where the south end of the box was. They used sounding rods to find where the south end of the box was. It took four or five days to find it. The box drain ran diagonally across under the fill from one side to the other. There was from twelve to fifteen feet of water at that time in the basin, and after the heavy rain on July 26 it was 30 to 35 feet in depth. They then tried to drive a 2x2 iron rod through the drain from the north side, but the

Rod Became Set,

and that plan had to be abandoned; a shaft was then sunk and was within six feet of the box the night of the big rain on July 26. The next morning the pond was full of water. It was then decided to commence on the east end and put a sluice box in on the solid ground. They put a box in there which started about twelve or fifteen feet from the water and ran north across the fill. The box or trench was inclined from six feet at the starting point to fifteen feet on the north side of the fill. The north end of the box leaked and it was necessary to be repaired and made water tight. Four or five men were floating around the pond for four or five days trying to locate the south end of the drain box. The mouth of the box was in the bed of the stream, there were four or five men at work before the big storm, after that there were ten or twelve men. He had been ordered to keep the force of men down, because the work during the month previous had used up more funds than were apportioned for such work. He did not work the men at night, because Starkey considered if there was any danger it would be safer to work in the daytime. He told three or four residents that there might be some danger, and if they heard any alarm to get out of the way. There was no particular alarm agreed upon. He didn't receive orders from Mr. Rundlett to put watchmen there, but reported the fact of these being placed there to Mr. Rundlett. The watchmen were instructed, if anything broke, to dump in the manure which was at hand and

Give the Alarm.

Fire engines could not have pumped the water out any better than the syphons. One of the discharging hose used was about twenty feet below the intake end and an immense amount of water was discharged. There was no evidence of any weakness in the bank when it broke. The water was running in good shape when the men left after 6 o'clock. The box culvert was about 115 or 120 feet in length. He did not know whether there was an angle in the culvert or not, but some of the neighbors said there was.

Henry Starkey, a foreman in the engineer's office, was called. His testimony corroborated Mr. Shanley's regarding the time spent in locating the south end of the box drain, the sinking of the shaft before the storm and the work of using siphons to lower the water. He had noticed a few cracks in the fill. The fill was part clay, gravel and sand. The outlet of the siphon was about five feet below the surface of the water. The water would have been carried much faster had the siphon hose been longer. He did not have any more hose or he would have used it. The hose was thirty-two feet long. He could not say whether more hose could have been obtained or not. He did not think if the hose had been larger it would have been a better way of draining the water off than by the

Sluice Box and Siphons.

Isadore L. Bross, foreman of one of the street gangs, testified to trying to find the south end of the culvert. He had notified Commissioner Sofranck of his failure to find the end of the drain.

Dominick Phillips was one of the party who tried to find the south end of the drain, and afterward worked at the shaft sunk to get at the plugged end of the culvert. He was told if any indications of a break occurred to warn the residents. When this order was given he was acting as watchman. The bank gave way at 9 o'clock. He could see no change in the condition of the embankment from other days the night of the accident. The siphons were working when the bank gave away. As soon as he heard the crash he started down the hill to warn the people living below. It was about two blocks and a half to the houses. When he reached the houses the flood had passed. He had been watching six nights. The watchmen were all on the west end of the fill when it gave away. One of the men had just crossed from the east end. There had been no change in the bank; at least none he could see.

August Horne, a watchman, and son of the man Gotleib Horne who was killed by the flood, said he went to work at 7 o'clock. Mr. Shanley had hired him that day, and told him to notify the people if the bank washed or showed any signs of washing away. He had just walked from the east side of the fill to the west side when the break came. His people knew there was water there, but did not know there was any danger. He had not warned any of the residents of the danger of the

Fill Washing Away.

F. W. McCoy, recalled, said: He had not examined the siphons nor given any instructions about their use. He thought the hose used had been handled all right, and was not of the opinion that it would have been better to have used larger hose in draining the water off. The time taken in preparing the trench or sluice box would have been saved by using larger hose, but it was a question whether the draining would have been done any faster, as the long hose would naturally fill with air and not discharge well.

C. J. A. Morris, a civil engeneer who had been present during the taking of testimony, was called. He had been engaged in practical engineering for years, and was familiar with construction of dams, sewers, railroad bridges, and had made a study of hydraulics. The best thing to have been put in a fill such as that at Page street was a stone culvert. It would not necessarily follow that a stone culvert five or six feet high would not become stopped up. The plan adopted to drain the water off by siphons and a sluice box was a very common way to drain water. In his judgment it would have taken about fifty-five hours to drain the pond if the water was running off as testified to by the witnesses. In his opinion the results would not have been greater had a fire engine been used to drain the pond, as the hose was liable to become clogged. In answer to questions of one of the jurors, he said the time in preparing the sluice box or trench might

Have Been Saved

by using a longer hoss to run the water off. The results, however, would be doubtful, as the extreme length of the hose necessary to carry out this plan would render the discharge very slow, and possibly no water would have ran through. The theory of having the intake end of the hose, say ten or twelve feet below the surface, and the discharging end near the base of the north side of the fill was correct, but it did not, or rather would not, always be the most practical, because so much of the hose would be on the level of the street that it would not carry off the water. The cracks in the fill would indicate that the embankment had become well soaked by the water. As to the use of the watchmen, he thought the warning they could give would depend largely on how the break started. His opinion was that the water had soaked between the natural earth and the filled portion of the embankment, and was what had caused the break.

At the conclusion of his testimony Attorney Butts inquired if the witness was a relative to Building Inspector Morris. Mr. Morris replied that the building inspector was his father.

The jury were locked up for about half an hour and then returned

The Verdict.

That the said Frederick Kreiger came to his death on the 3d day of August, 1892, through the negligence of the city engineers and assistants in not properly attending to the drainage of the accumulation of water south of Page street, between Brown avenue and Woodbury street. The force of said water, when breaking its bounds, destroying the residence of said Frederick Kreiger and causing his death in the wreck that followed.

A. M. LAWTON, C. TALBOYS,
W. S. RUNYON, W. R. SHAW,
JOHN CHRISTENSON, JOEL MARY.

TO WIDEN THE RANKS.

Junior Pioneers Propose to Enlarge the Doors of Eligibility.

Uncle Sam's Postal Card Carriers Have a Gay Day at Wildwood.

A Moral Spasm Toward Saloons Strikes the Police Control.

The Head of Good Republican Officer Haney Is in the Basket.

Business, flavored with funny reminiscences of the late outing of the Junior Pioneers, took up the time of the members at the meeting last evening. The report of the president in relation to the excursion was not quite complete, but enough returns were in to show that the outcome would be quite satisfactory. After disposing of the routine business, under the head of resolutions, there were many changes of the constitution proposed. The constitution of the Juniors can be changed but once a year, with a notice of four weeks, and as the annual election of officers occurs in October, when these changes will be voted upon, it was thought advisable to give notice of them at this meeting in order to give sufficient time for a general discussion. Some of the changes are quite important, the principal one being the question of incorporation, and this was referred to Messrs. Zollman and Ald. Ingersoll to make a report, especially on the legal status of the case and the advisability of the move.

The next most important question was that of extending the time of eligibility to membership, and it is probable that this point will cause a very animated discussion when the question comes up for final action. The scheme at present proposed is to have the present association remain intact as the Junior Pioneers, then allowing new members to come in after a residence of thirty years in the state, the time of eligibility at present being prior to Jan. 1, 1861. For instance, a person born in 1862, or coming to the state less than twenty-one years of age at that time could become a member in 1892, and be known as a Junior of '62. Those becoming eligible in 1894, or 1897, would be known as Juniors of '63 and '66. The whole idea is to perpetuate the organization, and as there are many views as to how this should be accomplished a lively time may be expected at the next meeting. The main features of the other amendments are a proposal to have an initiation fee, allow the secretary a salary of $30 and providing for remitting of dues for sick and unfortunate members.

A resolution of thanks was passed by the association to Messrs. W. A. Russell and A. E. Kuester for the excellent service they provided on the Duluth road for the Juniors' outing. A great deal of credit is due these gentlemen for the train service they provided and the promptness with which they carried the crowd there and back, as well as the facilities provided at Lindstrom.

The committees were all thanked for their services, especially the sporting committee, and the police in charge of order at the grounds.

$1.00.

Gentlemen's Fancy-Trimmed Night Shirts $1.00 during our Red Figure Sale. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

MAIL CARRIERS AT PLAY.

A Delightful Day Spent Amid the Beauties of Wildwood.

There'll be songs and speeches,
And dancing light and gay
Thro'out the woods o' Wildwood.

And right merrily did the letter carriers of St. Paul disport themselves at Wildwood yesterday afternoon and evening. The occasion was their first annual outing day, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the boys and their guests. Notwithstanding the threatening aspect of the heavens, the afternoon trains to the lake were all well filled with pleasure seekers, but, as evening drew near, heavily laden trains followed each other from the city in succession. Two thousand would be a conservative estimate of the number on the grounds at 7 o'clock. Seibert's band was in attendance, and dancing was indulged in by the boys and their sweethearts until late in the evening. At 4 o'clock the regular programme of sports was commenced, after a short programme of songs and recitations rendered in the Casino. The contests were fourteen in number, the entries were numerous, and the competition close and exciting. The prizes were all articles of value, and were donated by different merchants of the city. The results in the different contest were as follows:

100 yards dash—First Allen, second Monroe.
Fat man's race—First Revord, second Kamp, third Jewett.
Standing jump—First Allen, second Monroe.
Hop, step and jump—First Setzer, second Allen, third Monroe.
Standing high kick—First Mooney, second Linge.
Sack race—First Davidson, second Monroe, third Pannell.
Three-legged race—First Pannell and Revord, second Looby and Kennedy.
Putting fifteen-pound shot—First Revord, second O'Dea.
Jingling race—First Revord, second Lawless.
Quoit throwing—First Monroe, second Foster.
Single scull race—First Clerman, second Bailey, third Jones.
Swimming race—First Kennedy, second Norris.

After the shot-putting contest William Geraghty mounted to the top of the bear cage, and, in a voice husky with emotion, feelingly addressed the assembled revelers. In the course of his remarks Mr. Geraghty indulged in flights of oratory absolutely startling, and carried his hearers to heights seldom attained by any open-air speaker. After a touching allusion to the manner in which the very foundations of our government depend in a measure upon the faithfulness of the letter carriers, and St. Paul's carriers in particular, Mr. Geraghty closed with these words:

It is our earnest desire that there shall be no limit to your enjoyment this evening. From now until the hour when daylight dies let pleasure be unconfined. Let this romantic spot be our heaven tonight, and the matches made will be consummated in that earth of ours called St. Paul. Tomorrow, in place of this Eden called Wildwood, we shall find ourselves in the busy haunts of men; these secluded walks will be replaced with the crowded streets; but as the orb of daylight sets our thoughts will wander back to Wildwood, where should dwell the doves that do attend Cupid's warm commands when friendship grows to love. To Wildwood, where virgin lilies bathe their beauties in the lake—to Wildwood, where closed the day too soon.

After the last of the athletic exercises luncheon baskets were brought into requisition, and the grounds were soon covered with little groups, busily engaged in devouring the usual picnic delicacies. After supper the people amused themselves in various ways. At 10 o'clock the long string of cars drew up at the platform and all departed for the city, after a day and evening of thorough enjoyment.

$3.00.

Boys' All-Wool Knee Pant Vacation Suits $3.00 during our Red Figure Sale. The Boston, on Third street.

By Placing Orders Now

With Thad C. Jones & Wright men may have their fall and winter Wool or Silk Underwear made to order.

MORAL LINK LET OUT.

Saloon-Closing Orders Issued After Two Weeks of License.

For the past two weeks there have been no complaints sworn out nor arrests made for keeping saloons open after midnight. The seeming vigilance of the patrolmen has been relaxed, and saloons were kept open all night, or just as long as the proprietors desired to remain behind their bars. The order of the mayor, issued with such a blare of reform trumpets, and the failure to enforce it have been the cause of much comment. Some claimed the mayor and chief of police were trying to make good fellows of themselves, while others said the Republican party managers had fixed things so the order would be a dead letter until after the fall election. Just what caused the sudden switch of the reform wheel is not known, but last night the saloon men were notified by the police to close promptly at midnight or abide the consequences. The order was promptly obeyed, and at a minute after midnight it was impossible to break into a bar room anywhere. The most reasonable explanation of the hot and cold orders is that the mayor and chief of police were suffering from a lapse of reform fever and that the medicine taken by one or the other yesterday went the wrong way and caused a return of the old feeling. As one of the saloon men expressed it last night, "this is a great country. Now you see it and now you don't. I am in favor of reform, but blow me if I'm in favor of such sudden changes in the reform breeze. There is no need to kick, for if you do the screws are put on and your license is revoked in a jiffy."

Otto Gauger was appointed a patrolman yesterday vice Timothy Coleman, resigned. Otto's name does not appear in the directory for this or last year, but the chances are that he will be put in the one next year.

$5.00.

Tailor-Made, Perfect-Fitting Summer Trowsers, $5.00 during our Red Figure Sale. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

HE'S A GOOD REPUBLICAN,

But Off Goes His Head—Officer Haney's Discharge.

Patrolman James R. Haney was discharged from the police force yesterday by Mayor Wright. Haney was brought before his honor on a charge of using language unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. The complaint was made by Sergeant Jerry Sullivan. On Monday night Haney left his beat to talk to another patrolman. The sergeant called him down for the infraction of the rules. Haney abused the sergeant in a vile manner and was ordered to appear before the mayor. As a result of the investigation he was given a chance to resign, but declined to hand in his resignation. There being no other way out of it, the mayor discharged him. Haney feels very sore over the matter and intends to make a fight in the council against the action of the mayor. He claims to have always been a good Republican, and, as a matter of fact, was one of the first of the police department to call on the mayor the morning after election and congratulate him on the result. At the time he explained to the clerks in the mayor's store that he had been waiting anxiously for twenty years to see a Republican mayor elected, and he was glad it had come at last. Taking all this into consideration, Haney and his friends are much put out over his summary dismissal, and threaten all sorts of things in case he is not reinstated. It has been whispered among those who assist in piloting the "reform" ship for some time that the mayor was only waiting to get a chance at Haney, and when he did he would use the ax.

Pajamas.

Gentlemen's Pajamas at Red Figure prices. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

ALL HAD FREAKS.

A Quartette of Unfortunates Go to the Asylum.

The judge of the probate court was busily engaged yesterday in conducting the examination of four persons suspected of being insane. The first case was that of Patrick O'Donnell, a single man of twenty-seven years, residing at 926 Conway street. Drs. P. Marchand and Arthur Sweeney, who appeared as experts, testified that the man was suffering from acute mania, caused by exposure to the sun and overwork. He was possessed of the idea that he was being followed by a number of persons who wanted to harm him.

Jonn Wagner, a Polander aged thirty-nine years, was crazy with the idea that he had received visits from the Virgin Mary and that his mission on earth was to convert every one to the Catholic faith. He was found wandering around the city in an aimless manner, and was at the city hospital for a time, but his case was also pronounced as acute.

King Kee, a son of the flowery land, seemed to be a bright, intelligent fellow, and could speak English fairly well, but he also had a bee in his bonnet. He assured the doctors that he could see holes in the walls and that some one was squirting water from them on to him. He also desired to cut off his pigtail, a not very insane act to American ideas, but a deed of the worst kind in the eyes of the sons of Confucius.

Mary Grady, an old woman of seventy-six years, was brought into court by the Little Sisters of the Poor, who desired that the woman should be committed to the insane hospital, as she was suffering from senile dementia. She sees spirits and ghosts at all hours, and thinks that her life is in danger. On the testimony of the doctors the judge of the court made out orders for the detention of the four persons examined at the hospital for the insane at Rochester. They were conveyed there by the deputy sheriffs during the day.

Pajamas.

Gentlemen's Pajamas at Red Figure Prices. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

Do You Want to Buy

A good first mortgage upon St. Paul real estate? I have a number to sell in various sums, at 6, 7 and 8 per cent interest, payable semi-annually; title guaranteed. Address W. R. Wilmot, P. O. Box 2499, St. Paul, Minn.

CRIME AND CHARITY.

Number and Expenses of the Wards of the State.

The following list of expenses of different institutions was filed with the state auditor yesterday:

State Prison—Permanent improvements, $2,165.48; state account, $76,349.67; current, $6,830.94.

Fergus Falls Asylum—Current expenses, $4,718.24; building, $4,622.

St. Peter Asylum—Extra improvements, $12,17; electric light system, $18,30; current, $10,705.72.

State Reformatory—Permanent improvements, $881.18; library, $18.05; farm and stock, $20; garden seed, $12.17; current expenses, $2,943.98.

Secretary Hart, of the state board of corrections and charities, also filed the following report of the population of all the state institutions for the fiscal year ending July 31:

Institutions.	1891.	1892.
St. Peter hospital	949	935
Rochester hospital	1,054	1,058
Fergus Falls hospital	120	245
Total insane	2,123	2,238
State soldiers' home	112	146
School for the deaf	198	208
School for the blind	56	52
School for feeble-minded	310	316
Dependent children	124	126
State reform school	292	287
State reformatory	132	129
State prison	317	329
Totals	3,664	3,834
Yearly increase	246	170

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LEFT IN THE LURCH.

Col. Kiefer's Congressional Boom Daily Growing Beautifully Less.

Desertion of the "Kids" in the Spring Lost Him Many Friends.

Republican Executive Committee Selected by Chairman Jennison.

Political Jottings Gathered From the Ranks of All Parties.

A lively fight is being precipitated among the Republicans of Ramsey county as to the party's nominee for congressional honors. The avowed candidates are Col. A. R. Kiefer and E. G. Rogers. It has been stated that Senator Dean and Senator Stevens have been "approached," but positively declined to enter the arena. The contest for the nomination will therefore be fought out between Col. Kiefer and Mr. Rogers, and, from the present outlook, considerable feeling will be created in the Republican ranks.

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Col. Kiefer's candidacy for congress dates from the city spring campaign. It had been generally understood, up to within twenty-four hours of the holding of the Republican city convention, that Col. Kiefer had but to say the word and he could have the party's nomination for mayor. The colonel, at the time, was laboring under the infliction of a severe family bereavement, and, it is said, was approached by the friends of Col. Wright, who promised, upon his withdrawal from the mayoral candidacy, to give him their support for congress. George Thompson was prominent in these negotiations, as were also H. F. Stevens and M. D. Munn.

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The recognized supporters of Col. Kiefer in this county have been the much-maligned "kids" of the Republican party, the workers of the party, to whose efforts the success of the party in the city is largely due. The "kids" were very desirous that Col. Kiefer should consent to accept the nomination, and dallied for days in the vain hopes that he would come round to their way of thinking. But the blandishments of the silk-stocking element were too much for Col. Kiefer. He retired from the field at the eleventh hour, and Col. Wright secured the coveted nomination.

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The "kids" have not forgotten this act of desertion on the part of their leader, and now comes the sequel—they will be found on the side of E. G. Rogers in the primaries for the congressional delegates. That they will win is apparent from the recent stand made by the "kids" for McGill's gubernatorial boom. In that fight the "kids" were opposed by the very men who have pledged their support to Col. Kiefer in his attempt to get a seat in congress, with the result that the silk stockings were beaten hip and thigh. No one will deny that the "kids" have control of the Republican primaries of this county, and can manipulate the county conventions to please themselves. And they will nominate Rogers in spite of the opposition of Messrs. Thompson et al.

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One of the young Republicans remarked yesterday: "We propose to teach Col. Kiefer a lesson. He deserted his friends when charmed by honeyed words and fine promises of his Whilom opponents, and he must take the consequences. That the young Republicans can accomplish his defeat is evidenced by the manner in which Thompson, Costello & Co. were swiped in the recent county convention. These men are the backers of Col. Kiefer, and when the caucuses take place the gallant colonel will not carry more than two wards. Mark my prediction: Ed Rogers will be the Republican nominee for congress."

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If Col. Kiefer cannot get the support of Ramsey county in the congressional convention he is "a very dead duck." The Fourth congressional district is made up of Ramsey, Washington, Isanti, Kanabec and Chisago. Mr. Rogers' friends claim that he will carry all the outside counties, and with the opposition of the "kids" in his own county, Col. Kiefer had better return to his desk rather than go down to an inglorious defeat.

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The headquarters of the Republican state central committee have been located in the Endicott block, a suite of rooms having been secured on the fourth floor. The executive committee, having charge of the details of the Republican campaign, is composed of F. G. Ingersoll, Ramsey; F. E. Kennaston, Wilkin; N. W. Kingsley, Mower; H. B. Strait, Scott; H. F. Brown, Hennepin. Chairman Jameson and Secretary Bixby are ex-officio members of this committee.

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A meeting of the Fourth district Republican congressional committee has been called for Friday morning at 11 o'clock in the Windsor hotel. The date for the congressional convention and the apportionment of delegates will be decided.

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It was rumored around town last evening that C. Tyson Butcher was a candidate for the legislature from the Fourth ward. Mr. Butcher is credited with saying that he can wipe the earth with Henry Johns, who is named as a legislative candidate from the same ward.

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D. W. Lawler has returned from Duluth, where he had a consultation with Chairman Jacques, of the Democratic state convention. The latter has the appointment of the five members at large on the state central committee.

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Senator Davis, who is home to take the stump in the ensuing campaign, from an interview yesterday would indicate that he is going to do so solely in the interests of the Republican party. Senator Davis says: "I shall take the stump and work for the success of the party, wherever it can be of service, from now until election." The senator might take the people into his confidence. Were it not for the fact that he is a candidate for re-election to the United States senate, he would not be seen on many platforms in Minnesota this campaigh. The senator is going on the stump for—for himself.

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The Republicans are very eager to pull Ignatius Donnelly out of the gubernatorial race. They see that with the People's party in the field, there is nothing on earth to prevent the election of the Democratic candidate. Mr. Donnelly may be a fool, but he cannot be such a fool as the Republicans would have us believe—having fought for a nomination for years, and then, having secured his ambition, at once retire. The wish on the part of the Republicans is but father to the thought. A close friend of Mr. Donnelly's yesterday said: "There is not the shadow of truth in these statements. Mr. Donnelly will not retire. He will remain at the head of the People's party ticket until the close of the ballot on election day. It is true that Mr. Donnelly, by overwork, has recently not been in the best of health, but in a week or so he will be recovered, and I can promise you he will emulate Senator Davis and make 'the campaign of his life.'"

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The ensuing state campaign will flood every county with orators. It will be essentially an educational campaign, and each of the three party nominees are men of high oratorical ability. Added to them will be Senator Davis making "the campaign of his life." The question which will come up for most discussion will be the tariff, and with this issue fairly and squarely placed before the people the Democrats are bound to carry the state. They never had a more vigorous or able standard-bearer, and, as enthusiasm counts for a great deal in an election, the Democrats can congratulate themselves with the reflection that the flowing tide is with them.

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The next meeting of the Ramsey county committee will be held Monday evening, when the primaries will be selected and convention calls issued for the selection of delegates to the congressional convention.

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F. G. Winston, a brother of Mayor Winston, is being boomed to succeed W. M. Campbell, as chairman of the Democratic state central committee. Mr. Campbell at the Democratic convention stated that the work of chairman was so exacting that two years had given him all he desired of the position. Mr. Campbell has worked hard for the party and will no doubt be retained on the committee. P. J. Smalley will continue to act as secretary.

$13.00.

Tailor-Made Summer Suits for $13.00 during our Red Figure Sale. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

BLOODED STOCK IN PLENTY

Will Be a Feature, Col. Liggett Says, of the State Fair.

Col. Liggett, of the state railroad and warehouse commission, was chatting with several well known farmers of this state in one of the leading hotels yesterday regarding the annual state fair. The colonel has charge of the department devoted to cattle, and has for a number of years been one of the hardest workers to make the annual exposition of the products of the state a success. "The prospect for a good fair has never been better at this season," he said, "and the exhibits bid fair to be larger and better than at any previous fair. Our association offers a large number of premiums, and the fair is so liberally managed as to cause exhibitors from other states to compete in the various departments. Minnesota will come to the fair with her quota of blooded live stock. I wrote to the leading owners and breeders asking them to exhibit, and have already received many assurances that they intend to show their stock." Letters which the colonel has received during the past week add to the list the following: Thomas Clark, Beecher, Ill., with Herefords; the Larchwood estate, of Larchwood, Io., with Galloways; the Lake Home farm, of Minneapolis, with Guernseys; Mr. Bicknell, of Hennepin, with Jerseys; Evart Irvin, of Richfield, with Holstein-Freisians; M. E. Moore, of Cameron, Mo., with Holsteins, and the following who will exhibit different breeds: Gillett & Son, Rosendale, Wis.; A. E. Baker, Beaver Dam, Wis.; D. P. McCracken, Paxton, Ill.; Brookside Farm company, Fort Wayne, Ind.; E. W. Richmond, Columbus, Wis.; C. H. Cosgrove, Le Sueur, and H. F. Brown, Minneapolis. Col. Liggett stated that in his opinion now is the time for the farmers to secure blooded stock when prices are low. "There is no excuse for any Minnesota farmer to be without good stock now, when high class blooded animals can be purchased at a little more than beef prices."

Supt. S. H. Letson, of the sheep department, has been busily engaged in preparing for an appropriate display of the wool-bearing quadrupeds, and feels much encouraged at the manner in which the farmers are interesting themselves in the work of the department.

$1.00.

Gentlemen's unlaundried white bosom Shirts, $1.00. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

BIXBY'S BENEFIT.

Cal Stone Sends a Characteristic Letter From Denver.

The sale of seats for the benefit to be given to Manager Frank Bixby, of the Grand opera house, Monday evening next, will open this morning at the box office of the theater. Tickets which have already been purchased will be exchanged for coupon tickets at the theater for the balance of the week. That the popular manager will be given a rousing benefit cannot be doubted, for his friends are legion. The programme to be presented will be a most pleasing one, and the committee having the affair in charge are busy in perfecting the details. A full list of attractions will be announced in the course of a few days, and the benefit will no doubt exceed the expectations of the manager's friends.

Cal Stone, the well-known railroad official, yesterday sent the following characteristic letter to the beneficiary:

I see by the Denver News, as well as the Pall Mall Gazette and the Paris Figaro, that your benefit occurs Aug. 15. I regret very much my inability to be present on this gala occasion; but believe me, no more deserving person could be tendered a rousing benefit than your humble self. Enclosed please find my check for $10, which I believe is the usual charge for a box. As an empty seat would look strange at such a time, I wish you would send one seat each, provided they are not already supplied with tickets; if so, transfer them, to Benjamin Harrison, Grover Cleveland and Ignatius Donnelly, thus assuring dignity, avoirdupois and brains in my stead. I trust that the crowds which will throng the theater doors, eager to gain admittance, will surpass even the palmy days when you were manager of the great Madison Square success, "Hazel Kirke," and that you will not require the services of your old protege, Lulu Hearst, the "magnetic girl," to draw the crowds; and that on my return to my native heath I shall find the man who stood by the side of Lew Wallace in those dark and bloody days when he (Wallace) wrote "Ben Hur," and gave him points on a chariot race, with plenty of money, all the result of friends who are legion.

$1.00.

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PERSONAL POINTS.

Sherman—Eugene May, Fargo; F. E. Sawyer, Jaynesville; Mike Moran, Ashland.

Miss Lucy Brown, of Wheeling, W. Va., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. P. Nuzum.

Clarendon—W. P. Goldbury, Miles City; Y. Hughes, Springfield, Ill.; Leon Willis, Chicago.

Miss Blonberg, of Evansville, this state, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Williams, 159 West Sixth street.

Windsor—E. H. Arnold, Rochester; P. Gonzales, New Orleans; C. M. Gates, Chicago; G. H. Shrodes, Aberdeen; P. G. Dawrcy, Mankato.

At the Brunswick—George Feathery, Duluth; Mrs. Merriweather, Mrs. Thorp, Chicago; George H. Craig and wife, J. Welder, Le Roy; A. Foslin, T. Wyile, S. Hilson, Chicago.

Merchants'—Hugh McQuaid, Helena; L. B. Roger, Fort Atkinson; W. Martin, Winnipeg; S. L. Henderson, Miss Belle Henderson, Miss B. G. Henderson, Yellowstone Park; H. C. Pound, Big Elk, Mont.

Ryan—Robert Buchanan and P. A. Cohen, London, Eng.; D. Atwood and wife, Topeka; W. S. Harcourt-Vernon and wife, Sioux City; W. A. Gardner, Buffalo; E. S. Robbins, Waterbury, Conn.; J. J. Smith, Boston.

At the Sherman: Dr. J. H. Sparling, Winnipeg; W. L. Brent, Chicago; H. L. Plom, Philadelphia; W. F. Barrow and wife, Indianapolis; Mrs. W. H. Curtis, Mrs. S. P. Jackson, Greencastle, Ind.; Mrs. A. Dutcher, St. John, Mich.; J. R. Hunter, Detroit.

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SOLDIERS ARE SHY.

As Republican Boomers They Talk Much of Pensions.

The Union Veterans' league held its monthly meeting last evening in the municipal court room, Dr. G. A. Gotwold in the chair. The attendance of the old soldiers who are to boom the Republican campaign in the fall was very light, and there was a perceptible absence of enthusiasm. Ten new members were enrolled, and the chairman stated that the new order now numbered 128 veterans on the roll. A resolution by Comrade Stees was adopted, thanking Senator Davis for his action in the matter of securing pensions for the veterans, and pledging themselves to use all means to reelect the senator. Col. Kiefer was also indorsed for candidate for congress in the Fourth district. A committee was appointed to wait on Senator Davis and request him to address the veterans some time next week, and to secure Market hall for the purpose of holding the meeting. Dr. Murphy, who was present, was called upon to make a speech, and the well-known medico made a short but pleasing address, in which he praised the old soldiers for their services, and urged them to stand by one another in the coming campaign. He paid a high tribute to the services rendered the veterans by Senator Davis.

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Forty-third semi-annual Red Figure Sale at The Boston, on Third street.

An Artful Dodger.

Mike Reilly was arrested by Officer Tom Galvin Monday night on suspicion of larceny. When searched at the station a number of silk handkerchiefs were found in his pockets. He was arraigned in the police court yesterday, and his case continued until today. Last evening it was learned that Reilly had sold fifteen handkerchiefs to inmates of a disorderly resort on Cedar street. The police are of the opinion that Reilly stole the articles from some country store.

$3.00.

Boys' All-Wool Knee Pant Vacation Suits, $3.00 during our red-figure sale. The Boston, on Third street.

Lower Court Affirmed.

Judge Caldwell affirmed the ruling of the lower court in the case of The Rainwater Boogler Hat Company, plaintiff in error, vs. John Malcolm and Paul Wapley, trustee in error to the United States court in the Indian territory.

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The executive committee of the waiters' union, of this city, desire to warn business houses that certain men are soliciting advertisements for a programme for a dance to be given by the union, and in case of refusal to advertise the statement is made that the trade of the union will be withdrawn from the house refusing to advertise. The executive committee state that the union is in no way connected with the matter, and will not countenance such a proceeding.

$13.00.

Tailor-Made Summer Suits for $13.00 during our Red Figure Sale. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

"Blue Jeans" is underscored for the Metropolitan Sunday night. It will prove absorbingly interesting to the average playgoer. Its scenes are not complicated, its humor is refreshing, and some of its characters are graphically sketched. Besides, it is excellently acted. The great saw mill scene is one of the greatest mechanical effects ever put upon the contemporaneous stage.

$1.00.

Gentlemen's fancy-trimmed Night Shirts $1.00 during our Red Figure Sale. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

Metropolitan—Miss Emma Blom, Miss Annie Weich, Keokuk, Ia.; E. S. Watkins, Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Spencer, St. Louis.

$5.00.

Tailor-made, perfect-fitting Summer Trowsers $5.00 during our Red Figure Sale. See them in our show windows. The Boston, on Third street.

At a meeting of the Sixth Ward Business Men's union last evening thirty-five new members were elected. The union indorsed Ald. Franklin's action in regard to the Stryker avenue car line extension.

Mr. Robert W. Denvir

An Exempt Fireman of Jackson Engine Co. Long Island City, N. Y., says that at Christmas, 1890, he could only take a smell of dinner, as he was in a fearful condition from **Dyspepsia.** The next summer he went to Europe for his health, but came home uncured. In the fall he decided upon a thorough trial of

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And by Christmas had a hearty appetite, healthy digestion, and was perfectly well. His cure was due wholly to Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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A Well-Known Man Praises the Treatment He Received At the Copeland Medical Institute.

"If Doctors Copeland and Hunt can succeed in every case as they did in mine they are wonders. That is all I have to say." The speaker, Mr. William Anderson, has been with Mr. G. C. Aldrich, the wholesale fruit dealer, No. 286 East Sixth street, this city, for a number of years. "I have been going to doctors for some time," he continued. "The doctors were all in private practice and they did not seem to understand my case.

WM. ANDERSON, NO. 286 EAST SIXTH STREET.

My nose was continually stopping up, and my head felt heavy and bad. I had pain across the bridge of my nose, my eyes were watery, and always worse in damp weather; one side of my nose got so stuffed up that I never breathed through it at all, secretions would gather in the back part and I would be compelled to go through the disgusting habit of

HAWKING AND SPITTING

before I could eat anything; it was sometimes so bad as to make me sick at my stomach; my throat was dry and parched in the morning. I had been treated for a stomach trouble for some time, but could get no relief, and it grew steadily worse. The trouble, I learned from Drs. Copeland and Hunt, was due to a catarrhal condition of the stomach that had extended there from the nose and throat and prevented the proper digestion of food. My appetite was poor, and I had a disagreeable pain in the stomach that gave me great annoyance; my sleep was only partial.

I DID NOT REST WELL

and would raise in the morning weak, and went about the duties of the day in a nervous, irritable manner, as though everything was a burden to me. I heard of the great success of Drs. Copeland and Hunt, and concluded to visit the institute. After an interview with the doctor, who examined me closely, I was convinced that he understood my case, and I at once put myself under treatment, and I am very glad I did so, for my improvement began with the first treatment, and now, after having been treated but a short time, I am myself again and rid of a trouble that had existed for years, and baffled the efforts of more than one general practitioner. Words are inadequate to express my gratification for the treatment I received at the Copeland Medical Institute.

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