

SAINT PAUL.

FOR SUNDAY BRAKFAST.

Two minor permits, aggregating \$300, were issued by the building inspector yesterday.

A regular meeting of the conference committee will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

The trustees of the police pension fund will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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The Young People's Society of St. Paul's Church will hold a lawn social Tuesday, Aug. 22, on Woodward avenue.

August Scholz has begun an action against Thomas Millen and others to foreclose a mechanic's lien for a small amount.

Allie Hewitt has begun an action against John S. Brown and others to quiet title to land belonging to the estate of Alexander Vance Brown, deceased.

The case of Anton Kohner, who allowed two bull dogs owned by him to chew up the legs of Frederick Turnquist, was again continued in the police court yesterday to Aug. 14.

At the meeting of the trades and labor assembly Friday night ex-President M. E. Murray was elected chief marshal of the Labor day parade. His aids will be J. C. Stuhlin and J. H. Cronvener.

J. Q. Haas was thrown from his buggy at the corner of Fifth and Robert streets yesterday afternoon by a collision with an interurban car. Mr. Haas fortunately escaped with but slight injury.

State Boiler Inspector Clark has completed his report on the twenty-five steamers that are in service on Lake Minnetonka. The tests applied to the way from 100 to 300 pounds pressure, and were very satisfactory.

At Christ church, the evening Bishop McKim, of Japan, will deliver an address. He has been for the past thirteen years engaged in missionary work in the most interesting country he will have a great deal to say that will interest his hearers.

The two-story frame dwelling at 418 Wheeler avenue, owned and occupied by W. A. Campbell, was damaged by fire yesterday morning to the extent of \$800. The loss on household effects was \$300, covered by insurance. There was no insurance on the house.

Gov. Nelson yesterday commuted the sentence of John Sweeney, who was sent to the workhouse for thirty days for stealing paving blocks. The sentence of \$25, or thirty days, was also suspended, according to the report from the city attorney's office, so the governor commuted it to \$10 or ten days.

Judge Kelly has made an order in the case of Martin C. Clark against Lars Alm and others, in which Ella B. Lawton is directed to pay taxes on certain real estate, and to receive from the same sales, as provided in the mortgage to the plaintiff. In case she fails to do so, the plaintiff is given leave to apply for the appointment of a receiver for the effects of Ella B. Lawton.

The newly organized State Bank of Astoria, capital \$100,000, has received the certificate of its cashier, W. D. McDonald, yesterday, showing that the \$15,000 has all been paid in. The bank was duly authorized to receive any stringency there may be in Wright county, or elsewhere, at the usual rates.

The principal stockholders of the bank are Lorenzo Coffey, Cassius M. Buck, Henry C. Bull and John F. Pierson.

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STUCK BY A CAR. Mrs. Michael Sweeney Seriously Injured.

At 8 o'clock last evening Mrs. Michael Sweeney, living at 1005 Jessie street, was struck by an electric car on the Como avenue. She was seriously injured. Mrs. Sweeney was waiting at the corner of Rice and Sherburne avenue for east-bound car. Seeing the car approaching she started across the track, not heeding the rapid approach of a Como avenue car going west.

The motorer of the car made an effort to stop the car and rang the gong repeatedly, but the woman appeared to be unconscious of the danger. The car struck and threw her to the ground, inflicting a serious wound in the back of her head. She was taken to the city hospital by the Tomdo street patrol wagon.

The "Old Stocking" Bank Is an institution we hear much about but seldom see. It forcibly expresses the act of withdrawing cash from the banks and hiding it out of circulation and from helping others. The Old Stocking Bank was chartered in fear and is perpetuated in ignorance. To those who persist in "keeping cash on hand" as a supposed means of security, we suggest a better plan. Invest in the Golden Rule Shoe Sale this week. What you lose in interest you more than double it in the quality and quantity of goods you get.

LOOKING FOR HER BOY. Mrs. Wears, of Wisconsin, in St. Paul After Claude.

Mrs. Wears, of Richmond, Wis., arrived in the city yesterday, intending to take home with her Claude Wears, her fourteen-year-old son, who had been arrested by the police for vagrancy. The lad was arrested Thursday and his mother notified by wire that he was here. As she made no reply to the telegram the lad was discharged. The police court yesterday and turned over to Relief Agent Hutchins, who, after giving him some clothing, sent him on his way. The police last night were searching for the boy to turn him over to his mother.

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GRADSON A MARTYR. To Test a Law Affecting the St. Paul & Duluth.

Morris Gladson is in the custody of the sheriff of Pine county charged with refusing to stop the mail train on which he is engineer at Pine City. An application has been made to Judge Williams of the U. S. U. S. state court in this city, for a release on a writ of habeas corpus, and the hearing will be had Wednesday at 10 a. m., at which time it is placed the sheriff of Pine county is directed to produce the body of Gladson and submit to the order of the court.

Morris Gladson is engineer of the mail train running over the St. Paul & Duluth road between this city and the one at the head of the lake, and refuses to stop the train at the county seat of Pine county to take on and put off passengers. The people of Pine City claim that under the law passed last winter the Duluth road is obliged to stop its trains at that city. The railroad claims that the train in controversy is a fast mail, and is exempt from the provisions of the law, as it carries only through passengers and mail. Gladson was placed in jail in default of a fine of \$75.

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COIN FOR SOME ONE. IT IS LURKING IN THE RIDGEWOOD PARK ASSESSMENT.

INSHAPE OF INTEREST MONEY. A Possible Explanation of Why Owners of Land to be Taken Wanted Quick Action—Did the Commissioners Know, or Were They Befuddled by the Lawyers' Arguments.

The Ridgewood park assessment will come up in the board of public works tomorrow for completion. The park board at its regular meeting Friday night passed a resolution directing the board of public works to proceed with the assessment in order that they might have information as to what the assessment on the lots to be assessed would be.

The property owners who will have to bear the assessment for the park objected strongly to the board passing the resolution directing the assessment to be completed, but their protests had no weight. It was agreed by the attorney for the owners of the property to be sold for the park and also by the representatives from the city attorney's office and Commissioners Wheelock, Aberie and Breidenhagen that even if the assessment was completed, the board of park commissioners could at any time before the confirmation of the assessment was made order all proceedings abandoned.

A gentleman interested in the proceedings for the park being postponed at this time owing to the stringency in the money market, called attention yesterday to a section in the park board law, which, he said, might account for the desire of the owners of the property to be sold for the park to have the assessment completed as soon as possible. The section reads as follows:

"Meat in the Coconut. "Said board of public works in making said assessment shall determine or appraise to the owner or owners the value of the real estate to be taken for the improvement and damages arising therefrom respectively from the condemnation thereof, which shall be awarded to such owners after making due allowance therefrom for any benefit, which such owners may derive from such improvement; and said sum so awarded as such owners shall bear interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from and after the date of the completion of the assessment until paid."

Commissioner Aberie stated at the meeting Friday night that he was not in favor of purchasing the park until the assessment had been made, and that President Wheelock also took the same ground. Both gentlemen, however, were in favor of the assessment being completed, and then allowing the proceedings to rest for three, four or six months, or a year if necessary.

Commissioner Sperry said it was possible that none of the commissioners who voted for the resolution of Commissioner Aberie knew of the above quoted section in the park law, but if the commissioners did not, he was certain the attorney for the owners of the land did, and this would explain the desire to rush the thing through.

ENDED HIS TROUBLES. A New Brighton Bookkeeper Is Found Dead.

Charles L. Clough, bookkeeper for the Twin City Trazee company at New Brighton, was found yesterday morning in the ice room of the company's plant with a bullet through his heart. Clough had taken a fur coat with him to a room in the top story of the building and, after carefully spreading it on the floor, had fired a bullet from a thirty-eight caliber revolver into his heart. The room selected by the suicide for the deed was on a narrow one, and it was an accident that his body was discovered. A workman visiting that part of the building happened to look in the room and made the discovery.

Clough had some family trouble and had not been living with his wife for several years. For the last few weeks he had been drinking heavily and leading a very fast life. Corner Whitecomb was called to view the body, and after learning the facts decided an inquest not necessary. The body was taken in charge by N. F. Warner, of Minneapolis, and removed to that city. Clough was forty-five years old, and was well liked by his employers and associates. He leaves a wife and child.

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DID NOT MAKE A SALE. First of the Real Estate Auctions Unsuccessful.

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President Fairchild announced that the same pieces would be put up next Saturday, and it is expected that a big crowd will attend the sale. About a dozen pieces of property located in different parts of the city were offered, and many persons noted down the locations and other details, so it is very likely that some will be made next Saturday, as people will be prepared to bid.

TOO MUCH LIKE HOGS.

A TEMPORARILY DESERTED HOUSE IS LOOTED BY THIEVES.

Overreached themselves. After Getting Safe Away With a Lot of Booty They Go Back to Complete the Job—Neighbors Tip the Police, and the Alleged Robbers Are Taken Into Custody.

Thursday afternoon the residence of J. H. Knapp, at 9 Crocus place, was broken into by two thieves and the place ransacked from cellar to garret. The family was out of the city, and as fastidious being known to the neighbors they took their time about the work and made a systematic search of the house for valuables. When the thieves went away from the house neighbors saw them carrying bundles, and knowing the family were not at home notified the police.

The detectives were put at work on the case, but failed to make any progress. Yesterday the neighbors saw the same two men loitering about the house, and on one telephoned police headquarters. Patrolmen Kiefer and Kluzner were sent to the locality and met the men on Pleasant avenue. They were arrested and taken to the central station, where they were identified as the parties who were seen coming out of the house on Thursday. The men give their names as George Matthews and George B. Jordan, but deny that they had anything to do with the robbery. None of Mr. Knapp's family being at home, it is impossible to know how much had been stolen from the residence, but the police as usual claim little if anything was taken.

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