SAINT PAUL.

[GOOD MORNING.

Scarlet fever was reported at 586 Reaney street and 684 Sims street to the health officer yesterday.

Charles A. Hawks has sued John E Williams to recover $795.15 upon an accepted order given by August Wallentin.

Rogers and Ordway have begun an action against Albert M. Lawton and others, to assert a mechanic's lien of $396.31 upon lot 5, block 166 of Robertson's addition to West St. Paul.

Rogers & Ordway seek to enforce a mechanic's lien of $67.87 against John Fred Eisenmenger and others, upon lt 6, and the south 77½ feet of lot 5, block 24 of Suburban Hills addition.

During the month of August there were 111 marriages, 270 births, 150 regular deaths, and 11 by violence or accident. The death rate per annum per 1,000 for the month of August was 12.

C. Mullcahn, the motoneer who was severely injured in a collision on Wednesday evening, was reported yesterday by Dr. Sweeney to be improving, and that he may recover from his injuries.

John C. Cabanne and Louis F. Biron, doing business as cigar dealers at 189 East Seventh street, in the name of Cabanne & Biron, have made a general assignment to Frank H. Ewing for the benefit of creditors.

The state board of equalization continued its work at the capitol yesterday, spending the major part of the time apportioning the assessments among the different counties to meet the requirements.

The teachers' meeting which will be held at the high school Saturday promises to prove a feature event, in that the members of the new school board are expected to attend and witness the methods employed in the conduct of these meetings.

Sammy Smith, the lad who endeavored last week to obtain $1.50 from a Minneapolis Tribune reporter by holding a pistol at his head, was brought up in the municipal court yesterday and remanded, until to-day, owing to the non-appearance of the complainant.

Everett B. Norton has been named by the secretary of the treasury as sugar inspector with headquarters at Omaha. As part of his duty he will inspect the sugar manufactured in Minnesota, upon which the two cents per pound royalty will be paid by the federal government.

The attention of the public, especially those interested in Sunday school work, is called to the following notice: On Friday of each week, from 12:15 to 12:45 p. m., Rev. T. C. Horton will teach the Sunday school lesson at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Men and women are invited to these meetings.

To-day Prof Carman, principal of the high school, will resume the examination of pupils who wish to be admitted to the high school for the term beginning Tuesday. These examinations, it should be noted, are only for pupils who have not passed the graded schools. Such will be admitted by virtue of their certificates.

Closing night at White Bear for this season at the Ramaley pavilion will consist of a concert and hop by Seibert's full band, this Friday evening. The patrons of these enjoyable and well-managed musical and social entertainments during this season have voted this last night a complimentary benefit to Mr. Ramaley. The railway company and Seibert's full band join hands by giving the beneficiary their free service.

The board of managers of the reform school met yesterday in the office of Mayor Smith, the president. Bids were opened for the electric lighting of the school, but the board decided to refer the matter to a committee for further consideration, and to report upon the same at the next monthly meeting. Routine business was transacted before the board adjourned.

E. T. Sitlez, a carpetlayer, was brought to police headquarters yesterday by Pete Langdon, teamster of Portland street, and accused by the latter of having stolen his gold watch while he was calling at the boarding house of Sitlez. The carpetlayer was locked up for being drunk, and Mr. Langdon will swear out a warrant this morning against Sitlez for larceny of the timekeeper, which is valued at $60.

Auction Sale

Of Lots at Midvale Sept. 5, 3 o'clock p.m.

PERSONAL MENTION.

At the Clifton—K. O. Balstad, West Duluth; C. J. Bunis, Davenport, Io.; A. E. Swane, Osage, Io.

Miss Frank Polly, a teacher in the Madison school, has returned from her summer vacation at her home in Greenville, O.

Charley Holcomb, the clerk of the supreme court, is in Nobles county shooting chickens, and expects to be absent several weeks.

At the Windsor—A. L. Smith, Chicago; W. B. Phelps, St. Louis; Mrs. S. Raleigh, Great Falls, Mont.; M. Karpen, Chicago; W. F. Pardee, Syracuse, N. Y.; C. H. Spangler, Chicago.

Monroe Harris, of Farmington, has been granted a war pension. The adjutant general received notification from Washington yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Miller and daughter and Mrs. F. D. Moore, of Salem, S. D., are visiting their mother, Mrs. J. H. Ballard, of East Winnefred street.

Secretary Bertram, of the dairy commission, has returned from a trip. "Atwater was the only water I drank while away," he said to Jules Lawrence, the deputy commissioner.

At the Metropolitan—S. Marvin, Duluth; John H. Finney, Richmond, Va.; J. A. Munich, New Orleans; Paul Cole, Faribault; Mrs. Cole, Faribault; George Shoup, New York; George Woodman, Medora, N. D.

At the Merchants—William Sauntry, Stillwater; L. Ellington, Crookston; J. E. Enright, Great Falls, Mont.; H. H. Mitchell, Bozeman; H. B. Whipple, Faribault; A. H. Reed, Glencoe; Lyman P. White, Brainerd; M. H. Foley, John Foley, St. Cloud; J. H. Dorsey, Glencoe; L. F. Martin, Chippewa Falls; C. H. Brush, Fergus Falls; George D. Hamilton, Detroit.

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CRUSHED HIS CRANIUM.

A Horrible Death Overtook Young Robert Frazier.

Death in a terrible manner overtook Robert Frazier, a young man employed in the grocery warehouse of C. R. Groff, at 346 Sibley street, yesterday forenoon. Frazier was riding on the freight elevator, which was descending, when it suddenly came to a stop. Frazier stooped down and peered over the edge of the elevator into the shaft to see what the trouble was. The engine suddenly started and Frazier's head was crushed between the car and the wall, death being instantaneous. The body was removed to Dampier's undertaking rooms, where an inquest will be held.

A Beautiful Lot

Given away free at Midvale, next Saturday afternoon.

To Sell City Certificates.

The joint committee of ways and means of the council was in session yesterday afternoon for the purpose of considering the question of the issue of certificates of indebtedness for 80 per cent of the tax levy estimate, recently ordered by the council. The committee decided to meet on the 14th inst. at 4 o'clock in the office of the mayor and receive proposals from financial agents for the purchase of the certificates which aggregate the sum of $940,000.

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A Narrow Escape.

Mrs. John F. Carlson, of 101 Manitoba street, while driving with her two children last evening on the East Seventh street bridge, was run into by a cable car. The occupants of the vehicle were thrown out, but escaped injuries beyond a few bruises, while the buggy was severely damaged.

Take a Ride to Midvale

On the "Omaha," next Saturday afternoon, 2:30 train.

PRETTY MRS. BLAINE.

The Young Wife of the Junior James Visiting in St. Paul.

Stranger Savants to Be Entertained With a City Drive To-Day.

The Mineral Land Litigation to Come to St. Paul for Trial.

Gen. Bunker Mingles Roasts With Praise for the Militia.

It was very late and Mrs. J. G. Blaine Jr. was very tired from a day of sightseeing and added to the fatigue of her trip from Sioux Falls, but she chatted long enough with the reporter to photograph her charming self on that reportorial memory very distinctly. Item: She is tall. Item: She looks younger than one would suppose. Her crinkled blonde hair was drawn into a loose knot back of her ears, and crowned with a jaunty sailor hat, with flowers and gilt and black trimmings. She tucked her hands into the pockets of a blue serge blazer as she talked—a blazer opening over a stiff pink shirt bosom, with the masculinity of a white four-in-hand subdued by a gilt belt and a mink collar. From beneath her plain blue skirt peeped two small, high-heeled patent leather ties.

Mrs. Blaine has a very pleasant voice with a mellow, English accent, and the faintest suspicion of a lisp. She came from Sioux Falls yesterday morning with her cousin, Miss Nevins, of Philadelphia, and her brother, Richard Nevins Jr., of Tacoma. Dick Nevins, as he is familiarly called, and Mrs. Blaine have not met for three years, and so they decided to run up to St. Paul for a day. They came via Sheldon, where they had four hours to wait. The whole party was in despair of ever enduring four hours in that forlorn village, when Mrs. Blaine, on a tour of discovery, ran across a little inn with a piano, a violin and guitar. An impromptu concert helped to while the hours away. The party, of course, like St. Paul very much. The party returns to Sioux Falls this evening. "For," said Mrs. Blaine, "I am anxious to get back to my baby again." And she held out her hand with a smile. The reportorial hand performed a like act, and was cordially shaken in the correct, high-tuthe-air English fashion.

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SCIENTIFIC STRANGERS.

The Geologists Who Will Be St. Paul's Guests This Week.

This morning President Gilbert, of the St. Paul Academy of Science, accompanied by Prof. Phelps, Hon. Albert Scheffer, Hon. C. F. Lienau and City Treasurer Reis will go to Red Wing to meet the members of the International Society of Geologists, who are making a tour of the Northwest, en route to the Yellowstone park. The party is expected to arrive at the union depot at about 10 o'clock in the forenoon, where citizens will be in waiting, under the auspices of the academy of science, for a drive about the city and to Fort Snelling. At the latter point, and along the banks of the Mississippi the geologists will make scientific investigations, especially concerning the theory that at some remote time in the past St. Anthony's Falls were located thereabout. These eminent scientists, including nearly all the nationalities, will, unfortunately, have but a few brief hours at the command of the local savants. They go from here to Minneapolis, where they will in turn be entertained, and then they will take up their trip for the National park country, where nature's peculiarities will challenge their admiration. The result of their investigations in this feature will doubtless be of paramount interest to the scientists of the nation.

For the drive this morning carriages have been tendered by the following:

E. W. Peet, D. D. Merrill, W. P. Clough, George R. Finch, Judge Otis, Edward Simonton, Col. A. Scheffer, Hon. C. H. Lienau, Lewis Baker, G. T. Schurmeier, D. R. Noyes, C. P. Noyes, Col. John S. Prince, E. N. Saunders, A. Oppenheim, O. P. Lanpher, R. Warner, H. P. Upham, H. P. Rugg, M. Lyons, George Benz, F. B. Stronz, C. M. Griggs, Col. E. C. Long, Mrs. C. D. Strong, S. S. Eaton, J. V. D. Heard, Joseph Lockey, B. Kuhl, Rev. E. C. Mitchell, James King, C. D. O'Brien, Rev. S. G. Smith, A. S. Tallmadge.

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FIGHT OVER MINERAL LEASES

The St. Louis County Cases Transferred Here for Trial.

The trial of the action brought by The Mountain Iron Company against Robert Jamison has been transferred from Duluth to St. Paul by consent of the parties. The suit is to secure possession of sections 16 and 36, in St. Louis county, located in what is known as the Mesabi iron range. The Mountain Iron company claims the right to the lands by prior title under application made to the state for grants of leases and by reason of prospecting and expending money in improvements to the amount of over $5,000. It is alleged that the state of Minnesota selected the lands prior to 1888, through its land commissioner, as authorized by act of congress of Feb. 26, 1857, which act authorized the formation of the state and the selection of government lands in St. Louis county. On January, 1888, the land commisser filed a list of selections in the Duluth land office, and these selections were approved by the secretary of the interior of the United States, and by him, March 26, 1891, certified so that the state became vested with the title thereto. In the year 1889 Leonidas Merritt, K. D. Chase, Alfred Merritt, Mark D. Flower and C. C. Merritt, who were residents of the state, filed applications for mineral leases of the lands, tendered the $25 fee in each case and demanded of Auditor W. W. Braden, to make leases to them. Auditor Braden then refused to make the leases on the grounds that the lands had not been patented to the state. The several gentlemen, who filed the applications, assigned their rights to the Mountain Range Iron company and it in turn to the Mountain Iron company. This latter company, within a year from the first application by the gentleman named, made application to the land office for a contract for the lands. Several times prior to April 24, 1891, the plaintiff also made application to the auditor for leases of the lands. At first the state treasurer refused the $25 fee for each application, but finally upon order of State Auditor Bierman accepted the sum April 25, 1891. After the lists of lands had been approved and the entry fees paid to the state treasurer, it is alleged that, Robert Jamison prevailed upon Auditor Bierman to reject all applications of the plaintiff's assignes, and to refuse to execute the leases. It is alleged that A. Bierman, as land commissioner, then executed the leases for the same lands to Robert Jamison. The plaintiff claims prior right to the mineral leases for the land in question, and the court is asked to declare that Jamison only holds them in trust for the Mountain Iron company, and that he be required to assign them to the plaintiff.

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COMPLIMENTS AND CRITICISM

Freely Commingled in Inspector General Bunker's Report.

General Bunker, of the national guard, has just issued his report for the current year. It is a voluminous document, replete with information of interest to the state and to the members of the guard, especially. Among the features of importance is the exposition of the standing of the different companies upon inspection. It follows:

FIRST REGIMENT.	Present.	Order of Merit.
Field and staff	21	100
Band	20	100
Company A	52	95 5-7
Company B	54	99
Company C	71	85 5-7
Company D	57	91 3-7
Company E	56	80 1-7
Company F	42	67 1-7
Company G	47	88 4-7
Company H	52	78 4-7
Company I	55	80
Company K	71	93 3-7
SECOND REGIMENT.		
Field and staff	16	100
Band	29	68 4-7
Company A	40	72 6-7
Company B	46	88 4-7
Company C	45	80
Company D	45	80
Company E	47	87 1-7
Company F	37	55 5-7
Company G	48	72 6-7
Company H	32	32 6-7
Company I	42	74 2-7
Company K	40	62 6-7
THIRD REGIMENT.		
Field and staff	14	100
Band	20	85 5-7
Company A	56	75 5-7
Company B	42	70
Company D	43	78 4-7
Company E	46	61 2-7
Company G	45	65 5-7
Company H	60	58 4-7
Company I	54	75 5-7
Company K	44	64 2-7
MOUNTED TROOPS.		
Field and staff	8	.....
First battery	50	77 1-7
Second battery	44	60

In reviewing the First regiment more specifically, Gen. Bunker says:

"In the year that has passed this regiment has maintained its position in the national guard. The first places in order of merit in this command are, in my judgment, held by Companies A, D and K, in the order named.

"The commanding officers of Companies B and I are entitled to great credit for the work they have performed since last inspection, as it is due to their untiring efforts that those companies have been maintained and brought to their present very efficient condition."

Gen. Bunker noticed no special change in the Second regiment since the last previous inspection. The interest has been well sustained except in the instances of Companies F at Mankato and H at Blue Earth City. The latter company's rating was so bad the general felt constrained to recommend its immediate muster out, and this being done the regiment is left with but nine companies. The first place in the regiment is accorded B and E.

In commenting upon the Third regiment the following information is given, together with a severe criticism of Capt. Creigh, the Minneapolis veteran:

"Since the last inspection Companies E, at Owatonna, and H, at Morristown, have been mustered out of the service and their places filled by the reserve companies stationed at Spring Valley and Luverne. I think that Companies D, A, I and B are entitled to the first places in this regiment.

"Since my report of July 25, 1890, Company G has made some radical changes in its internal government, and now admits to its ranks Sons of Veteran. As a consequence it is now nearly a full company of young men, and, under a competent commander, this company could easily be made the leading company in the regiment. In my judgment, Capt. Creigh is not an efficient commander, and the good of the company demands that he be relieved."

The report recites the fact that the First battery of mounted troop is a well-drilled company, but its equipment is shabby. The uniforms are id, and many of the men were untidy at the inspection. The Second battery, while a fairly good company, is in need of instruction and a new equipment throughout.

The encampment of the First regiment it is recorded, was made more satisfactory this year than last, by increased attendance and increased interest, and then compliments in this respect are tendered the Second and Third regiments.

The report criticises the manner of guard-mounting, in the matter of inspection by officers of the guard, because the duty was indifferently performed, Then Gen. Bunker alleges that there was a great want of promptness in turning out the guard on the approach of a general or other officer entitled to that courtesy.

The report also comprises a wholesome lecture on the importance of discipline.

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A HEAVY-WEIGHT ESCORT

To Meet the Delegates to the Ticket Agents' Convention.

A special train will leave the city over the Wisconsin Central this evening laden with a score or more of the railroad ticket agents of the Twin Cities, who will meet the delegates from the South and East to the national convention, which will convene in this city next Monday. Among those who will go on this train are: G. C. Gilfillan, of the St. Paul & Duluth; C. E. Stone, of the Northern Pacific and Wisconsin Central; J. S. McCullough, of the Northwestern; W. H. Dixon, of the Milwaukee; E. A. Whitaker, of the Minneapolis & St. Louis; A. H. Yancey, of the Burlington; C. E. Robb, of the Kansas City; F. G. Currie, of the Soo; G. F. McNeill, of the Northern Pacific; P. D. Jones, of the Great Northern; J. A. O'Brien and A. C. Dunn, of the Omaha; W. L. Wyand, of the Michigan Central; F. H. Anson, of the Wisconsin Central, and C. A. Rogers, of the Milwaukee.

These gentlemen will meet the Southern and Eastern delegates at Chicago and escort them to Waukesha on Sunday afternoon, where a big banquet will be tendered them at the Fontaine house. The journey to St. Paul will be made Sunday night, the party arriving in St. Paul early on Monday morning.

The Excellence of the Fabrics.

Fine Suits—Plymouth Clothing House.

Assessments Confirmed.

The board of public works met yesterday and confirmed assessments for grading Hewitt avenue from Hamline avenue to Griggs street; Lindon street from Mount Airy to Arab street; Ellis street from territorial road to Hersey street; Curtis street from South Robert street to Concord street; slopes on Chatsworth street between Front street and Como boulevard; slopes on alley on Weide's subdivision of block 35, Arlington Hills, and slopes in alley in block 7 in Rice's Second addition.

The reassessments for change of grade on Park avenue and on other streets was adjourned until Sept. 10 at 2 p. m.

Children Enjoy

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be costive or bilious the most gratifying results follow its use, so that it is the best family remedy known, and every family should have a bottle.

LABOR DAY OUTING.

The Several Organizations Assigned Places in the General Parade.

Yesterday's Contribution to the List of Crimes and Casualties.

Two Suicides, One Fatality, a Forgery and Minor Cases.

A Full Investigation to Be Made Into the Libby Complaint.

The marshals selected by the several organizations that will participate in Labor day parade, met last night at Carpenter's hall, corner of Third and Exchange streets, to cast lots for respective positions of the several organizations in the parade. Otto Johnson, chief marshal of the day, and Louis Nash, his first assistant, superintended the drawing for positions, which resulted in the following order in the parade:

FIRST DIVISION.
Seibert's First Regiment Band,
Trades and Labor Assembly,
Retail Clerks' Union.

SECOND DIVISION.
Danz Band,
Typographical Union No. 30,
Moulders' Union,
Painters and Decorators' Union.

THIRD DIVISION.
West Side Band,
Bakers' Union,
Pressmen's Union,
Pressfeeders' Union,
Plasterers' Union.

FOURTH DIVISION.
City Band,
Tin, Sheetiron and Cornicemakers' Union,
Boilermakers' Union,
Plumbers' Union.

FIFTH DIVISION.
Liberty Drum Corps of 18 pieces.
Cigarmakers' Union,
Carpenters and Joiners' Union No. 87,
Horseshoers' Union.

SIXTH DIVISION.
Sons of Veterans' Band,
Stovemakers' L. A. 2832, K. of L.,
K. of L. Assemblies,
Waiters' Union.

SEVENTH DIVISION.
Kleist's Band,
Bricklayers' Union,
Tailors' Union,
Barbers.

Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts, the speaker of the day at Rice park immediately after Labor day parade, will arrive over the Omaha road at 7:25 a. m. Monday, and will make his headquarters at the Windsor while in the city.

The new banner for the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners No. 87 arrived yesterday from Cincinnati. It is a very pretty one, of large size. The face has a purple background bearing the name of the organization and a design of a square and compass with the words, "Labor Omnia Vincit." The reverse side is blue, on which appear the words, "Organized Feb. 11, 1885," and in the center clasped hands. The banner is mounted upon a suitable staff surmounted by a spread eagle.

The press feeders' union elected Joe O'Rourke as marshal for Labor day and Harry Martindale as aid.

The bricklayers' union will participate in the Labor day parade, wearing badges of handsome design, ornamented with a trowel. They will don brown slouch hats. They decided to go to Minneapolis in the afternoon to join the labor parade there. John Davis will act as marshal.

Shoemakers' Assembly No. 2832, K. of L., will participate in the Labor day parade headed by the Sons of Veterans' band. Otto Hill and F. A. Twiss have been chosen as aids to Marshal Morehouse.

The stereotypers' union transacted routine affairs at last night's meeting.

Finest Fur House Outside New York

The Plymouth Fur Annex, 309 Nicollet.

THE OPEN DOOR

Through Which the Old German Passed to the Court of Peace.

"If the world displeases us, the door is open. Come, let us go." And the world had gone against him. He was a lonely old man, this Charles Reidell. There was no one to whom he was first, and all his kinsmen were across the ocean. The house—the bare little shabby cottage at 356 Waverly Place was his home. He had built it, and there he had lived ten, fifteen years, he, a lonely old man, and she, a lonely old woman. Society might perhaps have disapproved, but society is really of very little importance, and they grew old together in the house he had built on her land. He was a carpenter then, with a little property of his own. He worked at his trade, and sang as he hammered—sang pretty German songs. She kept the house, and on Sundays they dressed themselves in their neatest clothes, and went arm in arm to church. The world was so pleasant then, and he did not notice the open door.

Last fall she died. Her cat walked from room to room calling her pitifully. The old man was all alone. There was no one to whom he could tell his quaint fancies, no one to make a home for him, but he lived on in the little house. The law said it was not his. The old woman left heirs. They claimed the house. There was trouble for the old man. His own property was mortgaged, and the mortgage was due. He knew he would be compelled to leave the house where he had lived so long. He was tired and lonely. Then he thought of the open door.

Carbolic acid. It burned his lips. It was molten fire in his throat. His agony was frightful. He screamed and writhed. A thousand devils played nine-pins in his brain. One terrible convulsion wracked him. His knees drew up. His eyes were bursting from their sockets. His finger nails cut into his palms. He was dead. All day and all night he lay in his disordered room. Then came the deputy sheriff to eject him from the premises. An awful cold thing, distorted and hideous, lay across the bed—a suicide's body. Curious people gazed at him in his coffin, and wondered at him. This afternoon the sod of the court of peace, as it is said in his native tongue, will close over him. The door was open. The world displeased him, and he went.

The "Plymouth" Copyrighted Hat, $4.

Beats all the $5 proprietory Hats.

HE SLEEPS WELL.

John S. Dresser's Departure Via the Laudanum Line.

John S. Dresser was found dead in his bed yesterday from a dose of laudanum taken with suicidal intent. Dresser, who is a bachelor about twenty-eight years old, was formerly a traveling salesman for a wholesale clothing house, but has been out of employment for some time. He has been boarding with his brother-in-law, Frederick Peck, at Lexington and Edmund streets, and was not disturbed Wednesday, as he seemed to be sleeping soundly. Yesterday morning a member of the family, going in to arouse him, discovered that he was dead. He left no letters or messages, and no cause is assigned for his suicide.

All the New Stetson Hats, $4.

Not $5, but $4, at "The Plymouth."

Rain or Shine,

The sale at Midvale will occur next Saturday afternoon. Go out and have a good time.

CUMMINGS WAS CROOKED,

And Forgery and Desertion Are Charged Up Against Him.

To the utter astonishment of his friends and the painful regret of a number of unsuspecting victims, Edward J. Cummings is a deserter and a forger. He was clerk in the office of Adjt. Gen. Barber, of the department of Dakota.

Capt. Murray, acting adjutant general at the army headquarters, relates that

"On Tuesday Cummings was granted a two hours' leave of absence, but he failed to return. At first this breech of discipline excited no special surprise. I merely ordered that he report to me when he came. His protracted absence, however, prompted an inspection of his accounts. It was was discovered that several blank checks had been abstracted from Col. Barber's book, and that Cummings had successfully filled them out and used them."

The captain further explained that Cummings was somewhat new in the office, coming from Fort Custer, Mont., three years ago, where he was sergeant major of the First cavalry.

A further investigation develops that at least four checks were passed by Cummings. They bear the forged signature of Col. Barber, and are made payable to the order of Cummings. Cummings' salary, it transpires, was $83.33 a month, and he apparently took this amount as a basis for his peculations. One check for 166.66 was passed upon Louis Arbogast, a West Seventh street butcher, to whom he owed $18. Arbogas, fearing some thing was wrong, gave Cummings only $20, asking him to call next day for the balance. J. A. Bazille, of Bazille & Partridge, cashed another check for $83.33, but he received the latter firm's check for $50 of the amount. This latter check be gave to Wagner, a grocer, paying $20 on a bill of $40, and receiving the balance of $30 in cash. Cummings owed J. W. Masson, of the City hotel, $10, and he paid it with another $83.33 check, receiving the difference in money. The fourth check was for $100, and was cashed by Donohue & Lee, grocers. Cummings is a married man, and he deserted his wife and two children, who live on Goodrich avenue, near Macalester station.

Fall Overcoat or Doctor's Bill, Which?

Asks the Plymouth Clothing House.

THE LIBBY CASE.

Gov. Merriam's Instructions Are Very Full and Comprehensive.

The special committee appointed by Gov. Merriam to inquire into the sanity of Mrs. A. E. Libby, of Minneapolis, will meet at the Rochester asylum next Tuesday. Owing to the suspici on that the officials in charge of the Rochester insane asylum are in collusion in her illegal retention, Gov. Merriam has specially directed that this special commission shall be clothed with full authority to send for persons and papers, and that they shall inquire into the culpability of the officers either in the way of misconduct or neglect of duty. There has been a suspicion for a long time that the management of the state lunacy institutions have been very unlike Cæsar's wife, above suspicion, and this order will doubtless be greeted with approbation by the public.

It is charged that Mrs. Libby was committed to the St. Peter hospital from Hennepin county without due process of law. That is, that she was never arraigned before the judge of the probate court, as the law requires in such cases, and the governor directs that this fact be also looked into in order that justic will be accorded the unfortunate inmate.

Mrs. Libby in her letter to Secretary Hart, of the board of corrections and charities, explained that she had written to Rev. S. G. Smith. John W. Willis and other members of the board and that she never received a reply. She charges that the authorities at the hospital intercepted her letters, and Dr. Smith's explanation would seem to confirm her charge. He says he received the letter from Mrs. Libby and that he promptly answered it, promising to use his influence to secure her justice. He explains that his board has no jurisdiction in the case, but at a meeting of the board he offered a resolution which was adopted, calling the attention of the trustees to Mrs. Libby's plaints and asking for an investigation. As a result the lunacy commission examined her and pronounced her demented.

Dr. Smith intimated that Mrs. Northrup, whose liberty is still denied her at the St. Peter asylum, is deserving of more sympathy than Mrs. Libby, because the latter has been adjudged sane and deserving of liberty.

The Correctness of the Style.

Fine Suits—Plymouth Clothing House.

HILL REACHING OUT.

The Manitoba Formally Notifies the State of Its New Extensions.

The St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway company filed with the secretary of state yesterday a copy of resolutions passed by the directorate of the road at a recent meeting, giving notice to the state that the road is about to construct a branch line of road from its St. Hilaire branch at a point near Wylie station via Red Lake Falls to a point on the Fasston brauch near Dugdale. This will be a lateral line.

The Wadena & Park Rapids Railway company filed in the same office a deed of transfer, conveying that road to the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba road. The Wadena & Park Rapids road, of which Col. Crooks was the president, runs from Eagle Bend, Todd county, to Park Rapids, a distance of little over fifty-four miles. The consideration of the transfer was $817,000.

Probably owing to the above transaction, a release of a mortgage that had been placed on the Park Rapids line by the Minneapolis Trust company is noted on the records of the secretary of state. It fails to relate the amount of the mortgage, however.

The Faultless Fit.

Fine Suits—Plymouth Clothing House.

Two Small Blazes.

An explosion of a lamp at 435 State street called out the fire apparatus last evening. The damage done was trifling.

A small barn at 413 Jenks street, belonging to J. Patrick, was destroyed by fire at 9:30 last evening, the damage being $50.

Train Leaves Union Depot

For the sale at Midvale Saturday, 2:30 o'clock p. m.

A Life Saved.

A Fireman's Story.

Mr. Geo. Raymond, of Senaca Falls, N. Y., is a pump setter in the employ of Ramsey & Co., the well-known pump makers of that place. He is a member of Ramsey Engine Co. He says:

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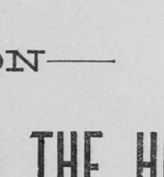

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