MINNEAPOLIS.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

Maj. R. R. Henderson has already made a proud record in public life. In office less than a month, he has twice been appointed superintendent of police without having been out of office. Two appointments in one month to one position savors of spontaneity.

The newspaper reports of the number of "laps covered" at the walking match seem to have excited considerable curiosity in the minds of the girls who attend base ball matches and can never be made to understand why the umpire is not allowed to go to bat. As a result there is quite an attendance of the fair sex at the Washington rink this week.

The aldermen did not, as was expected, adjourn yesterday to Washington rink. (They did not receive an invitation.)

"United we stand; divided, the other fellows sneak in through the woodshed and lug off the apple pie." That is the motto emblazoned upon the banners thrown from the outer walls of the First ward.

Freeman P. Lane and J. Terrance Mannix, of the Pioneer Press, started to run a mile at the Washington street rink the other night for $10 a side and a cheese sandwich. A good start was made, but, after the first half had been covered, Joe stopped to give advice to a man in the crowd, and Freeman won in a canter by a neck.

Yesterday's council meeting was unusually tame and uninteresting. Jim Bradish not even once attempted to insult any one.

The holy calm which pervaded the city last night was due to the quietness of the slumbers of the policemen. They were confident that they would continue to draw their salaries for another month.

It is apprehended that Supt. West of the workhouse is well contented with his present salary, and will not run the risk of getting himself into debt again by asking for another raise.

It is apprehended that the meeting of the Jefferson club last evening was for the purpose of arranging to attend the performance by Joe Jefferson at the Grand in a body to-night.

The seersucker coat of oratory in the city council, which was worn for two years by Vandewaker, is now being torn by the rivalry between McGowan and Rand as to who shall wear it.

It is whispered that, if the Heilpern case ever comes to trial, a number of gay gentlemen about town will find the climate of Minnesota too Frosty to suit them at this season of the year, necessitating trips to warmer climes until spring comes.

It is shrewdly suspected that Andrew Bergstrom, the water works engineer, controls several votes, as witnesseth the anxiety of both Sixth ward aldermen to protect his salary.

AMUSEMENTS.

The last opportunity to see the preeminent organization known as the Jefferson-Florence Comedy company will be to-day at the Grand opera house. At the afternoon performance, for which excellent seats can be secured, that most delightful production of "The Rivals." To-night the only performance of "The Heir-at-Law."

Cora Tanner's engagement at the Lyceum closes to-night. Monday evening John T. Kelly and Gus Williams open a four-night engagement in their funny comedy entitled "U and I." This comedy is bright, clean and sparkling, possessed of little plot, but a deal of humor; introduces all sorts of characters, including a seven-foot comedian. The music, songs and dances are made a feature, and a great number of clever specialties are introduced.

Only three more opportunities remain to see Louise Dempsey's Burlesque company at the Pence—to-night, Sunday matinee and night. Next Monday Arizona Joe and his Dramatic company open a week's engagement at the Pence. His trained horses and dogs are said to be the very best yet seen.

The Kennan sale of seats opened briskly at the Grand yesterday.

The opening lecture of the Ragan course at the Lyceum next week will be on Alaska.

The following artists will associate themselves together in giving a grand concert at the Grand opera house next Tuesday evening: Miss Maud Ulmer, soprano; Gustave Johnson, pianist; Herr Heinrich Hovell, violinist; H. S. Woodruff, accompanist. Seats for this performance can be secured at the Grand box office next Monday morning.

Gus Williams and John T. Kelly, the two comedians who appear at the Lyzeum next week, in the laughable farce-comedy skit "U and I," style themselves as the Booth & Barrett of comedy. It is to be hoped that in appreciation of the delicate compliment that the tragedians hereafter will call themselves the Williams and Kelly of tragedy.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

C. S. Langdon is in New York on a ten days' trip.

Rev. G. E. Paddock has gone to New England on a visit.

Lewis Harrison has returned from a three weeks' Southern trip.

Judge N. H. Hemin, who is now located in Colorado, is in the city on a brief visit.

Mrs. Dr. W. H. Kendall, of Quincy, Ill., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Wheeler, at 58 Grove street.

Judge and Mrs. Seagrave Smith last evening entertained the Central Park club at their residence, 1515 Hawthorne avenue.

Miss Mayne Jones, of Brattleboro, Vt., and Miss Harriet Moulton, of La Crosse, are guests of Col. E. B. West, at 1564 Hennepin avenue.

Charles H. Morse, of the Northwestern Conservatory of Music, has received an offer to become the organist and director of music at Plymouth church, Brooklyn.

Dr. H. C. Mable, of the Central Baptist church, who is in Europe, has been cabled to return, and as secretary of the Baptist Missionary union, assist in the raising of funds which are greatly needed for the continuance of missionary work.

DISTRICT COURT BRIEFS.

In the suit of Clarence S. White vs. C. E. Rogers et al. a demurrer has been entered by the defendants.

The judges of the district court and all of the county officials will get their salaries to-day.

In the suit of George W. Turner vs. Erick Nelson the firm of Christianson & Tuttle has been garnished.

The suit of Neal Farnham vs. William T. Feles, to recover $1,176.73 on a promissory note, was on trial before Judge Hicks yesterday. The defense set up a counter claim for $2,346 for labor, etc.

In the old lightning rod case of Johnson vs. Barg, to recover several hundred dollars, a decision was rendered yesterday finding for the lightning rod agent in the sum of $95.

The Jefferson Club.

Last night's meeting of the executive committee of the Jefferson club was devoted principally to discussing the feasibility of celebrating April 3, the birthday of Thomas Jefferson. The club will in all probability celebrate the day, but arrangements have not yet been perfected. An effort will be made to secure the co-operation of St. Paul Democrats in the undertaking. Should it be decided to hold a celebration, it will be on a magnificent scale.

Attention Is Called

To a letter published on this page from Mr. W. H. Traeger, of Bloomington, Ill., complimenting the management of the Educational Endowment Association on their conduct during the different stages of earthquakes which have come over the association. Within the past year, by reason of the transfer of certificates, the company has reduced its liabilities nearly three-quarters, while the income has been about the same.

SALARIES WILL GO UP

That Is, a Few of Them Are Higher Than They Were.

Again the Eight-Hour Question Is Before the Council.

The St. Charles Hotel Closed by Mortgage Foreclosure on Its Furniture.

Legal Chestnuts in the District Court--Christian Endeavor Anniversary.

A stranger entering the Minneapolis council chamber during any meeting of that body since the first of the year would be struck by the size of the lobby. Minneapolis people must expect that the present council intends moving the world by the way they crowd into the arena of that body's exploits. The space reserved for spectators no longer holds them. The whole room is inundated by them. Yesterday was no exception, and the sides of the building fairly bulged under the force exerted by the breaths of the lobbyists.

The most amusement derived by the spectators from yesterday's proceedings was at the expense of the aldermen of the First ward. At the first meeting of the new council the election of street commissioner was postponed at the request of McGowan and Ingerbutt. The Republicans intended to give the place to Fred Bruesbaber, the ex-alderman. But John and Joe didn't want him. They have been quarreling ever since without agreeing upon a man. Now they wish they had. At the very last moment yesterday after the 6 o'clock bell had rung, Ald. Ingerbutt moved to proceed to the election of a street commissioner of the First ward. Although a motion to adjourn had been declared carried, yet the matter was reconsidered, and Joe Ingenbutt nominated Jacob Fell for street commissioner. Ald. McGowan, in a brilliant peroration, nominated Hugh Butler for the place. Rand ranted for compromise, and moved that the election be deferred. His motion was ruled out of order, and Haynes and Lovell gathered the ballots. The little slips were counted, and the clerk read:

"Whole number of votes cast, 26; necessary to a choice, 14. Jacob Fell receives 3 votes, Hugh Butler 7 and F. Brueshaber 16."

The roomful roared, and the faces of the First warders were studies in perplexity. Had they agreed they could have elected their man.

THE CITY IS POOR,

But Several Municipal Employes Secure Advanced Salaries.

The question provocative of most debate was the report of the committee on salaries. It recommended the elevation of a few yearly stipends. McGowan and Rand wanted the old salary list adopted, but were denied their wish. Then the report was read by departments, and some few changes were made before it was adopted. There was a lively cross fire of words over the proposed cutting of Andrew Bergstrom's salary from $1,800 to $1,500 per year. Bergstrom is chief mechanical engineer of the water works department, and has been in the city's employ eighteen years. His cause was championed by Rand and Hunter, the former supplying the fervid oratory and the latter filling in with real cruel, cutting, sarcastic remarks. Ald. Barrows said that Bergstrom was satisfied with the reduction because the department intended building him a house at Shingle creek, but the Sixth ward papas were not satisfied. They carried their point, and Bergstrom will continue to receive $1,800. The deputy comptroller will receive $1,500 per year instead of the $2,000 asked, an increase of $300. The third assistant city attorney, the officer appointed for the purpose of conciliating certain Republican politicians, will receive $1,200 per year. The city clerk's office staff has been reduced by one, because of the transfer of the vital statistics records to the health office, and the salary of the one relieved has been divided among the other three clerks, two of whom will receive $1,320 each, and the third $960. Meat Inspector Davies will receive $1,500, an increase of $100. City Assessor Plummer will get $2,500, a $500 raise. The engineer of the city hall will receive $15 per month, in addition to $1,000 per year, for looking after the electric lights in the building. The janitor will receive $200 for extra work. The watchman of the steel arch bridge will have an assistant at $500. The superintendent of the fire alarm in the fire department secures a raise of $15 per month, making his salary $1,680 instead of $1,500. A strong but futile effort was made to raise his salary to $1,800. The fire department's superintendent of horses will receive $1,380 instead of $1,200. Superintendent of the Poor Snyder and his assistant, Lars Owre, will be paid $1,800 and $1,200 respectively, instead of $1,500 and $900. The plumbing inspector gets $1,180, a raise of $180. The salary of the health commissioner was increased from $2,000 to $2,500, and that of his registrar from $480 to $600. A motion to reduce sanitary inspectors from $1,000 to $900 was lost. The friends of Supervisor McConnell, of the water works, tried hard to elevate his stipend from $1,500 to $1,800 and failed. The salaries of all other city employes than those here mentioned remain as heretofore. After being put into this shape, the [salaries] committee's report was adopted, 19 to 7.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Interesting Matters of Minor Importance Before the Council.

The first official intimation of the death of the police commission was received through a communication from the mayor stating that he had appointed Reese R. Henderson as superintendent of police, and requesting confirmation of the same. It was done unanimously.

The old eight-hour question reappeared in the council yesterday. Rand introduced a resolution providing that eight hours constitute a day's labor on city work; that the minimum price paid per day be $1.75, and that city laborers receive their pay semi-monthly. Bradish desired the resolution referred to a special committee consisting of one alderman from each ward. Rand's motion to refer it to a special committee of five was lost, and Bradisn's prevailed. The following committee was appointed to consider the matter: McGowan, Barrows, Durnam, Loye, Brazie, Rand, Rollins, Grimes, Bradish, Reeves, Blichfeldt, Peterson and Gray.

The report of the committee on public grounds and buildings justified the complaint of Ald. Gray regarding the flimsy construction of the fire engine house at Chicago avenue and Thirty-fifth street. The committee reported that the contractor who had the work admitted to the committee that there had been some faults in the interior finishing of the engine house, but excused himself on the ground that he had to do the work before the walls were dry because of the demand there was for the speedy construction of the building. The committee found that the door and window cases and all interior woodwork had shrunk; that the plumbing was bad, and that the roof had bulged. The committee recommended that in view of these facts all public buildings be hereafter erected upon plans drawn under the supervision of the committee on public grounds and buildings, and that such work be not paid for until the work has been approved by the building inspector. The report of the committee was adopted, and a resolution in accordance with the above recommendation was passed.

The city attorney reported that the Hastings and Dakota officials had paid no attention to the sixty-day notice to erect safety gates at all crossings or reduce the speed of trains. The sixty days expired Jan. 14, and Mr. Russell suggests that the city preface a plan which this council deems for the best interests of the city, and in prefacing it to see that it is adequate and sufficient, and then if an agreement cannot be reached with the railway company to commence proceedings to enforce its adoption and secure the bridging of these streets. The matter was referred to the railroad committee and a special committee of one alderman from the Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth wards. Parry, Flanders, Lockey, Rand, Peterson and Gray were named as such committee.

The committee on roads and bridges reported the recommendations outlined in yesterday's GLOBE and recommended the appointmentment of a lot of bridge inspectors. One of the old inspectors, William Fewer, who is stationed at the Plymouth avenue bridge, happened to be a Democrat, and had to go. Alds. McGowan, Ingenhutt and Barrows pleaded for Fewer, because he is an old resident of Minneapolis, an ex-member of the St. Anthony council, a good man and one who is dependent upon the position, which he has held for his support. Eight tons of oratory, more or less, were wasted on the desert air, Lars Rand undertaking to bury the reputation of Demosthenes under the floods of eloquence which issued from his lips. But Fewer received too few votes to win. But the adoption of the report was reconsidered and an attempt made to give Fewer the place of assistant watchman on the steel arch bridge, but it failed. Forty-five minutes were consumed in the discussion of this momentous matter.

At the last meeting of the old council over thirty aldermen being present, it was decided that the city would defray half the expense if the White damage case against the South Minneapolis officers could be settled for $1,000. At first meeting of the new council twenty-six aldermen being present a motion was made to reconsider. The point was raised that under the council rules the matter could not be reconsidered as there were fewer aldermen present than when the original was adopted. The president took the point under advisement and yesterday announced that the point was well taken and that the question could not be reconsidered and that settles the White case.

Chief Runge was authorized to advertise for bids on the construction of a fire engine house in the First ward. On recommendation of the water works committee the present incumbents in that department were re-appointed. The report of the committee on paving, awarding a contract for paving certain streets to J. E. Snyder, was received and action deferred. The Brush Electric company was given permission to erect poles in alleys in the center of blocks to facilitate the wiring of buildings. Ald. Farnsworth made a motion to the effect that hereafter the maximum number of persons composing the police department be 225, exclusive of matron and janitors not engaged in active police work. It was referred to the committee on police. The monthly budget was received and approved. The bonds of D. T. Simpson, assistant city attorney, Meat Inspector Davies and of several aldermen, were approved. The matter of changing the ordinances so as to provide for the appointment of bread inspector was referred.

Health Commissioner Kelly submitted his report, which contained the names of his appointees. They were as follows: Medical inspectors, Dr. W. E. Leonard, Dr. C. A. McCollom and Dr. A. K. Norton; sanitary inspectors, E. G. O'Donnell, C. H. Getz, James Murray, Wad McClatchie, John S. Woodbury, George J. Turner, John A. Arneson. The appointees were confirmed. The report of City Physician Chase was strong for a city hospital. He also asked for another assistant. His appointment of first assistant did not come up, as was expected.

THE ST. CHARLES CLOSED.

No "Free Lunch After the Performance" To-Night.

The St. Charles hotel, at the corner of First avenue south and Second street, was yesterday made to look as though the family had just moved out. Shortly after breakfast officers of the law came down upon the peaceful hostelry and under the foreclosure of a chattel mortgage for $4,300 held by Mrs. H. P. Hanson seized upon the furniture and everything else seizable in the house that did not belong to guests. The work of removing the stuff continued during the day. Furniture, carpets, bedding, cooking utensils were taken, and by night the interior of the hotel was full of emptiness. M. MacDonald, the landlord, had quite recently taken hold of the house, and claims he had just got it on a paying basis when—

"Down on him swooped
And scooping him up scooped—
The minions of the law."

Among the guests were the members of the Louise Dempsey Burlesque company, which is playing at the Pence opera house, and the afterpiece, "The Devil in Paris," in which they appear nightly, wasn't a marker to the impromptu comedy-farce entitled "The Sheriff in Minneapolis," which was produced with startling effect until the high-kicking females discovered that their baggage was not to be touched. Then they packed their costumes in collar boxes, and sought accommodations elsewhere.

THESE WILL ENDEAVOR

To Fittingly Celebrate the Anniversary of Their Organization.

The Minneapolis members of the Christian Endeavor societies have arranged to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the organization. The following letter has been issued by Jesse A. Chase, president of the Minneapolis union:

Fellow Endeavors: The tenth anniversary of the organization of the Society of Christian Endeavor occurs Monday next, Feb. 2. This day has always been appropriately observed and the officers of the union desire to call your attention to the arrangements which have been made this year for that purpose. While we all must be very grateful that God has so blessed us in our living and our serving, the thought of the past must include that of the future, and so it has been the plan to make the day practical by endeavoring to awaken interest in work properly belonging to us, and which we all can do. The programme committee has arranged for five meetings to be held in various parts of the city, and addressed by the pastors of the city and Christian endeavor workers, as follows:

For Northeast Minneapolis—At Grace Baptist church, addressed by Rev. S. P. Fay, D. D., and J. E. Thwing, state secretary.

Southeast—Olivet Baptist church, addresses by E. B. McClannahan, of St. Paul, and Walter A. Munger.

North—Foss Methodist church, addressed by Rev. S. V. S. Fisher, of Vine Congregational church, and John S. Hughes.

South—Olivet Presbyterian church, addressed by Rev. George R. Merrill, D. D., of First Congregational church, and Miss Martha S. Anderson, general correspondent of the City union.

Central—Central Baptist church, addressed by Rev. Francis L. Hayes, of First Free Baptist church.

It has been deemed inadvisable, on account of special services now in progress, to hold a meeting in the Eighth ward, as was originally intended, and societies in that ward are earnestly invited to attend the meetings in the center of the city.

Please have the meeting in your locality announced at each service on Sunday, as well as at young people's meeting, and urge a large attendance both of your society and those outside your membership. May we not depend upon a large representation from your society?

The meeting in relation to ward organization will be held as already arranged for, at Calvary Baptist church, on Feb. 2, at the close of the services there that evening.

A BIG MILL CONTRACT.

The East Side of the Washburn A to Be Rebuilt.

The east side of the Washburn A mill is to be entirely reconstructed, increasing the capacity of the mill from 1,500 to 2,500 barrels. The new mill will be all roller, having 80 double sets of 9x24 Gray rolls. The other machinery will include 127 Gray flour dressers and centrifugal reels and 40 purifiers. Reliance scalpers and graders will be used on the breaks. The grain cleaners will be located in the elevator adjoining, as at present. The old machinery will be utilized to some extent, about thirty of the present purifiers being available. The dust collectors of Second Miller Girard will be employed. Five breaks on wheat are to be made.

The job will involve an expenditure approximating $125,000. The Washburn-Crosby company, the lessees, will bear the main part of the outlay, the Washburn estate furnishing the rolls. The E. P. Ellis Company of Milwaukke has received the contract, which the Northwestern Miller says is the largest and most important ever let in this country.

OLD AS THE HILLS.

Cases Which Were Begun Many Years Ago Continued.

The four cases of The St. Anthony Water Power Company vs. The Minnesota Eastern Railway Company, which have been dragging along in the district court for several years past, were called again yesterday. Just as the cases were about to be dismissed, a representative of one of the corporations concerned walked up to the clerk's desk and secured a continuance. The cases are an appeal from condemnation proceedings for a railroad that was proposed some ten years ago to run directly across the falls. When the trials came off the water power company was awarded damages in the sum of $1. An appeal was taken, and instead of reaching a second trial they have been continued ever since, owing to the neglect of the proper persons to get together and make an order dismissing them. The railroad company is paying all the costs.

Preparing for a Big Crowd.

Preparations are already being made for the national convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, which will be held in Minneapolis next June. The society has at present 800,000 members, and it is expected that between 10,000 and 15,000 delegates will be present at the convention. The plan to secure an auditorium to accommodate such a large gathering is to roof over the light well and use the first floor of the exposition building. The main entrance will probably remain on the side toward Central avenue and the platform be erected at what should seem the most favorable point. Radiating out from this platform will be the seats, for a long distance on the level and then rising gradually amphitheater-like to within six feet of the ceiling. The expense of transforming the building for the occasion is estimated at about $2,500, while to erect even a temporary building for the meetings would cost at least $10,000.

The Milling Output.

The mills last week ground the most flour since Dec. 1, and the bulk of it was produced through the medium steam as a motive power. The aggregate output for the week ending Saturday was 141,300 barrels—averaging 23,550 barrels daily—against 115,600 barrels the week before, and 117,740 barrels for the corresponding time in 1890, and 84,100 barrels in 1889. The mills are now running as strong as they were a week ago, and will probably make as much flour for the six days as they then did. There were fourteen in operation yesterday, and the number will be increased by the starting of one or two others to-morrow. The water power continues very short, and several of the mills that possess steam have lately not been trying to utilize their meager portion. The upturn in wheat Saturday caused quite an active demand for flour to set in from domestic markets. Foreign trade is still quiet.

Ordered to Settle.

Judge Smith rendered a judgment yesterday in the Bay St. Louis syndicate case, wherein H. A. Spooner sued for $1,300, and others for various amounts. The judge found that the following persons, who had subscribed for stock and never paid up on it, were responsible for the amounts following their names: N. C. Thrall, $1,700; J. H. Ames, $1,700; Henry C. Davis, $4,000. There are a number of other stockholders whose subscriptions to the capital stock are as yet unpaid, and in case the executions against Thrall, Ames and Davis are returned unsatisfied suit will be brought against them.

A Peculiar Receipt.

The case of The Minneapolis Sash and Door Company against William Gillen, to recover $1,050 for goods furnished, was tried before Judge Pond yesterday. Judgment was rendered for the plaintiff for the full amount. The defense introduced a receipt for $450, alleged to have been given by the company, but the company declared that the only receipt it had ever given Gillen was for $15, about two years ago. The receipt was an odd-looking affair, to say the least, and Judge Pond threw it out.

Want the Company Dissolved.

Emerson Cole, Vincent D. Gibson and Benjamin F. Bartlett, who constitute a majority of the board of directors of the Gibson Investment company, have filed in the district court a petition asking that the company be dissolved, as the objects for which the company was formed have been abandoned, and no one will be benefited in any way by continuing the company. A statement accompanying the application shows that the company is fully solvent.

The County Commissioners.

The county commissioners will meet Monday, and the session promises to be of a decidedly interesting nature. The matter of letting the contract for doing the official county printing for the ensuing year will come up, as will also the question of allowing the applications for certain tax abatements. A large number of bills—some of them large ones—will come before the meeting for consideration.

Paying Off the Jurors.

The jurors who have been on duty at the district court for some time past were discharged yesterday, no more cases being ready for trial. When the men filed into the clerk's office to get their pay it was not a difficult matter to imagine that the place had been seized by a mob bent on sacking the place.

MINNEAPOLIS GLOBULES.

The funeral of Mrs. W. J. Hahn takes place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence at 2000 Second avenue south.

The bank clearings yesterday were $820,919.01, and for the week $5,042,721.26, as against $3,536,160.56, an increase of 43 per cent.

George D. Blake, the ex-police officer, is again in the talons of the law. He is locked up at the central station, charged with stealing a stove.

Frederick Brown, of Minneapolis, was killed Thursday at Brainerd while coupling cars on the Cross Lake logging road. He was unmarried.

The matinee on the Lake of the Isles that was to come off yesterday was postponed to next week, and teams are at work clearing off the track.

The regular meeting of the conference of unions, W. C. T. U., will be held at Coffee Palace to-day at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Page, from Boston, will speak on kindergarten work.

I. N. Johnson, employed as a coachman at 634 East Fourteenth street, by one Martin, broke his leg yesterday while moving some steam radiators. He was taken to 911 Seventh avenue south.

Sergeant Kirkham and Officer Morrissey arrested a man yesterday at Third avenue south and Washington, who was insulting ladies who passed. He was a stranger in town and quite drunk.

The Minneapolis Light Guards' association last night elected the following officers: President, Capt. J. L. Amory; vice president, S. G. Williams; secretary, C. S. Williams; treasurer, T. P. A. Howe; auditor, W. J. Wilson.

Residents in the vicinity of Fourth avenue and Main street northeast are up in arms against the proposed invasion of that section of the city by the maisons de joie, which have been ordered to vacate the houses on First street south.

A meeting of the Hennepin county delegation, which will be open to the public, will be held at the city hall this evening. Gov. Pillsbury and other prominent citizens are expected to be present for a conference on local measures.

Judge Mahoney yesterday fined Joseph Leonard $25 for cruelty to animals because he allowed a horse he had hired from J. W. Coleman for "two or three hours" to stand unblanketed in the cold for twice that length of time in front of a saloon.

George Wood and Ed Quinn, boys about ten years old, were arraigned yesterday for breaking into the store of A. H. Knight & Co., 1551 East Franklin, and stealing $21.60 worth of tobacco, cigars, pipes, candy, etc. They will be tried this afternoon.

The small wooden building at 211 Second avenue south, the ground floor of which is occupied by a candy store, while the upper floor is given up to furnished rooms, burned yesterday morning. It caught fire four hours earlier, but was saved then. Incendiarism is suspected.

Feb. 3 there will be a civil service examination at the government building. The examination will be held in the rooms which until lately have been occupied by Special Agent Grant, who has moved to the second floor. There are about eighty applicants for the examination.

J. K. O'Brien, a saloonkeeper at 253 Hennepin avenue, yesterday accidentally discharged a rifle while showing it to some friends. The bullet passed through the front window and struck C. M. Douglas, the fuel dealer, who was passing the place, in the fleshy part of the right thigh, inflicting a wound, which, fortunately, proves not to be serious.

Fred Ellis, the Milwaukee brakeman who died Wednesday from injuries received in a collision at Mendota, will be buried to-day at Kasson, Minn., his former home, where his remains have been sent. Ellis was twenty-five years old, and very popular on the road. His young wife will probably go to Kasson to live with her husband's parents.

The interurban service is to be further improved in about a week. The street car company is preparing a time card, wich will give earlier and later cars, to enable people from either city to go to the theater in the other city. Then the company intends to build another power house in South Minneapolis, which will greatly help out the service in that direction.

Articles of incorporation have been filed for the Minneapolis Provision company, with a capital stock of $200,000. The incorporators are James A. Byrnes, O. C. Merriman, H. F. Lillibridge, S. D. Works, F. G. James, W. H. McCaw and John Byrnes, of Minneapolis, and C. I. Haas, of St. Paul. Articles were also filed for the World's Best Furnace company, for the manufacture of furnaces and other heating appyaratus. The capital stock is $50,000. C. H. Soule, J. A. Ridgway, J. B. Cleveland, C. S. Bushnell and Oscar Duncan are the incorporators.

FEDERAL EXHIBIT.

The Government Board of Control Selects a Site.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—The government board of control this afternoon selected a site for the federal exhibit. The building is to be placed upon a plot of fifteen acres on the lake shore in Jackson park opposite Fifty-ninth street. The main building will cover four acres. The structure will be of stone, iron and glass, and in architecture will be elaborate and ornate. Its dimensions are to be 420 by 350 feet, with a center dome 120 feet in diameter and 150 feet in height, with an allotment of space for each department as follows: War, 23,000 square feet; treasury, 10,500 square feet; agriculture, 23,250 square feet; interior, 23,000 square feet; postoffice 9,500 square feet; fishery, 20,000 square feet, and Smithsonian institution, amount of space unsettled. The army exhibit will include all apparatus of war, including models of type guns at different stages of development, with the special features of an army hospital. On the lake front will be situated a mortar battery, which will illustrate the method of protecting the seacoast. Attached to the battery will be war balloons, the system of telegraphy and other instruments of sea coast warfare. The navy exhibit will consist of miniatures of the American navy from the times of the Revolution to the present day. The treasury exhibit will show the process of the manufacture of money. A special feature will be the manner in which a life-saving station is conducted, and a lighthouse will also be constructed. The agricultural exhibit will show the new process of manufacturing sugar and all machinery which is used to develop grains. The interior display will include a geological survey. The advancement in the civilization of the Indian will also be a feature, while under the interior department the patent office will show progress of American invention by a complete set of models from the first ever received to the last. The postoffice department will conduct a model postoffice. The fisheries exhibit will depend on congressional appropriation.

When Baby was sick
We gave her Castoria
When she was a Child
She cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss
She clung to Castoria.
When she had Children
She gave them Castoria.

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BEFORE IT REACHES THE LUNGS
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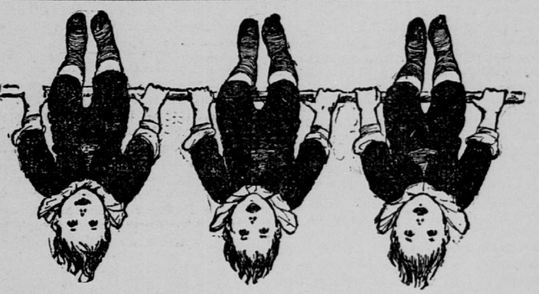

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