

SAINT PAUL.

PICK-M-UPS. B. W. Wolf was yesterday committed to the insane asylum at Rochester.

The children of Mount Zion congregation will give a concert at Standard hall tonight.

The Lutheran sextette were the guests of the Yvonne club Sunday, and favored the club with an impromptu concert.

Smith Russell will appear at the Newman to-morrow evening in "A Poor Relation," the last play written by Dion Boucicault.

The commission of W. H. Henson, of St. Paul, as government storekeeper, has been revoked. He has not been on duty since last spring.

The new company operating at the Olympic has evening show packed, however, and the various specialty numbers were roundly applauded.

Messrs. Moss & Loeb, dry goods merchants at 163 East Seventh street, have made an assignment to Julius Kessler for the benefit of creditors.

William Rich, of Marshall, Minn., member of the Republican state committee, and J. D. Boyd, representative-elect from West Duluth, were callers at the capitol yesterday.

Daniel O'Connor, of Farmington, has been commissioned as government storekeeper. He will be assigned to duty at Minneapolis about Jan. 1, or when the distillery there is put in operation.

"The Twelve Temptations," revived on a most stupendous scale after a lapse of many years, will be presented at the Newman for four nights and Saturday matinee, commencing Thursday evening.

The celebration of Hanukah, or the dedication of the temple by Judas Maccabeus, was begun in Jewish circles Sunday, in the observance of the occurrence will be celebrated with services for eight days.

An open meeting and social will be given to-morrow evening by Division No. 2, A. O. U. M., at their hall, to which all members of the order are invited. A concert and dance will form part of the entertainment.

The Loyola Legion of the United States, commanded by the state of Minnesota, meets this evening at the Hotel Ryan at 6:30. A paper will be read by Lieutenant-General Phillips, entitled "The Lake Erie Raid of 1814."

The receipts of the state university for the past month, according to report filed yesterday with the state auditor, amounted to \$2,750,478.48, of which amount \$7,500 was appropriated by the United States treasury for the support of the university.

Judge Cornish began his duties on the district court bench yesterday by conducting the examination of candidates for admission to the bar. He will appoint a successor to himself on the bench of chambers before the examination concludes, when will be in a day or two.

Sheriff Barnard, of Steele county, yesterday reported to the state auditor that he had conveyed to the state prison at Stillwater a convict named Lewis Bloom, convicted of grand larceny and sentenced to one year's imprisonment. A voucher for the expenses incurred was issued by the auditor.

The Minnesota Historical society held a regular meeting last evening. The secretary read the annual report of the society to the legislature, which showed the society to be in a very prosperous condition. There had been added since the last report, 20,000 volumes, making the total number of volumes in the library 41,032.

Reports were received yesterday by the state auditor showing the condition of the state prison at Stillwater and the hospital for the insane at St. Peter. The expense of the prison was \$12,207, and of the hospital \$10,670.12.

The patrons and pupils of the French school will give a kind of Christmas party at the French school at 10:30 p. m. on Monday evening and lasting throughout the week. Supper will be served at the low rate of 25 cents for an excellent lunch. The next report, by Donald Downie will deliver his popular lecture on "Napoleon III."

A document of release and satisfaction of a mortgage given in 1907 by the Duluth Street Railway company to the Farmers' Loan and Trust company of New York, was filed yesterday with the secretary of state. The amount of money advanced on the mortgage was \$10,000 and \$10,000 for each additional mile of track built after July 1, 1916.

Royal Melville concludes a 113 lecture on the following topics: "The World's Greatest Past Commander, G. F. Wilson; George Leisner was elected commander for a third term; vice commander, J. C. Anderson; secretary, W. A. Maxwell; treasurer, H. F. Bickel; collector, E. H. Nelson. The convalescence is in a flourishing condition, having almost completely recovered from the illness which he contracted while on duty at the front during the war.

The assessments were confirmed yesterday for constructing and laying wooden sidewalks on fifteen streets; constructing a sewer on Hudson avenue, from DuSable to Fuller, from Mackubin to Dale; on Dawson, from Mendota to Forest; grading alley in block 2 of Falls' addition; grading Cleveland avenue, from Summit to Hennepin; county road from Langford avenue to Knapp street; paving Maria avenue, from Bates avenue to Seventh.

The supreme court yesterday heard the following cases: Oliver Croxley et al., appellants, vs. Horn & Danz Co., respondents; argued and submitted, Seth R. Homes et al., respondents, vs. Italian Wire Works Company, appellants; argued and submitted, Emil Barth, respondent, vs. John Horeys et al., appellants; submitted on briefs, In re appeal, William O. Mulcahy, et al., appellants, vs. William O. Mulcahy, respondent; same title, appellants and respondents; same title, appellants and respondents; same title, appellants; both cases argued and submitted.

The De Wolf Hopper Opera Bouffe company, presenting Byrne & Kerker's sparkling opera "Cassidy in the Air" with the merry monarch of the comic opera scene, De Wolf Hopper, together with a remarkably strong list of principals and a large and powerful chorus, composed of the finest handsome and attractive young ladies with unusual voices, will form the attraction at the Metropolitan opera house for a week in January. "Cassidy in the Air" is one of the recent New York successes, and is a distinct departure from the silted lines so common nowadays in comic opera. Mr. Hopper's company is quoted as being one of the largest and most complete now traveling. The production of "Cassidy in the Air" is said to be a most elaborate one, and identically the same as used during the comedian's long and brilliant career of 10 years at the Broadway theater, New York city, last spring. The cast includes Thomas G. Scarborough, Mattie F. Anna O'Keefe and other well known favorites.

"BIG FOUR'S" PURCHASE. Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan Bought by a Syndicate.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 8.—The Journal prints a special dispatch from New York to-day announcing the sale of the Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan railroad by the Mackay interest to the "Big Four" syndicate. It says that the matter has been kept very quiet for reasons best known to the parties to the contract, and has only become publicly known by the election of Mr. Lugalas as president of the Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan and the return of William Beckley as general manager. It is understood that Mr. Mackay and his associates have made a handsome gain on the sale of the road. Much of the profit accrues to this city.

To Withdraw Tickets. CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—General Passenger Agent James Charlton, of the Alton road, has called a meeting for Thursday next of the committee appointed by the Western Passenger association to consider and report on the proposed withdrawal of all unlinked tickets of every kind in the Western territory.

RYAN'S MYSTERIOUS TRIP. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 8.—Thomas Ryan, United States minister to Mexico, passed through this city today for Washington. He had been summoned to the capital by the secretary of state for some reason, unknown to himself. He is reported to have contemplated resigning his position.

One interesting fact in connection with Cyrus Field's golden wedding was that the entire bridal party of 1840 was now—

THE "BLANKET"BUCKS

Couriers Report the Uprising of These Indians Near Oklahoma.

Rumored Skirmishing Between Ranchmen and Indians at Buffalo Gap.

Gen. Miles Will Leave To-Day for the Northwestern Field of Action.

Seventeen Sioux Ghost Dancers Brought in to Fort Snelling.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Dec. 8.—Couriers arrived here this afternoon bringing the intelligence of a threatened uprising among the "blanket," or uncivilized, tribes of Indians just west of the Oklahoma border. These tribes are the Cheyennes, Arapahoes and Comanches.

Gov. Steele at once transmitted a message to the legislature asking that immediate action be taken by which the citizens of Oklahoma can organize themselves into militia companies for their protection. The couriers say that the state of uneasiness among the Indians was occasioned by a Sioux runner from the Dakotas, who organized various ghost dances. These dances are now being carried on to an alarming extent, and the attitude of the Indians toward the whites is of a most threatening nature.

News was received here to-day from the several tribes east of the dividing line to the effect that the Messiah craze among the Indians there has all but subsided.

SKIRMISH-N.G. Ranchmen and Indians Come Together Near Buffalo Gap.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Gen. Miles this morning received a letter from Buffalo Gap, S. D., under date of Dec. 6, which says:

Yesterday afternoon a party of fifteen Sioux of the Minnekaonko band endeavored to cut off and capture three cowboys from the several tribes east of the dividing line. The ranchmen, the women and children in this town. There are no rifles or cartridges on hand, and none has been received here, although application has been made for them in order that the settlers may arm themselves.

Shortly after this letter was received a telegram came from the same place, dated today, saying:

Ranchmen and Indians had a slight skirmish. The situation is becoming serious. The Indians are being driven from the scene of the Indian trouble to-morrow.

SEVENTEEN HOSTILES. A Squad of Ghost Dancers En Route for Fort Snelling.

MASON CITY, Ia., Dec. 8.—Seventeen Sioux Indian ghost dancers, including one Sioux chief, passed through this city early this morning, en route for Fort Snelling, Minn., to which place they were being taken by a detachment of United States troops. They had been captured last Friday on their way from Pine Ridge agency to that of Lower Brule. The Indians were very uneasy, and on several instances displayed symptoms of insanity, but were undoubtedly overpowered by the presence of the soldiers, who stood with arms fixed ready to put them under control.

RAIDING RANCHES. Turbulent Conduct of Indians Under Little Wound.

RAPID CITY, S. D., Dec. 8.—A band of Indians from Little Wound's camp is camped about ten miles east of the Cheyenne river, between the mouth of French and Battle creeks. They have been raiding deserted ranches, killing and running off stock, burning hay and grain and stealing household goods.

Today twenty armed men, well mounted, left Rapid City for the Indian camp. They will be joined by a number of ranchmen and soldiers, and it is expected that the troops will attack the Indians. A special from Custer says that not far from Buffalo Gap, T. M. Warren, a ranchman, with four of his men, attacked a raiding party of Indians and killed four. This story is not verified.

Won't Take Advice. PINE RIDGE, Dec. 8.—A scout came in to-night and reported that no sooner had the hostile chiefs returned home from the council held yesterday than they proceeded to meet in camp several miles deeper into the Bad Lands, instead of counseling a move therefrom, as advised by Gen. Brooke.

A VALUABLE STRIP. Mr. Blair Will Offer \$20,000,000 for the Cherokee Reservation.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 8.—John A. Blair, president of the Cherokee Strip Live Stock association, and member of the firm of Williamson & Blair, was in the city to-day. He told a reporter that he was about to make an offer for the Cherokee Strip. He said:

"I will telegraph Chief Mayes to-night offering him twenty millions for the strip. I offered Chief Mayes \$20,000,000 two years ago, at the time the association conveyed its lease for the strip for grazing purposes. The government offered only \$8,000,000, which is at the rate of about \$1.25 an acre, while our figure was about \$3.25 an acre."

To Enter Chicago. CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The story that the Baltimore & Ohio intends entering this city over the tracks of the Chicago & Northern Pacific Railway company was confirmed to-day. Supt. Dickinson, of the Baltimore & Ohio, made a positive statement to that effect before the city council committee on wharves and public grounds.

Gentlemen's Agreement. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—J. Pierpont Morgan has sent a telegraph invitation to the presidents of all railroads west of Chicago to meet at his house in this city at 10:30 a. m. on the 15th inst. for the purpose of discussing the railroad situation with a view of renewing the "presidents' agreement."

A Secret Meeting. CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The American Live Stock Commission company held a meeting in Chicago and elected a board of directors and officers for the ensuing year. Whatever business was transacted was kept secret, the proceedings being behind closed doors. The meeting is to continue to-morrow.

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STILLWATER SILHOUETTES.

A Railroad Exonerated—St. Croix Lumber Cut—Notes and News.

A coroner's inquest was held yesterday over the remains of Max Fogel, the peddler who was killed at Lakeland Saturday afternoon. The jurymen exonerated the railroad employees from all blame, and decided that the man came to his death by his own carelessness.

Sam Kaufman, a brother-in-law of the deceased, residing at St. Paul, took the remains in charge, and they were shipped to St. Paul on the 12:08 p. m. Omaha passenger train. Kaufman stated that the deceased's name was Fogel, not Fogel, and that he had a wife and four children residing at Brest, Litovsk, Russia. Deceased was thirty-seven years of age, and resided at 37 West Fourth street, St. Paul.

The lumber cut of all the mills in the St. Croix valley for the past season aggregates a total of 218,008,343 feet of lumber, \$7,270,750 shingles, and 61,023,750 lath.

Hon. J. N. Castle, Judge J. C. Nethaway and Hon. N. H. Clapp were appointed a committee to meet with Judge H. R. Maudslop to make arrangements for a memorial service in honor of the late Judge William M. McCluer. The memorial service will probably be held at the court house some day the latter part of this week.

The jury in the case of Bart Hamilton, charged with assaulting a conductor on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad near Stillwater, returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter in the second degree. The case of his pal, Robert Jackson, will probably come up this afternoon.

William Thompson, a Dane employed by the Stillwater Manufacturing company, lost two fingers of his right hand yesterday while employed in the factory. He was feeding a small piece of board into one of the machines, when his hand slipped, with the above result.

Register of Deeds Harvey W. Davis received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of his grandmother, Mrs. H. H. Wilson, at San Jose, Cal. Mrs. Wilson was formerly a resident of this city. The remains will be forwarded to this city for interment.

Six valuable horses, the property of the United States, Col. George W. Macintosh, King's chamberlain, denies that Kaikaku's visit to this country was to open negotiations for the annexation of the Hawaiian islands to the United States.

Conflicting Rumors Regarding King Kalakua's Visit. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—A special dispatch from Washington published here yesterday intimated that the object of King Kalakua's visit to this country was to open negotiations for the annexation of the Hawaiian islands to the United States.

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Cyrus Butler Dead. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Cyrus Butler, one of the charter members of the Union League club, died this morning of pneumonia. He was born in Newark, O., July 13, 1824.

FACTS AND FANCIES. SCROCH'S LIST. How Is This for New Canned Goods?

Richardson & Robbins' Sugared Peaches, per 3½-lb can..... 35c

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CHINESE IMMIGRATION.

Col. Bee, Chinese Vice Consul, Furnishes Some Statistics.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—The congressional committee on immigration resumed the taking of testimony to-day. Col. Bee, the Chinese vice consul, furnished statistics concerning the arrival and departure of Chinese at this port, and said there were over 23,000 certificates outstanding when the Scott act was passed, and were held by Chinese at San Francisco.

Since the passage of the Scott act the excess of departures over arrivals had been about 12,000. When questioned by the committee, Col. Bee stated that those of Collector Hagar, the witness stated that the consulate kept track of departures in transit, while the arrivals were not done by the collector of customs, and which would account for the excess of his figures over those of the collector. The returns made by the collector were produced, however, and showed that the record of departures in transit had been kept by Col. Bee since he had received his return for twelve years past from agents of steamship companies. The witness said that the Chinese six companies were purely benevolent associations, and never brought out men from China or contracted for labor. The companies do arbitrate Chinese cases, but never do anything of a violent nature. He thought it likely that the excess of such ship prisoners by the six companies for the payment of debts, but believed there were few cases of this kind. The witness said there were 1,300 holders in this country who have no means of support, and he believes their societies could be broken up if police exercised due vigilance.

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