MINNEAPOLIS.

ALL SORTS.

It is authoritatively announced that the Times will to-morrow morning explain that F. S. Lapping left Minneapolis in one of the new air ships which have not yet been built.

E. G. Potter is a living refutation of the theory that a man's avocation can be guessed from his personal characteristics. The new president of the city council is a dealer in soft goods, but his heart partakes not of the nature of the articles which he handles. In his committee appointments he demonstrated that he follows strictly that scriptural injunction: "When thou hast thine enemy on the hip smash him in the smeller."

If pink-cheeked Ald. Woodward has regard for his political carcass he will heed the advice of his friends and step out of the way when he sees Ald. Gray preparing to jump.

Ald. Farnsworth is an iconclast of the rankest kind. Yesterday he sought to overthrow one of the oldest and most sacred of parliamentary usages by seconding a motion which had been made by himself.

MINNEAPOLIS GLOBULES.

Mrs. P. Baker died yesterday at 242 Twenty-fourth avenue north, her residence. She was twenty years old.

The board of health, including the council committee on health and hospitals and the mayor, will meet at the city hall on Monday at 3 p. m.

Harry Merrick, one of the victims of T. D. Lapping's pistol, has recovered sufficiently to be out and at work again. Victor Heath is almost well too.

Thomas Henderson, Henry Mosby and George M. O'Connor, South side chicken thieves, were yesterday sent to the workhouse for fifteen days.

Eugene L. Rooks, who was arrested Thursday night for breaking into the office of a fellow attorney in the Berry block, was discharged yesterday.

Mrs. Marion T. Kempster did not answer when her name was called in the municipal court yesterday morning to answer to the charge of embezzlement. The case was continued until Jan. 16.

Martin Yost, Hans Harversen and Guy Altman stole a cap from Joseph Ferlock, sold it and spent the money. Harversen, an old offender was sent to the reform school. The other two were allowed to depart.

Would-be burglars tried to rob Whry's "Silver Safe" saloon, at 405 Nicollet, on Thursday night, by cutting a hole through from the hallway. They did not succeed. The work was evidently that of tyros.

The funeral of Michael Foley, the old gentleman who died suddenly several days ago, will occur to-morrow from the Church of the Immaculate Conception. The delay has been occasioned by the non-arrival of his sons from Montana.

DISTRICT COURT BRIEFS.

Articles of incorporation were filed for Coffin's Box and Lumber company of Minneapolis. The capital stock is placed at $50,000 in $50 shares.

The Rowley divorce case came to a close yesterday and the decree was denied on the ground that the claim of habitual drunkenness and cruel and inhuman treatment had not been substantiated.

In the case of William Warner against the St. Paul & Duluth and Minneapolis and St. Louis railways the jury brought in a verdict for defendants. The suit was for $5,000 damages on account of the plaintiff being run down by an engine.

Newton T. Hume has begun an action against Alfred J. Condit and Ambrose W. Daynes to recover $594 on a promisory note. Judge Canty has allowed a writ of attachment to be issued against the property of the latter, who lives in Chicago.

Elizabeth A. Whipple has brought an action against George F. Roberts, to collect a promissory note amounting to $2,985.74, or forclose a mortgage on a quarter section in Steele county, Dak. The defendant bought the property from James E. Merritt, subject to the mortgage, and now refuses to settle it.

Emanuel Hatcha wants to recover $2,950 from M. Graham and A. Robbins, owner and lessee respectively of the house No. 600 Twentieth avenue north. Emanuel's wife went up stairs for a pail of water, slipped, fell and carried the porch with herself. As the couple sublet the rooms they occupy, they think the defendants should settle for the loss of services to the extent claimed. The wife also wants $5,000 for personal injuries.

The suit of Nora Collins against the City of Minneapolis came up again for trial. She sues to recover $10,000 damages on account of a broken hip, resulting from a fall on an icy sidewalk on Sixth avenue north. The suit was allowed to be continued at the former trial after the testimony was all in, on account of a misunderstanding by Judge Hicks, who allowed the jury to depart while a motion was before him.

AMUSEMENTS.

The advance sale opened yesterday for "The Paymaster," which comes to the Lyceum next Tuesday evening for a three-night's engagement. The piece will be presented with the original New York cast and new stage accessories.

McKee Rankin will be seen in "The Canuck" for the last time at the matinee this afternoon and to-night.

The Howard Burlesque company will be at the Pence only to-night and Sunday matinee. They do not play Sunday night, as they must get to Chicago to open Monday afternoon.

Hurlburt's house and dog show and Zimmerman's Big Specialty company open a week's engagement next Monday. Seats are selling rapidly.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Walter Heffelfinger has returned to Yale.

E. J. Rose is visiting Chicago.

W. W. Cheney has returned to Ann Arbor.

Mrs. S. Segelbaum and daughter returned from Chicago yesterday.

Mrs. Horance Henry and children will be guests of the Victoria during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wolford gave a "house warming" last evening to quite a number of friends.

Thomas Lowry is in New York. He will be absent a month.

Three Demented Ones.

There were three examinations for insanity yesterday before Judge Corrigan. G. W. Wheele, formerly engrossing clerk in the legislature at St. Paul, who was subject to a mild form of mental incapacity, which showed in a failure to express himself intelligibly, was sent to Rochester. Christine Bergstrom, who had been divorced from her husband, and Carrie Peterson had been deserted after bearing five children. They had drifted about until finally they became subjects for charity of the vagrant order. They were both sent to St. Peter.

Fell owed Not His Preaching.

If all the stories told in connection with it be true, Rev. R. A. Sadlier, until recently pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, locked upon the wine when it contained too large a percentage of alcohol. At any rate, Mr. Sadlier, who came to Minneapolis from Beatrice, Neb., but a short time ago, has been deposed. Over indulgence in whisky is alleged as the cause. Rev. David Tice is supplying the pulpit temporarily.

Struck From the Shoulder.

As A. W. Farnsworth was reclining in the bosom of his family a few nights ago, a stranger, with blood-besmeared face, staggered into his house at 2508 Bloomington avenue. He had been pummelled by a man on the sidewalk. Farnsworth and two friends started out to help him, and were in turn accorded rough treatment. The man who had been thrashed said his assailant was one of his wife's lovers. Farnsworth doesn't know yet who either of the men were.

"Cowboy Pete's" Troubles.

Annie Johnson, the "Cowboy Pete" of the municipal court, is in the toils again. Sergeant Kirkham yesterday spotted her going into the saloon at 225 South Second street in company with a man. She, too, was in male attire. She couldn't explain matters to the satisfaction of the judge, so she will toil at the workhouse until the birds sing in April.

Annual Red-Figure Mark-Down Sale.

The Plymouth Clothing House.

Another Great Irrigator.

Special to the Globe.

WOONSOCKET, S. D., Jan. 9—The third artesian well at this place was struck yesterday at 2 o'clock. It is located on the Hinds ranch, one mile west of the city. The well is three inches in diameter and 745 feet deep, and was sunk for irrigation purposes. The flow is estimated at 1,000 gallons per minute, enough to irrigate two sections of land. Mr. Hinds has a civil engineer at work surveying and laying out irrigation ditches on his farm and will give a thorough and practical illustration of artesian well irrigation the coming season.

Diphtheria Epidemic.

Special to the Globe.

VERMILLION, S. D., Jan. 9.—Diphtheria has again broken out at Wakonda, a little town north of here, and the whole town is under quarantine and all public meetings have been prohibited.

POTTER'S PLEDGES,

He Fulfills Them in His Appointment of Council Committees.

The National Building, Loan and Protective Union Squabble.

Leo Heilpern Returns to Minnesota Under Police Surveillance.

General News of the Day Gathered by Vigilant Globe Envoys.

Every member of the city council was in his seat yesterday afternoon at 2:15, when President Potter waved his miniature pile driver and called for order, and there were not a few ex-aldermen in the room, including Tom Downs, who silently gazed upon the scene of his former triumphs and silently wiped away a falling tear on the sleeve of his coat. President Potter then announced his appointments to standing committees, as follows:

Ways and Means—Lovell, Barrows, Reeves, McGowen, Rollins.

Salaries—Durnam, Parrv, Blichfeldt, McGuire, Ingenhutt.

Claims—Gray, Loye, Reeves, Ingenhutt, Lackey.

Taxes—Lovell, Bradish, Grimes, Parry, Haynes.

Licences — Flanders, Woodward, Parry, Rand, McGuire.

Accounts of City Officers—Flanders, Bradish, Brazie, Rand, Peterson.

Public Grounds and Buildings—Loye, Barrows, Flanders, Lackey, Rand.

Bonds of City Officers—Hunter, Reeves, Lovell, Rollins, Kilchli.

Roads and Bridges—Bradish, Lovell, Loye, Woodward, Haynes.

Street Grades and Additions—Hunter, Farnsworth, Grimes, Peterson, McGowen.

Fire Department—Woodward, Flanders, Farnsworth, McGowen, Schwartz.

Water Works—Barrows, Durnam, Lovell, Farnsworth, Schwartz.

Gas—Parry, Durnam, Farnsworth, Schwartz, Haynes.

Sewers—Grimes, Durnam, Parry, Haynes, McGuire.

Markets—Gray, Reeves, Hunter, Ingenhutt, Peterson.

Printing—Farnsworth, Blichfeldt, Woodward, Kilchli, Ingenhutt.

Railroads — Durnam, Barrows, Grimes, Woodward, McGowen.

Police—Farnsworth, Flanders, Blichfeldt, Kilchli, Rand.

Health and Hospitals — Brazie, Gray, Schwartz.

Cancellation—Woodward, Hunter, Blichfeldt, McGuire, Rollins.

Ordinance—Bradish, Barrows, Lackey.

Rules—Brazie, Bradish, Peterson.

Workhouse—Reeves, Brazie, Gray, Rollins, McGowen.

Paving—Blichfeldt, Flanders, Loye, Perry, Kilchli.

Bethany Home—Parry, Loye, Haynes.

Underground Wires—Grimes, Durnam, Hunter, Rollins, McGuire.

Supervisors of the Poor—Ingenhutt, Barrows, Kilchli, Loye, Brazie, Hunter, Parry, Flanders, Bradish, Schwartz, Lackey, Peterson, Gray.

In the naming of these committees one fact, which was demonstrated during the hearing of the Hidden-Barrows contested election case, was again emphasized. The Republicans secured so little in the election that they are determined to hang on to what they saved from the storm. The Democrats got not a single committee chairmanship. During the campaign last fall it was frequently urged that E. G. Potter was a reformer. If total disregard of precedent be an element of reform, then, indeed, is Potter a reformer in capital letters. The chairmanships were given out in accordance with the deals made before the organization of the council. These important positions were in every case traded for votes.

Foundmaster Sterling attempted to turn the joke on the people who put him into office, by sending in this list of appointments:

Deputy, Edward M. Johnson; first assistant, E. C. Babb; second assistant, J. H. Parry; treasurer, Fred C. Barrows; clerk, George Durnam; bookkeeper, John F. Calderwood; stenographer, Vincent Reeves; janitor, William B. Woodward; herder, James Gray; gate tender, C. G. Goodrich; bartender, D. D. Farnsworth.

The session of the council was a short one, nothing but the confirmation of appointments and a little routine business coming up for consideration. Ex-Ald. Fred Bruesshaber, of the First ward, and his heelers were on hand expecting that he would be appointed street commissioner in the First ward, but his name was never mentioned. A. H. Runge, chief engineer of the fire department, reported that he had appointed P. J. Kenney as first assistant chief engineer and James R. Canterbury second assistant chief engineer. Canterbury was captain of No. 6, stationed at Third avenue south and Twelfth street. The appointment is considered a good one. City Attorney Russell named D. F. Simpson, L. A. Dunn and W. H. Morse as his assistants. Building Inspector Hazen sent in the names of the men now in his office. The city clerk reappointed F. M. Clark. All the appointments were confirmed.

The report of the special committee on contested elections created not a ripple. The committee stated plainly that Enoch Hidden, of the Second ward, had no ground for a contest, and recommended that Fred C. Barrows be declared elected. Then, as it did while in session, the committee took the other tack, and related the circumstances under which the votes in the Fifth ward were recounted. No explanation was offered for denying to Hidden the opportunity which had been offered to Bryer. But the report of the committee was adopted, and Barrows and Brazee were declared the representatives respectively from the Second and Fifth wards. The Smith vs. Haynes case was not acted upon. The committee will not report on that case until the Hidden-Barrows contest has been carried into the courts and settled.

Considerable interest was aroused over a point of order. At the last meeting of the city council there was a squabble over placing of a certain street lamp without the acquiescence of the committee on gas. Ald. Loye at that time gave notice that he would at the next meeting move for a reconsideration. Yesterday he made his motion, and Ald. Grimes immediately raised the point of order that, under the council rules, the question could not be again taken up because there were not as many aldermen present as when the question was first decided and when the notice of motion to reconsider was given. Ald. Parry was in the same boat with Loye. He had given notice of a motion to reconsider the vote by which the council decided to pay half of the $1,000 required to settle the White damage cases against the South Minneapolis police officers. Should this point hold good it would prevent the reconsideration of any piece of work done by the old council. Potter did not feel qualified to rule on the matter, and it will go before the city attorney.

Ald. Gray put a pin into the chair of rosy-cheeked Woodward. He moved that a committee be appointed to examine the work on the new fire engine house at Thirty-fifth street and Chicago avenue, and report if all conditions have been complied with. He also wanted the matter referred to the committee on public grounds and buildings. Woodward insisted that it go to the committee on fire department, of which he is chairman, evidently considering it a reflection upon him to send it elsewhere. Gray was the victor. The finest work on that engine house is said to be wretchedly poor.

The committee on bonds of city officers reported, and all bonds were approved. On motion of Ald. Bradish the president appointed a committee of seven on legislation, as follows: Bradish, Lovell, Barrows, Grimes, Rand, Haynes, McGowan. The next meeting of the council will be held Jan. 30.

AN IMPORTANT MEETING.

Stockholders of the National Building and Loan Association Elect Officers To-Day.

A meeting of the stockholders of the National Building and Loan association will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Guaranty Loan Building for the purpose of electing officers. Yesterday a meeting, or council, of independents was held by delegates representing thirteen states. The caucus elected W. J. Evans, of Ohio, chairman, and D. D. Magnet of Wisconsin, secretary, to preside over its deliberations. The council appointed a committee to draft a series of resolutions looking to a peaceful settlement of the differences which have divided the organization into factions and weakened its power and influence in a commercial or business sense. The committee is comprised of a representative of each of the state delegations, and is composed as follows:

Wm. Van Orden, Michigan; A. E. Mountain, Wisconsin; J. W. Robbins, Nebraska; J. W. Johnson, North Dakota; C. S. Stowell, New York; H. H. Forbes, Washington; P. J. McGuire, Minnesota; Mason Evans, Ohio; C. M. Cannon, South Dakota; H. H. Allen, Missouri; William Staffel, Illinois; Dr. McDonald, Iowa; R. H. Palmer, Pennsylvania.

A committee of five was also appointed to investigate and report upon the legal status of stockholders and their privileges as electors. The meeting was a secret one. It is said that all of the directors save Dr. Calderwood and all of the officials except President Cole will resign to-day in the interest of harmony. Mr. Calderwood, it is thought, will be a candidate for the secretaryship and it is surmised that owing to his experience and ability as a financier he will be elected. The first thing to determine to-day is the question "who is entitled to vote?" At the secret meeting yesterday members of the Dyer and Wood committee, the Kneale faction and the general officers were denied participation in the proceedings. President Cole will read his report to-day.

The union has deposited with the First National bank, Security, Citizens' and People's banks. For the most part the union's deposits have been made in the form of checks, thus avoiding any bank risk. It is evident that the independent movement is a strong one, and that the representatives or the thirteen states proposed to take an active and, as far as possible, effective part in to-day's election.

The stormy meeting of shareholders in the National Building, Loan and Protective union, which was in session yesterday afternoon at the West, was continued last evening. It lasted well on to midnight. The feature of it was the adoption of a series of resolutions which will control the annual meeting and election of officers to be held to-day. The first resolution, providing that the president, secretary and treasurer of the union be not members of the board of directors, was adopted without difficulty. The second went through in much the same manner. It provided that a nominating committee be selected, the committee to be composed of one representative from each state, such committeemen to be chosen by state caucuses, the shareholders from each state conferring on the subject. The third resolution was provocative of not a little heated argument. It provided that the salaries of all officers of the union, including directors, be fixed by the shareholders in convention to-day. In the opinion of a good many shareholders that would never do. It was urged that not a few of the shareholders had no idea as to what would be adequate pay for officers. There seemed to be almost as many opinions as there were men present. One tall, raw-boned gentleman pounded the table in his vehemence, and declared that he wanted to see a board of directors elected that could be trusted by the shareholders to do what was right, and to fix salaries, their own and those of others, at a just figure. Part of his speech struck a popular chord. It was all right to let the directors establish the salaries of the general officers, but it would never do to leave the naming of their own compensation in their own hands. Last year the expenses charged up to the union by the directors amounted to something over $1,300 for each director. Should the new board think that a fair figure, it would saddle an expense of $26,000 on the union at the start. An amendment was proposed to the effect that the board of directors be allowed to fix the salaries for the other officers, but that the shareholders settle the compensation of the directors. A further amendment was offered and accepted ordering the nominating committee to suggest salaries for the directors when reporting on nominations. As this amended resolution was finally adopted.

Then Judge Malone introduced a resolution to the effect that a committee of seven be appointed by the chair to examine the proxies of persons attending the meeting for the purpose of determining the amount of votable stock. At this point an Indianapolis lawyer named McPhee, who was especially solicitous that everybody understood that he was in no way connected with the union, arose to speak on an entirely different subject from the one under consideration. Mr. McPhee is on the auditing committee with R. D. Russell, the city attorney, Judge Thomas, of North Dakota, and others. He informed the meeting that the directors were waiting for a committee from the shareholder's meeting to call upon them. Such a committee would report that the information that the directors can give them. He believed that the directors had previously refused to give any information to the stockholders because they scented danger in such a proceeding. This last opinion was greeted with cheers. McFee had stated they held proxies from 800 Indiana stockholders. One Kelly, from Wisconsin, handled Mr. McFee roughly, and intimated that the Indiana man had become a stockholder merely for the purpose of coming to Minneapolis and bulldozing the other stockholders. Several other gentlemen, including Chairman Evans, of Minnesota, took a hand in "calling down" Mr. McFee. Then all returned to the subject in hand, the appointment of a committee to ascertain the amount of votable stock, and that resolution was adopted. Minor matters occupied the remainder of the session.

From the speeches made on the various subjects which came up for discussion, the intentions of the shareholders are not in the least a matter of conjecture. The present board of directors and officers will go by the board. "We purpose making a clean sweep," were expressions frequently heard and always applauded. An entirely new set of officers will be elected. Not a mast, not a spar of the old vessel will be left standing.

HEILPERN IS HERE,

And His Body Is Guarded Sedulously by the Police.

Leo Heilpern arrived in Minneapolis last night in custody of a Minneapolis police officer, who had gone to El Paso, Tex., for him. He was immediately locked up in the central station. He will have a hearing in the municipal court to-day.

Heilpern's story is well known in Minneapolis. His flight from Minneapolis, his connection with Minnie Frost, his letter from New Orleans, the charge that he was a spy in the employ of the Russian government, detailed to watch Frank Grygla and ferret out the secrets of the Polish alliance, have all been rehearsed time and again. The specific charge upon which he is brought back to Minneapolis is that of grand larceny, consisting of the embezzlement of various and sundry thousands of dollars from the Columbia Mill company while employed as bookkeeper by that company. He was caught by the authorities of El Paso while on his way back to the City of Mexico.

Although Heilpern has never killed any one, so far as known, his offense being merely larceny, he is evidently looked upon as a bad, bad, dangerous man. He was locked up and orders given that no one be admitted to see him without an order signed by Supt. Henderson, doubtless to guard against the recurrence of the monkey wrench episode.

FOR 12 CENTS

One Can Buy a Dinner—How to Live Cheaply.

The problem of how to live cheaply has been solved in Minneapolis. One has only to visit the eating rooms of the Non-Partisan W. C. T. U., over the Hennepin County Savings bank on Hennepin avenue, with a few pennies in one's pocket, and the first step of the solution is accomplished. A glance at the bill of fare and list of prices and the thing is done.

In the Latin quarter of Paris there is, or was, a restaurant largely patronized by a certain class of the Parisian poor and half-starved art students. The payment of one sou admitted the customer to the interior of the establishment—a large room with uncovered wood benches ranged along the wall of either sides. On entering the banqueting hall, the guest was presented with a tin platter. Thus equipped he proceeded to a large kettle swung over a charcoal fire in the middle of the apartment. In the cauldron was a huge fork, resembling the trident of Neptune, and whatever boiled and stewed in the huge vessel no one save the chef knew. The guest seized the fork and plunged it into the mass of steaming food, and what was fished out of it he was entitled to place on his platter and consume at his leisure perched, if it pleased him, upon an uncushioned seat. The patron was allowed to thrust the fork but once into the kettle. It was a sort of "grab-bag" arrangement, and the element of chance attending the procuring of a dinner added, perhaps, some charm to the meal. The contents of the kettle were made up of the refuse of hotel kitchens. In the large cities of the East are many cheap restaurants, but owing to certain conditions no self-respecting man or woman can visit them.

The Non-Partisan W. C. T. U. provide good refreshments for a small amount of money. Each of the dishes on the bill of fare including tea, coffee, cocoa and milk are served for three cents. A good lunch may be had for twelve cents. It is not, however, the food alone that makes the union's rooms a desirable place in which to take lunch. It is the order, the cleanliness and Christian courtesy which characterize the management of the institution. Shop girls daily visit the rooms to dine. Frequently they carry their lunch with them and wash it down with a cup of hot coffee or tea, or milk, purchased in the restaurant. They are provided with separate accommodations and are enabled in this way to convert the noon hour into a season of rest and entertainment. Many men lunch at the union's rooms and the restaurant from 12 to 1 o'clock each day is an interesting spectacle. Mr. Sparks, who manages this department of the union's practical work, has made, within a short time, a marked success of the venture.

$100,000 NEEDED.

President Ankeny and the School Board—Fair Salaries for Teachers.

President A. T. Ankeny, of the school board, estimates that $100,000 will be needed this year for the improvement of old school buildings and the construction of new ones. The president says the school board has no bonding power. The annual tax levy of 2.3 to 2.8 mills, which amounts in the aggregate to $500,000, is collected in June, and is devoted solely to the current expenses of the public school system for the year ending with that month. The board can borrow money only by giving the tax levy as security. The council has issued bonds to the amount of $321,000, all of which has been issued save $102,000, which was the bonded school debt when the East and West side schools were united in 1881.

President Ankeny knows of no purpose of the board to reduce the salaries of teachers. He does not believe they are paid, with few exceptions, any more remuneration than are paid teachers of equal ability in any other city, or any more than they deserve.

KORTGAARD'S BONDS.

His Sureties Go Bail for Over $3,000,000.

K. Kortgaard, the new city treasurer, yesterday morning filed his bonds for the city's money, for the sinking fund and for the board of education, the whole amounting to over $3,000,000. The sureties for the first are:

J. W. Anderson, $100,000; O. C. Merriam, $100,000; S. E. Olson, $100,000; B. Aronson, $50,000; R. B. Langdon, $100,000; E. C. Barrows, $100,000; William Barrows, $100,000; W. G. Leighton, $100,000; William S. King, $200,000; J. S. Coughlin, $100,000; M. W. Nash, $100,000; John T. West, $100,000; Martin Ring, $100,000; Baldwin Brown, $50,000; H. C. Clarke, $25,000; Alden J. Blethen, $100,000; L. Swift, Jr., $50,000; W. H. Lynn, $100,000; Andrew Thoralson, $50,000; James F. Brown, $50,000; Lambert Hays, $100,000; J. T. Buxton, $50,000; R. P. Russell, $40,000; A. T. Ankeny, $35,000.

The second bond is for $400,000, but amounts to $800,000. The sureties are:

P. B. Winston, $50,000; D. M. Clough, $100,000; Charles E. Stephenson, $50,000; W. E. Haskell, $50,000; J. J. Heinrich, $25,000; Emerson Cole, $25,000; E. B. Ames, $25,000; W. H. Lynn, $50,000; A. H. Hedderly, $25,000; Samuel P. Snider, $50,000; C. E. Lindberg, $6[illegible],000; S. C. Gale, $100,000; Jacob Barge, $50,000; R. P. Dunnington, $25,000; H. R. Lamoreaux, $15,000; James McMillan, $100,000.

Mr. Kortgaard will assume charge of the office the first of next week.

BESIEGING THE MAYOR.

Callers Never Cease—A Delegation of Hebrews.

Mayor Winston is tempted to re-echo the words of the sergeant in the "Pirates of Penzance and wail, "A mayor's lot is not a happy one." His door is always open to any one desiring to call upon him, and as a result he is receiving a string of callers all day long. They drop in by ones and twos and remain until they get a hearing. They sit around on the benches and lean on the railing in such numbers that F. G. Holbrook is reminded of the ante-election days of the Democratic city headquarters when he was the pestered. But the mayor never denies himself to any one, and never seems to lose one jot of his affability or courtesy.

Yesterday there was a break in the line of single callers. It was filled by a delegation, Herman Ash headed the committee of five appointed by the meeting held in Dania hall a week ago last Sunday for the purpose of protesting against the petty persecution to which Hebrew street venders are subjected by the small boys of South Minneapolis. They had laid before the mayor the story of their wrongs and departed satisfied that justice would be done them. Later the men penetrated the bolted and barred portal behind which sits Superintendent Henderson, and recited to him the story of their wrongs. He assured them that the police department would do all in its power to insure them protection.

AN EXPLANATION.

Why Dr. Burrell Resigned as a Member of an Investigating Committee.

At the last meeting of the ministers' union Rev. D. J. Burrell was sharply criticized for an apparent lack of activity in directing the action of the committee appointed to investigate the observance of local Sunday laws. His absence from the meeting provoked a deal of discussion, and the reverend gentleman was saved even a greater annoyance than he has already experienced by the thoughtful consideration and action of Dr. Hoyt.

Dr. Burrell had been appointed to his place on the committee by the Presbyterian ministers and not by the union. He found it was impossible to attend to his church, to his pastoral duties and to the work that would naturally fall to him as chairman of the committee. Dr. Burrell thereupon sent in his resignation to Dr. Hoyt, by that had appointed him. The unionists had nothing to say in the matter, and at the time they were voicing strictures and comments upon Dr. Burrell's conduct in regard to the matter he had resigned his place on the committee. At a meeting of the Presbyterians on Monday next the affair will be ventilated.

CLERK ALTNOW IN TROUBLE.

L. J. Moore Applies for a Writ of Mandamus.

H. J. Altnow, clerk of the municipal court has involved himself in a peck of trouble with the attorneys of the city. The fifth section of the act concerning the municipal court of the city, provides that there shall be a clerk of the municipal court, who shall be appointed by the judge, to be approved by the city council, who shall have full power to issue all processes which shall be attested in the name of the judge, and also that the process may be directed for service to any police officer or the sheriff, or any constable of the county.

Altnow, it seems, has heretofore refused to allow any one to serve these papers other than his own deputies, consequently the attorneys have got together, and L. J. Moore has applied for a writ of mandamus to compel him to issue and allow a process to be served by E. H. Rudell, a constable of Hennepin county. The action will come before the special term to-day.

The Plymouth Clothing House
Annual Red-Figure Mark-Down Sale.

MINNEAPOLIS REAL ESTATE.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

Mary Ann Knight to Bridget Knight, lt 14, sec 26, Case's subd	$900
Charles A Crew to William Oddy, lts 8 and 9, blk 5, Sidle Park	300
Mary Ann Knight to Bridget Knight, in sec 10, town 118, range 21	1,000
Lorenzo T Tabour to William McMullan, lt 13, blk 1, Excelsior add	3,000
William Knight to Mary Ann Knight, in sec 10, town 118, range 21	1,000
William Knight to Mary Ann Knight, lt 14, sec 26, Case's subd	900
Alonzo R Shaluck to St. Paul & Minnesota Mortgage and Loan Co, lt 13, blk 2, Avery's Chicago Avenue add	882
Edmund S Doty to Nels Dahlberg, lt 20, blk 5, Glencar add	4 0
Herman G Doelz to Mathias Klausman, lt 10, blk 2, Lee's subd	3,600
Lura V Truesdell to William Oddy, lt 10, blk 3, Crystal Lake add	250
John McGrath to Mary McGrath, in section 29, town 28, range 24	4,000
Mathias Klausman to Herman G Doelz, lts 6, etc. blk 11, Baker's add	3,000
Patrick McGrath to John McGrath, in sec 29, town 28, range 24	4,000
Frank M Barons to Mary G James, lt 6, Barons' add	1,750
Two unpublished	9,800
Total, 16 deeds	$34,682

REST IN GRACELAND.

Funeral Services of Emma Abbott at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—The body of Emma Abbott arrived from Kansas City this morning The members of the opera company accompanied the remains. The body rested in a plain black casket, which was covered with flowers and floral designs, in the baggage car. The casket was transferred to the Continental hotel, where Miss Abbott's mother and sister are stopping. Though the funeral services were not to be held till 2 o'clock this afternoon a crowd of people began to assemble at the entrance to Central Music hall long before noon. The doors were opened at 12:30, and the audience room was at once filled. Hundreds, who came later, were unable to gain admission. At a few minutes before 2 o'clock to the notes of Schubert's "Funeral March," the cortege filed slowly to the front of the hall. The casket was borne by Messrs. C. H. Pratt, William Prueite, Fernando Michelena, William Broderick, Daniel Consadine and Richard Karl, of the Emma Abbott company. These were followed by the honorary pall bearers, selected from the local theater managers. Then came the grief-stricken parents of the prima donna, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Abbott, their two sons, Leon Abbott, of Waukesha, and Fred M. Abbott. The Abbott company followed and took seats provided for them. Slowly passing up the center aisle of the hall the pall was laid on what seemed to be a bed of flowers. All about, upon the stage and upon tables brought in for the purpose, were placed the floral tributes from all parts of the country. Prof. David Swing and Rev. Dr. Thomas paid tribute to the dead in brief discourses, and a quartette sang appropriate hymns. The remains were then conveyed to Graceland cemetery, in the vault of which they were temporarily placed.

LISTEN TO THE PRUDENT ADVICE, which urges you to the immediate treatment of that Rasping Cough by the use of Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant, the best of medicines for Coughs and Colds, and an approved stand-by for all Pulmonary troubles and Throat-ails.

WINTER MEETINGS.

New Orleans Benefit for the Loser of Valuable Horses.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 9.—The races today were for the benefit of H. H. Brown, who lost Vice Regent and other horses in the wreck of the City of Baton Rouge. The weather was chilly, the track muddy and holding, and the attendance only fair. Pritchett was the only winning favorite, but the surprise of the day was Shibboleth's victory. Freeman weighed in to ride, but Sloan was substituted, and it was given out that the horse stood no show in the mud. He was not backed here, and the others went up, but it is said considerable money went on away from him in large bulks. Shibboleth galloped away from such a good mud horse as Buckler and the lightweights.

First race, selling, seven furlongs—There was a close bunch all the way, with Dan L in the front. In the stretch he drew away and won by three lengths before Lady Lee. Time, 1:07.

Second race, selling, mile and a sixteenth—Pritchett and Bonnie Annie led to the stretch, where Dyer closed a big gap and led away under the whip. Pritchett, coming again, won by two lengths. Bonnie Annie was two lengths before Dyer. Time, 1:15.

Third race, selling, six furlongs—Elsie B got off in the lead and was never headed. Eolem closed under the whip in the stretch, and they made a head and head finish. Elsie B won by a nose, Eolem two lengths before Underwood. Napa fourth. Time, 1:21½.

Fourth race, handicap, seven furlongs. The horses ran in close bunch until nearly the stretch where Valdeventre dropped back. Shibboleth moved up to the lead then and held it, going home without the whip, Buckler going down the stretch, but Shibboleth drew away at the finish winning by a good length. Buckler three lengths before Iago. Time, 1:35¾.

CLIFTON.

CLIFTON, N. J., Jan. 9.—First race, seven-eighths of a mile, Kyrie won, Louisa second, Defendant third. Time, 1:31.

Second race, one and one-eighth of a mile, Long Island won, Brian Bru second, Vosburg third. Time, 1:08½.

Third race, three-quarters of a mile. Zenobia won, Battle Cry second, Mr Sass third. Time, 1:19.

Fourth race, seven-eighths of a mile—Tipstaff won, Jack Rose second, Young Duke third. Time, 1:29¾.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth—Golden Reel won, Macbeth II. second, Harrison third. Time, 1:51.

Sixth race, mile and a quarter—Joe Courtney won, St. Luke second, Zangbar third. Time, 2:27½.

GLOUCESTER.

GLOUCESTER, N. J., Jan. 9.—First race, three-quarters of a mile—Amil won, Dr. Jekyll second, Paradise third. Time, 1:19½.

Second race, four furlongs and a half—Osceola won, Carlow second, Hemet third. Time, 0:57.

Third race, six furlongs and a half—Pankyn F won, Hairspring second, Ceawood third. Time, 1:25.

Fifth race, mile and a quarter—Lotion won, King Idle second, McGregor third. Time, 2:13¾.

COMING EVENTS.

Racers Scheduled to Start This Afternoon.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The following horses are entered for to-morrow's races:

First race, five-eighths of a mile, selling, for beaten horses—Steve Jerome, 117; Marty B, 102; Extra, 102; Redlight, 102; Flambeau, 107; Lamar, 101; Bluebum, 101; Lilie D, 99; Blanche, 99; Ripton, 99; Alma tilly, 95; Dahlman, 95.

Second race, three-quarters of a mile, selling—Carnegie, 109; Ben Harrison, 107; Pearl Set, 105; Topmast, 102; Objection, 100; Cora Tanner, 97; Bootjack, 96; Triffer, 95; Cheeney, 92.

Third race, three-quarters of a mile—Woodcutter, 122; Lizzie, 119; Frances S, 119; Primero, 112; Cascade, 109.

Fourth race, handicap, mile—Blue Jeans, 112; Prince Fortunatus, 112; Brussels, 106; Winona, 104; Trestle, 100; Major Tom, 95; Ballston, 90; Iceberg, 90.

Fifth race, five-eighths of a mile—Autocrat, 110; Sunday, 107; Red Elm, 107; Rancocas, 106.

Sixth race, mile, selling—Landscer, 122; Pericles, 117; Kingstock, 115; Melodrama, 115; Macauley, 112; Geronimo, 119; St. Valentine, 110; Glitter II., 110; Success, 110; Cora L, 107; Becky Knott, 107; Supervisor, 107; Avery, 107; Facial B, 107.

AT GLOUCESTER.

GLOUCESTER, N. J., Jan. 9—Following are the entries for to-morrow's races:

First race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile—Lannes, 116; Jennie R, 114; Brewster, 113; Parrish, 113; Amos, 113; Mamie Hay, 111; Milwood, 110; Armeil, 108; Little Jim McCormick, 104; Hot scotch, 102; Pigeon, 99; Gadabout, 96.

Second race, three-quarters of a mile, selling—Sanstone, 112; Alice Ward geiding, 110; Fleetfoot, 108; Ascot, 108; Goldsien, 107; Barthena, 107; Oriental, 105; Connt Me In, 103; Alarming, 101; Cooee, 101; Mayflower, 99.

Third race, nine-sixteenths of a mile, selling—Sir William, 108; James A L, 108; Carlow, 108; Tartar, 108; Barrientos, 108; Lomax, 108; Shakespeare, 108; Algebra gelding, 106; Vevay, 106; Chambly, 106; Silent 103; Thorns, 103.

Fourth race, seven-eighths of a mile—Flitter, 112; The Lion, 112; Henry George, 112; Aftermath, 112; Alfred B, 112; Belisarnis, 109; Lady Pulsifer, 107; Furbelow, 89.

Fifth race, mile and an eighth, selling—Silent, 117; King Idle, 112; Armour, 107; John Jay S, 107; Darling, 102; Rosette, 100.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 9.—The entries for to-morrow's races are:

First race, selling, five furlongs—Ione D, 85; Miss Lou, 90; Lady Ali, 99; Arthur Lion, 99; Florine, 103; Benton, 105; Fred Davis, 105; Emma J, 106; Schoolgirl, 109; Lady Lee, 109; Joe D, 111; Volel, 111.

Second race, selling, five-sixteenths of a mile—Grannie A, 87; John J J, 102; Harry Lightbody, 105; Alaric, 105; Dyer, 105; Lady Lee, 106; John G, 107; Dan L, 108; Bonnie Annie, 109; Eolen, 110.

Third race, selling, six furlongs—Nettie Kent, 106; Jakie, 107; Elsie B, 108; Jessie McFarland, 110; Winnie Davis, 112; Pritchett, 113; Consignee, 115; Mark S, 122.

Fourth race, handicap, fifteen-sixteen hs of a mile—Packhorse, 90; Roley Boley, 95; Bonz, 100; St. Alban, 102; Mark S, 104; Gifford, 107; Frank Shaw, 110; Shibboleth, 119.

SELECTIONS.

Guttenberg—First race, Steve Jerome and Blanche; second race, Ben Harrison and Objection; third race, Lizzie and Frances S; fourth race, Bluejeans and Prince Fortunatus; fifth race, Sunday and Red Elm; sixth race, Landscer and Pericles.

Gloucester—First race, Mamie Hay and Hot Scotch; second race, Ascot and Count Me In; third race, Lornax and Thorns; fourth race, Belisarius and Furbelow; fifth race, Silent and King Idle.

New Orleans—First race, School Girl and Miss Lou; second race