SAINT PAUL.

CHIPS.

The Masonic association of the state opens its session today.

The Troubadours' Choral club gives its first grand ball in Martin's opera house tonight.

The Crookston Mercantile company, with a capital of $50,000, has filed articles of incorporation.

Detective Horan at midnight rounded up four young fellows, well known thieves, on a charge of vagrancy.

Scarlet fever was reported yesterday from 125 Atwater street, and membraneous croup from 51 Hoffman avenue.

The Queen Isabella society will hold an interesting session in the parlors of the People's church this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Owing to water in the gas pipes being frozen, business at police headquarters last night was transacted by oil lamp and candle light.

The James Elwin Cigar Manufacturing company, of Minneapolis, filed articles of incorporation yesterday, the capital stock being $50,000.

The Woodbine Farm Fence company of Minneapolis filed an amended certificate of incorporation yesterday, the stock having been increased to $50,000.

Officer Cary late last evening arrested Fred Murphy, Frank Weber, Henry Rice and Frank Smith, young fellows, for carrying off a nickel-in-the-slot machine.

Today the new police headquarters on West Third street will be taken possession of by the police department, and the old city hall abandoned as a lock-up.

Thomas Hull, for stealing a laprobe from the buggy of Deputy Sheriff Harrison, was yesterday in the municipal court sentenced to ninety days in the workhouse.

George Young, a seven-year-old boy, who ran away from the orphan home on West Ninth street yesterday morning, was taken in by a police officer during the afternoon.

The Memorial English Evangelical Lutheran Church of St. Paul has amended its articles of incorporation, providing for stated meetings for the transaction of business.

The board of public works yesterday considered the question of opening Fifth street, from Maple to Hope streets. The board considered the assessments for the new Carpenter park, but nothing definite was done.

Frank Cody, accused of stealing a gold watch and chain from a lady acquaintance, was tried in the municipal court yesterday by a jury. He was found guilty, and Judge Twohy sentenced him to ninety days in the workhouse.

The explosion of a vulcanizer in Dr. Lawton's dental offices on Sixth street yesterday afternoon caused considerable alarm in the neighborhood. Beyond shattering a quantity of stained glass windows in the offices, no material damage was done.

H. A. Hokemier, inspector in the food and dairy commission, returned yesterday from Brainerd, Aitkin, Staples and other points on the Northern Pacific, where he made a number of seizures of oleomargarine. Most of the seizures were at the town of Staples.

Established 1870.

A St. Paul Clothing House exclusively owned and controlled by St. Paul men Such is the old reliable Boston One Price Clothing House on Third street.

PURELY PERSONAL.

L. E. Moss has returned from Pennsylvania.

William Todd and Frank Wilcockson were given full naturalization papers yesterday.

Joel P. Heatwole, of Northfield, attended the meeting of the agricultural society yesterday.

Tams Bixby, the governor's private secretary, is on deck again after a severe tussle with la grippe.

Supt. Kiehle, of the bureau of public instruction, is in St. Cloud visiting the normal and high schools.

S. T. Littleton, a prominent attorney of Kasson, is in the city to try cases before the United States court.

A. D. Hart, of Seattle, a cousin to Secretary Hart, of the correction and charities board, is in the city on his way East.

Delegates J. J. Ryan and J. D. Coughlin, of the State Eight Hour league, addressed meetings at Labor hall this week.

Assistant Attorney General Childs is the last capitol habitue upon whom the hand of la grippe has been detainingly laid.

At the Clifton—G. B. Winter, Chicago; M. C. Bruce, River Falls; Henry Beville, Argyle; Jacob Reis, Shakopee; H. L. Gardner, Chicago.

At the Windsor—L. D. Frost, Winona; C. F. Johnson, Duluth; B. F. Farmer, Spring Valley; J. A. Eckstein, Andrew Eckstein, New Ulm.

Thomas W. Wadsworth is down from Jamestown, N. D., visiting his former partner, Seymour Van Cleve, who was at the Ryan yesterday.

A special meeting of Court Minnesota No. 67, I. O. F., will be held in Vega hall this evening for the transaction of business of unusual importance.

At the Clarendon—C. E. Johnson, Elbow Lake; W. H. Orff, Milwaukee; W. R. Earle, Austin; A. E. Jay, Waseca; J. G. Taylor, Albert Lea; James Heth, Shakopee.

At the Metropolitan—Mr. and Mrs. George L. Sweet, Detroit; Mrs. S. Martin, Winona; W. A. Enton, Tower; J. D. Sweyer, Utica, N. Y.; F. W. Payne, E. W. Kappell, Chicago.

At the Sherman—John Halloway, Bayfield; D. A. Moseo, C. C. Johnson, Chicago; L. Strong, Zumbrota; George A. Klaster, West Superior; F. R. Watson, Spokane; A. D. Aldrich and wife, Benson; A. L. Stanley, Lyle.

At the Ryan—J. W. Meeker, Sioux Falls; F. A. Hunt, Boston; George Bersh, Austin; R. Lockey, Helena; C. E. White, Faribault; Theodore Mayer, New York; E. E. Naylor, Omaha; Edwin Dunn, Eyota; F. O. Somerby, T. Scorah, Philadelphia; J. A. Anderson, Chicago.

At the Merchants'—W. H. Burke, South Bend, Ind.; P. H. Foote, Ortonville; A. J. Rice, J. C. Becker, Adrian; John Hutton, F. C. Collins, Windom; J. A. Westby, E. W. Durant, Stillwater; C. E. McMullin, Staples; A. W. Lyman, Helena; H. R. Wells, Preston; A. B. Moffett, Le Sueur; William Frisbie, Mankato; C. L. Hilton, Fergus Falls.

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CIVIL AND CRIMINAL.

Richard Langan is suing John H. Wolterstorff upon a promissory note for $35.40.

The jury returned a sealed verdict in the case of Elizabeth Bartholoma against the city.

The jury found for the plaintiff in the case of Phil Carpeles et al. against Edwin H. Millhem.

James H. Butterfield, of White Bear, yesterday pleaded not guilty of larceny and was released on $2,500.

The St. Paul Park Improvement company demands judgment against Frederick A. Haskell upon a promissory note.

The action of Joseph Boswell against Louis Wagner to recover possession of a mare valued at $100, is being tried in Judge Cornish's court.

Frank Crawshaw has appealed from an order of the board of public works making an assessment on his property for improving University avenue.

The divorce case of Bridget A. Keating is being heard by Judge Kelly. Mrs. Keating asks for divorce on the grounds of drunkenness and cruel treatment.

George B. Evans has garnished the effects of Ervin W. Andrews in the hands of the Great Northern railway company to satisfy a promissory note for $100.

Beaupre, Keogh & Davis have begun an action against the St. Paul German Insurance company to recover $456.79, the apportionment of a loss by fire on a policy of $1,500.

Judge Kerr and a jury are engaged in trying the case of Albert Spangenberg against the city to recover $175 for injuries to a horse by electricity that communicated with the street from electric poles.

Judge Egan and a jury are trying the case of F. J. Bowlin, as administrator of the estate of Rosina Redman, against Fred Oebke and Joseph Moskofsky, sureties on the bond of J. D. Redman, who was formerly executor of the estate of Rosina Redman, and left the state without paying all claims. The suit was brought to compel the sureties to pay a claim of $175.

To Hot Springs, Arkansas.

The Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City railway have on sale Excursion Tickets via Chicago, St. Louis or Kansas City at greatly reduced rates. City Ticket Office, 195 East Third street.

BEECHAM'S PILLS
Cure SICK HEADACHE.
25 Cents a Box.
OF ALL DRUGGISTS.

BIDS FOR AUDITORIUM

Contractors Who Are Anxious to Build the Convention Hall.

All Bids Referred to the Committee on Auditorium.

The Broadway Bridge Scheme Receives a Temporary Check.

Mr. Van Slyke Becomes Vice President of the Assembly.

The meeting of the assembly last evening was marked by a disposition to execute business with promptness, and as a result a vast amount of work was accomplished in a short time. President Murray was, as usual, on hand before the time appointed for the meeting, and called the assembly to order exactly at 7:30 o'clock. The roll call showed that Messrs. Banholzer, Elmquist, McCafferty, McNamee, Van Slyke and Hare were present. Messrs. Oppenheim and Costello were absent. The most important matter transacted during the evening was the opening of bids for the construction of the new auditorium building. The bids for the entire work were as follows:

John Nevin & Son	$115,469
P. H. Donovan & Son	111,400
A. J. Hoban	110,965
George J. Grant	106,247
William Porten	99,561
M. P. Ryan	99,275
Taylor Craig company	99,140
E. C. Long & Co	96,950
R. E. Patterson	96,474

A number of small bids were also put in for the plumbing and painting. A resolution was unanimously passed referring all the bids to the committee on auditorium. The president announced that as Mr. Oppenheim had resigned from the committee on account of absence from the city, he would appoint Mr. McCafferty to the vacancy.

The resolution for changing the grade of Broadway, from Prince street to the river, required for the building of the new Broadway bridge, was recommended by the committee on streets favorably. The matter was, however, recommitted to the committee on streets. Mr. Van Slyke moved to reconsider the vote, but Mr. McCafferty opposed it. Mr. McCafferty said that when the matter came up before the committee on streets, it was understood that the plans of the bridge would be so changed as to meet with the desires of the remonstrants. No such change had been made, and he objected to the matter being rushed through. The building of the bridge was too important to be acted upon hastily, and he therefore desired that the committee take the matter up again and have it fully investigated.

Mr. Van Slyke, chairman of the committee, stated that the city attorney had reported that the suit between the city and the Great Northern road as to the ownership of property on Broadway, south of Third street, could not be tried unless the grade was changed.

President Murray expressed himself as being opposed to hurrying so important a matter through.

On a vote to reconsider, the motion was carried.

A vote to adopt the recommendation of the committee that the grade be changed was lost by five votes to two.

For Market Purposes.

On the report of the joint committee on public buildings, which met yesterday afternoon and whose proceedings are reported in another column, an ordinance was passed that the council designate for market purposes the south side of upper Third street, from Wabasha street to the Seven corners, and on the south side of Second street from Wabasha street.

The board of public works reported that in the matter of opening and widening Lake Como and Phalen avenue, the improvement as proposed was premature, and not a public necessity at the present time, and requested the council to annul all proceedings ordered. The matter was referred to the committee on streets to report upon.

President Murray announced that he had placed Assemblyman Hare on the following committees in place of Mr. Minea, resigned: Committees on streets and sewers, fire department, gas, oil lamps and water.

The mayor communicated to the council that he had reappointed Messrs. Mitsch, Freeman and Martin as fire commissioners to succeed themselves, and asking that the appointments be confirmed. This was done by a unanimous vote. A letter from Mayor Smith, as president of the Fifth Ward Citizens' union was read, in which the union requested the council to authorize the building of steps down the bluff where it intersects at Western avenue. The matter was referred to the committee on streets. An ordinance was passed authorizing the payment of $121.50 to Henry Logan and Katie Logan in full compensation for injuries sustained by a defective sidewalk. This was recommended by the committee on claims and the city attorney. The sureties of Building Inspector Starkey in the sum of $5,000, signed by Patrick Kavanagh and E. C. Long were unanimously accepted.

The city attorney reported, as to the inquiry of the city clerk relative to the ordinance canceling all insurance policies, that the ordinance did not intend to provide for canceling for boiler insurance. The city clerk was instructed to act in the premises according to the report of the city attorney.

The name of Mr. Van Slyke was put in nomination for vice president of the assembly, in place of Mr. Minea, resigned. Mr. Van Slyke was unanimously elected, and made a short speech of thanks for the honor conferred. Owing to an error in the resolution passed last week by the council, authorizing the issue of certificates of indebtedness in anticipation of the tax levy of 1892, another resolution was passed last evening authorizing the issue of the certificates.

A special meeting of the board of aldermen was called last evening for the purpose of passing the above resolution, but a quorum was not present at any time. The aldermen will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock for the same purpose.

Just previous to the adjournment of the assembly Mr. Murray called Mr. Van Slyke to the chair, and moved that the resolution for the change of grade on Broadway be recommitted to the committee on streets, which was done by a unanimous vote.

GRAND JURY INQUIRY.

Is It the Lumber Firm or the Bushnells?

The grand jury reported yesterday, and, at its request, was adjourned until March 7. The full report was not made public. A reporter for an evening paper innocently inspected the full report, and left the court room with what he thought to be "rich stuff," but Judge Cornish sent a deputy sheriff after him, and when he returned before his honor was cautioned under pains and penalties not to make known the result of his inspection. The reporter promised, and retired, pale and trembling, from the presence of his honor. He could not be induced to say whether or not the Bushnells or a certain lumber firm in the city had been indicted by the grand jury, and the facts in that regard will, for the present, be hid within the breasts of a few. The only additional indictment reported is against the late county assessor, Ed R. Harroun, who is charged with larceny in the second degree, in that he drew a check on the Germania bank for $50 when he had no funds there, and had it cashed by McCormick, Behnke & Co.

FOR A MARKET.

West Third Street Designated a Standing Place for Wagons.

The joint committee on public buildings held a meeting yesterday afternoon for the purpose of considering the petition of the Third Street Property Owners' association, that the city designate certain property on West Third street for market purposes and locate the places for wagons of market gardeners to occupy. Messrs. Gehan, Coneland, Bielenberg and McNamee, Van Slyke and Banholzer represented the two branches of the council. Messrs. Tarbox and Robinson appeared on behalf of the Third street property owners, and explained the desires of the association. The property on St. Peter street, running from Third to Fourth street, with a depth of 100 feet, would be improved and adapted for market purposes. The rental of stalls would be not more than the rents charged at present in the market house, and if the city designated West Third street, from Wabasha to Seven corners, as standing places for market wagons, the property owners would not charge any rental for frontage use. The proposed market would be supervised by the market master, whose salary would be paid from the fees he would collect from the wagons using the streets.

Petitions were read from property owners and tenants on Third street, market gardeners from all parts of the city, commission merchants and grocerymen, asking for the location of a market on West Third street as above described.

After a short debate as to the advisability of establishing market days, to be held in various parts of the city, the committee unanimously decided to recommend to the council that if the owners of the property on West Third street, corner of St. Peter, improved the same so as to adapt it for market house purposes that a market would be located there, and that Third street, from Wabasha to Seven corners, be designated as the place for market wagons to stand.

THE JUNIORS' BALL.

Old and Young Bent on a Jolly Evening.

The annual ball of the Junior Pioneers on the 20th inst. will surely be a grand success, as all reports of committees received at last night's meeting tend to show. Everything is in order for a grand social entertainment, from the programme all along the line to the decorations. The old settlers and pioneers have been invited, and old and young will again mingle in the festivities of an annual affair, which to one is ever increasing and to the other gradually fading away.

An amendment to the constitution was adopted making it obligatory on one of the members who signed an application for new membership to introduce the newly elected member to the president, who will in turn make him acquainted with all the Juniors at the meeting. President Starkey at this point stated that he noticed among those present John W. Willis, who, nearly a year ago, on account of business engagements, was compelled to decline an invitation tendered by the association to address them, and, while he might not be prepared at this time, he hoped he would consent, if even for a few moments, only to entertain them.

Mr. Willis heartily thanked the Juniors for the honor conferred, and referred pleasantly to the old pioneers who had become governors, statesmen and mayors, and hoped that the Juniors, in their turn, would achieve prominence and fill positions of public trust. He had no doubt that they would, as he noticed some of them had been elected as building inspectors, and also represented the city in the council, and he hoped to see more of it

The newly elected members were William Schultz and Thomas Markley, and applications were received from R. P. Kellogg, B. Zimmerman, Edwin W. Holcombe, Eugene Corrigan, Thomas Hyland and Reuben A. Wright.

A handsome button to be worn in the lappel of the coat, with the monogram J. P. A. in the center, St. Paul above and the date required to secure admission (1860) below, was adopted, and will hereafter be worn by the members.

BY DESIGNING MEN.

The Opposition to Great National Park Scheme.

The state forestry association was stated for a meeting at the capitol yesterday afternoon. The members met to the number of half a dozen, but as the state agricultural association was in session at the time and several of the members desired to take part in the meeting of the agricultural association, an adjournment was taken to next Monday.

Subsequent to the meeting, J. O. Barrett, the secretary of the forestry association, stated to a reporter that the public had been purposely misled by designing and mercenary men as to the character and intent of the proposed national park scheme. The imperative necessity, he says, of setting aside a part of the domain at the headwaters of the Mississippi is obvious and is only opposed by those who wish to denude the forests, even at the expense of our water supply. He says the plan suggested by the forestry board is not to forbid the cutting of any timber on the proposed park or to entirely suppress farming or mining operations, but to allow timber to be cut only under the supervision of a duly constituted authority and in places where it would not leave the ground entirely unshaded. One great objection to the removal of the timber which Mr. Barrett suggests is the fact that it will leave us at the mercy of the cold northern winds. He thinks the plans suggested by the board will ultimately be accepted, but admits that the opposition is quite formidable.

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IN FEDERAL COURTS.

Term Opened by Judge Nelson With a Big Batch of Cases.

The United States circuit and district courts opened in St. Paul yesterday with Judge Nelson presiding. The grand and petit juries appeared in the district court. The grand jury was impaneled and charged by Judge Nelson. The petit jury was adjourned until this morning, when the trial of criminal cases will be commenced. The only other business transacted in the district court was to quash the indictment against J. S. Cohen, charged with selling liquor to Indians.

In the district court the calendar was called and a number of cases continued, while the following were dismissed:

E. T. Ryder, administrator, vs. Northern Pacific Railway Company, A. E. Fleming vs. Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City Railway Company, John Swanson vs. William Saunitry et al., and Sevena Sandoig vs. Oliver C. Wayman et al.

The following cases were settled:

John F. George vs. Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City Railway Company, Burt Ogden vs. Northern Pacific Railroad Company.

The usual number of Indians are on hand to appear against the dealers in liquor on the reservation. It is suggested that if the Indian who drinks the whisky should be punished equally with the one who furnishes the firewater, there would be fewer cases brought to trial to avenge for personal grievances against the informers.

The Most Pleasant Way

Of preventing the grippe, colds, headaches and fevers is to use the liquid laxative remedy Syrup of Figs, whenever the system needs a gentle, yet effective cleansing. To be benefited one must get the true remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all druggists in 50c and $1 bottles.

PLACED AT THE HELM.

National and Other Banks Elect Directors for the Year.

Peter Berkey Retires From the Presidency of the St. Paul National.

He Has Been at Its Head Since the Bank Was Established.

Full List of Directors Elected and Officers Selected.

Among the bankers unusual interest was taken yesterday in the meetings of stockholders to select the boards of directors for the various banks for the ensuing year. This interest was not on account of rivalry among the candidates, but it arose mainly from the spirit of hearty congratulation that was evident among those who assembled to cast the ballots. The banks have had a remarkably successful season. Their reserves are far in excess of what many had expected, and that which concerns them most at present is: How to loan the large amount of available funds to the best advantage. The further extensions of business that must naturally accompany the good conditions of trade that now prevail give abundant promise of additional activity in financial circles in the near future.

The most notable event in connection with the elections was the acceptance of Hon. Peter Berkey's resignation from the presidency of the St. Paul National bank. This was, of course, voluntary on the part of Mr. Berkey, who seeks a period of retirement from the cares of active business. Since his service in the common council, from 1859 to 1871, he has held many responsible positions, including county commissioner, legislator, president of a railroad, director in banks, insurance and trust companies, Indian commissioner. The Pennsylvania boy and once canal boat captain now retires from the presidency of the bank which he founded. It is not so surprising to those who knew of his resigning from the treasurership of the chamber of commerce and other organizations some time ago. The St. Paul National was established eight and one-half years ago. Mr. Berkey's resignation has been in the hands of the directors for twelve months, and in his last letter to the directors he says:

Having a desire for quiet and retirement, I would again respectfully tender my resignation as president and director of the St. Paul National bank. The business of the bank never was in a more prosperous condition than now. The number of depositors is larger than ever before, having largely increased within the last six months. The aggregate deposits are over 25 per cent higher than a year ago, and the bills receivable have increased in a like ratio, while the earnings have never before been as large as at present.

It is thought by many that F. W. Anderson, now vice president, will take Mr. Berkey's chair in the St. Paul National when the new board organizes a few days hence.

The names of the directors elected yesterday are given below. In some cases where the directors organized and selected officers, the names of the latter are also given.

First National.

Directors—H. P. Upham, J. J. Hill, C. D. Gilfillan, T. B. Campbell, D. C. Shepard, A. H. Wilder, Theodore L. Schurmeier, H. R. Bigelow, F. B. Clarke, J. H. Sanders, H. E. Thompson, C. W. Griggs, W. W. Winter, Greenleaf Clark, E. H. Bailey.

Officers—President, Henry P. Upham; vice president, C. D. Gilfillan; cashier, E. H. Bailey; assistant cashier, William A. Miller. All re-elected.

Second National.

Directors—E. S. Edgerton, A. Cowley, David Day, Peter Berkey, George H. Ranney, I. P. Wright, O. O. Cullen, William B. Dean, C. W. Griggs, F. R. Smith, J. S. Robertson, D. A. Monfort, Isaac Staples.

The board will organize and elect officers this afternoon.

Merchants' National.

Directors—W. R. Merriam, John L. Merriam, A. H. Wilder, W. S. Culbertson, C. H. Bigelow, D. R. Noyes, J. W. Bishop, M. Auerbach, T. B. Scott, E. F. Drake, E. N. Saunders, A. B. Stickney, R. C. Jefferson, C. E. Flandrau, F. A. Seymour.

Officers—President, William R. Merriam; vice president, C. H. Bigelow; cashier, F. A. Seymour; assistant cashier, G. C. Power; all re-elected.

National German-American.

Directors — Joseph Lockey, G. Willius, William Lindeke, F. Willius, John B. Sanborn, F. Knauft, J. H. Weed, M. Holl, Channing Seabury, W. S. Culbertson, Fred Driscoll, J. H. Allen, Alex M. Drake, J. W. Lusk, John H. Hullsiek, Alex Sternberg, F. Weyerhaeuser, P. H. Kelly, T. C. Field.

Board will organize next Monday.

St. Paul National.

Directors—S. S. Eaton, Lucien Warner, C. W. Hackett, J. D. Humphrey, F. W. Anderson, L. N. Dion, Philip Reilly, Bernard Michel, Ed E. Davidson, R. R. Dorr, J. C. Quinby, J. A. Eldredge, A. C. Anderson, A. V. Eastman, W. A. Naylor.

Commercial Bank.

Directors—A. Scheffer, C. H. Lienau, J. Middleton, H. Scheffer, T. B. Campbell, William Hamm, James H. Drake, William H. Lightner, B. Kuhl, E. A. Hendrickson, A. Schoch, H. A. Castle, D. B. Finch, Charles Steele, D. Aberle.

Will organize tomorrow.

Union Bank.

Directors—Maurice Auerbach, Crawford Livingston, Arnold Kalman, James W. Lusk, Frederick Driscoll, Robert R. Dunn, H. S. Johnson.

Election of officers on the 19th inst. at 3 o'clock p. m.

People's.

Directors—Ernst Albrecht, Henry Habighorst Sr., John Marty, J. H. Schurmeier, C. E. Rittenhouse, H. L. Williams, William Constans, George Woodward.

Officers—President, C. E Rittenhouse, vice president, William Constans; cashier, E. R. Moore.

Seven Corners.

Directors—William Banholzer, M. Defiel, C. H. Bigelow, William R. Marshall, Daniel Kelly, Henry Orme, G. S. Moore, John M. Carlson, B. Zimmerman, C. A. Hawks, W. B. Evans, J. B. Chapman and E. W. Peet.

Board will organize and elect officers during the week.

West Side.

Directors—D. D. Merrill, Joseph Minea, S. C. Staples, George H. Hosmer, H. L. Moss, A. M. Lawton, John Ickler, T. T. Smith, E. Yanish.

Board will organize on Thursday.

Scandinavian-American.

Directors—A. E. Johnson, F. S. Christensen, O. O. Searle, Charles L. Johnson, S. Bergman, Andrew E. Johnson, A. H. Lindeke, Maurice Lyons, J. G. Elmquist, A. L. Ainess, J. A. Swenson; all re-elected.

Officers — President, A. L. Ainess; vice president, A. E. Johnson; second vice president, J. G. Elmquist; cashier, J. A. Swenson; assistant cashier, J. B. Jensen.

Savings Bank of St. Paul.

Officers—President, John S. Prince; vice president, Thomas A. Prendergast; cashier, Edward J. Meier.

State Bank of St. Paul.

Directors—George Michel, Charles L. Haas, M. P. Ryan, Charles H. Houck, H. J. Freeman, Fred Nenru, U. L. Lamprey, John Hedman, Charles Joy, Lafayette Shaw, Joseph Matz.

Will organize in a few days.

Union Stockyards.

Directors—William Dawson, Robert A. Smith, Arnold Kalman, William Dawson Jr., Ansel Oppenheim.

Officers—President, Arnold Kalman; vice president, William Dawson Jr.; cashier, John J. Flanagan.

Bank of Minnesota will elect directors today.

Germania bank will hold its election for directors tonight from 7:30 to 9 o'clock.

Minnesota Savings bank will hold its election during the week.

Capital bank will elect directors this week.

FROM IRON HALL.

Charter Members Presented With Checks for $1,000 Each.

Standing room was at a premium at Market hall last night on the occasion of the complimentary reception given by the order of Iron Hall to Hon. F. D. Somerly, supreme justice of the order. All the members of the local branches were present with their friends, till the hall was crowded to the doors.

Deputy Supreme Justice Thomas Scorah was chairman and conducted the entertainment of the evening, which began with the "Lustspiel" overture, by Keler Bela, delightfully played by the St. Anthony Hill orchestra. The Lotus quartette, composed of Messrs. De Sale, Van Yorx, Garland and Tarbox, sang "Lead Kindly Light." In phrasing and finish the number was admirable, and the voices of the quartette, all of good quality, blend wonderfully well. "Bye-Low Land," by Macy was given as an encore, sung with tenderness and sympathy. Franklyn Lee gave his original recitation, "The Boarding House Rehearsal," ending with the amusing "Landoline" solo, which took so well, that "Players at the Play" was given as a recall. The Trothe Mandolin and Guitar club followed with a well played overture and "The Skaters' Waltz."

Mrs. C. B. Yale, whose voice has gained wonderfully in dramatic fire of late, sang Lours' "Because of Thee." She was in good voice, and good voice with Mrs. Yale means something very delightful. A bright little birthday song by Zoch was the encore. Miss Nellie Davis played the violin part of one of Plyel's piano and violin duets, with considerable ability. The Lotus quartette returned with "The Mill," by Macy. The finish of the pianissimo effect was charming. "The Lost Chord," sung in a rather original, but none the less pleasing way, was the quartette's last number.

Hon. F. D. Somerby made an interesting address on the Iron Hall. He spoke in glowing terms of his pleasure in being in St. Paul and in seeing the flourishing condition of the order here. The most of his address was devoted to an eulogy of the Iron Hall, and as he closed $10,000 was divided among the ten charter members of the local branch No. 212, Messrs. John C. McCaull, J. H. Rohrer, W. S. Dippo, A. E. Goldsmith, of Cincinnati, O.; Frank A. Davis, E. G. Spindler, Mrs. M. A. Burke, beneficiary of E. A. Simpson, deceased; R. A. Hirst, G. M. Gage and B. W. Gage.

CHANGE OF OFFICES.

Cramped Accommodations in the Court House.

The joint court house and city hall committee met yesterday, and at the request of Dr. Hoyt, granted permission to move the health department into the quarters which will today be vacated by the chief of police and chief of the detective force. Dr. Hoyt was desirous of securing these commodious quarters, in view of the fact that his department would, in any event, soon be asked to vacate the present quarters to make room for the county treasurer. It is known that County Treasurer Nelson has always wanted the commodious rooms facing Wabasha street. His office is an important one and he has been crowded for room in his present quarters. His office will be moved as soon as the joint committee can provide a vault for his use. The present quarters of the county treasurer will be fitted up for use of the clerk of the district court, as this office is now crowded for vault room and papers are rapidly accumulating. A door will be cut through from the rear of the building, so as to connect with the present office.

A WOODEN LEG.

Terrific Fight at Police Headquarters With a One-Legged Man.

A one-legged man caused a sensation in police headquarters last evening. He had been arrested by Detective Horan for being drunk and street begging, and considerable trouble was had in putting him into the patrol wagon, the fellow endeavoring to use his crutch as a weapon of assault. When brought into police headquarters he was most abusive, refusing to give his name and using the vilest of language. While being searched the fellow suddenly unstrapped his wooden leg and aimed a terrible blow at Officer Gibbons' head. If the officer had not jumped aside he would have been killed on the spot, as the leg was of solid oak, bound with iron bands. A scene of confusion ensued, the ruffian fighting like a wild beast and the united strength of Capt. Cook, Lieut. Schweitzer and Officer Gibbons was required to overpower and put him in a cell, where for hours he cursed and swore in a horrible manner.

Supreme Court Routine.

The following routine was disposed of in the supreme court yesterday:

Edward J. Schubert, respondent, vs. J. R. Clark Company, appellant, argued and submitted.

Trustees of the German Evangelical Society of St. Cloud, appellant, vs. Rev. R. N. Henschell et al., respondents, to be submitted on or before Feb. 4, 1892.

Andrew Schoch, respondent, vs. Annie Birdsall, appellant, argued by appellant.

After Many Days.

An old relic came into the state treasurer's office yesterday in the shape of a warrant for witness fees signed by Auditor O. P. Whitcomb, Nov. 19, 1881, and made payable to W. H. Harmon. The amount of the warrant was $12.44. It had been pigeonholed for over ten years, and was finally presented for payment, and was honored.

Ryan Enters His Plea.

James G. Ryan was arrested on a bench warrant yesterday to answer to an indictment for assault in the second degree. He was taken before Judge Cornish, where J. J. McCafferty asked that the warrant be quashed. This motion was denied, and the man pleaded not guilty and was admitted to bail in the sum of $500.

The Prentice Cases.

The Prentice cases, seventeen in number, pending in the United States circuit court, were continued over the time. These cases are brought to quiet title to lands worth $1,000,000 in the city of Duluth, the original patent of which was granted by treaty to the Indian chief Buffalo.

Wilson Gets a Dollar.

In the case of Thorkild Wilson against the "Manitoba" railroad the jury found a verdict at a late hour last evening for $1 in favor of Wilson. The court instructed in favor of nominal damages. This is the sixth trial of this cause.

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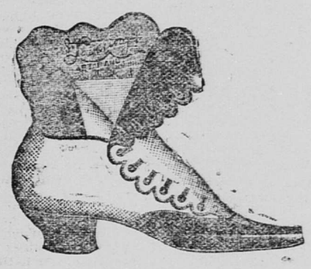

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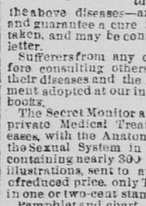

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