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TODAY'S WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—For Iowa: Local rains and thunder storms, followed by cooler; northwesterly winds; fair Tuesday night and Wednesday. For North and South Dakota and Montana: Cooler; northerly winds; occasional light rains, followed by fair weather. For Minnesota and Wisconsin: Warmer southerly, shifting to cooler northerly winds; local thunder storms, followed by fair weather Tuesday night and Wednesday.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WASHINGTON, Aug. 14, 6:48 p.m. Local Time, 8 p. m. 7th Meridian Time.—Observations taken at the same moment of time at all stations.

Place of Observation.	Barometer.	Height of Barometer.	Exposed Thermometer.	Place of Observation.	Barometer.	Exposed Thermometer.
St. Paul	29.90	66	Havre	29.88	62
Duluth	29.86	66	Miles City	29.82	68
La Crosse	29.95	74	Helena	29.92	60
Huron	[illegible]	86	Calgary	29.60	64
Pierre	29.72	84	Minnedosa	29.28	62
Moorhead	29.70	72	Med'e Hat	29.70	66
St. Vincent	29.58	72	Qu'Appelle	29.38	48
Bismarck	29.7[illegible]	74	Sw't Cur'nt	[illegible]	54
Ft. Buford	29.74	6[illegible]	Winnipeg	29.46	68

P. F. LYONS,
Local Forecast Official.

AS WE go to press the world's fair is still "baffling description."

MR. MENAGE is in Chili. Mr. MENAGE's mirages remain, but they, too, are chilly.

THE perennial resurrection of EMIN PASHA continues to go merrily on in Africa.

RYE is of Russian origin, and it is still doing a rushing business—in Kentucky.

IT IS quietly understood that Chicago is still running on a double standard of morality.

THERE is a promised break in the coal combine, but IGNATIUS DONNELLY is in no way responsible for it.

WORD is wafted in from wicked Gotham to the effect that Rev. Dr. CHARLES A. PARKHURST is once more in action.

THE demonetization of JERRY SIMPSON's moustache will, doubtless, be alluded to in the future as the "crime of '93."

THE last session of the world's fair board of lady managers cost $30,000, besides, at least, $950 worth of scalding tears.

IN SAMOA MATAAFA appears to have called up the previous question and been defeated by a large, but dusky majority.

IN SUPPLYING a temporary stringency in currency the street car ticket and the pool check appear to be running a neck and neck race.

THE Chicago base ball aggregation is a truly reliable club. They can be relied on not to win one game out of a possible dozen.

AT LAST one lone Chinaman has been deported, and Mr. GEARY smiles with all the broad satisfaction of one who has scored a bull's-eye.

THE earlier congresses under Mr. CLEVELAND's present administration appear to have about all they can attend to repealing Republicanism.

HAS the smug BILL MCKINLEY yet "sounded the key note" in Ohio? and if he has, in what respect does it differ from his last fall's platitudes?

"ROBESPIERRE," says the Pittsburg Dispatch, "was fond of reading poetry aloud to his friends." No wonder history has given him a distinctively tough name.

OPENING the world's fair on Sunday appears to be the occasion of loss on both sides; financial loss to the management and a loss of 50 per cent of the exhibits to the visitor.

IT MUST be a real pleasure to board at the same caravansary patronized by HERCULES SANDOW. His assistance in keeping the butter within bounds would seem to be inestimable.

THE only serious drawback consequent upon the probable election of NEAL as governor of Ohio is that it would give to this suffering country one more statesman out of a job.

A SAN FRANCISCO paper sent one of its reporters 450 miles to meet Mgr. SATOLLI. But, as the same paper dispatched a reporter a like distance to meet JIM CORBETT after his mill with SULLIVAN, it certainly cannot be accused of hide-bound bigotry.

WITH sufficient population for a state, Oklahoma wants to come into the Union. It is suspected, however, that along with her population Oklahoma has, also, lurking in ambush, material for two more free coinage senators. And a few more of this gentry just at present could not fail to add to the awkwardness of the situation.

"WEAK as dishwater," was the comment passed by JERRY SIMPSON on the president's message. If the Sockless Socrates of the Sunflower State will please consult the people among whom he moves and has a being, he will discover that he is in the minority to a remarkable degree. Even the ablest Republican newspapers vie with their Democratic contemporaries in giving it credit for a strength which places it high up in the list of prominent state papers.

TIGHTENING ITS GRIP.

That lumber association is utilizing the powers given it by our supreme court to make itself very solid. The pains and penalties of its boycott are now extended to manufacturers or wholesalers who shall make shipments to dealers not members, or to contractors or consumers at points where the non-member dealers have no yard, but where a member has one. No contractor having a building to put up at any point in this state where the association has a local member can buy his lumber at wholesale rates from a manufacturer and have it shipped to where his work is to be. That is, he cannot buy it because no manufacturer can sell it to him unless he is willing to run the risk of losing the trade of all the members of the association. This he will not care to do, and the result is that the contractor must buy at the local yard.

This means an increase of cost to him of his material, and that means that the poor Forgotten Man for whom he is to do the work must pay the increase. Should the latter protest that, having earned his money by selling his labor or its products in a competitive market, he has a right to buy his lumber in the same kind of a market of whomsoever would sell him the cheapest, and that no man had the right to deprive him of that, the local dealer can blandly inform him that he is not well informed as to the rights of others than himself, and especially of retail lumber dealers, who, as especially worthy members of the social compact, are allowed legally to combine to prevent him from the enjoyment of precisely that right.

Suppose that the Forgotten Man should think that this is a game into which more than retail lumber dealers can sit and play. Suppose that he should go around among the other Forgotten Men in his locality and get them to join him in an association bound by rules enforced by fines, in which they should agree not to buy any lumber of the local dealer, and thus starve him out. Suppose, then, that the local dealer should sue out an injunction to restrain these Forgotten Men from ruining his business. What would the supreme court of this state say to the demurrer of the Forgotten Men? Would they then say that any Forgotten Man might refuse to buy of the local dealer, and that what one could do, all might combine to do; that the motive was nothing, and that the business of the local dealer might thus be destroyed legally and rightfully, and he had no redress?

Or would it say what it should have said in the BOHN case, that while any man may refuse for any cause to buy of any one, still, when men combined and agreed not to buy, the intent became a vital part of the case; and if that was to deny to others their natural and inherent right; if it was to prevent any man from selling to whom he would, and at what price he would, or to preclude others from buying at the most favorable terms any one would offer them, it was illegal and void? And if it should say so, what would become of the decision in the case of Bohn vs. The Northwestern Lumbermen's Association?

ENGLAND WARNED.

The United States is not alone in the travail of free silver discussion. Already there have been one or two cabinet meetings in Great Britain at which the sole topic under consideration related directly to silver coinage and the question of parity between the white and yellow metals.

But now comes one DADAB NAOROJI, who happens to be a Parsee member of parliament, who solemnly warns John Bull that, awakening to the great wrong that has been done them in the matter of their silver, the natives of India propose to make trouble for England. From this it would appear that "the crime of '73" is not alone in the financial annals of history. The crime of '93 is what is sticking in the crop of DADAB NAOROJI and his dusky compatriots along the banks of the Ganges and in the busy commercial marts of Calcutta. The Parsee member of parliament has turned a once nebulous theory into a stern condition by a few plain words spoken in the house of commons with his hat on. Perhaps never since RICHARD COBDEN thundered his economic fulminations against the corn laws has so serious a threat been hurled at the English government as proceeds now from the lips of DADAB NAOROJI. Like our Congressman RICHARD PARKS BLAND, "his soul's in arms, and eager for the fray."

This sudden revolt on the part of DADAB NAOROJI is, however, pregnant with suggestion. Unification of embattled hosts is usually the first step toward victory. An informal, or, for that matter, a formal meeting between DADAB and Mr. BLAND might result in a far weightier campaign against honest money than either can wage single-handed. The international effects which would accompany such a meeting might, perhaps, do much in the way of attracting the world's attention and solidifying the eternal principles of the short dollar advocated by both.

By all means, let there be an early confab between DADAB and our own champion of featherweight currency, RICHARD PARKS BLAND. Meanwhile, what does the GLADSTONE government propose to do in the face of DADAB's awful threat?

WHAT a precious old bugaboo England is. It is to demagogues what Bluebeard is to foolish mothers. When the Democrats were pleading for a little more freedom for men, it was "English free trade" they were after, and it was to the level of "English pauper labor" they wished to reduce our labor, and it was with "English pauper-made goods" that they were trying to flood the country and break down our industries. The Republicans threw away their old scarecrow when they found there weren't longer fools enough in this country to be scared by it to make the game worth the candle, and now the silverites have picked it up and dressed it up with their rags, and are shaking it in the faces of the people. English rapacity, English greed, English gold, the English creditor nation, English domination, English "conspiracy" are rung in all possible combinations. But it won't work. That "wolf" has been cried too often; the scarecrow doesn't scare. Everybody knows now that it is only a bundle of cast off rags hung on a frame, ugly to look at but harmless as a dove.

WHEN the bill making 412½ grains of silver a dollar was passed, the said dollar was worth just 89 cents. But it was claimed by Congressman BLAND and others that because it was made a dollar by act of congress it would immediately rise to a parity with gold. But it did not. On the contrary, it steadily declined in commercial value. Now the most liberal free coinage advocate does not talk of a ratio greater than 20 to 1. Twenty to one would make a silver dollar worth 73 cents, or 16 cents less in value than the 412½-grain dollar was at the time it was first coined. There is even less assurance that it would rise to a parity with gold than there was then. Still, it is worse than useless to present such arguments to men who are bending all their energies to cheapen and degrade the currency of the United States. They want a cheap dollar, the cheaper the better.

A WRITER in the New York Commercial Advertiser comes forward to advocate the coining of dollars that shall contain a dollar's worth of silver. The wonder is not that so much space should be devoted to ventilation of a self-evident proposition, but that it should be necessary for our government to be advised to make its dollars worth a dollar. "Short change" fakirs who hang around circuses, county fairs and other public places are called "flimflammers," and it does seem a trifle singular that honest men should be moved in spirit to respectfully caution Uncle Sam against working the "flimflam racket" on 65,000,000 people.

THE Minneapolis Tribune is elated over the discovery of a Democrat, or a person who imagines that he is one, who wants congress to let the tariff alone. The importance of this is heightened by the fact that the discovered was once chairman of a Democratic convention that nominated a congressman. It derives an additional significance because this rare find is himself a well known tariff reformer." There are just two probabilities to this; either the party is slandered, or he has just begun to realize that he is not, and never was a Democrat. The tariff reformers who do not want the tariff reformed are all Republicans.

FOLLOWING closely in the wake of President CLEVELAND, Gov. WAITE has decided to call an extra session of the Colorado legislature. The usually placid public will now be thrown into a wild, effervescent excitement, incident to watching congress and WAITE's legislature, to learn which will come out on top.

"AWAY down South in Dixie," the press and people appear immensely pleased with the president's message. This proves the claims of free coinage men on a substantial portion of the solid South to be entirely unfounded. Still, the silverites are in a position to claim everything, until "after the ball is over."

"VOTE for GROVER CLEVELAND and sell your wheat for $1.25 a bushel, you bet," is a good thing to keep before the people, says RET CLARKSON's Des Moines Register. And especially don't forget to keep before them the Republican 25-cent-a-bushel protective tariff on it either, you old frod.

THE charge is laid at the door of Mrs. LEASE that she travels on a railroad pass. Should it prove true, it is quite evident that during her numerous peregrinations she must skim over quite a number of leased lines.

IF, INSTEAD of beginning immediately on his arrival to talk for publication, "PAT" EGAN will walk three times around the ring and retire behind the curtain, much will be cheerfully forgiven him.

HANGING President CLEVELAND in effigy by free silver enthusiasts at Golden, Col., is not much of an argument in their favor, but it is about as good an argument as any they are now using in congress.

SAYS Brother MCCULLAGH in the Globe-Democrat: "We are largely importing gold." The financial stringency is accounted for. Our yellow currency is locked up in St. Louis.

VERAGUA.

The Veragua fund is growing—contemptible.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Veragua is firmly of the opinion that Brother Barboles talks too much.—Washington Post.

The public sympathy for the Duke of Veragua does not stand the warm weather very well.—Washington News.

Veragua might have come out all right if it had not been a bad year for bulls.—Louisville Post-Dispatch.

The duke, having lost his fighting cattle, of course doesn't know how to seize the horns of the dilemma.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

If the Veragua fund must go forward the best Chicago can do is to contribute a few receipted bills which the duke overlooked while in this city.—Chicago Dispatch.

It turns out that a bull-fighting scheme swamped the Duke of Veragua. Bull fighting is a risky business, even in this country at present.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

That proposed contribution for the stock-gambling, bull-fighting descendant of Columbus reached the ridiculous stage before the cash was received, thanks to an outspoken press.—Chicago Globe.

It is the Duke of Veragua's misfortune that he must wait till the repeal of the Sherman law before he can hope to have that hat filled.—Commercial Advertiser.

Since Veragua's brother kicked over that gentleman's collection bucket the blood that runs thicker than water doesn't run in one family's veins.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The demands of the duke de Veragua's brother for a share of the proposed fund raises a question. If the gift is intended to relieve the duke's poverty because he is a descendant of Cristopher Columbus, why should not the poverty stricken brother have a slice for the same reason?—Helena Independent.

DR. SMITH RESIGNS.

Trouble Over Text Books the Alleged Cause.

Dr. S. G. Smith, president of the board of school inspectors, has tendered his resignation to the mayor. He has followed the example of Dr. Stamm, and there are two vacancies now on the board to be filled by Mayor Wright. The circumstances that induced the retirement of the two co-workers, it is said, are quite different. Dr. Stmam resigned for the reason that busines affairs demanded too much time, and Dr. Smith resigned, it is reported, because of a difference of opinion that existed among the inspectors relative to the best plan for handling text books. All favor the purchase by the city on consignment, and then a sale at as near cost as possible to the pupils, but some believe all the dealers should have equal privileges in the premises, while others think it would be inadvisable for more than one house to handle the books.

It is stated that the mayor has not yet accepted the resignation, and this looks much as though an effort is to be made to induce the doctor to withdraw his resignation.

Hawkes' Case Continued.

Charles A. Hawkes, arrested Saturday evening charged with the larceny of $3,000 from the Seven Corners bank while he was acting as cashier, was arraigned in the police court yesterday morning. The case was continued to Aug. 22, and the defendant released on $5,000 bonds.

STATE PRESS NOTES.

Our Dave Lightbourn poses as a great farmer when he is in St. Paul.—Norman County Herald.

The sun of prosperity is again breaking through the clouds. Smile and be happy.—Duluth Herald.

It is a grand thing for a man to have a good salary at his command these hard times.—Willmar Argus.

Will Senator Jones kindly call off his gollyswash and give confidence another chance?—Montevideo Commercial.

We predict that Ferris wheels will take the place of merry-go-rounds ten years hence.—Spring Valley Vidette.

Keep that dollar in circulation. If you owe any one pay up and keep the money moving. That's the way to knock out hard times.—Brainerd Tribune.

By what right do Whitecaps order people to leave town, and upon their refusal beat them brutally or administer a coat of tar and feathers?—Sauk Rapids Free Press.

The individual now-a-days who has not a scheme on hand whereby the financial situation of the country can be improved is not "in it" at all.—Sherburne County Times.

Senator Dedon gives it out that he is anxious to commence the pine land investigation. He is probably willing to do something to earn his salary.—Stillwater Gazette.

Now that the army worm scare is over the farmers are beginning to realize in part, the blessedness of living in such a highly favored locality at Kittson county.—Hallock News.

Frank Ellenbecker will be the next register of the St. Cloud land office. Just paste this in your hats you St. Cloud Democrats and come off the perch.—Little Falls Herald.

Nearly every bank suspension in the country thus far might have been prevented by the depositors themselves. They, and they alone, are to blame for the losses that they may experience.—Duluth Herald.

It is laughable to hear Republicans laying the present hard times to the Democrats, and in the next breath say that the Sherman act is responsible and lauding Cleveland for recommending its repeal.—Fergus Globe.

The Minneapolis Journal says: "Let every man pay his bills and keep the money on the move." But how in h—l is a man going to pay his bills when he he has no money? There is the rub.—Marshall County Banner.

Just as soon as everybody reaches the conclusion, as they must sooner or later, that the financial stringency is but a bogy man of the imagination, it will go the way of other bogy men. It is in the power of congress to greatly aid the people in reaching that conclusion.—Crookston Times.

There is neither sense nor decency in calling all free coinage men cranks. It is true there are some among them who are cranks. But there is no more justification for calling a man who honestly believes in free coinage of silver a crank than there is for calling a McKinley high tariffite a crank. We don't believe in either of these doctrines, neither do we believe that every man who differs in belief with us is a crank.—Wabasha Democrat.

AT THE HOTELS.

A party of nineteen, mostly from New England and New York, stopped at the Ryan yesterday. They comprise the second Raymond and Whitcomb excursion party, and they will leave this morning for the Yellowstone. Thence they will go to the Pacific coast, Alaska, and other points of interest, and return via the Southern California route to their homes.

"Just returned from my ranch out near Helena," said Hon. Joseph Roach, of Northfield, as he greeted Hon. John J. Furlong, of Austin, at the Merchants' last evening.

"Oh, yes," said Mr. Roach, in reply to a query; "cattle-raising is rather profitable, as a rule, but let me tell you that there is a dark lining to that cloud. I just said I had come from Montana. That is the finest stockraising center of the entire country. The stock is fat on the range, but the cattle men all show lips hanging low and faces sad. The prices are bad. Still, they are determined to ship, and that will help the country out, for it will bring money into the state. My stock are in fine condition, and I expect to realize considerable, for I have faith in a better market soon. The banks in Helena and at Great Falls are closed now, however, and things are pretty blue out there. And they are in favor of the Sherman bill, too. Isn't that rather strange? Still, they are willing it should be repealed if a free coinage bill takes its place."

At the Ryan—C. F. Maber, Atlanta; C. H. Raddatz, Fergus Falls; C. C. Kirkpatrick, Springfield; W. W. King, Norfolk, Va.

At the Clarendon—Isaac A. Gibbs, Arthur F. Gibbs, Port Arthur; J. W. Hancock and wife, Ellsworth; J. F. Cooper and wife, Sauk Center; B. J. McNally, Milwaukee.

At the Merchants'—D. E. Myers, John Cooper, St. Cloud; George A. Du Toit, Chaska; F. W. Wilder, Grand Forks; R. C. Stevens and wife, Kansas City; N. J. Newman, Ashland; John Hutton, Windom; D. S. Hall, Stewart; Mrs. E. L. Mantor, Anoka; F. Lowe, Marshalltown; W. H. Robinson, Mayville, N. D.; Miss M. Landerer, Albert Lea.

At the Windsor—Miss Ellen A. Winslow, Westbrook, Me; J. A. McCloskey and wife, St. Joseph, Mo.; J. W. Beebe and wife, Centre City; Howard Culver, A. G. Thompson, Eau Claire; H. M. Read and wife, Menomonie.

Metropolitan—H. L. Williams, George Purvis, Miss A. Purvis, Chicago; H. Bancroft, Detroit, Mich.; S. G. L. Roberts, Pine City, Minn.; A. A. Hathway, Milwaukee; James Scott, Amsterdam; E. McEllis, Cincinnati; Fred Ables, Cleveland; E. E. Hares, Brooklyn.

IN THE THEATERS.

The delightful comic opera "The Merry War," as presented by the Wilbur Opera company at the Metropolitan, has made a distinct and decisive hit. The opera was never better costumed than it is by the Wilburs. The company will present this opera throughout the entire farewell week, including matinees today, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday.

The famous actor, E. S. Willard, will begin an engagement of one week at the Metropolitan opera house next Monday night. He will appear in the following repertoire: Monday, Tuesday and Saturday nights, "The Middleman;" Wednesday night, "Judah;" Thursday night, "A Fool's Paradise," and Friday night and Saturday matinee, "The Professor's Love Story." Sale of seats and boxes for this engagement will open at the box office of the Metropolitan Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

James A. Reilly, with his catchy songs and his play, "A German Soldier," and the specialty features seen between the acts, pleases the patrons of the Grand this week.

Next Sunday the Grand will begin a week of the sensational drama with "The Waifs of New York" as the attraction. Few plays of the class have attained so much success or enjoyed such a run of prosperity as this one, which for the past eight or ten years has been an always welcome favorite. It has all of the elements of a successful play of its class. Its story appeals to the heart, and its scenes are full of excitement and action from the court room scene to the fire and railroad episodes. It is a rapid transition from one strong situation to another, and "The Waifs of New York" will no doubt duplicate its former successes in this city.

Mrs. L. R. Gould, of Hotel Barteau, is visiting relatives in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.

ST. PAUL NEWSY NOTATIONS.

Regular meeting of the board of aldermen this evening.

Three minor permits, aggregating $1,000, were issued by the building inspector yesterday.

Paige & Paige, of Minneapolis, have sued George W. Crane to recover $463.24 for legal services.

The Minnesota Savings bank has sued William Dehahunt to recover $300 due on a promissory note.

The Bethel Sunday school will hold its annual picnic at Mahtomedi today. Trains leave union depot at 8:30.

Articles of incorporation were yesterday filed in the office of the secretary of state by the Zion Church of Tyro.

Bulletin at the health office yesterday: Scarlet fever at 370 East Winifred (two cases) and 303 Concord (three cases) streets.

New iron file cases are being put into the vaults of the state auditor's office, and the old wooden affairs are being consigned to the fire.

William L. Harvard, a grocer at 180 Concord street, has made a voluntary assignment to Archibald D. McLeod for the benefit of general creditors.

The case against Fred Guion and Charles Baker, charged with assaulting Louis Freedman several days ago, was dismissed in the police court yesterday.

Adjutant J. M. Doherty was examined in the probate court yesterday touching his sanity, and was committed to the inebriate department of the Rochester asylum.

Rudeen & Bjorklund, who have a feed store at 514 East Seventh street, have made a voluntary assignment to Andrew P. Croonquist for the benefit of general creditors.

An argument for a new trial in the personal injury case of Bryant against the Omaha road was argued yesterday before Judge Williams, of the United States circuit court.

The minor children of James E. Davidson, of Selby avenue, St. Paul, have been granted a pension by the national pension department of $10 a month to date from July 25, 1892.

George Mathews and George Jordan, arrested for looting the residence of J. H. Knapp, at No. 9 Crocus place, will have a preliminary examination in the police court tomorrow.

Secretary H. H. Hart, of the state board of corrections and charities, paid an official visit to the soldiers' home at Minnehaha yesterday. He reports the management satisfactory.

Larpenteur's buckskin horse was hired last Thursday and has not been heard of since. The animal was last seen in Minneapolis. There is a chance to get the $200 state reward.

The Brennan Lumber company has filed a lien in the office of the secretary of state, under the lien law, against the Duluth, Missabe & Northern Railway company. It is for materials furnished the railroad, and the amount is $652.56.

James Strather, charged with attempted burglary, was held to the grand jury yesterday in $1,000 bail. Strather was found asleep in Presley's commission house last Friday morning.

The young people of the Emanuel Evangelical church gave an ice cream festival last night in Van Slyke court, between Broadway and Pine streets. An excellent musical programme was rendered, and all present had a very enjoyable time.

There will be a special meeting of the board of county commissioners at 10 o'clock this morning, to hold a conference with the sureties on the bond given by the Seven Corners bank to indemnify the county for its deposits in that institution.

The report of the secretary of the soldiers' home shows that there are 290 inmates there at the present time, and that seventy of this number are out on leave of absence. Since the last report nine additional inmates have been received and two have been discharged.

The state railroad and warehouse commission were in Minneapolis yesterday. A meeting was held with the grain and commission men of the state concerning the new law for sealing cars containing grain consignments, but no definite conclusions were reached.

A little volume containing the constitution and sailing rules of the White Bear Yachting association for year 1893 has just been issued. The new officers are:—J. P. Elmer, commodore; C. M. Griggs, vice commodore; Carl Taylor, captain; A. A. McKechnie, secretary; J. W. Taylor, treasurer.

The Oneida Building Company of Minneapolis has filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state. The purpose of the concern is to lease, own, buy, sell and deal in real estate, and the capital stock is $110,000. The incorporators are Theodore B. Casey, Alonzo T. Rand and Rufus R. Rand.

Patrolman Daniel Meighen was before the mayor yesterday, charged with leaving his beat yesterday morning at 2 o'clock, when he should have remained an hour longer. The officer had a story about his watch being an hour fast, but the mayor couldn't see it in this light, and ordered a fine of $25 taken from Meighen's August pay.

Tye city employes will be paid their July salaries today. The amount to be paid out is $30,000, which does not include the pay rolls of the police department, mechanics and laborers in the school board employ or the court house and city hall employes. These three last mentioned will get their money on Thursday.

WILL M'CARDY BUCK?

Edward Shields' Name Ordered On the Pension Roll.

The trustees of the police pension fund met yesterday afternoon, and, after passing the pay roll, amounting to $366.66, directed the name of Edward Shields placed on the roll from Nov. 1, 1892. Shields failed to meet the requirements of the board, and took the matter into the courts, with the result that an order was issued directing the pension board to place his name on the pay rolls from November last. There was some question as to whether the comptroller would agree to have Shields' name placed on the pension roll, and to make this certain a copy of the order of the court will be sent to the comptroller.

RUNAWAYS FOUND.

A Le Sueur Mother Locates Her Erring Daughter.

Yesterday afternoon the police arrested M. D. Ackley, twenty years of age, on a charge of abduction. The complaining witness was Mrs. Mary Bacon, of Le Sueur, who alleged that Ackley had run away with her daughter, Rhoda Bacon, a sixteen-year-old miss. Ackley when arrested refused to tell where the girl was, but she was found in a room on East Seventh street and brought to the central station. Ackley and the girl left Le Sueur a week ago, and have been living in Minneapolis. The girl's mother came to the city yesterday in search of her daughter, and will take her home today.

MENTION OF PERSONS.

T. D. Larpenteur, the artist, left yesterday for Paris, via the world's fair.

Miss Lillian Green, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting Miss Needham, of East Third street.

Mrs. L. J. Withee returned home yesterday morning, after a seven weeks' sojourn in Chicago.

William Sauntry, of Stillwater, and J. H. McCabe, of Spokane, were callers at the Commercial club yesterday.

Misses Maggie and Maria Needham, of East Third street, left Tuesday evening for Chicago to visit the world's fair.

Rev. James P. Wright, the presiding elder of the Baltimore conference, is visiting his brother, the mayor. He expects to remain during the rest of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Haskell, of 230 East Ninth street, are entertaining Dr. and Mrs. Emory Lyon, of Providence, R. I. Dr. Lyon is widely known as principal of the university grammar school, preparatory to Brown university.

TRAGEDIES AND FIRES.

A YOUNG LADY AT LAKE CITY KILLS A LITTLE GIRL.

ASSASSINATION IN KANABEC CO

Bismarck Narrowly Escapes Destructive Fire—Echoes of Jamestown Blaze—Great Northern Conductor Found Shot to Death—Lumber Seized at West Superior—A Music Hall.

Special to the Globe.

LAKE CITY, Minn., Aug. 14.—Christinia Archibald, the nine-year-old daughter of Mrs. M. Archibald, of Minneapolis, was shot and instantly killed this afternoon by Albert, the twelve-year-old son of Mayor H. A. Young, at whose house she was visiting. The boy, who came in possession of his brother's revolver, was playing with the weapon in a careless manner, thinking it was unloaded. He approached a room which the little girl and a companion were occupying and asked to get in. They held the door in fun, whereupon Albert snapped the weapon towards the door, the ball passing through and striking the girl, killing her instantly, the ball penetrating her heart. Mrs. Archibald, the mother of the little girl, is a nurse in the Abbott hospital in Minneapolis, and arrived this evening to take charge of her daughter's remains.

ASSASSINATED.

Fatal Shot of a Brother-in-Law at Lewis Lake.

Special to the Globe.

MORA, Minn., Aug. 14.—Last night L. O. Larson, of Lewis Lake, this county, was shot and mortally wounded by a man supposed to be Otto, his brother-in-law. The shooting occurred about dark. Larson was at home. The assassin entered the yard disguised as a tramp, and coming close to Larson he said "Good evening," and pulled out a revolver and began shooting at Larson. He fired three shots, one of them taking effect under Larson's left shoulder blade, inflicting a mortal wound. The assassin then turned and left the premises. Larson recognized the man as one Otto, a brother-in-law. The sheriff and county attorney went down to the place of shooting this afternoon to investigate the matter and apprehend the would-be murderer. There had been a family feud of long standing, and it is reported that the man Otto had threatened the life of Larson.

CLOSE CALL FOR BISMARCK.

Two Fires—Agricultural College Board and the Governor.

Special to the Globe.

BISMARCK, N. D., Aug. 14.—The city narrowly escaped two disastrous fires today. One about 2 o'clock, when the wind was blowing forty miles an hour, destroyed a barn and house belonging to Aid. Healy, and this evening the Sheridan house, in the very center of town, caught fire from a defective chimney in connection with the bath rooms and barber shop. After a stubborn fight it was extinguished with but little damage.

President Power, of the Fargo agricultural college board, and his attorney, H. F. Ball, appeared before the governor today in answer to his summons on the findings of the public examiner to show cause why the old board should not be suspended for "gross incompetency and irregularities in conduct of college affairs." An answer was filed denying in general and specifically the charges made by the public examiner. They deny the right of the governor to suspend them or the public examiner to take charge of the books without order from the court, and came to Bismarck, not in recognition of the right of Gov. Shortridge to summon them, but out of deference to his office and personal respect for the governor. The governor took no action, but appointed another meeting at Fargo for further investigation. The governor is very anxious to suspend the old board and will require very little excuse.

JAMESTOWN'S FIRE.

Militia Called Out to Round Up the Tramps—Incidents.

Special to the Globe.

JAMESTOWN, N. D., Aug. 14.—Jamestown has sustained a severe loss in yesterday's fire, which was only subdued after the most stubborn fight in the history of the fire department. The total loss is now placed at $75,000, with $37,750 insurance. Third Engineer Herbert, of the electric light plant, was severely burned, and C. Halford, of California, severely burned in the face and his eyesight injured, but not permanently. During the fire considerable thieving occurred. Company H, of the militia, was ordered out on guard duty last night, and about fifty tramps were rounded up and shipped out of the city this afternoon.

The use of the Alert's newspaper office and plant was tendered the North Dakota Capital until they can procure new quarters and material. The Pioneer also tendered any assistance to Messrs. Warner and Davidson, managers of the Daily Capital. It is not thought they will resume the publication except as a weekly. It has been running as a daily only since July 4. Loss is $3,000 over insurance. Capt. Ingraham, manager of the Capital hotel, has not decided yet whether to rebuild or not. Considerable indignation is felt over the fact of the fire unoubtedly being incendiarism.

FOREST FIRES.

Great Damage Being Done Near Superior.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 14—Forest fire sare raging extensively along the south shore, east of this city. The extent of the damage done cannot be definitely learned today because the wires are demoralized and no other means of information are at hand. The city is enveloped in a murky atmosphere of smoke drifting hither from the scene of devastation. Citizens here who are well informed as to the nature of the country where the fire is raging say that the loss of standing timber will be immense. Bruce Crossing, a little hamlet 100 miles out from here, was practically wiped out Sunday night. Quite an amount of railway rolling stock has been destroyed. The wife and child of a lumberman are missing, and are supposed to have perished in the flames. Special trains have been sent out on the South Shore road to render assistance to the inhabitants and to care for the company's property.

A YOUNG FORGER.

Son of a Highly Respected Business Man Arrested.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 14.—Frederick Brandis was arrested here Saturday night for uttering forged checks. Brandis is a young man, well connected in this city, and the affair has created a very decided sensation. His father is a well-known and highly respected builder and contractor here. The young man has been in trouble with the authorities before, but of late had seemed to be reformed and desirous of earning a better name. His parents and friends are deeply distressed over the event. The forgeries are not large in amount, but there are several of them for small sums, ranging from $15 to $25. The particular offense on which arrest was made was the forging of the name of M. H. Lynch to a check in favor of John Owen.

MRS. MITCHELL'S SUIT.

Substance of the Serious Charges Against Her Son.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 14.—The petition of Mrs. Martha Mitchell, widow of the late Alexander Mitchell, for an order on her son, John L. Mitchell, to show his stewardship as trustee of the will, together with the order of the probate court thereon were filed by Samuel Howard, attorney for the petitioner, his morning. The petition recites the bequests and conditions of the will, and the orders of the probate court concerning its admission to probate; then recites that John L. Mitchell placed to the credit of Mrs. Martha Mitchell in the Wisconsin Marine and Fire Insurance company's bank $200,000 belonging to her, for which she has received 5 per cent interest; that John L. Mitchell has paid to her the annuity of $50,000 per annum up to and including July 1, 1893; that the failure of the bank has caused the insolvency of David Ferguson and John Johnston, the sureties on the bond of John L. Mitchell, executor; hat all the personal estate left by Alexander Mitchell to John L. Mitchell

Has Been Wrecked.

That she believes that John L. Mitchell, executor, will not pay the annuity due her, and that she will be without means of support. That since the death of her husband she has received $80,000 per annum from the estate, $10,000 of which was an income from the $200,000, and $20,000 paid by J. L. Mitchell personally for the support of David F. Mitchell. That she believes John L. Mitchell has disposed of some of the real estate, but that the greater part still remains. That without her consent he has given mortgages on the Chamber of Commerce and Mitchell bank buildings. That the balance, if properly cared for, will be sufficient to carry out the trusts mentioned in the will. That to do this would require a trustee of large experience and business sagacity. That the said executor has failed in his duties to protect beneficiaries. That this failure has not been caused by any wrongful act on his part, but from lack of business experience. That he has been preyed on and become the victim of iron mine adventurers and stock market speculators. And the petitioner further represents and admits that she has received since the death of her husband the large sum of money heretofore mentioned; that with the consent of her husband she had been engaged in

Charitable Work

on a large scale, and that it was his wish that the work should continue after his death; that she is now upwards of seventy-five years of age, and has been an invalid for many years; that she has none of her income; it has been scattered right and left. Prudently and with the best information she could get, she did this work while her husband was living, and he made provision for its practice after his death. That the fund provided for her is a sacred fund, and should not be lost or discontinued for want of a trustee; that during this time she has built a church and supported its pastor; she has built a hospital and furnished means for its support, and has contributed to charities in a thousand different ways, all of which, if it be necessary, she is ready to account for and verify before the court, but it was the intention of her husband to give it to her absolutely, to do with as she willed, without accounting for her stewardship to any one except her God.

Pillsbury Academy Music Hall.

Special to the Globe.

OWATONNA, Minn., Aug. 14.—The new music hall which Hon. George A. Pillsbury has built and presented to Pillsbury academy is now complete, and will be ready for occupancy when school opens in September. The hall had been nearly completed once before, but burned during the process of construction last December. It has been remodeled somewhat, and is now much more convenient than it would have been had it not been rebuilt. The hall is a two-story brick, finished in Georgia pine, and the walls are nicely decorated. The entrance is an immense porch, supported by three Corinthian columns, and this porch is supported by the image of a lyre, and on the front of it are inscribed the three names Verdi, Beethoven and Mozart.

Murder or Suicide.

Special to the Globe.

GREAT FALLS, Mont., Aug. 14.—A private dispatch from Glasgow, Mont., a small town on the next division of the Great Northern, says that the decomposed remains of a well known conductor, J. M. Hines, have been found three-quarters of a mile from that town. There was a hole in his temple and a revolver at his side. Two weeks ago Hines was called from Glasgow to Havre to take a train out of the latter place. He went to the station, left his grip on the platform, and mysteriously disapp