed to withdraw opposition to the completion of the work. Sawyer wanted a stone building, and informed the department that an additional appropriation could be obtained. The special agent who visited Oshkosh says:

A brick building is good enough for Osh-

A brick building is good enough for Oshkosh. A stone building will be erected if it can be built out of the \$90,000 which are appropriated, but orders are out for the immediate commencement of the work.

A Sport From St. Paul.

Special to the Glob HASTINGS, Oct. 17 .- A St. Paul sport amed Frank White was yanked off the "Flying Dutchman" Saturday evening, by Policeman William Nolan, upon the alleged charge preferred by C. A. Dean, of obtaining \$3.50 upon a worthless ring. White made a bold attempt to free himwhite made a bold attempt to free himself from the officer, but found it impossible, and was taken to the city hall. Shortly afterward he was arraigned before Police Justice O'Brien, but the complaint was withdrawn upon payment of costs, the complainant getting back his money. back his money.

Death of Dr. Coon.

Special to the Globe.

NORTHFIELD, Oct. 17.—Dr. H. L. Coon died yesterday at 4 a. m. of pleuropneumonia. He was sick only a few days. He has been surgeon for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway here for years and was one of the best surgeons and physicians in this part of the state. The funeral will occur at 2 p. m. Tuesday, conducted by the Masons, of which he was an honored

The New Prescott School.

Special to the Globe. PRESCOTT, Wis., Oct. 17 .- The new \$20,000 school house at this place is completed. On Saturday, the 22d, at 1 o'clock p. m., the opening exercises will be held at the building. Several prominent educators will be present, among whom will be Hon. J. B. Thayer, state superintendent of public instruction; President Parker, of the River Falls Normal school; Hon. J. W. Hancock and Dr. W. W. Woodworth, of Ellsworth worth.

A Probable Suicide.

HUTCHINSON, Minn., Oct. 17.—Mathias Goetz, a saloon-keeper of Winsted, was found dead, hanging from a tree to-day near that place. It is supposed to be a case of suicide. Deceased has of late years been a hard drinker. Some years ago he run a store at Smith Lake. A week ago last Sunday he was at church. and was not seen from that time until found hanging from a tree to-day. He leaves a family.

Killed Himself.

Special to the Globe. GRAFTON, Dak., Oct. 17.—A young man named Linquist shot himself through the ead in his room at the Merchants hotel last night. The man was employed on the Northern Pacific road, and had been here since last Tuesday. His room-mate says he received a letter Saturday night with a ring in it. He put the ring on his finger and tore the letter up. The contents of this letter is supposed to be the cause of the act.

Death of Mrs. Langenfeld.

Special to the Globe.

The blacksmith smelt something burning, and poking his head out of the doorway saw smoke coming from the box. He ran from the place at once, but had only proceeded about fifty feet when the dynamite exploded, lifting him up in the air without injury, but demoralizing his shop, and glass and window sashes in residences near by, tearing pictures from the walls and removing all trace of two barrels of coal standing near the Merchants hotel last night. The man

Special to the Globe.

HASTINGS, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Nicholas Langenfeld died this noon suddenly of puerperal fever, leaving a husband and four small children. Her maiden name was Miss Kate Engel, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Engel, of Vermillion, and they were married about six years ago. The funeral will take place from St. Boniface church, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Cornelius Witt mann officiating.

A Wedding at Tracy.

Special to the Globe TRACY, Minn., Oct. 17.—Neil Finch and Miss Ella Davis were married at the residence of the bride's parents in this place at 3 o'clock this afternoon, by Rev. A. H. Carver. About twenty-five relatives and intimate friends witnessed the eeremony and extended congratula tions and best wishes to the bride and groom, who took the evening train for a visit to Chicago and other cities East.

Washington, Oct. 17.—The commissioner of Indian affairs to-day received the following telegram from Agent Anderson at the Lower Brule Indian agency, Dak.:

The disturbing Indians were surprised and

aptured by the police. The danger is all over. What promised to be a serious trouble is nipped in the bud. The surveys are going forward. The majority of the Indians want to take allotments.

The commissioner also received a telegram from the Crow agency in Montana, saying that quiet prevailed there, but no arrests have, as vet, been made,

An Insane Baggageman.

ecial to the Globe. Austin, Oct. 17—William O. Dickerson, a baggageman on the Southern Minnesota railroad, was declared insane by the probate court this evening and a warraut issued for his commit-ment to the Rochester insane asylum. He is a single man, thirty-two years old and formerly lived in New York.

Killed by Lightning.

ecial to the Glob MOORHEAD, Minn., Oct. 17.—Saturday afternoon while Johannes Oleson was plowing on the farm of A. O. Kragnes in township of Kragnes, this county, lightning struck and killed Olson and the two mares he was driving. Olson came from Norway last June. He left a wife and child.

Postal Changes.

Washington, Oct. 17.-Richard Walworth was to-day appointed postmaster at Alcester, Union county, Dakota, vice W. L. Wilson, resigned. Postoffices were established at McKenzie, Burleigh county, and Silver Leaf, Dickey county, Dakota.

An Armory Opened. Special to the Globe.

WATERTOWN, Dak., Oct. 17 .- The \$10,000 armory and hall built by Company H, D. N. G., was opened this evening by the Swiss bell ringers. The armory is the largest and best in the

Funeral of Ald. Friedrich.

Cornet band, Red Wing fire department, L'Etoile du Nord and Red Wing lodges I. O. O. F., Red Wing and Arcturns lodges A. F. and A. M., Knights Templars, R. A. M., and city council, together with many others. The floral decorations were most profuse. The interment took place in Oakwood cemetery.

Judge Francis' Case.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17 .- The request

for the resignation of Judge Francis, of

Dakota, is not denied by government

A Conductor Injured.

HASTINGS, Oct. 17 .- Conductor Frank

Pratt, in charge of Freight No. 15, on

Carlin as Wily as Landers.

RED WING, Oct 17.—The general be-lief exists here that Oscar Carlin, sent

up from this county, who escaped from

the Stillwater penitentiary last week, will prove almost as difficult to capture

as the notorious Landers. Some believe

Beat the Freight Train.

HASTINGS, Oct. 17 .- P. J. Panchot,

the champion pedestrian, left St. Paul

Thursday, of last week, at 7 p. m., with

a message, arriving here at 9:30, and

beating a freight train a few minutes. The distance is twenty-two miles. He is in constant training for the Philadel-

Gone to Mankato.

HASTINGS, Oct. 2 .- P. F. Kranz, John Weber, George Wagner, Peter Koppes, Henry Bender, Mathias Hommenz and

Joseph Denslagen have gone to Mankato to attend the annual meeting of the German Catholic Life association of

Diphtheria at Rochesther.

ROCHESTER, Sept. 17 .- Freddie, the

six-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H.

Dale, died of diphtheria Saturday night and was buried Sunday morning. There are several cases in a mild form in the city. The board of health are doing

their best to check any further spread-

Talking to Laboring Men.

Austin, Oct. 17.-James E. Quinn, a

delegate from New York to the Knights

of Labor convention at Minneapolis,

addressed a large and enthusiastic au-

dience at the court house last evening.

WASECA, Oct. 17 .- District court con-

venes here to morrow, Judge Buckham presiding. Over fifty civil cases, to-

gether with numerous criminal cases.

A Boy Kills Himself.

NORTHFIELD, Oct. 17 .- Peter Young,

boy seven years old, while fooling

with an old gun which he found in a

neighbor's shed, shot himself in the right side. He lived only three hours.

DULUTH MATTERS.

The Daily Record of Events in the

City by the Lake.

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 17.-Careless

workmen, while blasting on street im-

provements to-day, left a box of dyma-

mite cartridges and percussion caps

near a small blacksmith shop used for

of two barrels of coal standing near the

At 1:45 a. m. the wreck of a coal train

going south on the St. Paul & Duluth road occurred from the breaking of an axle. Nine cars were badly broken up and three utterly demolished. The en-

and three utterly demolished. The engineer had his arm slightly hurt. The track was blockaded for ten hours, trains running around a loop at Superior and Northern Pacific Junction. Telegraph wires were interfered with and broken by the wreck.

Resolved, That this chamber request our delegates in converse and size trackets.

Resolved, That this chamber request our delegates in congress and such special committees as may be sent to Washington this winter to labor to secure the following objects: First—Obtaining an appropriation for the building of stone piers in place of the present piers. Second—The passage of an act authorizing the bridging of the canal with both wagon and railroad bridges, and bridging the bay from Rice's to Minnesota points with railroad bridges. Third—For a bill establishing range lights in this harbor. Fourth—The establishing of a life saving station on Minnesota point. Firth—Securing a large appropriation to be expended in Du-

a large appropriation to be expended in Du-luth harbor. luth harbor.

It was also determined to extend an invitation to all Minnesota United States senators and representatives to assemble in Duluth to look matters over

before proceeding to Washington. A reception will be given them.

At a meeting of the city council this evening a large number of contracts were awarded for grading, sewers and

for erecting new buildings were granted to several applicants. The chief of po-lice was instructed to rigidly enforce the building ordinance

the building ordinance.
The voluntary assignment of Carroll & Son to A. Morrison was filed to-day.

Carroll & Son were proprietors of the Bayfield hotel, and apparently doing a

AN ACCIDENT.

A remarkable accident, fortunately unattended by loss of life, occurred to-day at the Benz block, where the brick-

day at the Benz block, where the brick-layers were at work putting an addi-tional story on the building. Without any previous warning, except a slight cracking, a large scaffolding gave away-with a crash and reached the ground without a single passer-by being hurt. Three bricklayers were left clinging to small holes inside of the building where, brick had been removed, and they man-aged to scramble to the top of the build-ing without any hurt.

Duluth will undoubtedly have a Northwest-ern league base ball club next year. During the last three days prominent citizens have announced their willingness to contribute enough cash to put the club on a firm basis, Quinn, Scheilbeck, Earle and probably Bry-nan will be retained.

nan will be retained.

E. E. Barnidge, proprietor of the defunct Delmonico in this city, who left Duluth owing bills estimated at over \$3,000, has announced his determination of opening a hotel at Toylor.

The St. Paul and Duluth railroad bridge, about which there has been so much litigation, will be completed by Jan. 1, 1888, and trains running over it.

It is understood that the new Equitable building will be located on the corner now occupied by that ancient landmark, the Bay View hotel.

Minnie Maddern has a two night's engagement here, commencing next Monday.

Work on the street railway extension in the West end has commenced.

HARRISON'S REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE
has over \$150,000 inside property in Superior. Can be bought at one-third of its real
value, as it must be sold. Hotel St. Louis
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A FLAG OF TRUCE FLIES

Over the Warring Factions of the Knights of Labor General Assembly.

The Administration Gets a Vote of Confidence and Indorsement All Around,

Officials, but that the resignation has been received as yet is denied by all hands. One of the officials says the letter which is on file is lengthy, but refers to another, matter. The resignation has not been forwarded as requested. A successor is to be appointed anyway if Francis wants to play martyr. But Barry and Bailey Will Stay and the Board Must Now Do Its Best.

The internecine strife between the factions of the executive board of the Knights of Labor took a peculiar turn yesterday and the result, while unsatisfactory to both sides, the river division, going west, was thrown from the top of a box car early, this morning by the breaking of the train near the bridge, and considerably injured. He was taken to Minneapolis for treatment. in all probability disposes of the threatened dissension from the order of the anti-Powderly faction. In brief—as the outcome of yesterday's battle the board remains the same with battle the board remains the same with Bailey and Barry retained, while Powderly has been practically indorsed through a vote of confidence expressing approval in the course of the board. This was the seemingly paradoxical situation last night and will be the outcome unless Powderly takes the redical come unless Powderly takes the radical step of offering his resolution which some say he has already written and in-

some say he has already written and intends to offer.

The "investigation," as the presentation of charges against the Powderly faction is termed was resumed yesterday morning at 90'clock. W. H. Bailey gained the floor and made an address sustaining the charges made by Barry at Saturday's session. It is understood that his remarks took the form of a general denunciation, and were given in language that was decidedly firecable. He said the leading officers of the assembly stood charged with a series of crimes against the order, which in a court of justice would put them behind the bars. The Knights of Labor is organized for the purpose of carrying out industrial reforms

AND NOT POLITICAL SCHEMES, of individuals. The investigation had of individuals. The investigation had revealed plots conceived by the general officers of the board and carried out in different sections of the country by their tools, who had prostituted the machinery of the order for the base purposes of personal agrandizement. He denounced John W. Hayes a wirepuller and a scheming politician, who had been sent around the country ostensibly using the funds of the order who had been sent around the country ostensibly using the funds of the order for the advancement of labor interests, but in reality using the money for a far different purpose, at least the evidence presented would indicate as much.

Concerning Powderly Bailey charged that he had sold out the organization to the Catholics, and had employed men who were paid out of the funds of the order without the knowledge of the other officers to work for the interests of the church within the order. He claimed the resolution of the committee on law, reducing the executive board to five members, was a scheme to get himself and Bailey out of the way. He claimed that his assembly, as well as himself, had been treated by the way. He claimed that his assembly, as well as himself, had been treated by Powderly in a manner that clearly indirowderly in a manner that clearly indicated this. Communications sent from his assembly, D. A. 135, of Ohio, had never been reported by the general secretary. In closing he stated that he should not resign, but if removed from the board by the effect of the resolution he and his friends would leave the assembly.

assembly.

General Secretary Litchman, in reply, denied the charge that any papers from District Assembly 135 had been suppressed, and reiterated Powderly's statement that Donnelly, the stenographer at the general officer, was a paid spy in the interests of the Barry-Bailey crowd.

Bailey crowd.

AT THE AFTERNOON SESSION
things came to a focus, and the result
was something of a surprise to the
Powderly side. First, the resolution reducing the membership to four and increasing the power of Powderly, was
defeated by a vive-voce vote.

Then came a resolution from the Powderly, or administration side, calling
for the resignation of all members of
the general executive board, and the
general officers Barry and Bailey, who
of course suspected that if this
was done a re-election would
follow which would effectually
dispose of them, refused to comply. dispose of them, refused to comply. Powderly, Aylesworth, McGuire, Hayes, Carleton, Litchman and Turner promptly offered their resignations. Seeing that Barry and Bailey would not leave, the assembly by a vote of 116 to 63, refused to accept the resignations offered and law enter the resignations. 63, refused to accept the resignations offered, and by a vote from which only 25 dissented, passed a resolution indorsing, without qualification, all the acts of Powderly and the other members of the board, and expressing implicit confidence in them.

The regular order of business sebsequently transacted, as furnished by the committee on publication, is as follows:

The committee on law reported in favor of changing article 13, section 15, of the constitution, which is as follows: "That the elective officers of the general as-sembly should consist of a general mas-ter workman, general worthy foreman, general secretary and general treasurer.

GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SIX in addition to the general master workman, no three of which to be from the same state, and a co-operative board of six. The committee favored an amendment which favored the addition of a general investigates and a co-operative. general investigator and a co-operative board of four instead of six.

Delegate Blaine, of D. A. No. 30, of

Massachusetts, offered a substitute, making the executive board consist of six members in addition to the general master workman, a co-operative board of five, and a general investigator with a secretary, both women to inquire into the industrial condition of women, the officers to be elected annually after the October session 1888 After a brief debute the session, 1888. After a brief debate the date of holding elections was withdrawn and the substitute was then put and lost. The report of the committee was also voted down. It was then voted to amend the article in question by inserting the office of "general investigator". ing the office of "general investigator" among the general offices. The recommendation of the committee changing section 16, so as to make the term of the general officers one year instead of two,

general omeers one year instead of two, was also lost.

The recommendation of Mary Hana-fin, chairman of the Womans' commis-sion, that a department of womans' work should be created under the direcshould travel, and have a woman secre-tary, who should have headquarters at Philadelphia, and maintain a corre-spondence in the interest of working women throughout the country, was referred referred.

AN ALLIANCE OFFENSIVE AND DE-FENSIVE AND BE-FENSIVE.

The following resolutions, presented by Ralph Beaumont, were adopted: Your committee appointed to meet the committee of the Farmers' Alliance submit the following.

Your committee appointed to meet the committee of the Farmers' Alliance submittee following:

Whereas, Both committees being agreed that the evils of which the farmers and mechanics and laborers complain are the results of unjust laws enacted in the interest of chartered corporations; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this joint committee that the most feasible method to redress those evils is for each organization to maintain at the national capital a committee from each, to consult and confer together, with a view to securing such legislation as will conduce to the interest and welfare of both organizations.

Resolved, That in case either organization shall fail through inability or otherwise to have a representative committee at the capital, the officers of the organization that fails to have its committee at the seat of government shall use their influence with the members of said organization to support the actions of the committee of the organization that is represented upon any question of legislation upon which the two bodies are in substantial accord, by the following methods:

First—By circulating petitions for signe-

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First—By circulating petitions for signe-tures among their own members and other citizens in favor of such legislation as the citizens in layor of such legislation as the committee is endeavoring to promote.

Second—By using their best endeavors to have their members refuse to support the received to any head of any legislative body who has failed to vote for and support any measure that has received the sanction of the executive heads of those two organization, viz. The National Farmers' Alliance, and the Knights of Labor. Be it further

agreed that the executive officers of these two organizations shall recommend that a similar course shall be pursued in the different states wherever there shall be a branch organization.

RALPH BEALMONT,
R. T. TREVELLECK,
Committee Knights of Labor.
J. W. Handen,
Eric Olson,
Milton George.
Committee Farmers' Alliance.
THE FEELING AT NIGHT.
The anti-Powderly men last night were quite jubilant over the outcome of yesterday's battle. They claim that the vote of 63 against 116, in demanding the resignation, was an indorsement by a respectable portion of the assembly. The Powderly men, however, state that considerably over half of the sixty-three votes were cast under a misapprehension and point to the vote as an indorsement of Powderly, which was nearly unanimous as showing the true spirit of the assembly. Although there was some talk last night among the hot heads of an effort to impeach Barry and Bailey, it is probable that the fight is at an end and the executive board will remain unchanged until the next assembly. Delegate Foster of D. A. 30, of Massachusetts, left for home last night. As he has been one of the leading "anties" this is taken as an indication that the controversey is through with. The real business of the assembly will then be renewed to-day, and will be rushed through so as to allow of then be renewed to-day, and will be rushed through so as to allow of adjournment Friday.

BOTH SIDES.

A Summary of the Charges and the Explanations Given.

It is generally understood that the charges made by Messrs. Barry and Berry are to the effect that J. M. Hayes, general secretary of the executive board, is a political schemer and a wirepuller. It was charged he has spent money belonging to the order in an effort to defeat a political aspirant; that he used funds belonging to the order for his own and his wife's benefit, and that he did some crooked work in connection with the great Southern strike. Hayes took the floor and by going into details proved to the satisfaction of the convention that the charges against him

convention that the charges against him were false.

It was charged against Powderly that he had used the funds of the order in employing a man in New York to work for the interests of the Catholic church; that he had sent money to Rome to induce the pope to look with favor on the K. of L., and that he had nominated Hayes for the presidential office. Mr. Powderly explained that Tom O'Reilly, the man employed in New York, was sent by him as embassador to lay the position of the K. of L. before Cardinal Gibbons, and the money alleged to be sent to Rome was to pay O'Reilly's traveling expenses to Baltimore, and also to pay his expenses to Canada to explain the condition of affairs to Archbishop Taschereau. tion of affairs to Archbishop Taschereau. He stated that the charge that he had paid money to District 149 without authority was false, and explained it by saying that action had to be taken at once, and when the board returned the matter was explained and indozed by matter was explained and indorsed by the majority of the board. Will Not Visit St. Paul.

The following resolution was adopted in declining to visit St. Paul: in declining to visit St. Paul:

"That the representatives of the general assembly do hereby express their appreciation of and regret their inability to accept the kind invitation of the city council of St. Paul to accept the hospitalities of that city."

The reason for the adoption of the resolution lies in the fact that it is appreciated, that the work of the assembly cannot be concluded by next Saturday night if any time is spared from the transaction of business. Resolutions indorsing every act of the general master workman and the general executive board were adopted.

A Harvest for Lawyers,

Special to the Globe. FARGO, Dak., Oct. 17 .- A very strong and elaborate petition has been signed to-day by a number of citizens inter-ested in indemnity lands, and supposed to have influence with the land departto have influence with the land department, urging stay of proceedings or reversal of the order opening the lands to settlement. It insists that squatters are covering with their shanties the farms of men who bought the lands in good faith and are the rightful owners of them, that they are being annoyed and injured by this illegal invasion, and many of them will be ruined if forced to give up their farms. The land officials here expect such a rush of men to file on the 21st that they will be forced to work night and they will be forced to work night and day to accommodate them. There will be filings not only for pre-emptions, but homesteads and tree claims. One attorney reports 300 cases in which he is retained. The matter will be a harvest for land attorneys whether their clients are benefited or not.

Impaled on a Switch Target. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 17.—Ernest Tendleman, a Bee Line employe, was the victim yesterday of a horrible and peculiar accident. While standing on a platform loading coal on a locomotive tender his foot slipped and he fell headforemost about fifteen feet, striking a switch target, which, entering at the switch target, which, entering at the shoulder, was driven clear through his body. There was a knob on the end of the target which had to be filed off before he was extricated. It took thirty-five minutes to remove the knob and the recommended. five minutes to remove the knob and the accumulated rust before he could be lifted off the target, and during the entire time of this impalement the man withstood the excrutiating torture, conscious of his situation and of the efforts being made for his rescue. The target was an inch and a half in diameter. He was removed to the hospital, and not-withstanping his terrible injuries, the physicians express a hope of saving the unfortunate man's life.

The Kent House Burned. JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 16.—The large and elegant Kent House, at Lakewood, on Chautauqua lake, was totally wood, on Chautauqua lake, was totally destroyed by fire at 6 o'clock this morning. A telephone message to the fire department in this city stated that the Kent, Lakeview and other hotels and cottages were burning. The fire department hurried to the scene and succeeded in saving the Lakewood House and cottages. The fire totally consumed the the six story Kent House, and damaged six or eight cottages. The burned hotel was the finest on the lake. The total loss will reach \$125,000, on which there is an insurance of \$36,000 divided among loss will reach \$125,000, on which there is an insurance of \$36,000 divided among twenty-six companies. The flames originated by a lamp explosion in the laundry of the hotel at 5:30 o'clock this morning. The flames spread so rapidly that the employes of the building escaped with difficulty. About a dozen cottages on Lake View avenue were damaged.

Want Heavy Damages. OSHKOSH, Wis., Oct. 17 .- W. H. Lacey & Co. and Nash, Wetherby & Co. have commenced suit against the Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western Railway company, the former for \$7,000 and the latter for \$20,000, the value of lumber and ter for \$20,000, the value of lumber and other property alleged to have been destroyed by sparks from one of the defendant's switch engines May 13, 1887, at Birnamwood. A high wind was blowing at the time, and the complaint set up is that the engine was old and without a spark arrester, contrary to law. The papers are ready for service. Two Children Suffocated.

Boston, Oct. 17,—The tenement occupied by James O'Connell at Peabody, was burned yesterday and two children of O'Connell's—James, aged four, and Mary, aged two years—were suffocated before they could be reached. Crowds for Jewelry

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\$34 WILL BUY A GENT'S OPEN FACE filled case watch, one-fifth second fly back, stem winder and setter, Swiss nickel, full jeweled movement, in extra good condition; No. 15, Page 34; neatly and richly engraved; original cost, \$60. \$157 WILL PURCHASE A DIAMOND stud weighing about 1½ carats, pure white, finely cut, good depth, very brilliant and no flaws, neat skeleton gold mounting; No. 1,303; original cost, \$225.

\$30 BUYS THIS GENT'S DIAMOND locket, one good sized stone, very brilliant, good color and perfect star mounting; No. 1,617; original cost, \$50.

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