

SAINT PAUL.

CHIT CHAT CORNER.

There was a rumor in the city last evening of a rising among the Indians in Dakota, and that troops had been detailed to put them down.

"Death cannot rob the world of a human soul possessing more exalted integrity, disinterested patriotism and unselfish devotion than were conspicuously manifested in the life of my dear friend, Col. George Gibson, of the Fifth Infantry," said Gen. Thomas M. Finck yesterday.

"I learned to-day by a letter from his wife that the colonel had requested her to curtail her sojourn in the East, and she arrived on the 3d inst. Col. Gibson met her at the train with his usual bright and cheerful greeting, and was apparently as well as he ever was.

Thomas Brennan, the well-known lumberman, entertained a number of his friends yesterday with a pleasant picnic excursion. The party left the city in two buses at 10 a. m., going first to Fort Snelling and afterwards to Minnetonka. Here a rest was taken, and when all had enjoyed the beautiful scenery surrounding the falls lunch was spread on the greensward and partaken of with a relish.

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S. Lee Davis—I have not been doing much in real estate this week. I had a little private business to attend to which took me out of town. I went out on the Manitoba road to look after a matter of business and I found lots of them. So far as I observed the chickens fly higher this year than they did last season, but they are in splendid condition, and are very plentiful.

The employees of the West Publishing company picnicked at Forest lake yesterday, there being about 200 persons present. The day was spent in the enjoyment of sports of various kinds. There were two games of base ball, besides foot races among the young men, jumping contests. Addresses were delivered by Messrs. Ames and Greenwood. Altogether the occasion was a most enjoyable one. A vote taken on the train on the way to the lake regarding each one's preference for president resulted: Cleveland 100, Harrison 40.

SPRINKLING ASSESSMENTS. Cause a Rumpus in Court—Other Cases on the Calendar.

The application of the Morris Lamprey estate for an injunction to restrain the city from selling at a delinquent assessment sale certain property on which there are assessments amounting to about \$500, made up before Judges Wilkin and Kelly yesterday. This has been usually known as the Fifth sprinkling district case. S. L. Pierce, appearing for the petitioner, attempted to make a strong point based on the question of the legality of the publications in the official paper of the city. City Attorney Murray claims that as no objection was made before judgment was entered, it is now too late.

A. H. Wilder, William Dawson, Charles H. Bigelow, and others have begun an action against Andrew Olson to quiet title to certain property on Mississippi and Front streets. Several other real estate cases were begun yesterday, most of them of great importance.

P. R. L. Hardenbergh & Co. sue August Harkness, of Stillwater, for \$427 on goods delivered. Suit is brought by C. W. Youngman against E. H. Flitz against J. N. Rogers to quiet title to lot 7, block 1, J. N. Rogers' Second addition.

Preparatory for Winter Fun. The Ivy Leaf dancing club is preparing for the coming wintry season of gaieties already, and has accordingly elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, John P. Twydy (re-elected); vice-president, J. J. Fancey; secretary, John R. Treanor; treasurer, George J. Ryan; executive committee, Charles Mullen, P. C. McCarthy and M. J. Clonahan. The club will give its second annual moonlight excursion Wednesday evening, Aug. 23, and the steamer will leave foot of Jackson street at 8 p. m.

CARRIED OFF THE CUP

After Being Stimulated by Myriads of Bright-Eyed Maidens.

Regatta of the Crack Scullers of the Minneapolis Boat Club.

Fast Time Made and Clever Exhibitions in All the Contests.

Presentation of the Proofs of Prowess by a Lady Orator.

The small island lying amidstream the Mississippi river, and underneath Wabasha street bridge was yesterday afternoon the scene of a gay and animated throng. The occasion was the fifteenth annual regatta of the Minneapolis Boat Club, and the ladies and gentlemen assembled upon the island were members and friends of the club. It was a singularly fine afternoon; the clouds gathered skywards and the oppressive rays of a brilliant sun were neutralized by a refreshing breeze. This regatta has been usually held on the morning of the Fourth of July, but, owing to the regatta which was held at Lake Minnetonka the 6th of last month, the Minneapolis club deemed it expedient to postpone their annual reunion until yesterday. The result was a success, alike for the number of spectators who met to witness the racing and the competitors, who thereby receive more encouragement in the display of whatever prowess they are possessed.

Regattas are oftentimes extremely dull and slow affairs, and the patience of spectators is usually tried below zero. The regatta of yesterday was an exception to this rule, and though a late start must be recorded the races run without loss or unnecessary waste of time. True, the number of exciting finishes were few, but the general good humor which prevailed, intermingled with selections of operatic and other music by the Great Western band, went to make up a really enjoyable afternoon. Ladies and gentlemen sat round the edge of the island in groups, chatted and laughed, viewed the start of this race and the finish of another, and then they chatted and laughed again. It was really a pretty scene and was witnessed by hundreds of people.

PEOPLE FROM THE BRIDGE, who were attracted thereby and also with a desire to see the racing.

Among the ladies who graced the regatta with their presence were: Mrs. O'Connell, Mrs. Connelly, of Milwaukee; Jeremiah Pendergast and wife, Lawrence Brennan and wife, John Brennan and wife, John Cahill and sister, J. G. Donnelly, B. H. Cox, P. M. Hennessey, Mr. Agnew, Thomas Howard and daughter, P. T. Kavanaugh and wife.

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McLaren and W. S. Getty were next to take the start, and they then had the decision of the senior single. E. A. Jagard was entered for the race, but failed to take part. Getty and McLaren were the only two men in the club, and there is little prospect of them. Though beaten yesterday, Getty had been doing better than McLaren in his trials, but was unfortunately LOSING AT THE START.

He also chose the worst water, McLaren being conceded the inner course. When they had covered half the distance, McLaren was practically a walk-over for the winning crew. They were merely two interested, facing each other in this form: J. J. Parker (2), W. H. Brown (bow), H. De Forest (2), W. N. Armstrong (2), W. H. Yardley (2), W. H. Goetzian (3), M. J. Boyle (stroke), P. O'Leary (cox).

Brown's crew was the favorite, as it was said that J. J. O'Leary was not in practice and in too heavy condition for the start. The surprise was never over. Two stars were required before the crews got away, a fall following upon the first, the fault lying with the Brown men. McLaren, with the second attempt, the two boats went off well together. Brown's crew rowed a good, combined stroke. They covered three quarters of a mile in 6 minutes 20 seconds, and were in front of O'Leary's set—in fact, the latter were never after them in the race. They made a futile effort to lessen

THE YAWNING GAP between them and Brown's men, but it did "abornin," and Brown's crew won by seven lengths in time, 10:10. P. W. and J. J. Parker were fancied for the senior double against W. S. Getty and A. McLaren. The opposite couple. It was undoubtedly the most evenly contested match of the day, as the two kept well together up to the turn. If anything, the McLaren boat had the advantage, which was secured at the start. When returning down stream, Getty and McLaren were in front of the other two boats; they thus raced to near the turning point, when a rapid start by the Turner brothers brought them alongside their opponents. But the effort had been too long delayed, and McLaren and Getty passed the judges, winning by two feet. Time, 9:47.

HALF THE SUM NEEDED

Subscribed for a Young Men's Resort.

AN INSTITUTION OF MERIT.

Wabasha Street to be Improved with a Structure Costing Over \$100,000.

The new building to be erected by the Young Men's Christian association at the corner of Tenth and Minnesota streets, is going to be a magnificent edifice and one that will compare favorably with the best of such structures in the country. It will be a two-story high of stone and brick. It will have 150 feet on Tenth and sixty feet on Minnesota street with a wing 90x70. The basement will contain two bowling alleys, 500 gymnasium lockers, bath rooms, swimming pool, dressing rooms, engine room, coal bins, etc. On the first floor will be a large reception room, reading room, a secretary's office. The auditorium, with a seating capacity of 1,000, will be reached from the main hall on this floor, as will also the gymnasium in rear of the main building. A large kitchen will also be on this floor. On the second floor will be the class and committee rooms, additional parlors and library. The third and fourth floors will be arranged in a series of private apartments for young men, which the ladies of the church will be asked to furnish. The estimated cost of the building complete is \$115,000. It will be fire-proof and supplied with every possible convenience. A canvass is being made for funds and \$45,000 has already been collected. The work on the foundation of the building will be commenced soon.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES. All the Candidates for Governor to be Represented.

The Republican county committee met last night and it was truly an old-time best of garden. Merriam, Scheffer and McGill were all enthusiastically represented, and the committee had several little set-toes. Merriam was represented by Stanford Newel, Sam Nichols, Will Nichols, William Bole, Jacob Wilson and John Harris. Scheffer was represented by H. F. Stevens' proxy, Will Nichols held the proxy of George C. Squires, and Harris Richardson was a substitute for Cordeno A. Severance. Albert Scheffer was supported by D. Aberle, proxy for G. P. Kirt; S. Lowenstein, Capt. Joseph Darger, N. Kirk, proxy for Ald. John Blom, and J. M. O'Connell, proxy for E. P. Wade, the colored committee man. Added to these conflicting factions were E. E. McDonald and Henry J. O'Connell. The latter was supported by E. P. Wade, the colored committee man. Added to these conflicting factions were E. E. McDonald and Henry J. O'Connell. The latter was supported by E. P. Wade, the colored committee man.

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MINNESOTA'S ACREAGE

Shows a Decided Increase Over That of Last Year.

Assistant Secretary of State Herman Stockenstrom has completed his report of the acreage devoted to crops in the state for 1888, with a comparison with the acreage of 1887. There is a general increase in everything except in flax, which has fallen off. The total acreage of wheat this year is 3,019,910 acres, as against 2,828,727 in 1887; of barley, 370,775, and of flax, 161,236. Polk county shows the largest acreage in wheat, 174,436 acres. Stearns comes next with 107,000 acres. In 1887, the total acreage of wheat was 2,828,727 acres, of barley, 370,775, and of flax, 161,236. Polk county shows the largest acreage in wheat, 174,436 acres. Stearns comes next with 107,000 acres.

Articles of Incorporation Filed Yesterday at the Capitol.

The Hennepin Club of Minneapolis has filed articles of incorporation. The incorporators are: J. E. Muchmore, Jr., Horace C. Collins, William K. Hopkins, F. Letum, M. P. Hayne.

Gathered at a Camp Fire. Acker post, G. A. R., has prepared an unusually interesting program for its regular monthly camp fire, which occurs Thursday evening week at Post hall, corner of Third and Exchange streets.

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THEATRICAL TROUBLES

Which Will be Ventilated Before the Honor.

President Whitmore and Treasurer Trask of the People's Theater company filed their answer to the application of Manager Charles J. Wilson for a receiver to settle up the accounts of the concern. Erwin & Wellington are their lawyers. They deny the allegations of Mr. Wilson, and claim that Wilson doctored the contract to suit himself, that he has overdrawn his salary to the extent of \$71.47. Whitmore says he is worth \$50,000, and Trask estimates that he is worth \$30,000. The answer also sets forth that the limit of liability of the concern is only \$50 and that there is sufficient property in the hands of the People's theater to pay their debts. The document is very lengthy and accuses Wilson of intruding boisterously into the theater box office when he had no right to be there. Mr. Wilson said yesterday afternoon that he had not seen the document, and that he had no interest in regard to it. The hearing will occur to-morrow. In addition to the charges filed in court, the management of the concern has filed a bill against Wilson for \$200,000, which has been made them liable for a year's contract with Miss Cory, of Minneapolis, whom he engaged at a salary of \$30 per week. The only player on the company, a lady is not, it has been stated, related to Judge Cory, of the municipal court, but is a clever amateur actress of Minneapolis.

GLOBULES. Mr. Whitmore, of the Kansas City road, has returned from Chicago and is in the city.

Thomas Smith is in good humor over the arrival of a thirteen-pound heir at his house. It is expected that the train will arrive here Monday over the Northern Pacific road.

Supper at Garfield Post hall will be given by the ladies of the post Saturday evening, Aug. 25.

John Hoberly was elected delegate to the national convention of the journeyman bakers' union last evening.

The alarm of fire shortly after 9 o'clock last evening caused the starting of a line shed near No. 3 engine house.

Railroad men say the damage to crops by fire in the vicinity of the depot at Pembina, and is only in spots and around Pembina.

The Manitoba officials refuse to be interviewed by the press in the province of Manitoba in regard to the railway matter.

E. B. Clarke, of the Omaha, who has been in Chicago for some days at work with the committee on a new basis for lumber rates, has returned.

The Young People's Social Circle of the Clinton Avenue M. E. church will give a basket social at the West-side opera house Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

A small failure was recorded yesterday. Joseph Schell assigned to L. Wentz, his agent, the right to sell and the franchise of the "Mabel Rivers Portland Folly Company" in the city.

Edward Eaton and Frank Delano returned to the city yesterday after a successful tour of the country. They are in demand in their neighborhood.

On Tuesday the distribution of the early morning mail began from the depot at 7:20 a. m. This includes the fast train of 7:50 a. m. and all mail west of St. Paul.

The afternoon ball was played yesterday afternoon between teams representing Friedman and Lewis and the city saloons of Minneapolis. The former winning by a score of 20 to 10.

John Prush was before Commissioner McFarley yesterday on a charge of selling a glass of beer to a half-breed Indian named Charles Ronal at 410 Jackson street. His case was continued to 8 o'clock.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to John B. De Mars and Aurelia Pikey, A. J. and Adelle Katz, Harry Mash and Emily Sanville, John and Mary E. Haller, William G. Ogden and Angelle Capell.

Thornton, the tattooed man, and his trained tattooed goat, will be among the attractions at the dime museum this week. These children, with their remarkable growth of hair, will be in Curio hall with other wonders.

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Was our PANTS SALE a success? Well, we should murmur. Where else were there any sold? Echo answers nowhere, and Echo is right. We did the business on this line, as usual. Just the same as we have on everything else since we opened. However, you know that as well as we do. That which interests you now is what

WE ARE GOING TO OFFER NEXT! Of course it's bargains. Unequaled ones, too. Fortune knocks but once at a man's door. We are more considerate, and knock the bottom out of prices right along every day.

CHILD'S SUITS \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 SUITS for \$2.48.

That sounds good in these hard-to-get-money times, and the bargains are even better, because they were greater values at the former prices than you could get anywhere else, and now they are cut nearly one-half in price. MOTHERS have a great chance to get a handsome, dressy SUIT FOR SCHOOL at very little cost. \$1 to \$2.50 saved on a single Suit ought to be a great inducement. Of course there'll be a rush, so come early.

MEN'S SUITS! \$10 AND \$12 SUITS, ALL WOOL, ONLY \$7.50. \$14 AND \$15 SUITS, ALL WOOL, ONLY \$10. \$18, \$20 AND \$25 SUITS, ONLY \$15.

Positively the last week. These are the greatest bargains ever offered in the Northwest—\$5 to \$10 lower than the same goods can be bought anywhere else.

"SOC-ET-TU-EM!" A CUT! A SLASH! A SACRIFICE!

Call it what you will. The following great drives in Men's Furnishings are not to be equaled by any other dealer in the city:

50c and 75c HALF-HOSE Only 35c. THREE PAIRS FOR A DOLLAR. \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 FANCY SHIRTS Only 75c! ANY FANCY SHIRT IN THE HOUSE ONLY 75 CENTS. 75c and \$1 NECKWEAR Only 50c! TECKS AND FOUR-IN-HANDS. MIDSUMMER STYLES.

J. L. HUDSON, Clothier, CORNER SEVENTH AND ROBERT STS., ST. PAUL.

THE PLYMOUTH CLOTHING HOUSE. How to Keep the Knees of Your Trousers From Bagging.

You can't pull trousers in shape across by pulling them out of shape, lengthwise.

Don't wear the same pair day in and day out, morning, noon and night. Give them a rest occasionally.

Trousers "knee out" because wool fiber will stretch under strain.

Wool fiber is elastic, and if you alternate wear with one or two other pair of trousers the fibers will spring back when the trousers are having a day off.

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