SAINTLY CITY DOINGS

The Chamber Would Have Better Gas and Swifter Transportation.

An Interesting Grist of Gossip Gathered in the Hotel Corridors.

A Workman Danced a Jig on the Palace Top and Had a Fatal Fall.

Summary of the Doings of One Day Gathered From All Sources.

GAS AND TRANSPORTATION.

Cheaper Light in St. Paul and Cheaper Transportation to Minneapolis Wanted by the Chamber of Commerce.

At a meeting of the chamber of commerce yesterday morning the invitation from the committee for the chamber to take part in the industrial parade on Feb. 1 was referred to the executive committee. A resolution offered by Mr. Stevens that the efforts of Supt. Scott and the employes of the street car company to promote travel in the face of discouraging storms and insufficient equipment deserves the commendation of citizens, was adopted. A resolution that the committee on streets be instructed to investigate and report why streets are so imperfectly lighted, and whether any improvement is to be expected during the earnival season, went to the committee on streets. Another, that the St. Paul Gas Light company be requested to furnish the chamber with information as to the cause of the poor quality of the water gas it is now supplying to con-sumers, and also whether, consider-ing the poverty of the gas-illuminating power and the extreme cheapness of the cost of manufacturing it in comparison with coal gas, the price cannot be materi-ally reduced and still afford a large any reduced and still allord a large profit to the company, was referred to the same committee. The report of the mercantile committee in favor of a commercial union with Canada was submitted. To this Mr. Smalley offered as a substitute a resolution to the effect that the chamber favored the idea of that the chamber favored the idea of the Canadian provinces becoming states of this Union, and that the interstate commerce law apply to the Canadian railroads. The reading of this resolu-tion caused a laugh to go around the chamber, but Mr. Smalley sustained his proposition with several suggestions and claimed that the Canadion Pacific road, not being subject to the interstate road, not being subject to the interstate law, was slaughtering all rates and injuring the American roads. No action was taken and the matter was dropped.

E. W. Peet offered this resolution: "That this chamber of commerce learns with regret the decision of the man-agers of the railroad companies running trains between Minneapolis and St. Paul not to reduce the fare between these cities, and we hereby express our opinion that such decision is illiberal, unnecessary and unjustifiable, and, further, that the refusal of the managers of said companies to permit the use of tickets in either direction is hereby condamned as being in our opinion again. tickets in either direction is hereby con-demned as being, in our opinion, an un-necessary annoyance to the public.

In connection with this Mr. Noyes offered a resolution that the chamber advise and request the city council to grant to the St. Paul & Minneapolis Rapid Transit company, or other organ-ization formed for the same purpose, all reasonable concessions and facilities asked for, consistent with the public interests, for the construction the public interests, for the construction and operation of the proposed quick transit line between St. Paul and Min-

neapolis. Both these resolutions were MINNEAPOLIS AND ST. PAUL ONE CITY. Mr. McClung offered a preamble and several resolutions in regard to Minne-apolis and St. Paul, which were referred to the committee on city govern-ment. The preamble recited that inasmuch as the two cities would ultimately unite and constitute one city, it would be wise to anticipate the manifest destiny of the union that will follow, and to accelerate it by combin-ing all their resources and uniting all their influences on such subjects as are for the common advantage of both cities; that while neither city could commit itself to any definite form of nnion, it is time for the best cities of lather than the common of the latter of lather than the common of lather than the latter of lather of lather than the latter of lather of latter of lather than the latter of latter of latter of lather than the latter of latter of latter of lather than the latter of the best citizens of both cities to unite and deliberate upon such subjects as are now of common interest to secure concert of action, so that there can be a unity and oneness of action; that the St. Paul chamber invites the board of trade of Minneapolis to appoint twenty delegates to meet a similar number from St. Paul to be appointed by this chamber, to meet in the St. Paul chamber in February, 1888, to consider and report back to their respective bodies such a plan of union as will carry out the spirit and intent expressed in the pre-

ROTUNDA RIPPLES. What Some Well-Known Men Found to Talk About Yesterday. Among the blockaded ones in St. Paul was Judge Edgerton, of Dakota, who left for home last evening upon receiving assurances that the snow blockade had been temporarily raised. He found time, however, to say to the GLOBE's representative that, while his preference was for a division of Dakota, yet if the people of the territory and the general government thought it judicious to admit it as one state he was for the interests of Dakota all the time. "According to Gov. Church's message," said the judge, "the population of Dakota is about 600,000, South Dakota containing ter. Those who are advocating one grand state of Dakota are doubtless sincere in their professions, but I have not been convinced that division would not redound to our material benefit in every way.'

"I am going to Washington for a few weeks," said Hon. H.B. Strait, of Shak-opee, "purtly to escape from this cold weather and partly on private business. Railroads in our vicinity are pretty clear of snow now and trains are runn ng as usual, but the wagon roads are still impassable, owing to the heavy snow-drifts. While there has been a great deal of suffering entailed by the cold snap, I have not heard of any fatal re-sults in the neighborhood of Shakopee. My stay at the capital will depend upon circumstances, for there are many old acquaintances that I want to see again, and a variety of interests are involved in my trip."

"One experience with a blizzard is enough for me," said Stanley Single, a young Englishman who since last spring has been a resident of Minnedosa in Manitoba, "and a trip that should have been accomplished at the outside within two-days has required a week. Ex-Mayor Westbrook, of Winnipeg, and myself were the only occupants of the sleeper that left the capital of the province last Wednesday when the blizzard was just beginning. That night a carpenter named McDonald, who lived opposite my hotel, was frozen to death in his bed, having licked the covering off bimself during the night, and a photographer in the same neighborhood had a narrow escape from the same fate, He was found unconscious on the floor of his studio by the boy who blacked his boots, and as-

sistance was summoned and the poor fellow restored after a long struggle."

"Thursday noon found our train at Emerson on the boundary line, and the blizzard raging furiously. It was determined not to risk going any further, especially as the snow drifts in the main streets of Emerson were piled eight feet high, and it was packed so solid that a person could walk on the top of the drift without making the slightest impression. It was half a mile from the depot to the hotel, but in that storm the distance seemed several times greater. For three days the blizzard raged furiously, reaching its height the afternoon of Friday, and the following day we resumed our journey, the train being frequently compelled to stop on account of the heavy drifts. Finally we reached Barnsville, where snow plows had preceded us, and we found the track comparatively free from snow. We left this point Sunday night, a snow plow in front of us, and two engines attached to the train, reaching St. Paul shortly before daylight "Thursday noon found our train ing St. Paul shortly before daylight Monday morning. I am going south for the remainder of the winter and will the return to the tight little isle."

HE DANCED A JIG

On Top of the Ice Palace and It Cost Him His Life.

Another workman employed in the construction of the ice palace fell from the tower wall yesterday and was fatally injured. He was Frank Grauber, an unmarried German, aged twenty-two. who lived in a boarding house at No. 705 who lived in a boarding house at No. 705
Mississippi street. The workmen at
the palace say Grauber's fall was the
result of his own foolishness. He was
dancing a jig at the top of the main
tower. 100 feet from the ground, when
he slipped and fell on the outside. He was conscious when
picked up and refused to take
stimulants. The bone protuded from
his left leg, which was broken below
the knee, and his forehead was split
from temple to temple. Several ribs
were broken and he sustained severe internal injuries. The central station were broken and he sustained severe internal injuries. The central station patrol was called and Grauber was removed to the city hospital. At 2 o'clock this morning he was still alive but very low, and the physicians did not entertain any hope of recovery.

WHY IS DAKOTA OUT?

A Talk With Judge Moody, "Senator" From South Dakota.

"Partisan politics is at the bottom of the opposition to the admission of Dakota," said Hon. G. C. Moody, of Deadwood, who was sent to Washington as senator from the state of South Dakota a couple of winters ago, "and I say this after spending a month at the capital among our lawmakers. Since the 15th of December I have been talking with public men on this question, and the bill now before the senate, which with amendments was substituted for the Harrison bill of last season, was drafted by myself, It was first submitted to a meeting of Dakotians, among whom were Messrs. Kleiner, King, Pettigrew, Day and Delegate Gifford, all of whom expressed themselves satisfied with its provisions, and Mr. Gifford introduced it in the house. It urges the admission of South Dakota as a state and the passage of an enabling act to fit North Dakota to make the same application after complying with the senate, which with amendments was ling act to fit North Dakota to make the same application after complying with the requirements of congress, and will give the people of South Dakota an opportunity to vote at the next presidential election. This, however, does not commend the measure to statesmen of Springer's stripe and the latter has antagonized one bill with one that if passed onized one bill with one that, if passed, can only result in a complete disorgan-ization of the territory of Dakota, en-

ization of the territory of Dakota, entail endless litigation regarding titles to property, and in fact do everything except benefit us."

"Senator Hearst, the new Democratic senator from California, who is a practical business man, is one of our friends, and had no hesitancy in stating that he would support the bill for two states being formed out of our territory, as he was convinced not only that it would be judicious, but absolutely essential to the future welfare of the portion of the Northwest 400 miles square."

"But, underlying all the opposition, is the fear that Dakota, if divided into two states, would give Republican majorities for the the president, and this

jorities for the the president, and this the Democracy will not allow to sink into the insignificance that it deserves. For it is not a question of partisanship, but one of justice that now confronts congress regarding Dakota, and it is a crying shame that 600,000 American citizens are disfranchised to gratify the whim of a few so-called public men and

AMUSEMENTS.

"Held By the Enemy" at the Grand--A Plum Pudding.

There is always a fascinating glamor

about military life and military events, and there is no sort of a stage production which is usually more captivating to an audience than one that is well filled with stirring martial features. Mr. Gillette was fortunate in this respect in hitting on a subject for his play, "Held by the Enemy." The scene is laid in a Virginia town, and the period is the last year of the civil war. The plot is well constructed and full of exceedingly strong dramatic situations. It was a stroke of genius on the part of It was a stroke of genius on the part of he author to introduce two heroes into the play, one wearing the blue and the other the gray, both of them manly characters and both equally exciting the admiration of Americans, without regard to their sectional prejudices or sympathies, maybe. Col. Prescott, of the Union army, and Lieut. Hayne, of the Confederate side, are typical American soldiers who hold honor above life, and although they honor above life, and although they had the misfortune to love the same girl in addition to being pitted against each other in war, the sympathies of the auditor are made to divide so evenly between the heroes that one is led to regret that both could not have married her. A fair criticism of both the play and the performance of it at the Grand last night is that it is one of the strongest and most interesting performances that has been seen here this season. The scenic effects are particularly good, there being much to produce a realistic revival in the minds of three-fifths of this number. It is a question in my mind whether anything will be accomplished at Washington this winter in regard to admission, not alone on account of the conflicting interests representing Dakota, but from the fact that other territories are knocking at the door of statehood and claim priority over Dakota in this matter. Those who are advocating one detracting from the merit of the per-formance. It would be difficult to sug-gest an improvement in the acting of Miss Thorne and Miss Schell, who carry the parts of the sisters with admirable taste and correct ideas of the characters The same bill the re-

mainder of the week. CITY LAW-BREAKERS.

The Men Who Took up the Time in the Municipal Court Yester-

day. At the preliminary examination of James Carr, a colored thief, accused of stealing \$190 worth of H. F. Weyhe's household goods, which were stored in a barn on Dayton avenue, Judge Cory held Carr to the grand jury in \$1,500 bail. J. Lubosky, a Third street second-hand dealer, who bought the stolen goods from Carr for \$6, was held for a hearing to-day on a charge of receiving

and How to Keep It." She vigorously denounced the laws limiting the practice denounced the laws limiting the practice of medicine to a certain class, and claims that any one able to prescribe for the ills of a hnman being ought to have that right. The balance of her discourse was in the nature of a scientific essay. She wore an elegant costume of black velvet, while a half dozen magnificent diamonds glistened on her breast.

PAY FOR PAVING. Suits Against the City to Recover Contractors' Claims - Court

Notes. The National German American bank yesterday began suit in the district court against the city of St. Paul for \$7,000, being the balance due for paving Wacouta street, from the union depot to Ninth street, and \$4,000 for paving Rosabel, from the union depot to Eighth street. Folsom & Murray were the contractors in both these cases, and the claims were assigned by them to the

bank.
In the case of Joseph W. Garbutt vs.
William H. Pierce, Judge Kelly granted
a motion of the plaintiff to make the
defendant serve a more definite answer

In the case of W. E. Healey vs. Albert Bruchman, Judge Kelly sustained the demurrer of the defendant to the com-plaint.

Judge Kelly denied the motion of the plaintiff to compel the defendant to strike out certain portions of his answer in the case of Henry Caldwell vs. John C. De Pew. In the case of William Johnson vs.

In the case of William Johnson vs. The City of St. Paul and D. J. Hennessy, Judge Kelly sustained the demurrer of the city as defendant, and overruled the demurrer of the defendant Hennessy. He granted twenty days for defendants to file their answers.

Judge Kelly denied the motion of the plaintiff for judgment and dismissed the action in the case of Peter Keehle vs. James E. Flannigan. The costs were awarded to the defendant.

In the case of the State ex rel. Sarah

In the case of the State ex rel. Sarah G. Marston vs. R. A. Smith, mayor, Judge Kelly, of the district court, ordered that the alternative writ of mandamus be quashed and the costs paid by

damus be quashed and the costs paid by respondent.

Judge Simons ordered that a judgment for \$1;485.52 be entered for the plaintiff in the case of Joseph W. Smith vs. Michael O'Brien.

In the case of the Bohn Manufacturing Company vs. Daniel Doyle et al., Judge Brill decided that the plaintiff was entitled to a judgment for \$715.87, with \$15.46 interest. He ordered that lot 3, block 5, of Finch's addition, be sold to pay the judgment.

Judge Brill granted plaintiff's motion for a new trial in the case of Thomas McDermitt vs. John Fitzgerald et al.

A lien claim for \$235.80 was filed by the Bohn Manufacturing company yesterday against Hans Lund. The property is lot 20, block 8, Oakville Park addition.

W. M. Williams, indicted for horse

W. M. Williams, indicted for horse stealing, was arraigned before Judge Kelly yesterday morning. He withdrew his plea of "not guilty" and pleaded guilty in the second degree. He was given nine months in the workhouse.

house.

J. H. Church, indicted for assault in the second degree, withdrew his former plea of not guilty as indicted, but guilty of assault in the third degree. He was given sixty days in the workhouse.

The ease of Noyes Bros. & Cutler vs.

J. W. Ham, to recover a sum for goods sold, was on trial yesterday.

The trial of Berthe Heepner was yes The trial of Bertha Hegener was yes-

terday set for Jan. 30. Cases 100 and 65 are called for this

UNITED STATES COURT. The jury rendered a verdict for de-fendant in the case of Oliver Mattheson against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad company.

The case of Thomas Fernandez

against the Northern Pacific, is now on The United States district court will adjourn next Friday, owing to the fact that the appropriation has been exhausted and there is no money available with which to pay the juries.

HE WORKED IN POLITICS.

Walter Thomas Mills' Talk on the Workshop vs. the Grogshop. Walter Thomas Mills delivered his Grogshop," at Relief hall, on Ninth street near Jackson, last night. The admission was free and the audience was, consequently, large. Mr. Mills has a way of speaking entirely different from the usual con-ventional manner of the lecturer. He speaks in a conversational tone, and sticks closely to his subject, without in-dulging in any rhetorical freaks. His address last night was nothing more that a political stump speech from the prohibition standpoint. He attacked by a sort of ridicule both of the Republicans and Democrats. He asserted that no political party could be better than any faction of the party large enough to lose the party its power, and said that about three-fourths of Republicans and three-fourths of the Democrats were good men, but the other one-fourth congood men, but the other one-fourth con-trolled the fate of either party. He thinks if the internal revenue were abolished there would be no treasury surplus and no whisky pool, but he says the Prohibition party is marching on to victory and hasn't time to consider these questions, for when the prohibi-tory law is passed there will be no need of considering them.

of considering them. NEW CORPORATIONS.

A Railroad Company and a Car Heating and Lighting Concern.

The Howe Lumber company, of Breitung, St. Louis county, filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state yesterday. The capital is \$100,000, divided into 2,000 shares of \$50 each. George C. Howe, F. H. Frisbee, P. M. Graff and F. L. Murray, of Duluth, and E. D. Graff, of Washington, Pa., and Julian Howard, of Tower, Minn., are the incorporators.

Articles of incorporation of the Moorhead & Lake Superior Railway company were filed yesterday. The object of the incorporaton is the construction of a railroad between Moorhead and some point on Lake Superior in Wisconsin or Minnesota. The capital is \$10,000,000 and the incorporators are: T. C. Kurtz, W. H. Davy, R. R. Briggs and Andrew Holes, of Moorhead, and B. F. Mackall, of Duluth.

The Northwestern Modern Car Heating and Lighting company, of St. Paul, yesterday filed a list of shareholders, and the amount of stock held by each. Articles of incorporation of the Moor-

and the amount of stock held by each.

The Winona Wagon company yester-day placed on file amended articles of incorporation. By the amendment the limit of indebtedness is raised from \$100.000 to \$150.000 \$100,000 to \$150,000.

NEWS OF THE ARMY.

Theodore Holway, hospital corps, is assigned to duty as acting hospital steward for the post of Fort Clark, Texas. The sentence in the case of Charles A. Wilson, late of Company A, Twentieth infantry, Fort Assinniboine, Mont., now in confinement at Fort Leavenworth military prison, is reduced

to two years. Private John S. Cunningham, Company B, Second infantry, now at Omaha, Neb., will proceed to Fort Washakie, Wyo., and report for duty with Company G, Seventh infantry, to which organization he is transferred.

Upon the arrival of Assistant Surgeon Randolph G. Ebert, U. S. A., at Fort Pembina, Dak., Acting Assistant Surgeon W. E. Sabin, U. S. A., will be re-

strong, Company E, Nineteenth infantry; Charles Duffre, Troop G, Tenth cavalry; Peter G. Neil, Company D, First infantry; Willie B. Williams, Company D, Twenty-fourth infantry; Musician Alfred Lapierre, Company G, Twenty-third infantry, and Post Quartermaster Sorgt. Edward F. Winters, now at San Antonio, Tex.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The mayor received a letter from H. F. Brown, of Greenville, Tex., yesterday asking for pictures of the ice palace and other carnival advertising literature. Mr. Brown says he has organized an excursion party of sightseers from Texas, who will visit the carnival by special train. Was Nollied.

by special train.

Oh, tell us Mr. Lowry, in your language quaint, but flowery
If it can in your power be to tell us in St.
Paul,
Oh tell us if you're able when your going to start the cable,
And stop the constant gabble that now inflicts us all.
Oh stop you're stories cunning, we're tired of constant punning. of constant punning, When will that line be running of which the paper speaks.
Then Tom commenced his smiling, his finger nails still filing,
He replied in words beguiling: "Twill

run in just two weeks; Yes, 'twill run in just two weeks." This confab, I remember, took place in last September, Was continued till December, on every other week. Then without ostentation, he gave the same

To men of every station, who since to him

did speak.

Then his men together drumming, he said Then his inen together drumming, he said the time was coming,
And the work went on a humming, our anger to abate.

Then things went on still faster, 'till it seemed the work he'd master.

Then he spread the old worn plaster "two more weeks we'd have to wait. 'Twould run then if we'd wait.'

That amid all our hilarity, if we'd exercise our charity,
We'd realize the rarity of a cable line at last,

gentleman who says the meter is after Poe, the sentiment after Mr. Lowry and the people after the whole combination of cable and street car companies.

Dr. Murphy, the King Borealis of last year's carnival, has been giving points to his successor, Mr. Durant. Forewarned is forearmed, and King Borealis Durant will not have to keep the crowd waiting while he sends Chief Clark back to Corporation Attorney Murray's office to find out what to say when the keys of the city are handed him.

A Large Transfer.

The northeast corner of Fourth and Robert streets was purchased yesterday for the Pioneer Press company. The consideration for the ground, known as the Metcalf property, fronting 75 feet on Robert street and 124¼ feet on Fourth street, was \$109,000. The purchasers also have an option on the adjoining forty-five feet front on Robert street for \$45,000, or \$1,000 per front foot. The Metcalf property is at present occupied by a threeerry is at present occupied by a three-story stone building. It is understood that this building will be demolished at once and that the Pioneer Press com-pany will commence the erection of an office building on the site.

No Plum Pudding.

Manager Hilton, of the Olympic, went to Chicago last week, and witnessed the performance of Minnie Sartelle's 'Plum Pudding" company, concluded "Plum Pudding" company, concluded that it was not good enough for his theater, and accordingly canceled the engagement which was to begin last night. In place of the Sartelle combination "Burns & Morrow's Acme Novelty company" of specialty artists, fourteen strong, plaved to a good house. They were booked on short notice, but gave a very creditable performance. gave a very creditable performance.

Saying Farewell.

A platform meeting was held at the Jackson Street Methodist church last evening, at which addresses were made by Revs. J. E. Smith, John Stafford. R. Forbes and Presiding Elder S. B. Warner. The meetings, which will continue through Wednesday evening of this week, are in the nature of farewell services in the old edifice, the congregation being about to move into their new church, at the corner of Twelfth and

GLOBULES.

The county commissioners will hold their egular meeting to-morrow. Four births, eight deaths and two marriages were bulletined at the health onice yesterday.

The Oxford League of Bates Avenue M. E. church will give a musical and literary en-tertainment in the church Tuesday evening. A social hop will be given by the Trinket Dancing club at Marquardt's hall, corner of Carroll and Louis streets, Wednesday even-ing, Jan. 18.

The governor yesterday appointed E. V. Smalley, of this city, a delegate to the Mississlppi river convention which assembles at Dubuque to-day. Bircher post, G. A. R., will have a meeting and camp fire at 7:30 o'clock to-night in the new post hall in West St. Paul. Comrades of other posts will be welcome.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Fireman will give its eleventh annual ball at Market hall Wednesday evening, Jan. 18, under the auspices of Minnehaha Lodge No. 61.

All members of Acker post, G. A. R., are requested to attend the funeral of their late comrade, Robert Nolan, at family residence, 357 Goodhue street, this morning at 9:30. Services will be held at the cathedral at 10 o'clock.

Officer Wilson, the ex-pugilist, arrested Dennis McGrogan on Robert street while the latter was trying to dispose of a white goatskin lap robe, believed to have been stolen. McGrogan was booked at the central station for largent

for larceny.

A beautiful mahogany cabinet, built ex-

A beautiful mahogany cabinet, built expressly for a "rogues gallery," was put in place at the potice headquarters yesterday. It is a present from W. A. Pinkerton, of Chicago, to Chief of Police Clark and Chief of Detectives John O'Connor.

The board of public works will make favorable reports on the grading of Main street, from Plum to Clairmount street, and paving Virginia avenue with brick, from Nelson to Summit avenues. The order for grading Hope street, from Margaret to Minnelhaha streets, will be reported adversely.

At the Church of the Good Shepherd a convocation of the central deanery of Minnelsota will be held this week, beginning to night and closing Thursday. Discussions, will be held on various church topics, to be had by well-known clergymen. Bishop Gilbert will address the opening meeting, Wednesday the annual meeting of the Church, Temperance society will be held.

The conneil committee on police, at its meeting vesterday took no action on the Temperance society will be held.

The council committee on police, at its meeting yesterday, took no action on the recommendation made by the chief of police in his report that the force be increased. The increase will probably not be made until spring. The committee accepted the resignation of Peter Koch, driver of the Ducas street patrol, charged with drunkenness, and sustained the appointment of Andrew Quinn to the position.

PERSONALS.

J. M. Graham, of Jamestown, Dak., is registered at the Ryan.
W. J. Auderson, of Livingston, Mont., haso partments at the Ryan.
D. C. Buell, of the Duluth Tribune, cailed on the governor vesterday. on the governor yesterday.

H. S. Westbrook, formerly mayor of Winnipeg, was among yesterday's arrivals at the Merchants.

Merchants.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Stowell and Miss A.
M. Averill arrived in New York yesterday on
the Umbria.

City Attorney Murray started for Chicago
Sunday night. He will be absent in the East
about ten days.

about ten days.

Dr. Meyer, a leading giving physician of Ottawa, Canada, was among the guests at the Merchants yesterday.

Louis H. Bigelow, a capitalist of Boston, arrived at the Merchants yesterday and will remain during the carnival. J. L. Helm, assistant clerk of the supreme court, has so far recovered that he was able to be at his desk again yesterday.

James Forrestal left the city yesterday for Milwaukee, Chicago and Kansas City, and will be absent about three weeks.

D. D. Thorp, of Detroit, Mich., one of the proprietors of the State Republican, of Lansing, Mich., and president of the St. Paul knitting works, in this city, is in St. Paul to attend the annual meeting of stockholders.

IT IS WARDEN STORDOCK.

No One Appeared to Prosecute the Prison Official

ing point and will have immense storage reservoirs at intervals along its line. HIS SUSPENSION IS OFF.

Statement From County Attorney Egan on Which the Indictment

It is Warden Stordock again. The prosecuting attorney of Washington county failed to appear in the district court yesterday morning, and the Stordock-McNeale cases were dismissed, at his request, for want of sufmissed, at his request, for want of suf-ficient evidence to warrant continuing such cases. The news of the abandon-ment of the cases reached the state house in short order, and right after dinner the governor issued a letter re-voking his former suspension of the warden and restoring him to his position

Attorney Egan said: "This case has been removed to the county of Ramsey, Second judicial district, for trial on an Second judicial district, for trial on an application for change of venue made in Washington county, First judicial district, and is now in this court pursuant to an order made for such change of venue by the district court of Washington county. The case was duly set last last Tuesday, Jan. 10, for trial Jan. 16, 1888, at 10 a. m. The county attorney of Washington county was duly notified. The county attorney and his representative, J. N. Castle, have informed the county attorney of Ramsey county that the cases would not be brought on for trial, and that he should ask leave of the court to dismiss said cases. The county attorney of Ramsey county has

We'd realize the rarity of a cable line at last,

When the carnival was bubbling o'er with fun and nothing troubling
The cable would be gobbling in our shekels thick and fast.

Then hope's last dying ember that was kindled last September Goes out as I remember amidst a load of fears

That the Ice association has it in its contemplation
To give fun to all the nation for a space of thirty years.

Then 'twill run in thirty years.

The above rhyme is contributed by a gentleman who says the meter is after Here is a letter from J. N. Castle, who represents the state of Minnesota, and the county attorney of Washington county in these matters, and, pursuant thereto, leave is asked or the court to dismiss the cases of The State of Minnesota vs. H. G. Stordock and Sarah McNeale, on the ground and for the reason that the state has no evidence pufficient. that the state has no evidence pufficient to go before a jury and ask, or be al-lowed, a conviction of the defendants,

lowed, a conviction of the defendants, or either of them.

"The letter is as follows: 'J. J. Egan, County Attorney, St. Paul, Minn.—Dear Sir: Will you have the goodness to have dismissed the cases of The State vs. Stordock and McNeale, and oblige. Yours respectfully, J. N. CASTLE,

Acting County Attorney.'"

The indictments were thereupon nollied by the court in both cases.

The governor's letter to the warden is as follows:

as follows:
St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 16, 1888.—Hon.
H. G. Stordock, Warden, etc., etc.—
Dear Sir: The order issued by me Nov.
17, 1887, suspending you from the office
of warden of the state prison pending
your trial on an indictment found
against you by the grand jury of Washington county is hereby revoked and against you by the grand jury of Washington county, is hereby revoked and annulled, for the reason that the trial on said indictment has been abandoned by the prosecution for the lack of evidence, and the indictment dismissed on the motion of the attorney for the prosecution. You are therefore restored to your said office of warden and to all the duties and rights thereof. Respectfully yours, A. R. McGill, Governor.

A WORD FROM MR. MARSH.

To the Editor of the Giobe.

I see it mentioned in the St. Paul Press of yesterday that the cases against Warden Stordock are to be dismissed, and that Mr. Stordock had intimated in an interview here at Stillwater that he should proceed against your paper for

an interview here at Stillwater that he should proceed against your paper for having published certain matters in reference to himself, which were written by me. Also that Mary Walshair had retracted what she had said in reference to Warden Stordock in a convergation with Judge Butts one of the sation with Judge Butts, one of the

rison inspectors.

I do not know but what it may be true that the indictments against Mr. Stor-dock may be dismissed. I never have dock may be dismissed. I never have had control in any way or manner of the criminal proceedings. I have no voice or vote as to whether they should be dismissed or continued. If the indictments are dismissed I shall try to make it very plain why Mr. Castle, prosecuting attorney, was compelled to dismiss the indictments.

As to the other part of the story, that

As to the other part of the story, that Mary Waishair had retracted what she had said, in a conversation with Mr. Butts, that is not true.

There is a civil case pending in the district court of Washington county,

district court of Washington county, in which ex-Warden Reed is plaintiff and Warden Stordock is defendant. This case will come on for trial at the next term of the district court of Washington county. It will then BE VERY EASY TO ASCERTAIN as to whether Mary Waishair has changed her testimony. Mr. Stordock knows that she has not changed her testimony, and he feels so certain of the success of Mr. Reed in the case (and the success of Mr. Reed depends the success of Mr. Reed depends upon the truth of the statements which I have made in your paper) that he (Warden Stordock) said to Freeman L. McKusick, an officer of the municipal court of the city of Stillwater, that for the purpose of avoid-ing the payment of and judgment which ex-Warden Reed might obtain against him in the case now pending, he pro-posed to make an assignment of all his property for the base of his resolutors. property for the benefit of his creditors.

Mr. McKusick can be found at any time in the city of Stillwater, and is ready and willing to verify the statement which I make.

If Mr. Stordock did not believe that I could be their a independent against him in

could obtain a judgment against him in this action, which is based upon the procuring and circulation of a false affidavit against ex-Warden Reed, then he is behaving like a lunatic, in either making an assignment or threatening to make one to avoid such judgment. Very respectfully, FAYETTE MARSH.

Bible Society.

The Ramsey County Bible society held its annual meeting at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. yesterday forenoon and elected the following officers: President, Rev. H. C. Mabie; vice president, George H. Hazzard; secretary, H. Knox
Taylor; treasurer, D. D. Merrill. Rev.
E. R. Irmscher, city missionary, made
his report, as also the retiring officers.
These reports show the society to be in
a flourishing condition.

Carnival Notes. The St. Anthony Hill Toboggan club will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 at 183 Western avenue. An important meeting of Aurora To-boggan club will be held to-night at the

There will be a meeting of the Flambeau club at the armory at 7:30 Wednesday.

Members of Mardi Gras committee will meet at carnival headquarters this afternoon at 5 sharp. The pony brigade which W. A. Van Slyke desires to organize will be a grand success it all boys and girls wishing to join will report to him at 316 Sibley street at organize.

New Mexico's Canal. SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 16 .- The canal of the Albuquerque Land and Water

street at once.

company, known throughout the territory as the "Guy Robertson Mesa canal," will be commenced in ten days. Men, tools, provisions, etc., are now on the ground and awaiting a change of weather to commence construction on the first section. The dimensions of the canal will be thirty feet wide at the top, eighteen at the bottom, six feet deep, running a distance of 142 miles through Rio Arriba, Santa Fe, Vaiencia, Bernalilo and Socorro counties on the Mesa and bottom lands of the Rio Grande valley. It will begin at a point about three and a half miles south of Espouola company, known throughout the terri-

and will stop near a point opposite Socorro. Over 1.500,000 acres of now useless land will be reclaimed by the construction, which will subject it to copious irrigation. The supply of water will be practically inexhaustible as the canal taps the Rio Grande at the starting point and will have impresse stor-

The Shipping League. WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 .- The national convention of the American Shipping convention of the American Shipping league opened here this afternoon. Congressman Wheeler, of Alabama, presided, and Charles S. Hill, of Washington, was secretary. About 100 delegates, representing boards of trade and commercial bodies from various sections of the country, all intent upon the extension and reconstruction of our merchant marine, were present at the preliminary meeting this afternoon. Addresses were delivered by Col. Switzler, chief of the bureau of statistics, by Hon. George B. Loring, ex-commissioner of agriculture, and others. The convention then adjourned until to-morrow morning.

No Yellow Fever.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 16 .- The mayors of Sanford and Tampa, the president of the Florida Health Protective ident of the Florida Heálth³ Protective association and hundreds of citizens from all parts of the state have telegraphed the News-Herald asking it to deny the report sent out from this state that yellow fever was prevalent in Tampa and Sanford. There has not been a case of yellow fever in this state for two months. All quarantines and restrictions have long since been abandoned as unnecessary, and business has been resumed in all its details. The state is crowded with tourists, who can testify to the facts here stated.

Costly Hugs and Kisses. NEW YORK, Jan. 16.-Judgment for \$46,182 was entered to-day against Charles Arbuckle, the coffee merchant, In pursuance of the verdict of the jury in the suit for breach of promise brought by Miss Clara Campbell.

[See adv. of Real Estate Title Ins. Co.]

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