SAINT PAUL.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—For Wisconsin: Generally fair; colder; west by north winds. For Minnesota: Fair; decidedly colder in eastern portion; west winds. For Iowa: Fair; colder; northwest winds. For North and South Dakota: Fair; colder; northwest winds. For Montana: Generally fair; colder; west to north winds.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WASHINGTON, Feb. 2, 6 p. m. Local Time, 8 p. m. 75th Meridian Time.—Observations taken at the same moment of time at all stations.

PLACE.	Bar.	T'r.	PLACE.	Bar.	T'r.
St. Paul	29.84	24	Sw't Cur'ent	30.12	16
Duluth	29.72	20	Qu'Appelle	30.32	14
La Crosse	29.8[illegible]	26	Minnedosa	30.10	—4
Huron	30.16	14	Winnipeg	30.06	—6
Pierre	30.06	2	Port Arthur	29.56	24
Moorhead	30.04	8	Boston	....	....
St. Vincent	29.96	0	Chicago	....	32
Bismarck	30.12	8	Cincinnati	....	....
Williston	....	....	Denver	....	....
Havre	30.14	22	Galveston	....	....
Miles City	30.16	18	Montreal	....	18
Helena	30.22	2	New Orleans	....	70
Pr. Albert	29.76	24	New York	....	50
Calgary	30.16	24	Pittsburg	....	36
Med'e Hat	30.12	14	St. Louis	....	44

P. F. LYONS, Local Forecast Official.

CURRENT TOPICS.

The trustees of the police pension fund will hold a meeting this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The committee on streets of the board of aldermen will meet at 2:30 this afternoon, and the committee on ways and means, from the same body, half an hour earlier.

A party of St. Paul architects, to the number of eight, gathered at the Windsor last night, took supper and afterward held a routine meeting in the ladies' ordinary.

Last night a party of twenty people came over from Minneapolis by sleigh and attended the performance at the Metropolitan. After the play they were served with lunch at the Hotel Ryan.

The board of public works yesterday approved the pay roll of the street and sewer force for the last half of January. The roll amounts to $2,310.40, being the pay of sixty-one men and forty-two teams employed during the period.

John G. Johnson, for fifteen years a member of the St. Paul fire department and for a long time captain of Engine Company No. 4, left for Colorado Springs last evening. Johnson has accepted the position of chief of the fire department of that city.

The St. Paul Camera club gave an interesting exhibition last night at No. 14 East Third street. A number of views of the world's fair were shown on the canvas, greatly delighting an audience quick to appreciate so elevating and beautiful an exhibition.

The Scandinavian-Americans of the city will give a grand mask ball tonight at Market hall under the auspices of the Vega society, the high-toned social organization of those people in the city. The ball will be first-class, and no doubt will be quite a society event.

The Sunday school primary union will hold its regular meeting in the House of Hope parlors today at 3 p. m. Mrs. R. P. Lewis, of the Central Presbyterian church, will teach the lesson for the day. The topic for discussion is: "The Collection; for What Purposes, and Best Methods for Securing It."

A regular meeting of the Civil Engineers' Society of St. Paul will be held Monday. Members will dine together at the Commercial club at 3 p. m. Mr. Hunt will speak on repairs to dam at St. Anthony Falls, and Mr. Hilgard will have something to say of the Northern Pacific railroad tunnel at Westminster street.

Rev. Dr. Hutchins, of Westminster Presbyterian church, will lecture on "Bohemia and the Reformation" at the Dayton Avenue Presbyterian church Sunday. This is one of the series of lectures given at the latter church by the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

J. G. Moore, who is charged with peddling meat without a license, was arraigned in the police court yesterday. The complaint was made by J. P. Peterson, who operates a butcher shop at 806 Payne avenue. The complaint is under the new peddlers' ordinance, and the case will be heard on Tuesday.

Supt. Hoskins, of the street railway company, seen last evening, said the statements that the cars on the Como line had been discontinued so that the laboring men living in the vicinity were discommoded, was untrue. Cars ran on the line every half hour during the day except between 9 o'clock in the morning, and four o'clock in the afternoon. Between these hours the travel was so light that only hourly trips were made.

QUICK RELIEF FROM CROUP an Whooping Cough is afforded by Dr. D Jayne's Expectorant, the old family stand-by for Coughs and Colds, Pulmonary and Bronchial affections.

AT THE HOTELS.

At the Sherman—William F. Buck, Brainerd; B. F. Sanborn, M. M. Brooks, Manhattan, Mont.; R. G. Wear, Miles City; Eli M. Richmond, Chicago; W. L. Waidren, Delavan; W. Harris, Hastings; B. B. Mosher, Battle Lake.

At the Clarendon—J. G. Hunter, Duluth; C. K. Wing, Carrington, N. D.; D. J. Galvin, Jamestown; Miss J. S. Whistler, Montana; Edward C. Shears, Seattle; Charles E. Whitemore, Lyndon; J. F. Griffith, J. S. Carpenter, Des Moines.

At the Windsor—A. W. Dampier, Northfield; A. Kelly, Brandon; J. M. Davis, Chicago; George Urquhart Jr., St. Cloud; F. A. Gardner, Connecticut; L. R. Lothrop, Duluth; S. E. Wilkinson, Galesburg, Ill.; S. Stewart and wife, Morris.

At the Merchants'—W. S. Marsh, Fargo; William A. Bantz, Portland; A. F. Dame, M. D., Winnipeg; G. Kohman, St. Louis; J. Bostwick, Indiana; J. W. Wilson, Kansas City; Charles Clark, Bloomington, Ill.; E. G. Tait, Sauk Center; A. H. Reed, Glencoe; Theodore Crane, New Ulm; Mrs. J. A. Bracketi, Davenport; A. C. Krez, Milwaukee; T. W. Snow, Batavia.

At the Ryan—R. D. Montgomery, New York; C. A. McCarthy, Auburn, N. Y.; M. Loeb, Rock Island; Charles Roth, Louisville; B. F. De Muth, Chicago; R. G. Thornton, Richmond, Va.; E. C. Klauber, Chicago; William H. Romaine, New York; J. Worsdell, Columbus, Ind.; George Shelson, Ironwood; W. Benton, Sioux Falls; E. M. Hoover, Little Falls; W. C. Goodwin, Bristol, Conn.; C. H. Bingham, Canton, O.; S. G. Tuthill, Sioux Falls; George R. Baxter, Faribault.

Greatest Auction Sale

Of dry goods and furnishings in the city; 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. 129 East Seventh street.

FEDERAL COURT.

The case of the Bank of Killingsley against C. N. Nelson et al. is still on trial in the United States circuit court.

F. C. Farrington was yesterday sentenced by Judge Alfred D. Thomas, of the United States district court, to sixty days in the Ramsey county jail and to pay a fine of $15. He is the man indicted for unlawful use of the mails.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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COAL BELOW STANDARD.

MAYOR SAYS CONTRACTOR IS NOT KEEPING AGREEMENT.

JOINT COMMITTEE WORK.

Copeland Favors Fitting Up Grand Jury Room for an Extra Court Room — Assessor Johnstone Wants an Additional Room, and R. T. O'Connor Asks for a Vacant Vault.

At the meeting of the joint court house and city hall committee yesterday, the committee on lighting reported that only partial progress had been made in the matter of investigating the advisability of providing an electric plant to light the building. Further time was asked for and granted.

When the bill for coal furnished was taken up, the mayor stated that he had received a complaint that the coal furnished is not up to the standard provided in the contract. The bill was referred to the committee on claims. Messrs. Zimmerman, Copeland and McCarron were appointed as a committee to investigate the question of salaries paid to janitors and elevator men, and to report on a plan of equalizing the pay. The custodian's pay roll for January, amounting to $1,383.56, as well as a number of bills was ordered paid.

Mr. Copeland, of the committee on grounds and buildings, reported that inquiries had developed the fact that the grand jury room may be fitted up as an extra court room at a cost of $90 for fixtures and $20 for painting. The report was adopted, and the committee directed to have the room fitted up as desired by the judges of the court.

County Assessor Johnstone asked that he be given a room for the use of his clerical force during the busy season, and R. T. O'Connor asked for the use of a vacant vault in which to store the papers that now overflow his vault. Both matters were referred to the committee on grounds and buildings. The committee was given power to act in the former case, but, as Ald. Copeland objected to giving Mr. O'Connor additional room, the committee was only given power to investigate the condition of the vault in the clerk's office.

The appointment of John Churchill as fireman was confirmed. Bids will be advertised for to supply the building with ice for the coming year. The application of H. W. Gorton Jr. to furnish disinfectants for water closets was referred to the committee on grounds and buildings, with instructions to secure his advice as to the advantages and needs of the disinfectant offered.

BLEW OUT HIS BRAINS.

W. H. Sturtevant Committed the Rash Deed.

W. H. Sturtevant, foreman of the freight department at the Minnesota transfer, committed suicide at his residence, 1003 Bayless avenue, yesterday morning.

Sturtevant had an attack of the grip about a year ago and since that time had been troubled with severe pains in his head. About three weeks ago the pain in his head became intense and several days ago he informed one of his associates that unless he obtained relief he would blow his brains out. On Thursday last he visited a physician, who told him it was probable that an abscess was forming at the base of the brain. The information, it is supposed, discouraged him, and this, together with the pain he was suffering, caused temporary insanity. Yesterday morning he arose at the usual hour and had his breakfast. His brother-in-law, William McIntosh, waited at the door for Sturtevant, intending to walk to the transfer with him. After leaving the table Sturtevant went to his wife's bedroom and kissed her good-by. He then came down stairs and, stepping into a closet, placed a revolver to his head and shot the top of his head off. The servant girl heard the sound of the shot, and, running to the door, called to McIntosh, who returned to the house and found the lifeless body of Sturtevant lying on the closet floor. Coroner Whitcomb was called, and after learning the facts decided an inquest unnecessary.

Sturtevant was thirty-five years old, and leaves a wife and two children. He had been in the employ of the transfer company about twelve years, and was a favorite with his associates. He was a member of St. Anthony lodge, I. O. O. F., and also a member of Merriam Park lodge, Royal Arcanum.

The Celebrated Youmans Hats.

Spring opening Saturday, Feb. 3. Last year Joseph McKey & Co., "The Boston," were the sole agents. This year the agency has been transferred to the "Plymouth," corner Seventh and Robert, where the new spring blocks of this leading New York Hat can be found exclusively.

RESOLUTIONS OF SORROW

Adopted by St. Joseph's Hospital Staff and Attendants.

The members of the medical staff of St. Joseph's hospital and other representatives of the institution, for the purpose of giving expression to the esteem and fraternal regard in which was held by them the late Dr. J. H. Murphy, who until the date of his demise had served as one of the members of the staff, have adopted the following resolutions, prepared by a special committee:

Resolved, That in the death of Dr. J. H. Murphy the members of the medical staff of St. Joseph's hospital have lost a fellow worker whose relations with them were always governed by the rules of strictest honor; whose medical labors betokened professional skill and prudent judgment, and who was always most faithful and devoted in the care of the sick.

Resolved, That the Sisters of St. Joseph find in the death of Dr. J. H. Murphy deep reason to mourn their separation from one who was ever ready to give prompt response to the calls which they were wont to make upon him, whose coming was a pleasure to themselves and their patients, whose treatment of the sick was constantly marked by kindness of heart and Christian charity.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of the deceased, and that they be published in the daily papers of St. Paul and the Northwestern Lancet. Signed—

C. J. ABBOTT, M. D.,
A. E. SENKLER, M. D.,
On the part of the Staff.
JOHN IRELAND,
On the part of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

Cheap round-trip rates now in effect via the popular Wisconsin Central line to all Southern Points. Two fast trains daily. Pullman sleepers and dining cars. Call or address F. A. Greene, ticket agent, 164 East Third street, opposite Merchants'.

The Weather for January.

The monthly weather report of Forecast Official Lyon, issued yesterday, shows that the January just closed was exactly the normal temperature for the past twenty-three years, but an average of 7 degrees warmer than January, 1893. The warmest day of the month came on the 17th in the midst of the Northwestern Curling association's bonspiel, when the highest temperature was 43 above. The lowest temperatbre was on the 25th, when the register was 25 degrees below zero. The prevailing direction of the wind was southeast. The precipitation for the month was 1.04, a little greater than the average. The total snowfall was 9.1 inches.

HON. C. A. GILMAN

Installed as the New State Librarian, With Miss Brackett, Assistant.

C. A. Gilman, of St. Cloud, the new state librarian, and Miss Grace Brackett, of St. Paul, his assistant, filed their oaths of office with the secretary of state yesterday, and Mr. Gilman also filed his bond for $2,000, the sureties being Judge L. W. Collins, of the supreme court, and R. C. Judson, of St. Paul.

Mr. Gilman is among the best known citizens of the state, having been a resident of Minnesota for thirty-nine years. He first located at Sauk Rapids, but removed to St. Cloud in 1861, where he has since resided. He has been one of the active Republican politician, of the state, serving in the legislature for five sessions, both as representative and senator, and from 1881 to 1885 he was lieutenant governor. He was admitted to the bar in 1876, but his chief business has been in connection with the lumber trade.

Miss Brackett is a daughter of the late Maj. A. B. Brackett, and has been connected with the West Publishing company for some time, and for a year and a half in the library as an employe of the company. She is thoroughly familiar with the details of law library work and is eminently fitted for her new position. Both Mr. Gilman and Miss Brackett entered upon their duties yesterday.

A strong effort was made to secure the place for Mr. Hendrix, editor of the Sauk Center Herald, who is a son-in-law of the late librarian, but the governor had already decided to select Mr. Gilman.

Money deposited on or before Feb. 3rd at our State Savings Bank, Germania Life Ins. Co.'s Bdg., 4th & Minn. Sts., draws 5 mos.' interest July 1st, 1894.

MOVE TO DISSOLVE.

National Chemical Company Stockholders.

Application was made yesterday to Attorney General Childs by Judge Card, of St. Paul, on behalf of the National Chemical company, a manufacturer of stock feed, with headquarters in Merriam Park, for the use of the attorney general's name in a suit to dissolve the company. The persons bringing suit are D. L. Danforth and C. E. Danforth, of St. Paul, members of the corporation. They complain that they were defrauded at the time of the organization, and that the company was organized in fraud of the state. They say further that the persons who induced them to enter the corporation were insolvent at the time. According to an agreement with the incorporators the whole capital stock was divided up without payment of any value of the stock, and under this agreement Mr. Danforth paid amounts on the stock of all the members amounting to $3,000. Judge Card contends that this is sufficient evidence of fraudulent organization. The opposing interest was represented by Mr. Hart, of the firm of Breen & Hart, of Minneapolis. The other members of the corporation are E. D. Titus, A. A. Titus and Y. W. Cole. The attorney general has taken the matter under advisement.

SERMON ON THE BODY.

Interesting Discourse to the Bethel Habitues.

At the Bethel last night Rev. J. W. Martin, of the Asbury M. E. church, addressed the inmates. He chose as his text, "I keep my body under," I Cor., ix., 27. His first point was to the effect that the Scriptures nowhere disparage the body, but, on the other hand, exalt it. "There is no form" said he, "in the world, that is probably more perfect than the human form." He went on to illustrate the perfections of the human body. His second point was that in the body there was the eye, that should occupy the throne and keep the body under; that members of the body might be absent, but that the man was conscious that he, himself, was presentt. The third point was that the struggle of the soul to maintain the scepter has been the most romantic and pathetic in human history. He illustrated this by several references, among others that of a leading German musician of this state, who, unable to control his appetite for drink, at last made away with himself. His final point was that Divine help was pledged to all. Another meeting will be held next Friday night.

ANOTHER SUCCESS.

Beauty and the Beast Last Evening Better Still.

The second performance of the pretty extravaganza, "Beauty and the Beast," for the benefit of the newsies of the city, was even more successful than the former event. The audience was larger and the performance by the children more finished than it was possible for it to be at the first performance, owing to the limited number of rehearsals.

In addition to the operetta, Mrs. F. P. Wright sang a solo, with a chorus by the "newsies," and besides this she gave "Hush-a-by Baby," the music of which was written by Prof. Carman, and dedicated to Mrs. Wright. Franklyn W. Lee gave an original character sketch, which was very amusing, and Miss Ida Adell Robinson, who has recently come to this city from Boston, gave a reading which was most enjoyable. The little Bryants, Princess and Marguerite, again won for themselves the greatest amount of commendation, and their pretty dancing fully deserved all they received.

Sandford Billings, of Minneapolis, came down last night to see the little Bryant girls dance, and concluded to remain, as invited, and assist in the programme. He sang twice in the most entertaining way. He has a wonderful voice for so small a boy. The play will be repeated this afternoon, and the following special features will be added: Solo, Sandford Billings; character song, Fanny Dean; "After the Ball," Baby Roedell; "Tinker's Chorus," Christ church boys; solo, Anna Campbell; solo by Mrs. F. P. Wright, with a chorus of fifty newsboys.

Auction! Auction!

Bargains! Bargains! Don't fail to attend this great sale of dry goods. 192 East Seventh street.

Must Meet Elsewhere.

The gospel temperance meetings which have been held in the People's theater under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. cannot longer continue in that building on account of its being closed. An excellent programme was arranged for the coming Sunday, and many will be disappointed to learn that the meeting must be postponed until Feb. 11, when it will be held in Market hall, the address tobe made by Rev. J. W. Conley, of the First Baptist church.

BEECHAM'S PILLS
Cure SICK HEADACHE.
25 Cents a Box.
OF ALL DRUGGISTS.

KENNEDY AGAIN.

Appears in Court With an Attorney.

The much-discussed Joseph Kennedy case bobbed up again yesterday in the criminal court, presided over by Judge Willis. The prisoner was taken into court. Judge Willis reviewed some of the preceding incidents in the cause celebre, and stated that in view of the circumstances of the case he would prefer that another judge should hear the matter, and would continue the case over the term. Kennedy arose at this point and stated that he had engaged George W. Walsh as his attorney. Being placed under oath, he stated that while he did not have money in the first instance to employ an attorney, since the case became noted his friends had raised money to defray the expenses of an attorney. Mr. Walsh was present, as was also Mr. Howard, the attorney recently appointed by the court to defend the man. The case was continued until next Friday, when it is expected that some disposition of it may be made. It is hinted that Kennedy will proffer his former plea of guilty of burglary in the third degree.

COMMITTEE NAMED.

Archbishop Ireland Chooses Those to Take Charge.

Archbishop Ireland has appointed the following well known total abstainers of the St. Paul archdiocese as a general committee in charge of the twenty-fourth annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinance Union of America to be held in St. Paul early next August: Revs. P. R. Heffron, D. D.; L. Cosgrove, T. J. Gibbons; Messrs. Thomas McDermott, J. F. McGuire, P. M. Marony, J. C. Nolan, A. W. Gutridge, J. J. Regan, J. R. O'Reilly, T. F. Naughton, M. E. Fitzgerald, Mesdames William Louis Kelly, John G. Donnelly, Misses Mary I. Cramsie, Honora Clinton, Katharine Collins, all of St. Paul; Revs. James O'Reilly, J. M. Cleary, Messrs. Daniel Getchell, J. H. Smith, H. C. Sherry, of Minneapolis; P. E. Burke, John O'Brien, Stillwater; Rev. J. J. Slevin, P. McKenna, Shieldsville; F. A. Barth, Watertown; and Edward Rowles, of Belle Creek.

Mr. Guthridge is named chairman. With a committee so capable as the members of this one are known to be in this locality, and especially as the archbishop is giving the matter his personal attention, a surpassing success in the way of a convention may be looked for.

TEN-DAY REPORT.

Usual Soldiers' Home Showing of Secretary Beebe.

Secretary Beebe yesterday received the ten-day (ending Jan. 3) report from the soldiers' home. Present in the home, 350; absent on leave, 40. Admitted since last report: Andrew J. Bolsinger, Company G, Second Minnesota; Myron C. Caufield, Company I, Sixteenth Wisconsin, fifty-eight years old; George Feelan, Company A, Thirteenth Wisconsin, sixty-three years old; S. G. Hurtt, Company A, Twelfth Wisconsin, seventy years old; Patrick Hiurs, Company I, First United States cavalry, fifty-five years old; George Myers, Company K, Fifth New York; Lorenzo Rugg, Company F, Sixth Wisconsin, fifty-eight years old; Martin V. Stateler, Company C, One Hundred and Thirteenth Illinois, fifty-five years old; John Freaney, Company D, Fifth New York cavalry, fifty-one years old, discharged; John O. Burnurs, Company A, Eleventh Minnesota, sixty-nine years old; George Goetzman, Company G, Second Minnesota cavalry, seventy years old; John Humphrey, Company D, Eleventh Wisconsin, seventy-two years old.

GREAT CONCERT.

An Attraction Seldom Seen in St. Paul.

The concert this evening at the People's church will be one of the most varied and attractive of the season. Mme. Caroline Ostberg, prima donna of the Royal theater in Stockholm, is the greatest singer of Sweden, and has a voice of wonderful power and compass. Mme. Lucie Palicot will exhibit for the first time to a St. Paul audience her remarkable accomplishments with a pedalia-piano, an instrument played with both hands and feet, and having the combined qualities of the organ and the grand piano. With Louis Blumenberg, the only American violoncellist who has made a great reputation in Europe, and David G. Henderson, who has recorded a marked success in the East, a musical programme of unusual interest is assured. Reserved seats may be secured at Howard, Farwell & Co.'s or at the door.

DISTRICT COURT.

Julius Hergert, a harness maker at 228 East Page street, has made a voluntary assignment to Michael Tracy for the benefit of general creditors.

Judge Kerr has sustained the demurrer of the plaintiff to the amended answer of the garnishee in the case of Joseph McKibbin and others against Swen Ellingson and Edmund H. Turner as garnishee. Ellingson lived in North Dakota and made an assignment to E. H. Turner, of Minneapolis. The latter removed the effects to Minneapolis, where he was garnished by McKibbin & Co., of St. Paul. It was held when the first answer of Turner was filed that the assignment in North Dakota did not prevent the garnishment in this state. The court makes the same ruling in this amended answer.

Good Cooking

Is one of the chief blessings of every home. To always insure good custards, puddings, sauces, etc., use Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk. Directions on the label. Take no substitute for the Eagle Brand.

UNEMPLOYED COMPLAIN.

Think the Friendly Inn Should Give Them Money.

A large delegation of the unemployed visited the mayor yesterday with complaints against the management of the citizens' relief committee. The men claimed that they cannot get work at the Friendly Inn sawing wood, and even if they could the pay in wood and supplies would not pay rent or purchase medicines. The mayor made a short talk in which he said the idea was to pay the men who worked on the streets half in cash and half in supplies. W. L. Wilson, who has charge of the employment bureau, was sent for and explained to the men that it was impossible to pay cash for the work, as there was no money in the fund. The closing of the wood yard he said was owing to the Milwaukee road objecting to the piling of wood under its freight house.

Two hundred tickets were given out yesterday for work on the streets next week, the recipients agreeing to take their pay in fuel and supplies.

Elected Officers.

The co-operative hall board of labor headquarters held its annual meeting last night, and elected officers as follows: President, Ambrose Bill, of the tailors' union; secretary, Joseph La Vier, of the tin, sheet iron and cornicemakers' union; treasurer, James Cleary, of the barbers' union; trustees, William Brown, Frank O'Rourke and Ralph Raney.

MURPHY FUNERAL.

Where the Organizations Will Sit in Church.

The funeral of the late Dr. J. H. Murphy, which takes place this afternoon from the Central Park M. E. church, will be one of the largest occasions of the kind in the history of the city. From the preparations now under way it is expected that the church will be nearly filled by the various organizations which will attend in bodies. The organizations will be located in the church as follows:

The central row of pews will be occupied by the various lodges of Masons, Cataract Blue lodge, of Minneapolis, which was organized by the deceased and eight others in 1852, probably taking the front seats, Damascus Commandery, which has charge of the funeral, coming next, and other lodges filling in behind. The honorary pall-bearers, composed of ex-Gov. Ramsey, J. B. Sanborn, Russel Blakely, J. J. Hill, Peter Berkey, Dr. David Day, Col. A. Allen and Dr. S. D. Flagg, all of St. Paul; ex-Gov. Pillsbury and Col. J. H. Stevens, of Minneapolis; ex-Gov. Hubbard, of Red Wing, and E. W. Durant, of Stillwater, will occupy the front seats of the Minnesota street side row of pews; back of these will sit the active pallbearers, composed of Damascus commandery knights; next will sit the old settlers, and back of the old settlers the medical societies. The west side row of pews will be occupied by the G. A. R. posts, Acker post sitting in front. The front row of seats of the lecture room will be occupied by Gov. Nelson and his staff; and back of these will sit the Minnesota Loyal Legion commandery. The exercises will begin at 2:30.

ONE DECISION.

Court Below Affirmed in Its Order.

The supreme court yesterday handed down one decision, written by Judge Buck, the syllabus of which reads as follows:

Charles M. Wilkinson, as assignee of the Minneapolis Box & Lumber company, insolvent, appellant, vs. H. C. Akeley Lumber Company, respondent. Order affirmed. BUCK, J.

Syllabus—Contract in this case construed as not authorizing the vendee to sell the property therein described, either in its original or changed form, and apply the proceeds to its own use without paying the purchase money to the vender.

Held further that the provisions of the contract are entirely consistent with the construction that the title to the boxes manufactured out of the lumber was to remain in the vender and that the proceeds of the boxes when sold were to be applied in payment of the lumber out of which the boxes were made.

PRESS FEEDERS MEET.

Adopt Resolutions and Nominate Officers.

St. Paul Press Feeders' Union No. 9 held their monthly meeting at the new headquarters last night, and found the place very much more satisfactory than the old hall. The following preambles and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, It having pleased Almighty God, through His infinite wisdom, to call from our midst a well-beloved and esteemed member, also at one time president of our organization, John J. Sullivan, and

Whereas, By the sad and untimely death a feeling of deep sorrow was cast on this union; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this body takes the opportunity to express to the bereaved family its sympathy and condolence in the hour of their affliction.

Resolved further, That our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days, and a copy spread on our books.

Resolved further, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family of the late John J. Sullivan.

Nomination of officers took place last night. The election will be closely contested. Candidates for president are Ed Morgan, present incumbent, and C. S. Rinke. The meeting adjourned until next Wednesday evening.

PROPOSITION REJECTED.

Shoemakers' Union Will Not Hear to a Reduction.

The boot and shoemakers' union held an interesting meeting last night in the new labor headquarters. Among the matters considered was the proposition made by Capt. Henry A. Castle to the trades and labor assembly that the labor organizations recommend a reduction in wages all along the line to $1 per day for a period of sixty days. The delegates to the assembly from the union reported that the assembly had rejected the proposition. The union last night passed resolutions approving the course of the trades and labor assembly, and declaring opposition to the reduction in wages suggested. The union has completed its final arrangements for the ball to be given by it Tuesday evening next at Turner hall, and expect it to be a grand affair. This is the first annual ball of the union, and all the members have a pride in making it a success.

GRAND JURY

Will Probably Make a Report This Forenoon.

The grand jury was in session yesterday, and adjourned until this morning. Chief of Police Garvin was before the body yesterday afternoon, and the mayor was sent for, but did not get there until the grand jurors were leaving the court house in the evening. He is expected to appear this morning. A report is expected from the grand jury today. It is very probable that the mayor and chief of police were called to testify in the matter of the notorious case of Joseph Kennedy, whose plea of guilty to burglarizing the mayor's residence was set aside by Judge Willis.

EIGHTH WARD CLUB

Meets for Election of Officers and Other Work.

The members of the Eighth Ward Banner Democratic club will meet at Brandl's hall, on University avenue, Friday, Feb. 9, at 8 o'clock p. m., sharp, for the election of officers for the ensuing term, and for the transaction of business relative to the coming spring and fall elections. Let every member and sympathizer be present and rally around the banner won at Minneapolis in 1892. By order of the executive committee.

Auction.

Have you seen the immense crowd that attends the great sale of dress goods, etc. Everything must be closed. 129 East Seventh street.

Suits Dismissed.

DENVER, Feb. 2.—The statutory ten days having elapsed since the Tabor Amusement company brought suit against David Henderson, of the Chicago opera house, for $100,000 damages, and no bill of complaint having been filed with the clerk of the district court, counsel for Henderson today had the suit dismissed at plaintiff's cost. The $50,000 suit of John Tranchitello, leader of the Tabor orchestra, was also dismissed for the same reason.

THE TAX ON STATE BANKS.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON BANKING VOTES AGAINST REPEAL.

ONLY 1 MAJORITY RECORDED.

Three Democrats Join the Solid Republican Section of the Committee in Refusing to Relieve State Banks From the Tax on Their Circulation—Several Other Bills to Be Proposed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The effort to repeal the tax on state bank circulations was beaten in the committee on banking today by a vote of 8 yeas to 9 nays. The vote was taken on the bill of Representative Cox (Dem., Tenn.), which relieves state banks from any tax on their circulation, but does not extend the relief to circulation issued by private individuals or corporations.

The vote in detail was as follows:

For the Bill—Cox, Tennessee; Cobb, Alabama; Hall, Missouri; Ellis, Kentucky; Johnson, Ohio; Cobb, Missouri; Black, Georgia, and Culberson, Texas—all Democrats.

Against the Bill—Springer, Illinois; Sperry, Connecticut; Warner, New York, Democrats; and Johnson, Indiana; Brosius, Pennsylvania; Walker, Massachusetts; Russell, Connecticut; Henderson, Illinois, and Haugen, Wisconsin, Republicans.

The favorable votes of Johnson, of Ohio, and Cobb, of Missouri, were given with the reservation that they would vote against the bill on the floor of the house. The second vote was taken on a motion to reconsider the motion to lay on the table. This time the lines were differently drawn, although the result was the same, 9 to 8 ayes.

Sperry, Culberson, Walker, Brosius, Henderson, Russell, Haugen, Johnson (Ind.), Springer, voting aye.

Cox, Cobb (Mo.), Cobb (Ala.), Ellis, Warner, Johnson (O.), Black, Hall, voting nay.

Mr. Warner says that his new bill will be designed to secure repeal speedily, and with it an elastic currency. Several other bills to secure repeal of state bank tax, with various limitations, are before the committee and may be taken up. Chairman Springer, of the committee, said concerning the vote: "I do not regard it as finally disposing of the state bank question. It will get before the house in one form or another.

CAPITOL NOTES.

The state board of boiler inspectors will hold its annual meeting at the state capitol Feb. 15, 16 and 17.

Capt. E. B. Shanks, of Fairmont, and Senator Burkhardt, of Wabasha, were callers at the state capitol yesterday.

Ex-Senator E. B. Van Hosen, of Alexandria, and Judge Fleming, of Brainerd, called on the governor yesterday.

The McInnis Mining company, of Duluth, with a capital stock of $50,000, filed articles yesterday with the secretary of state.

Sheriff Norby, of Becker county, called at the state auditor's office yesterday and collected $29.80 for conveying one prisoner to the reformatory.

Articles of incorporation of the Foss & Lund Publishing company, of Moorhead, with a capital stock of $10,000, were filed yesterday with the secretary of state.

Articles of incorporation of the Hofflin-Thompson Drug company, of Minneapolis, with a capital stock of $35,000, were filed yesterday with the secretary of state.

Articles of incorporation of the Indian Medical Spring Water company, of Minneapolis, with a capital stock of $15,000, were filed yesterday with the secretary of state.

A certificate of the gross earnings of the Minnesota Belt Line Railway and Transit company, on line from St. Anthony Park to Minneapolis stockyards, amounting to $31,434.11, was filed yesterday with the state auditor. The tax levied on this amount is $416.61.

The adjutant general yesterday received the new faithful service medal for those who have served ten years in the national guard. The medal for those having served fifteen years is silver, and the ten years' medal is bronze, but both are of the same design. These will be distributed in the course of a few days.

The following insurance companies filed annual reports with the insurance commissioner yesterday, and were relicensed to do business in the state: National Life of Montpelier, Vt.; National Surety of Kansas City; Interstate Casualty, of New York; British & Foreign Marine, New York; Railway Officials & Employes' Accident Association, of Indiana; Masons' Union Life of Indiana; Minnesota Accident, of St. Paul; Minnesota Scandinavian Relief, of Red Wing.

The Celebrated Youmans Hats.

Spring opening Saturday, Feb. 3. Last year Joseph McKey & Co., "The Boston," were the sole agents. This year the agency has been transferred to the "Plymouth," corner Seventh and Robert, wher the new spring blocks of this leading New York Hat can be found exclusively.

Harrison's California Trip.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 2.—Ex-President Benjamin Harrison is making active preparations for his trip to California, where he is to deliver the first of his lectures before the students of Leland Stanford Jr. university. He will start in about two weeks. He will be accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. McKee, and her family, and his private secretary.

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Another crop of decided Bargains to which every department has contributed.

$1 and $1.25 Underwear

For 50 Cents.

All that is left of an immense purchase of Ladies' Vests and Pants will be closed out today at

50 Cents

a garment—less than half-price. This Underwear comes in White and Natural Gray, all-wool or ¾-wool. The regular retail prices are $1 and $1.25. All go for 50 cents today. Unfortunately there are not many Drawers left.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

200 fine Muslin Gowns, tucked yoke, finished with large collar and cuffs of embroidery, **$1.00** today. Regular price, $1.50.

100 fine Muslin Chemises, round or square neck, finished with fine insertion and embroidery, only **65 cents.**

Fast Black, Perfect-Fitting Corsets, **65 cents;** worth $1.

Z Z Corsets, white or black, **$2.00.**

GLOVES AND HANDKERCHIEFS.

Genuine "Jouvin" Suede Gloves, in fancy shades, at these special prices today:

4-button lengths, **$1.45;** regular price, $1.85.

8-button lengths, **$1.85;** regular price, $2.25.

Bear in mind these reductions are for the best Gloves in the world.

Novelties in Sheer Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs trimmed with lace, insertion and edging,

25 Cents.

VERY SPECIAL.

1,000 boxes Hurd's Irish Linen Correspondence Paper and Hurd's Satin-Wove Papers, white, cream and tints,

39 Cents

a box, containing 120 sheets.

125 Envelopes to match, also **39 cents** a box.

Eastern stationers sell both kinds for 85c and $1 a box. These will be sold in full boxes only.

LINEN ROOM.

As usual, some of the very best bargains will be found in the Linen Room:

Four numbers of Nottingham Curtains, 3½ yards long, at 90 cents, $1, $1.35 and $2 a pair. Just about half-price.

1,500 feet of ¼-inch Brass Rods at **One Cent** a foot today; worth 5 cents.

Brackets and Sockets for same, **Four Cents** a pair; worth 10 cents.

Twelve yards, a full dress pattern, of genuine Black Shanghai Silk, only **$5.75.** That's **48 cents** a yard. Last season's price was 85c.

FOR MEN.

Neckwear for Spring—Styles for '94,

We found a maker who made up a lot of "Windsor Ends," Four-in-Hands and Teck Scarfs from Silks used for 75c and $1 Neckwear. We'll sell them today for

50 Cents

each. The maker lost money on them, and we're not making anything. Our customers reap all the benefits of the purchase, and we take the glory.

Another 50-dozen lot of Men's pure **Irish Linen** Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, **