SAINT PAUL.

CHATTER FOR SUNDAY.

Scarlet fever at 1913 Carroll street.

A regular meeting of the fire board will be held tomorrow evening.

Archbishop Ireland preaches at the cathedral this evening at 7:30.

Three minor building permits, aggregating $1,100, were issued yesterday.

Mrs. M. W. Brown's schools will reopen tomorrow at 57 Iglehart street.

Judge Otis has denied a new trial of the cause of James Johnson against Smith & Farwell.

The regular monthly conference meeting of city officials will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Joseph E. Houle was found to be insane by the probate court, and will be taken to the Rochester asylum.

The trustees of the police pension fund will hold a regular meeting Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Harry W. Wack has been confined to his home, 304 Selby avenue, with brain fever during the past week.

Josephine Kegley was awarded a verdict of $2,000 against Griggs Bros. for injuries received by being run over by a team of horses in front of her home.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian church will give a New England supper at their church, corner Grotto street and Lincoln avenue, Tuesday evening, from 6 to 8 o'clock.

There will be no public services at the First M. E. church today. Young people's meeting at 6:30 in the primary rooms; midweek meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45.

Yesterday afternoon William Bowlan, who lives on Valley street, near Jackson, fell on Seventh street, near Robert, and sprained his right leg. Bowlan was taken to the city hospital.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lady Somerset W. C. T. U. will be held at Mrs. A. E. Valentine's, Valentine block, 474 Wabasha street, Monday, 3 o'clock p. m. A full attendance is desired.

County Treasurer Andrew N. Nelson turned over $40,000 to the city treasurer yesterday. Of this sum $10,000 is on the account of the school fund, and the remainder to the credit of the city revenue fund.

The body of Lottie Morrison, who died suddenly at 829 Minnehaha street yesterday, will be held to await word from her father, at Larimore, N. D. The cause of the girl's death was a ruptured artery.

Christian science sermon by Miss M. J. Sutton at Westmoreland hall, corner Tenth and St. Peter streets, at 3 p. m.; subject, "The Words and Works of Jesus Forever Inseparable." All are cordially invited.

David A. Corey has begun an action against Robert Bowron and C. W. Youngman to cancel a contract for the sale of real estate worth $2,300. It is asserted that the defendants could not give title to the property after contracting to sell it to Corey.

The next entertainment of the People's course will be on Feb. 18. The lecture will be by Dr. Ingersoll, "In Tent and Saddle in the Holy Land," preceded by Rukard Hurd in a variety of popular songs. Some lively duets, vocal and instrumental, will also be given.

The board of public works will hold a regular meeting tomorrow afternoon. The completion of the assessment rolls for Indian Mound park will be postponed until Friday next. Three thousand property owners were notified by postal card yesterday of their assessment.

At the Olympic theater this week, commencing with a matinee today, Lewis & Paul's big specialty company will be seen for the first time in St. Paul. The company includes such well known artists as the Brahams, Frank Swain, Dolly Weston, Bertha Reigel and others.

An inquest over the body of Samuel Linsinger was to have been held yesterday afternoon. Coroner Whitcomb at 5 o'clock said no inquest would be held. Linsinger was a switchman in the Omaha yards, who died at St. Joseph's hospital from injuries received while at work on Thursday.

The case of grand larceny against Isaac Lazarus was dismissed by Judge Cory yesterday. The court held the point raised by the prisoner's attorney that the carpet alleged to have been stolen was not in the building, made the complaint defective. Lazarus was rearrested on a warrant charging him with petit larceny, and will have a trial on this charge on Feb. 21.

At yesterday's meeting of the board of county commissioners it was decided to withhold the sum of $2,000 due James H. Burns as county printer, and to begin a civil action against him at once to recover alleged overcharges already paid on account of printing. The commissioners also determined to require the board of control to itemize bills presented to the county for allowance, and to require a monthly statement of the people cared for in the county and city hospital.

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LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

Bob Dunn's paper, the Princeton Union, has the following item, referring to the Sage of the Ramsey delegation: "One of the most popular members in the house is genial P. H. Kelly. He has a pleasant word for everybody and he numbers his friends by the score. He is hardly ever absent from his seat and is keenly alive to all that is transpiring around him. He can scent a woodchuck a long distance off and can locate the animal with a degree of accuracy that is surprising. Pat Kelly and Phil Winston should have been Republicans. Nature never intended them for Democrats." In this connection it may be stated Mr. Kelly says Dunn's greatest misfortune is that he is a Republican.

At the meeting of the house grain and warehouse committee yesterday afternoon the consideration of H. F. No. 442, the grain growers' bill introduced Friday by Mr. Wagoner, was begun. Gen. Barrett was present, and explained the measure at length. He asked to be heard again before the committee, and it was decided to hold another meeting, to consider this bill, next Thursday evening at 7:30.

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Epworth League Reorganized.

St. Paul Epworth league celebrated its second anniversary at Epworth M. E. church Friday evening with appropriate ceremonies. The audience was large, and seemed to enter into the spirit of the occasion. Rev. J. W. Davies, of the Oxford chapter, delivered an interesting address on the mission of the Epworth league, following whom Rev. S. B. Warner, D. D., of Grace church, spoke on the "Union Reorganized." Rev. Frank Doran, of Central Park M. E. church, spoke on "The Full Measure." It was decided to reorganize the union on the Epworth league plan. Miss Mary Anderson, of Central Park M. E. church, was elected president. A committee was appointed to assist her in forming a cabinet and preparing a constitution. The next meeting will be held the second Friday in March at Olivet church.

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Flynn's Friends Angry.

Friends of Daniel Flynn, arrested by the police on Feb. 3, are much incensed at the action of the officers in the matter. Flynn has been employed as helper in the Great Northern blacksmith shop for two years past, and the men in charge and employed there say he is a quiet, well-behaved young man. His name being the same as that of persons well known to the police was the only reason, his friends say, for his arrest. After being in jail for six days he was honorably discharged by Judge Cory, there being no charge against him.

TALK OF GRESHAM.

Local Democrats Generally Indorse His Choice for Premier.

A Minority Feels That an Ultra Democrat Is Good Enough.

Universal Belief That Gresham Would Make a Fine Officer.

Some of the Expressions Picked Up by Alert Couriers of the Globe.

The possible selection of Judge Gresham to be the premier of the Cleveland administration has been the sole political topic of the past few days, and has occasioned a great deal of discussion, among Democrats, principally. It is a noteworthy fact that, while all Republicans at once concede that Gresham would be a great acquisition to the cabinet, the bitter partisans of that persuasion are not at all pleased with the possibility of his selection. Their reasons are very apparent. They feel that their party cause is greatly weakened by loss of Gresham, and that there is a corresponding gain in the camp of the Democracy. It is also a noteworthy fact that while there was developed a considerable opposition among Democrats, it was an opposition that melted away before serious consideration. To express it differently—Democrats who at first resented the appointment of Gresham conceded, before leaving the subject, that it would be a wise move. There was no opposition to the man; every objection was summed up in this expression: "Oh, yes; Gresham is a good man, but couldn't Cleveland find as good a Democrat?" Most of those who found objection to the appointment preferred saying nothing about it, and requested that their views be not made public. Some of the expressions picked up yesterday by GLOBE reporters are appended:

Judge Charles E. Otis—The experience of Judge Gresham in the cabinet, his peculiar familiarity with international law, his knowledge of foreign relations and his general experience in office, as well as his eminent ability, mark him as a man fit for a responsible position. When the close relation sustained with the president in such a position is considered, I think him the best man that could be named in any party for the position of secretary of state.

Judge James J. Egan—The appointment of Judge Gresham viewed from the standpoint of American citizenship is a good one, irrespective of political considerations.

County Treasurer Andrew H. Nelson—In point of ability Judge Gresham is an able man. Politically the appointment would mark Mr. Cleveland as a liberal-minded Democrat.

Robert T. O'Connor, Clerk of Courts—My personal preference is a Democrat.

Eben C. Ives, Abstract Clerk—He is an able man for any position, and since his decision in the Wabash receiver case he is regarded by the country at large as a fearless and honest man.

H. E. Boen, Congressman from the Seventh District—Judge Gresham is the best man that could be selected from any party. Mr. Cleveland would demonstrate by such appointment that he is a broad-minded statesman and that his heart is with the people.

W. W. Cooley—I think that it was a mistake to choose a man whose fealty to the Democratic party can be in doubt, especially when there are so many others who could be selected, and in connection with whom there could be no doubt as to their party loyalty. Mr. Gresham is a man who will never do anything in his official character to cause a blaze. He is of a conservative character, and will doubtless be one of those ponderous, heavy officials. I think that there are many others who could have been selected with the expectation of creating satisfaction with more success. It is doubtless a wise move on the part of Mr. Cleveland to bring some of the doubtful ones into the ranks, but I am of the opinion that the remedy is worse than the disease. He will doubtless make a good and efficient official.

J. J. Ahern—Gresham in the cabinet would, in my estimation, be the right man in the right place.

County Attorney Butler—The appointment or selection of Gresham to the post of secretary of state would in my opinion be a good one from every standpoint.

Assistant City Attorney Michaels—The appointment of Gresham would be of great benefit to the party.

Capt. M. J. O'Connor—Judge Gresham is a great man and an able jurist. He came to the Democratic party on the eve of a great battle, just as Gen. Lafayette did at the time of the Revolutionary war. If he is selected by President Cleveland as a cabinet member he ought to suit the party.

Judge John W. Willis—While I believe that the old conservative, constitutional party of America—the Democratic party—contains within its ranks a large number of patriotic, intellectual and scholarly men, amply qualified to occupy and adorn the office of secretary of state in the federal cabinet, yet I readily concede that the reported action of our president-elect in conferring the dignity of premier upon Judge Gresham is an effective illustration of the breadth of view and magnificent patriotism of Grover Cleveland. It is an ideal appointment. The new secretary of state will add to the renown acquired in war and to the laurels of the jurist a majestic fame in statesmanship and diplomacy.

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OPINIONS IN THE HOUSE.

What the Leading Democrats Say of Gresham.

P. H. Kelly—Mr. Cleveland may well congratulate himself, and the people of this Union may feel especially satisfied that he has secured so able a man and so great an American for secretary of state. The country is now face to face with some of the greatest problems of the century, and fortunate, indeed, will it be to have these momentous questions handled by a man who is at once jurist, scholar, soldier, diplomat and statesman. Of my own knowledge I can say the office sought the man. Only his love of country and deep patriotism could impel Judge Gresham to accept so sacred a trust.

John Maguire—From the standpoint of a citizen it is an appointment that will meet with the approbation of a large majority of the people. From a partisan point of view I expect there will be some dissatisfaction.

Whatever Grover Cleveland does, I raise both hands and say hurrah! It would be a happy and a strong selection, and would assure a brilliant administration touching delicate matters of great moment to the nation.

M. J. McGrath—I consider it a master move from both the standpoint of the citizen and the party. I think Judge Gresham is a Democrat in the broadest sense. I have always held him in high esteem as an able and patriotic American, a tribune of the people, and a just and fearless judge.

John Wacek—The appointment would be and an excellent one, and could not be bettered. Its effect on the party and the country will be good.

Representative Sikorski—The selection will no doubt meet with the indorsement of good citizens of all parties.

R. A. Walsh—From a party standpoint I consider it bad policy to prefer a man of questionable politics to many able Democrats. I believe Judge Gresham to be an able and conscientious man, however, who has many views in common with Democratic doctrine. He will no doubt make a safe and patriotic official.

August Nillson—While not in favor of taking men outside the ranks of the party for important offices, I consider the appointment as good a one as could be made.

P. B. Winston—I think Mr. Cleveland should have full liberty to select his own cabinet. Judge Gresham is calculated by education, experience and training to make a valuable public officer.

Frank Minette—Gresham is recognized as one of the ablest and fairest jurists in the country. He is, in my opinion, as good a Democrat as any in the country.

C. A. Hunck—The selection meets my hearty approval.

Frank Monahan—The appointment would be a good one in all respects.

E. E. Salls—I consider the appointment would be an eminently fit and wise one. In my opinion Judge Gresham is as good a Democrat as any in the country.

Frank J. Leonard—By talent and ability Gresham is well qualified to fill the office. From the party standpoint, however, I consider the appointment questionable.

Hinrichs—As a Democrat I should much prefer to see Bayard, Vilas or Whitney named as secretary of state. Failing these, I am perfectly satisfied with Gresham's selection.

Bleecker—In my estimation it is the wisest appointment that could be made.

P. E. Barrett—I am willing to depend on Cleveland's judgment in such matters. The appointment, in my opinion, will be all right.

John F. Boylan—Grover Cleveland makes few mistakes. His choice of a premier is very likely to be indorsed by the country.

John H. Ives—I should have preferred to see some good Democrat chosen. Judge Gresham is, however, strong with the country and will no doubt make an admirable officer.

J. J. Furlong—It would be an especially wise and politic appointment. Judge Gresham is eminent in the nation as a safe leader. As secretary of state he would inspire confidence, and have the hearty co-operation of all citizens.

Nicholas Bruels—While not certain that Judge Gresham would be the best man for the place, I think Cleveland knows the man he wants, and the country should rest easy.

James McDonough—The appointment would be a good one in every respect.

John Virtue—Gresham is a good man, but he has not been acting with the Democracy long enough to be chosen for such a leading position.

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SENATORIAL VIEWS.

What the Seigniors Have to Say of Gresham.

Senator La Due—Unqualifiedly I think it a proper appointment. It will meet with the approval of the better element of America. Judge Gresham's peculiar fitness for the duties of the office, his known integrity and the fact that he always has the courage of his convictions undoubtedly led to his selection. Judge Gresham contributed more than a modicum to President Cleveland's election, and his intellect and honesty will tend to strengthen the administration.

Senator Morse—Judge Gresham is all right—the very man for the place. I think Cleveland knew what he was about. It is an excellent appointment.

Senator O'Brien—It would be difficult to select a better man for the position in the entire nation. It is all right. But Cleveland never makes a mistake in choosing cabinet members. Judge Gresham should and undoubtedly will give universal satisfaction.

Senator McHale—I have unlimited confidence in Grover Cleveland. I never saw a move that he has made that was not in the interest of good government. Of course, it looks to strong Democrats that have been true to their party all their lives a little peculiar—especially those who may think lightning ought to strike them.

Senator Geissel—When we elected Cleveland we vested our confidence in him. If he finds it wise, I am satisfied.

Senator Leavitt—It would have pleased me better to have a Democrat appointed to the position, but Mr. Cleveland undoubtedly has good and sufficient reasons of his own for making the selection. He has made very few, if any, mistakes in the appointments heretofore, and it is but fair to him to believe he has made none this time. Judge Gresham's honesty and ability are beyond criticism, and if he is tendered the position and accepts it, he will fill it with honor to himself and credit to the country and the Democratic party.

Senator Lienau—I am well pleased. It is a capital selection.

Senator March—Grover Cleveland makes no mistakes, and he surely made no mistake in selecting Judge Gresham. When we elected Cleveland, we placed our confidence in his judgment. He should not be restricted in the slightest degree in choosing his cabinet.

Senator McMillan—It is a mighty good appointment. Judge Gresham will bring the best element of the Republican party with him to the support of the administration. Interesting questions will arise during the coming four years that will require learning and talent to handle, and Grover Cleveland has given another demonstration of his discretion in affairs of state by selecting one of the greatest jurists of his day. It required wonderful courage for Cleveland to make the appointment, and it required courage for Judge Gresham to accept.

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Jamestown's Foster-Father.

Among the men who are well known in the Northwest is Anton Klaus, the foster-father of Jamestown, N. D. He was returning from the dedication of the new opera house in that city. Mr. Klaus went from Green Bay, Wis., to Jamestown ten years ago, where he platted additions and developed what are now the best portions of that city. He has large and valuable property interests there, but now lives in Milwaukee. He said: "The importance of North Dakota is now, unquestionably, great. I may not live to see it, for I am getting along in years, but the next generation will reap big benefits from that state.

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To Discuss Legislation.

A special meeting of the Trades and Labor Assembly will be held this afternoon at 2:30 at Labor hall, 70 East Seventh street, to consider and pass upon several bills now before the legislature affecting the interests of workingmen. Owing to the press of business at the last regular meeting, much of interest was deferred until today. It is expected several of the legislators will be present, and a large and profitable meeting is anticipated.

THE BOY GOES FREE.

Judge Willis Reviews the Commitment of the Boy Burglar,

And Declares His Punishment Contrary to Public Policy.

The Seeger Contract May Hitch If Mac Proves Restive.

Distressing Tragedy in the Burning of J. E. Stryker's Child.

Judge Willis has disapproved the commitment of John Johnson, an eight-year-old boy, by the municipal court to the reform school. In his opinion Judge Willis reviews the case and gives his reasons for not sending the lad to the penal institution. The experience of his honor on the board of charities for several years gives weight to his opinion, which is given below:

"The warrant of commitment evidently attempts to set forth a statement of conviction of the crime of burglary, and the certificate of the judge of the municipal court attached to the minutes of testimony transmitted to this court describes the crime with which the defendant is charged as burglary. The intent with which the defendant "did burglariously break into and enter the school house building known as the Cleveland school," etc., is not stated. The warrant of commitment also directs that the chief of police, police officer, sheriff or constable, to whom the warrant is directed, shall convey the said defendant, John Johnson, to the Minnesota State Reform school, in the county of Ramsey. This court will take judicial notice of the fact that the only reform school in Minnesota is located in the county of Goodhue. Again, the testimony is not sufficient to warrant a conviction upon the charge of a breaking and entering with intent to steal the goods and chattels of the city of St. Paul. The evidence tends to show a breaking with intent to take property belonging to S. A. Farnsworth, a private person. The evidence also tends to show the commission of acts of malicious mischief on the part of the defendant. It is a serious question whether the defendant is of an age sufficient to render him capable in law of committing the very serious offense of which the documents under consideration attempt to declare him guilty. The most serious objection to the conviction in question, however, is that the municipal court of the city of St. Paul has no jurisdiction to try any person and convict him of a felony. The only jurisdiction of that court in cases of felony is to hold a preliminary examination of the alleged offender, and either discharge him or commit him for trial after the investigation of the grand jury. It makes no difference whether the person apprehended as a culprit be a child of tender age, or a person of mature age. Children have constitutional rights which are just as precious to them and to the community as the rights of older persons, and the courts must protect all classes of persons in the preservation of their constitutional rights. Therefore, as the judgment under review was not sustainable as a conviction of felony, and was improper under the circumstances, the defendant must be discharged. It may be proper to observe in this connection that the practice of taking children of a tender age from the domestic circle and committing them to penal institutions is opposed to the most enlightened thought of the present age. Parental correction is far better than the penal or reformatory methods of jails, or reform schools."

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IF MAC IS BALKY

There May Be Trouble With the Seeger Contract.

Acting Mayor Ingersoll yesterday signed the Seeger lighting contract. The paper was then turned over to the city clerk, who will add his signature and then turn the document over to the comptroller. When seen yesterday afternoon, Comptroller McCardy said the contract had not reached him. He refused to talk on the subject, but admitted that his opinion, as set forth in a communication to the council, had not been changed up to date.

On the decision of the comptroller that he will not sign the contract there are numerous legal opinions given. Assistant City Attorney Phillips, while not giving it out in an official way, is of the opinion that under the charter all contracts must be signed by the comptroller. The law says all contracts shall be signed by the mayor and city clerk, and countersigned by the comptroller. Other legal lights say the matter of the contract being countersigned by the comptroller is not necessary. To back up their opinion they refer to a recent decision of the Wisconsin supreme court in a case sent to the court from West Superior. The decision states that a contract duly approved by a city council and signed by the city clerk and mayor is valid without the signature of the comptroller.

A number of the city fathers say Comptroller McCardy should not take the position he does in the matter in face of an opinion from the city attorney to the contrary and the action of nineteen members of the council. Those who know the comptroller best, however, admit that such comments on his action will have no weight at all. Should he decline to sign the contract the only course left to the contractor is to commence mandamus proceedings and obtain an order from the court directing the comptroller to affix his signature.

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A SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

Three-Year-Old Child of J. E. Stryker Burned to Death.

Louise Stryker, the three-year-old daughter of John E. Stryker, was burned to death at her home, 510 Iglehart street, yesterday morning. Louise and an infant about a year old were in the nursery on the second floor of the house. A nurse girl had the children in charge during the temporary absence of their mother. The girl left the nursery for a few moments, and was hurried back by shrieks from the room. She entered and found Louise lying on the floor with her clothing in a blaze. With a blanket the flames were extinguished and a physician called. So badly was the child burned, however, that Dr. Talbot Jones, who attended her, saw at a glance that death would soon follow. The child's body was shockingly burned from head to feet. The shock to the nervous system was so great that the little one was not conscious of the intense pain. The immediate cause of death was acute congestion of the lungs, caused by breathing the flames. Just how the little girl set fire to her clothing is not known. There was no fire in the room, the heat being from the furnace in the basement. It is supposed in some way the child obtained a match, and in lighting it set her clothes on fire. The infant in the room at the same time escaped the flames in a miraculous way, as when the nurse opened the door the baby was only a short distance from the burning clothes of her sister.

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Crap Shooters Discharged.

The fifteen men caught in the building at 385 Minnesota street when raided yesterday morning were before Judge Cory at the morning session of the police court. E. S. Durment appeared for the prisoners and demanded their discharge on the ground that they were not found gambling by the officers, and were arrested without warrants. The fourteen, charged with visiting a gambling house, were discharged. James Taylor, charged with keeping the place, had his case continued next Saturday, and put up $300 for his appearance at that time.

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TO SALUTE THE SOLONS

February Sixteenth the Date and the Ryan the Place

For the Reception to the Governor and Legislature.

The citizens' committee, composed of representatives of different business and social organizations of the city, met at the rooms of the chamber of commerce yesterday afternoon to arrange for the coming reception to the governor, state officials and members of the legislature.

Judge C. E. Flandrau was made chairman and A. S. Tallmadge secretary. It was decided to hold the reception at the Ryan hotel Thursday evening next, Feb. 16. It was also decided to include the ladies in the invitations of both hosts and guests. It is hoped that the members living out of town will make arrangements to have their wives and lady friends present, as there will be music and dancing for those so inclined. The reception committee is composed of the following gentlemen:

RECEIVING COMMITTE.

Charles E. Flandrau, chairman.

Gov. Ramsey,	Mesdames—
Gov. W. R. Marshall,	C. E. Furness,
Gov. Horace Austin,	C. E. Flandrau,
Gov. A. R. McGill,	Albert Scheffer,
Frederick Driscoll,	James J. Hill,
James J. Hill,	W. S. Morton,
Rt. Rev. Bishop Gilbert,	F. B. Clarke,
Gen. Wesley Merritt,	Frederick P. Wright,
Robert A. Smith,	P. H. Kelly,
Rt. Rev. John Ireland,	D. R. Noyes,
Gen. E. C. Mason,	Lane K. Stone,
C. W. Hackett,	George R. Finch,
Mayor F. P. Wright,	George B. Young,
Dan R. Noyes,	A. E. Boyeson,
Lane K. Stone,	George C. Squires,
Rev. S. G. Smith,	

COMMITTEE ON RECEPTION.

Peter Berkey,	Thomas Cochran,
W. P. Murray,	J. H. Davidson,
Maurice Auerbach,	M. Doran,
Gen. C. C. Andrews,	H. S. Fairchild,
Bruno Beaupre,	Fred D. Hager,
Gen. J. W. Bishop,	F. W. Ingersoll,
H. A. Castle,	R. C. Jefferson,
C. A. Severance,	Gen. R. W. Johnson,
W. P. Clough,	A. Oppenheim,
Marcus Johnson,	P. T. Kavanagh,
Hon. A. R. Kiefer,	Albert Scheffer,
D. D. Merrill,	A. B. Stickney,
E. W. Peet,	J. A. Wheelock,
William R. Lodes,	A. E. Boyesen,
E. G. Rogers,	W. D. Cornish,
R. C. Munger,	Daniel Day,
George L. Farwell,	John Espy,
Lewis Baker,	C. W. Hackett,
H. W. Lawler,	George Thompson,
R. M. Newport,	Gen. W. B. Bend,
C. D. O'Brien,	Joseph Lockey,
F. C. Stevens,	John S. Prince,
Gebhard Wilirich,	William L. Ames,
Gebhard Bohn,	William A. Van Slyke,
J. W. Lusk,	P. S. Maccorvan.

The entertainment committee will be presided over by George R. Finch, and the floor committee by George C. Squires. An enjoyable time may be looked for.

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Large variety of Cloths: fit guaranteed; moderate price. McGrath & Co., 370 Robert street.

FOR MILLS' REVIVAL.

The Committee Favors Permission to Erect the Building.

The committee on fire department from the board of aldermen met yesterday afternoon. Without discussion the committee decided to recommend the passage of the resolution allowing a frame building to be erected on the vacant property adjoining fire headquarters, on Eighth street. The structure—175 by 150 feet—will be something like an auditorium, and will be used for the Mills revival meeting, the real estate men's convention, and other public gatherings during the summer. The cost of erecting the building is estimated at $14,000, and committees appointed by those interested in the Mills meetings are now endeavoring to raise the amount necessary. The plans for the structure are being prepared, but will not be definitely decided upon until it is known how much can be secured to construct it. The assembly, at its last meeting, passed a resolution similar to the one recommended for passage by the aldermanic committee yesterday.

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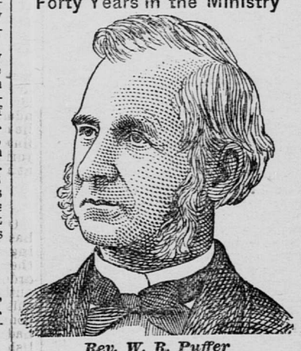

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have suffered with **Dyspepsia and Insomnia,** but while taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I have had a good appetite, food digested well, I gained several pounds, and sleep better. I vote for Hood's." REV. W. R. PUFFER, Richford, Vt.

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FIELD, MAHLER & CO.

NEW GOODS.

Probably the strongest feature of this store is our fondness for selling *New Goods.* You never hear of old goods here. New goods come every day. We mark them at the

Lowest Prices

known in this great Northwest, and *sell* them before they have time to grow old. That's the story of the success of this business in a nutshell.

Why should any one be willing to buy old goods when we are selling the newest products of the world's mills at prices which challenge any competition in the United States?

WASH GOODS.

It may seem early to talk of thin Cotton Dress Goods, but it's not too early to buy them. The stocks are now at their best, and many of the choicest effects will be sought in vain as the season advances.

The counters for Wash Dress Goods are bowers of beauty. We never had the pleasure of showing a stock so grand as the present, and there certainly is nothing like it in these cities. The foreign artists, as well as those of our own country, surpassed all former efforts in beauty of designs and color arrangements.

We may be pardoned for repeating that every piece is new. Not a yard was carried over from last season.

French Mulls in floral and conventional designs.
French Organdies.
Printed Nainsooks.
Swivel Silk Ginghams.
French Challis.

French Sateens will be strong this season, and deservedly so. The styles and printings are handsomer than ever. They're much prettier than any cheap printed Silk, and they will give two or three times as much wear. Prices, 25 and 35 cents.

The assortment of Scotch Zephyr Ginghams is fully up to the standard of former seasons. 29-inch widths, **25 cents.** Bright, fresh colorings in small patterns.

David & John Anderson may be old makers, but their ideas are young. We sell their Ginghams because we know them to be the best in the world. Price, 35 cents; width, 32 inches.

SPECIAL—Ladies' Night Gowns at $1.10; worth $1.75.

WOOL GOODS.

We could fill this page with descriptions of *new* Wool Goods, but other departments are clamoring for space.

A new line of fine imported mixtures in illuminated effects will make their bow tomorrow. Price, $1.25; 48 inches wide. Browns, greens, blues and grays.

All-Wool Scotch Cheviots, in two-tone colorings, 52 inches wide, $1.25.

More than 200 different styles of strictly All-Wool Dress Goods will be found in the new "Dress Goods Annex" (west aisle) at **50 cents** a yard. They are superior fabrics as regards both quality and style. In fact, some of the styles are as handsome as can be found in Scotch Goods, which sell at $2.00 a yard.

Don't forget it; 200 styles of strictly All-Wool Goods at 50 cents.

SPECIAL—Ladies' Night Gowns at $1.10; worth $1.75.

NEW SILKS.

GOOD SILKS.

A poor Silk is a poor investment. We ask to be excused from selling them.

Take Printed Silks, for instance. The market is flooded with poor trashy stuffs. What's it good for? It may be good to *sell,* but it's no good for wear.

Printed Twilled Indias have stood the test of time. They are made by a maker of world-wide reputation, and they are the best wearing silks we ever sold. We have sold thousands of pieces, and we know how good they are.

Last year's stock was sold last season. We didn't carry over a piece as big as one of the new Columbian postage stamps. If you buy your Printed Silks here you'll be sure of getting styles of '93. That's worth remembering.

More than 100 styles of dainty little figures on colored grounds are now in stock. Price $1.00.

Plain Black Twilled Indias, 24 inches wide, **65 cents.**

28 inches wide, $1.00.

FANCY SILKS.

New Taffeta Plaids, $1.00, $1.75 and $2.50.

New Surah Plaids, **$1.50.**

New Surah Plaids with Satin cross-bars, new and scarce, **$1.50.**

New Roman Stripes, superior quality, **$1.50.**

Wash Pongees with satin figures, **85c.**

Changeable Taffetas with colored pin dots, **$1.25.**

Black Taffetas with colored hair line stripes in 9 colorings.

Changeable Jersey Silks in a full line of colors.

Wash Shanghai Silks with hair line stripes.

Prices are guaranteed the lowest. We are never undersold, and we are not likely to be.

SPECIAL—Ladies' Night Gowns at $1.10, worth $1.75.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

The Special Sale of Muslin Underwear is in full blast. Hundreds of good things could be mentioned, but these few items should suffice to crowd the department with buyers.

500 Muslin Gowns, sacque style, sailor collars and cuffs, finished with deep frill of embroidery,

$1.10

Each; real value $1.75.

Fine Cambric Drawers, cluster of tucks and Valenciennes Lace ruffle, **50 cents.** The materials alone are worth more.

Cambric Corset Covers, V-shaped neck finished with neat Swiss Embroidery, **25 cents.**

These are three of the best values ever offered by the department.

Many ladies will be pleased to know that we have now in stock a full assortment of Luster Wool Skirts in black, cream, drab, tan, blue and brown. Prices moderate.

LACE DEPARTMENT.

A complete collection of Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric Edgings, Insertions, All-Overs and Flouncings is now in stock.

The patterns are new and artistic; the workmanship is exceptionally good.

Colored Embroideries are very new and they are selling wonderfully fast.

Our stock of Veilings has no equal in the Northwest. New styles are received every week.

DOMESTICS.

100 pieces of fine Sateens, made and printed in this country, at **15 cents** a yard. You may find patterns that will please you as well as the imported goods which sell at 35c.

300 pieces of Toile du Nord Ginghams at 12½c.

200 pieces of fine Zephyr Ginghams, not quite as wide as the Scotch fabrics, but nearly as fine and fully as pretty, **15 cents.**

It may not be to our interest to mention these cheaper fabrics, but it's honest advertising. We will always help you to practice economy.

Made-up Cotton Sheets and Pillow Cases at less than retail cost of materials.

Pillow Cases, 22½x36 inches, **12½ cents** each.

Sheets, 81x90 inches, **59 cents** each.

There is actually no charge for making, and they're made in the best possible manner.

About 3 dozen pairs of 12-4 White California Blankets at 25 per cent less than regular prices.

$11.50 kinds for $8.97
$12.50 kinds for $9.63
$20.00 kinds for $15.40
$18.00 kinds for $13.20

FOR MEN.

Do you have your Shirts made to order? Are you paying big prices for them? If so, you are the man we are looking for. If you will read this ad and then come in and examine our stock of Shirts it will be money in your pocket.

What do you think of "Quaker City" Laundered Shirts at

69 Cents?

A Shirt equally good made to order would cost like this:

3 yards Muslin at 9c	27c
¼ yard Linen at 60c	15c
Interlining	6c
Thread	3c
Making	45c
Laundry	15c
Total cost	$1.11

We sell the finished Shirts for **69 cents.** Quaker City Shirts are the best we know of; and they fit perfectly.

Monarch Unlaundered Shirts, open back, first-class in every respect, warranted to fit, **83 cents.**

Quaker City Unlaundered Shirts, best quality muslin, every buttonhole handmade, warranted to fit, **85 cents** each. We consider them as good as any shirt that can be made.

Very good Unlaundered Shirts at **45 cents.**

Plain Muslin Night Shirts, **45 cents.**

Wamsutta Muslin Night Shirts, plain or fancy trimming, **65 cents.**

Twilled Wamsutta Night Shirts, 73c; real value, $1.

Mail orders will be filled promptly. Anything not satisfactory on receipt may be returned at our expense, and the money will be refunded. We ought to sell thousands of these Shirts to our out-of-town customers.

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