# SAINT PAUL.

### CITY NEWS NOTATIONS.

Seven minor building permits, aggregating $1,500, were issued yesterday.

Mrs. F. H. Snyder will sing at the Central Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

Keene on Quast Contracts, one volume, was received at the state law library yesterday.

Anna Louisa Brown was examined touching her sanity by the probate court yesterday and discharged.

James Fitzgerald, justice of the peace, Alexandria, turned over to the state auditor yesterday $160, a total of fines collected for violations of the game laws.

The purchasers of land at the forfeiture sale on Oct. 12 are expected to call upon the county auditor at once and settle for purchases.

Frank Arndt, who was arrested on September 30 for robbing August Johnson of a watch and chain, was held to the grand jury yesterday by Judge Cory.

Charles Zeigler and Charles H. Norum, arrested Wednesday by the detectives on a charge of vagrancy, were discharged in the police court yesterday on motion of the city attorney.

The examination of Olney Goldburg, charged with the embezzlement of $83 from N. P. Nelson, a saloonkeeper on East Seventh street, was continued in the police court yesterday to Monday.

The case against Louisa Peterson and James Booner, arrested on a charge of adultery made by the woman's husband, was dismissed in the police court yesterday there being no appearance of the complaining witness.

Mrs. Dr. L. C. Gould gave a very delightful musicale at her home, 612 East Central Park, Wednesday evening. Among those who took part were Prof. Wheaton, Will Lamp, Miss Farwell, Miss Morrow and Miss Burnett.

John T. Prince, of Boston, secretary of the Massachusetts board of education, was the guest of Supt. Gilbert yesterday, and went with the superintendent through several of the schools of the city.

William O'Meara, the foreman of Martin Ring in his contract for constructing bridges, etc., for the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba railroad, has filed with the secretary of state a lien for $160, alleged to be due from Ring, against the company.

Rev. D. C. Garrett, rector of an Episcopal church at Seattle, has been visiting the world's fair with his wife. On the way back the two have stopped off in St. Paul, and are guests of the Merchants'. Mr. Garrett will preach at Christ church Sunday forenoon.

Bridget Naughton, who resides at the corner of Fourth and Commercial streets, was adjudged insane by the probate court yesterday, and will be taken to the Rochester asylum. She is fifty years old, and has six children. She won't stay at home, and is not select in her use of expletives.

The trial of Frank and Robert Stees, charged with the larceny of a street car conductor's badge, came up in the police court yesterday. After the evidence for the prosecution had been put in, F. L. McGhee, attorney for the defendants, had the case dismissed owing to the complaint being defective.

### PERSONAL.

T. W. Teasdale, general passenger agent of the Omaha, went to Chicago last night.

Henry B. Farwell and his daughter, Miss Birdena, left last evening for Chicago and the world's fair.

Budd Reeve, of Buxton, N. D., is in the city. He says he has harvested and sold his crop and spent the money.

C. C. Miles has just returned from his summer home at Asbury Park, N. J., and a stay of ten days at the world's fair.

Bishop Gilbert returned Thursday from his European trip, more robust than he has been at any time. The bishop will preach at the Church of St. John the Evangelist tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, and at the Chapel of Immanuel, corner Victoria street and Laurel avenue, in the evening at 7:30.

Going to Chicago and the East on the Milwaukee last night were: P. H. Mullen, Mrs. McKinzie, John Dempsy, Mr. Ferris, F. W. Pike, P. J. Ara, C. R. Capron, M. E. Drury, B. C. Flagg, H. T. Taylor, H. F. Cobett, F. G. Thompson, William Dentsey, D. B. Jackson, F. W. Thome, P. J. Ginger and wife, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Garretity, B. W. Pitt, E. D. Watt, H. M. Koch, Mrs. C. McKay, D. Simpson, John Miller, L. Simons and party, O. Anderson and daughter, Charles Putman, R. Leach, W. H. Allen, Mrs. S. Moorehart.

### AT THE HOTELS.

At the Metropolitan—W. R. Warnock and wife, Urbana; George Groshyn, New York; A. W. Ridsdale, Miller; Marie Hurne, Aberdeen; L. J. Fisk, W. L. Darling, New York; M. P. Horn, Chicago; R. B. Wagner, New York.

At the Clarendon—J. E. Nickerson, Golden City, Minn.; Adolph Plambeck, Copenhagen, Denmark; F. A. Mitchell and wife, La Crosse; A. C. Rose, Gustave Yorke, Fargo; C. E. Konle, Warren, Pa.; A. G. Johnson, Melby, Minn.; A. H. Treadway, Kansas City; H. Burns, Macon, Ga.; H. D. James and wife, Butte; Mrs. Rosetta Smith, Red Wing.

At the Windsor—H. A. Rider, Little Falls; L. C. Lord, Moorhead; Edward Searing, Mankato; C. H. Tyler, Huffton, S. D.; P. F. Zimmerman, Aberdeen, S. D.; Joseph Carhart, St. Cloud; Frank A. Fridley, Bathgate, N. D.; Miss Abrams and Miss Hedrick, India; E. G. Gibbs, wife and son, Mrs. H. B. Stevens, St. James; Fred Barrett, Tower; M. V. O'Shea, Mankato; C. W. Babcock, Kasota; S. B. French, Menomonie, Wis.

At the Ryan—Edgar Allan, Washington, D. C.; August Eggers, Grand Forks; Frank Bayles, Salt Lake; W. J. Clark, Montana; E. S. Allen, San Francisco; C. A. Culberson, Texas; Mrs. Charles Wiley, Miss Wiley, Merrill, Wis.; George B. Burch, Dubuque; C. B. Sweezey, Yates, N. D.; Joseph J. Smith, Boston; Leigh Marlow, Big Sandy, Mont.; Walter S. Clark, New York; V. P. Phelps, Albany, N. Y.; J. O. Bradley, Saco, Me.

At the Merchants'—Harry Jones and wife, Albert Lea; L. Blanden, Fort Dodge, Ia.; John Lynch, Stillwater; L. C. Herr, Slayton; J. R. Canty, Morris; O. E. Tawney, Winona; A. B. Wolvin, Duluth; Henry Keller, Sauk Center; J. D. Easter Jr., Fargo; Mrs. C. W. Redmon, Mapleton, N. D.; B. J. Nussbaum, Spokane; D. J. Ross, Butte; F. T. Trumbull, Lisbon, N. D.; P. S. Houghton, Casselton, N. D.; E. V. Carter and wife, Ashland; John G. Barnes and wife, Seattle; A. E. Spera and wife, Winnipeg; P. J. McKinley and wife, Tacoma; A. H. Reed, Glencoe; M. R. O'Neill, Graceville; D. B. Jackson, Seattle; N. C. Richards, Tacoma; B. F. Voreis, Fairmount; W. T. Duncan and wife, Fergus Falls.

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—a medicine that in numberless cases, will give relief promptly.' 17

# TOLD OF SAVING WORK.

*DEEPLY INTERESTING REPORTS FROM MISSIONARY FIELDS.*

### SUCCESSFUL GIRLS' SCHOOLS

**Bishop Thoburn, Miss Abrams and Miss Hedrick Give Graphic Recitals of the Work Being Done in India—Presiding Elder Hard, of India, Lectures—Sabbath Talks.**

The opening exercises of the morning session were conducted by Mrs. W. B. Skidmore, of New York, and after a few items of business had been attended to, the work in India, to which the whole morning was devoted, was taken up. In this country the Methodist church has established extensive missionary stations. These fields are divided into three conferences, namely: The North India, with Rohilund as the center; the South India, with Bombay as the center, and the Bengal, with Calcutta as the center. The North India conference embraces a territory lying northeast of Agra, famous for its beautiful specimens of Saracenic architecture, to the foot-hills of the Himalayas, and has an estimated population of 25,000,000 persons.

Bishop Thoburn, in speaking of this new field, paid a very high tribute to the women missionaries who have gone out there. He said: "Nowhere in Methodism is woman's work so thoroughly organized as in the North India conference. The work of the mission in this field may be characterized thus: Missionaries, 7; wives and widows of missionaries, 20; wives of native conference members, 16; assistants, 22; Bible readers, 259; day schools, 210; day pupils, 4,163; boarding schools, 13; boarding school pupils, 836; orphanages, 4; orphans, 200; English boarding schools, 2; pupils in the same, 335; training schools, 2; pupils, 61; women under instruction, about 30,000; hospitals and dispensaries, 3; patients treated, 15,000; homes for homeless women, 2; inmates, 65."

The South India conference embraces a district lying in the provinces of Bombay, Madras and Hyderabad, and embraces a territory of great extent, with a population of many millions. In this field a great work is being done by 11 missionaries; assistants, 16; Bible readers, 13; day schools, 21; pupils, 775; orphanages, 4; orphans, 182; women under instructions, about 1,500.

The Bengal conference comprises the provinces of Burmah, Calcutta, Central India and Mussoorie, and in extent of territory is the largest of all of the India mission field. In this district there are 7 missionaries and 6 ladies in charge of the work, 45 assistants, 2 boarding schools with 350 pupils, 3 orphanages with 60 children, 22 day schools, where nearly 400 children are instructed. There is also a Malaysia mission, which, although quite new, has been wonderfully successful.

SANG IN HINDOO.

Miss Lawson was called to the platform and asked to sing a verse of the hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," in the Hindoo language, which was very sweet and full of a music of its own.

The president, Mrs. Nind, then introduced to the ladies Mrs. Bishop Walden, of Cincinnati, and also missionaries as follows: Misses Bing, of Japan, and Kittering, of China, also Miss Wilson, of Bombay, who were extended a very hearty greeting.

Mrs. Wardwell Couch, of Minneapolis, presided at the afternoon session, and introduced Miss Abrams, of Bombay, who gave a very interesting review of the work done in this great city by the missionaries who are sent out by the society.

THE GIRLS' SCHOOLS

are a very useful factor, for while attending these schools and obtaining an education they are very frequently brought into the church. Another branch is that carried on in the neighboring villages. The work is largely in the line of training schools for women. A most useful department is that of disseminating religious literature among the children, and also a paper in the interests of Zanana work, which is carried on very extensively in Bombay, and its helpfulness certainly makes it a necessity.

Miss Hedrick, of Calcutta, sent out by New York branch, drew a very graphic picture of that beautiful city. The Calcutta girls' school is the work with which Miss Hedrick has been connected. This, with the boys' school, was founded by Bishop Thoburn, and the work has been successful in a very marked degree. In the girls' school are Urasian girls principally. These include a large number of the children of English officers who while in India fall in with native women of the lower classes; and besides, soldiers who are in India on duty for a time, and stationed in outlying districts where there are few Europeans, prefer to place their children in missionary schools, as the teachers are Christians, and consequently exercise a great influence for good over them.

The opportunities for doing good, Miss Hedrick explained, were just as great in her work as in the missionaries' work. The name Urasian, she explained, was

SYNONYMOUS WITH SIN,

and as many of these children were the product of sin, but usually placed in the care of the school, so that they might be surrounded by influences for good, and not be conscious of their origin unless it became necessary. Miss Hedrick talked enthusiastically of her work, and held the attention of her hearers throughout.

The devotional meeting which followed was led by Mrs. W. B. Skidmore.

EVENING SESSION.

At the evening session Rev. C. P. Hard, of India, who has been for ten years the presiding elder of large districts, and secretary of the combined conferences throughout India, Burmah and Asia, lectured on "The Crisis of Missions in India, or the Great Opportunity." Mr. Hard has been identified with this work in a way that has brought him before the public on many occasions, and as his wife is an English lady who, however was brought up principally in India, they together have been quite a power for good in that country, as she gave to him her knowledge of the work that was needed among the women. Mr. Hard's talk was listened to with great interest last night. His remarks are given in brief. He said:

IT IS A TERRIBLE THING

that the name of Christ is not known to hundreds of millions in the world. They are redeemed, but they do not know it. Experience has shown that wherever Christ is preached the people listen, some believe, accept Him and have the blessings of Christianity. We may believe that in this dispensation Christ will never again become visible, audible or tangible. The church is His body, it must make His message vocal to men.

The speaker told of the good work done by the girls' boarding schools at Bareilly, Moradabad, etc., where the society prepares native girls for mission work. There are also classes in connection with the theological schools where the wives of candidates for the ministry receive instruction. It also has schools for Bible readers, who are giving most effective service among the converts and others, going from house to house.

"Not the least potent influence is the medical work of the society, getting a hearing for the gospel which would otherwise not be gained." An instance was given of a camp meeting where 2,000 native Christians were gathered, and when the big tent was requested from an American presiding elder for an assembly of native Christian women. The same authority tells on a later occasion of his presence at this gathering, where he heard the women read the Bible, give exposition, sing and pray, and report their work and plans for future years; and he remembered how at the beginning of the mission there was great difficulty in persuading any woman to become a Christian in that country. Educated Christian girls go as wives of pastors or teachers into the interior villages, able to read, surprising the natives by their unusual attainments."

He said further: "We are Methodists over in India, just the same as in America. We use the same implements that you do, the prayer meeting, the Sunday school, the Epworth League, the discipline, and we have one more thing than you have; we have an anti-tobacco army. Mr. Hard was listened to very attentively by the large audience, but space will not allow of any more of the many interesting things that he said being published. Mr. Hard will be heard Sunday afternoon at 3:30 at the Hennepin Avenue M. E. church, Minneapolis, on "Theosophy."

TODAY'S PROGRAMME.

Nine a. m., devotional, Mrs. C. D. Foss; 9:30 a. m., report of committees. "Our Foreign Fields:" India—Bengal conference, Mrs. E. M. Crow. India—Bombay conference, Mrs. M. S. Huston; South India, Mrs. E. B. Stevens; Malaysia, Mrs. C. S. Winchell; 2:30 p. m., "Our Foreign Fields," China, Mrs. M. C. Nind; 4 p. m., devotional, Mrs. C. D. Foss.

SUNDAY ASSIGNMENTS.

The delegates will be assigned to give talks at the different churches in the Twin Cities on Sunday. A list of the churches and speakers is here given:

St. Paul—First M. E. church, morning, Mrs. E. T. Cowen, evening, Mrs. E. J. Knowles; Central, morning, Rev. J. F. Thompson, evening, Miss Mary A. Danforth; Oxford, morning, Mrs. McNire, evening, Miss M. F. Abrams; Merriam Park, Miss A. Lawson; Epworth church, morning, Mrs. E. B. Stevens, evening, Miss Gallimore. Bates avenue, Miss Rouse Asbury, Mrs. P. T. Wilson; German churches, First church 3 p. m., Miss Margeretha Dryer. Miss Mary Kitsery; Dayton's bluff, 7:30 p. m., Miss Mary Kitsery, Miss Margeretha Dryer.

Minneapolis—First church, Miss Hedrick, India; Hennepin, Dr. C. P. Ward, India; Foss church, Miss A. R. Limberger, Mexico; Forest Heights, Mrs. P. S. Beeman, Miss A. R. Limberger; Franklin Avenue, Miss M. F. Abrams, Bombay; Twenty-fourth, Dr. Mary Christancy, India; Mrs. J. F. Thompson, South America; Richfield, Miss M. F. Abrams; Central German, Miss Dryer, Miss Kitsing.

ST. PAUL DISTRICT STEWARDS' MEETING.

Dr. William McKinley, presiding elder, has called a meeting of the district stewards of the Methodist Episcopal churches of the St. Paul district for Tuesday, Nov. 14, at 2 p. m., in the Central Park M. E. church, Twelfth and Minnesota streets, to consider the apportionments for this conference year.

### INFORMAL FEASTS.

**The Commercial Club Proposes a Novel Scheme.**

The Commercial club will give a series of informal dinners during the season, embracing the various professions and lines of trade. The first will be for the manufacturers, Saturday evening, Nov. 4, at 8 o'clock. A committee has the details in hand, and is arranging a suitable programme, including short addresses by prominent manufacturers, and affording an opportunity for open discussion across the table of measures beneficial to the manufacturers of our city and state.

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**Press Club Book Going.**

The Press club book of short stories is now in process of construction. The volume promises to be the literary event of this city. The authors are among the popular writers of the state. The book's dress is unique and handsome. The edition de luxe is limited to 500 volumes. The subscription lists were issued yesterday, and the great host of expectant inquirers about the novel production may now secure the delivery of one or more volumes by subscribing upon the list of any Press club member, or by addressing Harry W. Wack, chairman of the committee. A hundred and seven volumes were sold yesterday, and the prospect is that the entire edition will be subscribed for hurriedly.

**Best Clothing at the "Plymouth."**

"Plymouth Corner," Seventh and Robert.

**New Incorporations.**

The following articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state yesterday:

Electric Motor company, of Duluth; business, the manufacture of electric motors, mechanical attachments, etc.; capital stock, $100,000; limit of liabilities, $25,000; incorporators, Daniel H. Merritt, Frank W. Merritt, George J. Northrop, A. R. Roe.

Stewartville Co-operative Shipping company, Olmsted county; business, shipping grain, seeds, live stock and other farm products; also purchasing salt, lumber and farm machinery; capital stock, $5,000; limit of liabilities, $3,000.

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**Hood's Cures the Severest Cases of Scrofula.**

No form of scrofula is more dreaded, more tenacious, or more difficult to cure than goitre, or swellings in the neck, often growing to enormous running sores. The fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures this severest form of Scrofula absolutely proves its great merit as a blood purifier. Read this:

"Garnerville, N. Y., April 17, 1893.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell: Mother has derived such marvelous benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla that she wants me to write about it. After the grip she had

**Pains Around Her Heart**

and dreadful faint feelings. Then her neck began to swell and became very unsightly; she could not keep anything on her stomach; she was rapidly running down, and we were very anxious about her. We read of a case of goitre cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and she decided to try this medicine. Before she had taken one bottle the swelling began to decrease; she continued with the medicine and has continued to improve till she has

**Regained Perfect Health**

and strength. She weighs 185 pounds, and our whole family can truthfully say Hood's Sarsaparilla is a blessing to mankind. We believe it saved mother from the grave."

MISS GERTRUDE SLAUSON.

Hood's Pills cure Constipation. 25c

# WANTED TO DIE QUICKLY.

*JAMES T. CAIRNES BLOWS THE TOP OF HIS HEAD OFF.*

### HE WAS ILL AND DESPONDENT.

**The Young Man's Mother Removed Morphine From His Room, and Then He Used the Revolver—Masked Highwaymen Rob Two Storekeepers—Pair of Suspects Arrested.**

James T. Cairnes committed suicide at 449 Fuller street last evening by shooting the top of his head off with a bullet from a 44-calibre revolver.

Cairnes was formerly in business at Royalton, Minn., but for the past few months has been traveling in the South for his health. He came to St. Paul recently, and has been stopping with his mother and brother at the number mentioned above. His health has been very poor, and for the past few days he has been melancholy, the physicians giving him little encouragement for recovery.

Last evening his mother visited his room, and, seeing a bottle of morphine on the stand, took it away. A few moments afterward she heard the sound of a shot, and on opening the door found her son's body lying on the floor with the top of his head blown off.

Deputy Coroner Xanten was notified, and, after learning the facts, decided an inquest was unnecessary. The deceased was twenty-three years old and unmarried. The remains will be taken to Missouri for interment.

### ROBBERS WITH GUNS

**Levy Tribute on Storekeepers—Two Suspects Arrested.**

The masked robbers are growing bolder and their visitations more frequent, two reports of robberies being made to the police yesterday. Thursday night, between 9 and 10 o'clock, three men with their faces masked entered the saloon and grocery kept by August Wesenberg at 562 Blair street. In the store were the proprietor, his two sons and his daughter-in-law. The robbers ordered the party to throw up their hands and not to make any noise under penalty of being killed.

Wesenberg's daughter-in-law became so frightened that she screamed out and was immediately knocked down by one of the thugs. The command of the robbers to hand over the cash was demurred to by Wesenberg, and two shots were fired by one of the men, evidently with the intention of scaring him. The shots had the desired effect, and the trio left the store $40 richer than when they entered. A description of the men was given to the police soon after the robbery occurred, and the detectives are searching for clues.

At about the same hour two men wearing masks visited the drug store of John F. Cappell, at 741 Mississippi. Mr. Cappell and James Reid, who happened to be in the store at the time, were "stuck up" by the robbers, and at the point of a revolver were made to hand over money and valuables. Cappell turned over a $50 gold watch, scarf pin and $9 in cash, but Reid, having left all his valuables at home, quit none the loser by the affair. The thieves backed out the door, and, taking the key with them, locked the door after them. Several minutes elapsed before Cappell could break out and notify the police, and by that time the men had disappeared.

Cappell reported the robbery to the police, but yesterday afternoon he determined to do a little detective work himself. While looking about he passed a barber shop and saw two men whom he recognized as being the ones who had roobed him Thursday night. He hurried to the nearest patrolman, and the men were arrested and taken to the central police station.

They gave their names as Casey and claim to be brothers, but deny all knowledge of the robbery. The detectives, as usual, claim that the prisoners are the ones who have been doing all the work in the past few months and state they have evidence which will surely convict them.

**Choice Cuts.**

Pork Tenderloin.
Spare Ribs.
All kinds finest Sausage. St. Paul Provision Co., 421 Wabasha street.

### CHAT WITH SOUTH AMERICAN.

**Entertaining Description of Products and Progress of That Region.**

Rev. G. F. Thompson, of Buenos Ayres, South America, is spending a few days in the city. Mr. Thompson is an Englishman by birth, but went to South America forty years ago. In 1862 he came to this country and spent four years at the Ohio Wesleyan university at Delaware, O., graduating in 1866. He then returned to Buenos Ayres and devoted himself to the ministry.

A talk with him develops some interesting points. That portion of South America has no business relations with the United States. England has half a dozen lines of steamers to Buenos Ayres, and there are besides French, German, Italian and Spanish lines, but no line running to an American port. They use agricultural implements from this country and some food products, such as bacon, but it is sold there as English, and all American articles reach them via England. The soil is very fertile, and they export to England large quantities of wheat and Indian corn. One of the great advantages this country would obtain by more direct communication would be the securing of wool. Owing to the rich grasses on which the sheep feed, the wool produced makes the finest and best goods for clothing in the world. The wool is too dirty to be imported, as they have no facilities for washing the sheep prior to shearing. He thought the United States ought to provide large warehousess where the wool could be worked and duty paid on the clean article. A fine suit of broadcloth, which would cost $75 here, will sell there for $35. Mr. Thompson will visit Washington before he returns, to see if some clearer commercial relation between the two countries cannot be established.

On the question of climate he is enthusiastic. The records show the average 256 cloudless days in a year, 36 rainy and the remainder cloudy without rain. They have no snow, and many never wear boots or shoes. Sunstroke is absolutely unknown, and the climate is a positive cure for consumption. The people have a good degree of intelligence, 70 per cent being able to read, while in Chili there are 50 per cent. A large immigration is in progress, some years half a million coming. They are largely Italian, and make good, industrious citizens. Their labor is done largely by Italians.

The country may, at times, stand still, but it never goes backwards. It is the cheapest country in which to live in the world. An elegant dinner can be obtained for 30 cents of our money. One dollar of our money represents three and a half of theirs. Land is cheap, and by going out some distance into the country nine square miles can be obtained for $14,000. Production of rice is very profitable. Three acres of land, costing $60, would cost $30 more to cultivate, and the first crop of rice is sure to be at least worth $60. The same rate will apply on a larger acreage.

Their revolutions are not, Mr. Thompson says, as serious as many suppose. They do not leave protracted feuds, but soon recover, and the warring factions will be on the best of terms. They don't have any more severe effect on the country than our political campaigns.

# PURCHASES MADE BY "WE"

*INSIDE HISTORY OF A PERSONAL DEAL FOR CITY FUEL.*

### TOLD BY GARVIN'S CLERK.

**Assemblyman Doran Delivers a Righteously Hostile Criticism of the Methods Pursued by "We"—Further Supplies Will Have to Be Advertised For, as Provided by Law.**

The committee on police from the assembly held a meeting yesterday afternoon to consider the requisition made by Chief Garvin for authority to purchase twenty-five tons of coal from the Pioneer Fuel company at $7.63 per ton. The clerk to the chief of police was present, as were also Assemblymen Doran, Schuette, Wolterstorff and Sandell and Ald. Copeland.

The committee was informed by the chief's clerk that there had been no different arrangements this year than there were last year as far as the contract for furnishing the department with coal was concerned. "Last year," he said, "we asked for bids for furnishing the coal and a number of proposals were submitted, but each of them gave the same price, $8.50 per ton. Afterward we made arrangements with Mr. Shadle, of the Pioneer Fuel company, by which we received a rebate on each ton and he furnished the coal."

The clerk also informed the members of the committee that if the bids were advertised for now he was sure the price would be much higher than the price agreed upon by Mr. Shadle and the chief. He also stated: "We have a written guarantee from Mr. Shadle that the price would not be more than $7.63 per ton, even if the coal was purchased in twenty-five-ton lots."

There was some question raised as to whether it would not be better for the police department to purchase the 150 tons needed after having advertised for bids, but the chief's clerk again assured the committee that Mr. Shadle had informed him the price would be increased instead of reduced if the bids were asked for.

Ald. Copeland was of the opinion that within a few weeks coal would be reduced to about $6.25 per ton, and suggested the requisition for the twenty-five tons be allowed and the balance of the coal let to the highest bidder.

Mr. Doran said he was not satisfied with the method used by the chief of police to purchase coal. There was something irregular about the arrangements made by the chief and the contractor, because Mr. Shadle was given the contract after bidding no less than other firms. The firm which Shadle represented was a Minneapolis concern, and he was in favor of giving St. Paul firms a show when there was anything to be given out.

The chief's clerk announced that about twenty of the twenty-five tons asked for in the requisition had been delivered, and it would be necessary to have about twenty tons more at an early date.

Mr. Doran said he had examined the coal which had been delivered, and would say it was not Lehigh valley coal, as claimed, but was a fair grade of coal for the price. Coal dealers in St. Paul, he said, had to pay more in the yards for Lehigh coal than the firm which was furnishing the coal to the police department charged for it delivered.

The members of the committee decided it would be advisable for the coal to be purchased after advertising for bids rather than by the method adopted by the chief of police, and to this end recommended the passage of the requisition for 25 tons and the advertising for bids for furnishing 100 tons additional.

Later in the afternoon a resolution was introduced and passed by the assembly directing the city clerk to advertise for bids for furnishing the police department with 125 tons of Lehigh Valley coal.

Stop at Rietzke's Pharmacy, corner Selby and Western avenues, and buy your morning smoke and get a copy of the GLOBE free with our compliments.

H. W. RIETZKE.

### DORAN SCORES ONCE

**By Securing Passage of His Anti-Pool Room Ordinance.**

The pool room ordinance introduced at the assembly meeting Thursday night by Mr. Doran was taken up at the adjourned meeting yesterday afternoon. When the ordinance was reached Mr. Doran announced that he had a substitute ordinance which he desired to introduce.

The new ordinance was of the same purport as the first one published in the GLOBE yesterday, except that it confined its provisions solely to pool rooms, the playing of cards and dice games, as explained, being reached under ordinances already in force. The substitute ordinance was read for the first time, and then, under a suspension of the rules, passed without discussion by a unanimous vote.

**Fine Overcoats For Men, Only $10.**

A fact.

At the "Plymouth Corner," Seventh and Robert.

### SHY ON ALDERMEN.

**Approval of a Contract Deferred for Lack of Votes.**

A special meeting of the board of aldermen was called for yesterday afternoon, the object of the meeting being to approve the contract awarded by the board of public works for the paving of an alley running from Nina to Farrington avenue. Ald. Markham said the contract would have to be approved at an early date in order to allow the work of paving to be done this fall. Owing to the absence of Ald. Zimmerman, Warren, Jensen and Cullen there were not sufficient votes to approve the contract, and an adjournment was taken to this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

**Do You Need Shoes?**

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**A Deserved Promotion.**

W. C. Farrington, the general agent of the Eastern Minnesota line, located at Duluth, was yesterday promoted to general manager of the road. W. S. Alexander, the president of the Eastern Minnesota, has also acted in the capacity of general manager. The business of the road has grown to such proportions that it becomes necessary to have a man who devotes his whole time to routine and cares of the general management. Mr. Alexander will still have his hands full attending to the duties of the presidency.

**Fashionable Suits for Men, Only $10.**

A fact.

At the "Plymouth Corner," Seventh and Robert.

**Proposed Jaunt Abandoned.**

The proposed trip to Chicago by the city council was declared off yesterday afternoon owing to the excursionists being unable to secure transportation on such short notice.

When Baby was sick, We gave her Castoria.
When he was a Child, She cried for Castoria
When he became Miss, She Clung to Castoria
When she had Children, She gave them Castoria

FIELD, MAHLER & CO.

SATURDAY SPECIALS.

Manufacturers have had more orders canceled in the last six months than in any former three years. From these cancellations we have picked up some rare bargains in Underwear.

Ladies' heavy ribbed Combination Suits, wool plated, natural gray and black, **$1.85** each. This quality was never sold for less than $2.50.

Full regular made Black Tights, heavy ribbed, closed, **$2.25** each, for the regular $3.25 quality.

**Gloves and Handkerchiefs.**

4-button Pique Gloves, for street wear, brown and red shades, **$1.25** a pair. They fit perfectly, and they will stand hard wear and lots of it.

Something New—

Ladies' Hemstitched Unlaundered Initial Handkerchiefs, neat open-work letters, **15 cents** each. They're pure linen.

CLOAKS.

Children's Gretchens, made of very heavy Tweed, suitable for extreme winter wear, full Bishop sleeves, all sizes, **$4.00** each.

Ladies' Double-Breasted Reefer Jackets, 32 inches long, silk-lined throughout, full balloon sleeves, umbrella back, **$11.00** each. They can't be matched for $16.

Fine All-Wool Beaver Jackets, 34 inches long, half-satin lined, "Worth" Cape, trimmed with two rows of river mink, forming a notched collar effect, fronts also trimmed with river mink, **$19.00** each. Every day we're told that they're better than any $25 Jackets in this market.

CORSET ROOM.

About 10 dozen Corsets, three different kinds—Kabo, Ball's and French Model, white and drab—will be closed out at **85 cents** today. Most of them were $1.25. Nearly all sizes.

Infants' fine Cambric Slips, with ties, button front and back, finished with deep hem and trimmed with fine Embroidery, **50 cents** today.

SMALL WARES.

Cosmetic Glycerine Lotion for the complexion, 25c.

Espey's Fragrant Cream for chapped hands and face, 13 cents.

Blue Seal Vaseline, 5 cents.

Calder's Tooth Powder, 15 cents.

Transparent Glycerine Soap, 9-ounce bars, 15 cents.

LINEN ROOM.

500 pairs Linen Tray and Carving Cloths, 1½-inch hemstitched hem, stamped in newest designs, size 18x28 inches, **17 cents** today. The linen alone would cost more if bought by the yard. There's actually no charge for hemstitching and no charge for stamping.

100 Genuine Down Pillows, covered with Cheney Brothers' best Drapery Silk, edged with 3-inch ruffle:

Size 18x18 inches, **$1.65**; were $2.25.

Size 20x20 inches, **$1.93**; were $2.50.

FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.

100 pairs Gray Wool Blankets, 11-4 size, good weight, **$1.59** today.

50 dozen heavy Cotton Pillow Cases, 22½x36 inches, 12½ cents.

50 dozen Cotton Sheets, size 72x90 inches, **55 cents** each.

That's less than the retail price of Cotton.

FOR MEN.

Our stock of $1.50 Underwear is very low, and we are compelled for a time to sell our Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers for $1.50 each. Lowest former price was $1.75.

It's warmer than wool; will not shrink; is soft and elastic, and it's the best Underwear we ever sold for $1.50.

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WILL HAVE A SPECIAL SALE OF LADIES' SHOES TODAY.

Our Ladies' New Fall Style Hand-Turned Boots; regular price, $4. For Three Days..... $2.90

The New Fall Style Square Toe, Cloth or Kid Tops, Tip Boots; regular price, $4. For Three Days..... $2.90

Our Ladies' Hand-Sewed, Extension Edge, Tipped and Plain School Shoes; regular price, $4. For Three Days..... $2.90

Our New Fall Style Narrow Opera Toe and Tip, Lace Spanish Arch Boot—a Beauty; regular price, $4. For Three Days..... $2.90

Our New Fall Style Straight Boxed and Circular Vamp Patent Tip, Flexible Sole Boot; regular price, $3.50. For Three Days..... $2.35

Our Ladies' Common Sense Kid; regular price, $2.50. For Three Days..... $1.65

Our Ladies' Opera Toe, Patent Tip Button; regular price, $2.50. For Three Days..... $1.65

Our Girls' large size Kid Spring Heel School Shoes up to 6's; $3 and $3.50. For Three Days $2.35

Our large size Spring Heel in Pebble Goat; $2 and $2.25. For Three Days..... $1.85

Our Youths' School Shoes; $2 and $2.25. For Three Days..... $1.45

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