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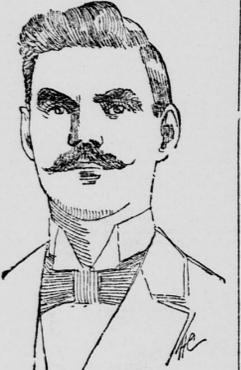


John Weyerer.

the respect of all who came in contact with him by his careful and judicious administration of the varied interests left in his care at his father's death.

FRANK G. BRADY.

A good type of our progressive young business men is Mr. Frank G. Brady, the president of the board of aldermen.



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merchants, and is a man of fine executive ability.

Mr. Brady's Democracy is unquestionable, and he has for several years contributed largely to the successes of the Democratic party in this county without hope of reward.

Last spring, at the solicitation of many friends, Mr. Brady consented to run for the aldermanic honors of his ward, which he secured by a handsome majority.

He was chosen president of the board of aldermen, over whose deliberations he presides with unusual ability.



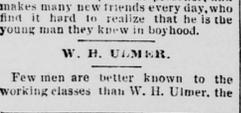
John A. Wolf.

to place business men in office. In pursuance of this policy the Democracy of the Eighth ward nominated John A. Wolf, a thriving young merchant.

Mr. Wolf's political career has been short, but in his business and social life he is immensely popular.

W. H. ULMER.

Few men are better known to the working classes than W. H. Ulmer, the



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cut stone contractor, who has for years been a constant employer at fair living prices, and has never had a strike or

any expression of dissatisfaction occur among his employees. Mr. Ulmer has been a worker in the ranks of the Democracy for many years, but not until last spring did he enter the lists as a candidate, at which time he was the choice of a majority of his fellow citizens for aldermanic honors.

Their choice has proven a wise one, for Mr. Ulmer's sound business views and practically have proven him to be the right man in the right place.

CHARLES KARTAK.

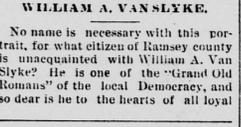
Among the young business men who have forged their way to the front in the past two years comes Mr. Charles Kartak, whose ability and enterprise have won him recognition in business



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and political circles. Mr. Kartak was chosen last spring as the representative of the Second ward in St. Paul in the city council.

No name is necessary with this portrait, for what citizen of Ramsey county is unacquainted with William A. Van Slyke? He is one of the "Grand Old Romans" of the local Democracy, and so dear is he to the hearts of all loyal



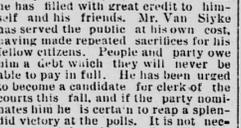
Wm. A. Van Slyke.

citizens that he has for years been endeavoring to retire from public life in vain. The people naturally look to Mr. Van Slyke when they want an honest, efficient, energetic public servant, and he has consequently been forced into many prominent positions, all of which he has filled with great credit to himself and his friends.



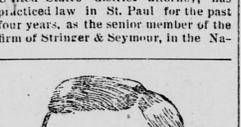
E. C. Stringer.

Mr. E. C. Stringer, the present able United States district attorney, has practiced law in St. Paul for the past four years, as the senior member of the firm of Stringer & Seymour, in the Na-



R. A. Walsh.

school. Mr. Walsh is a candidate for the office of district judge, and is favorably spoken of as an available candidate by all who know him.



John J. Ahern.

A familiar face in the municipal court room is that of John J. Ahern, the efficient clerk, who has grown up with the city.



L. I. Casserly.

For thirteen years he has been a resident of the Fourth ward, and during that time has wrought for himself a place in the commercial life of our city

such as a man twenty years his senior might well be proud of.

The Democratic party has never had a more loyal, consistent or disinterested adherent than he. In every campaign, local, state and national, he has lent his inspiration to his political associates and surroundings. He has more than won his spurs as a leader, having been cap-



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tain of the Fourth Ward Democratic club two years ago, when he led his forces to Minneapolis, and being ever foremost in every public demonstration for Democratic candidates and principles.

It is as a business man that Mr. Casserly will appeal to popular support. It is that character that he possesses his strongest claim to that office. All his training has gone to make him an ideal auditing official. His business is that of real estate, insurance and loans, the successful conduct of which requires that a man shall be a skillful and expert accountant, have thorough understanding of real estate values, and have placed himself to be worthy of the highest financial trusts that can be imposed.

J. C. MICHAEL.

The subject of this sketch is one of the most active young Democrats in St. Paul, and no campaign passes without



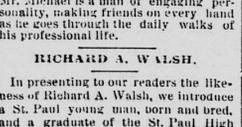
J. C. Michael.

his valuable services. Mr. Michael is an interesting and eloquent speaker, thoroughly posted on all the political issues, and his campaign addresses attract large and thoughtful audiences.



Richard A. Walsh.

In presenting to our readers the likeness of Richard A. Walsh, we introduce a St. Paul young man, born and bred, and a graduate of the St. Paul High



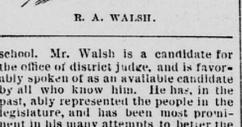
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brand, is beyond criticism. Two years ago Mr. Peebles was a candidate for the office of assistant county attorney, but did not secure the position.



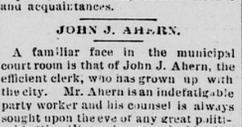
S. J. Donnelly.

Everybody knows that Stan Donnelly is a Minnesota boy, for he is the son of Ignatius Donnelly, the Sage of Nimrod. After Stan was given a thorough academic and college education he came to St. Paul and studied law in the offices of C. D. O'Brien.



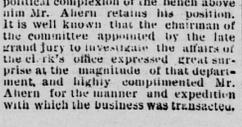
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This, despite the fact that influence rather than merit often forces a choice of help upon him that is incompetent to properly perform the duties exacted. In the year 1889 a committee appointed by the common council made a careful and exhaustive examination of the records of the clerk, actually composed entirely of Republicans, reported that every dollar has been accounted for and that the records were well and carefully kept.



J. J. Ahern.

his books prove better than anything else that the finances of his office have been handled in a thoroughly honest and business-like manner.

DAVID F. PEEBLES.

David F. Peebles, the subject of this sketch, was born in Virginia, thirty-two years ago. He graduated from the Washington Lee university, and has since that time been practicing law. Mr. Peebles has been a resident of St. Paul for several years, and during that time has built up a fine law practice.



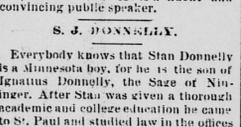
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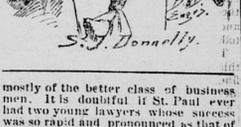
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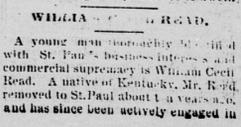
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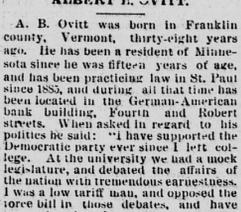
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the real estate business. Mr. Read is a great favorite in all circles, business, social and political, and has been recently honored by being chosen chairman of Mr. Barragh's campaign committee.



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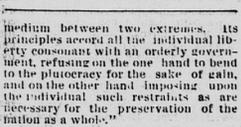
Albert E. Oviit.

A. B. Oviit was born in Franklin county, Vermont, thirty-eight years ago. He has been a resident of Minnesota since he was fifteen years of age, and has been practicing law in St. Paul since 1883.



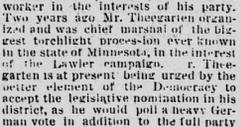
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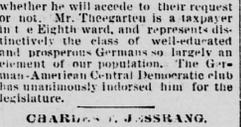
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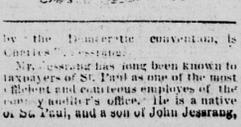
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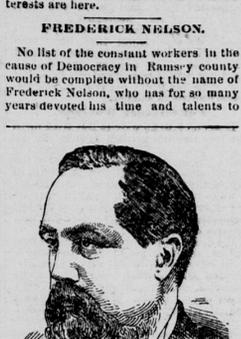
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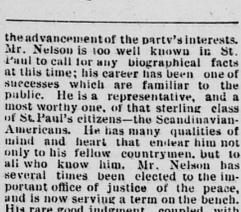
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one of the oldest settlers here, who died a few months ago. Charles Jessrang is a strong advocate of the principles of Democracy, and if elected to the legislature, as is most probable, his high character for integrity will be a guarantee of his usefulness as a public servant.



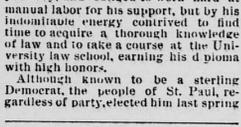
Frederick Nelson.

No list of the constant workers in the cause of Democracy in Ramsey county would be complete without the name of Frederick Nelson, who has for so many years devoted his time and talents to



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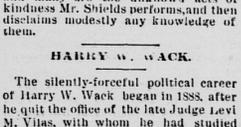
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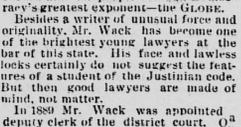
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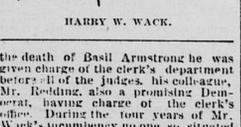
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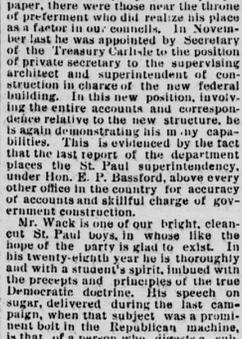
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While it was not so notorious that he had saved the party and the party's paper, there were those near the throne of preferment who did realize his place as a factor in our councils.



Dr. W. J. Hurd.

Dr. W. J. Hurd, whose portrait appears above, has for years been an



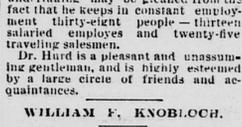
William F. Knobloch.

active Democrat. He has been proffered several times political honors, but his immense business requires constant attention as to preclude his participation in public life.



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Out in the Fifth ward, where they raise nothing but good Democrats and some citizens, dwell the subject of this sketch, William E. Knobloch.



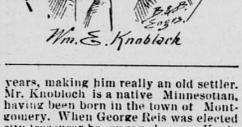
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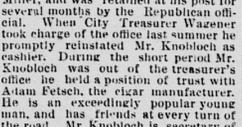
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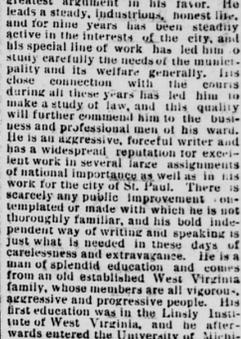
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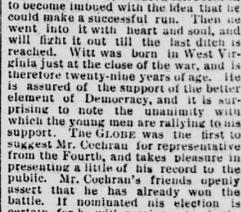
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extends the length and breadth of the ward. The surface causes of his high standing are liberal-mindedness and geniality, but to the thinking men the fact that he stands at the head of his profession, has no demerit on his reputation, and is thoroughly familiar with the interests of the municipality, is the greatest argument in his favor.



Dr. De Witt C. Jones.

Among the most popular young physicians of St. Paul, Dr. De Witt C. Jones takes a prominent place.



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to complete this array of brilliant young Democrats it is necessary to add Thomas J. McDermott, who has recently been elected chairman of the Demo-



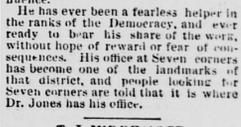
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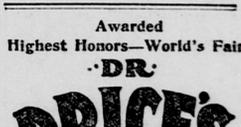
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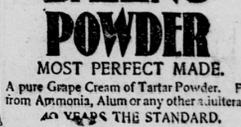
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