SAINT PAUL.

HERE AND THERE.

The state librarian has received Kould and Lucker's Federal Income Tax.

Supt. Pendergast will attend a meeting of the school officers of Kandiyohi county, at Willmar, this morning.

The W. H. Ketzeback Milling company, of Wells, has been incorporated under the state laws. The capital stock is $50,000.

A meeting will be held tonight at the First Baptist church, led by seven young men of the state university, of special interest to young men.

Mrs. D. F. Colville fell upon an icy sidewalk Tuesday afternoon and was seriously hurt, though her physician thinks she will be out in a few days.

A certificate of amendment of the articles of incorporation of the Great Northern Fence company was filed yesterday with the secretary of state.

An adjourned meeting of citizens will be held tonight at Woolsey hall, Case and Burr streets, for the purpose of discussing pending municipal legislation.

"The World's Fair" will be the subject of a free lecture this evening at the Bethel Boat, foot of Sibley street. This lecture will be fully illustrated by a fine collection of stereopticon views.

The Equitable Aid Insurance company, of Pennsylvania, whose license was revoked some time ago for nonpayment of a judgment, has settled the matter, and has been relicensed by the insurance commissioner.

The Ivy Leaf social club will give a social hop next Saturday evening at 78 South Robert street. Music will be furnished by the Florentine orchestra. A valuable prize will be given to the best lady and gentleman waltzer.

A certificate was filed yesterday in the office of the secretary of state, by which the articles of incorporation of the Minneapolis Western Railway company are amended. The amount of the capital stock of the company is now raised to $250,000.

The retail clerks' association will give a dime social tonight at Labor hall. The programme consists of an overture by Ryder's orchestra; solo by Mrs. Charles Grant; fantasia for flute by Henry and John Rokenkirchen; ballad by T. C. Couners, and piano solo by F. W. Krieger.

Potatoes, French fried, Lyonnaise potatoes, croquettes, hash brown potatoes, potatoes au gratin and sweet potatoes, will be the subject of Miss Thomson's demonstration lesson this afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the rooms of the Young Women's Friendly association, 135 Jackson street.

The following companies filed annual reports with the insurance commissioner yesterday: The Farmers' Accident and Life and the World Life and Accident, of Minneapolis; the German, of Freeport, Ill., and the United States branch of the Sun Insurance company, of New York.

The carpenters and joiners are still adding new names to the membership roll. There were eight added at last Tuesday's meeting. The union is now in good standing, there being ninety-four members on the roll. Next Tuesday will be the last opportunity for new members to enter under the old fee.

At the home of Mrs. Richter, 245 East Winifred street, on Friday evening, Jan. 25, at 8 o'clock, a kettle-drum will be given by the Willard union, W. C. T. U., at which Mesdames Bryant, St. Pierre and Kimball will read papers on the question, "Shall Women Be Allowed Municipal Suffrage?" All the friends of the union are cordially invited.

Merriam's Home Scorched.

Fire in Gov. Merriam's residence on Merriam hill last night caused damage to the extent of $100. The blaze was located in the partition between the front hall and dining room and was caused by the superheating of the pipes connecting with the radiator. The firemen worked with the portable extinguishers and prevented damage by water, the blaze being quickly extinguished.

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For a Sack of the best Flour in the world (Yerxa's Extra): this price for today only.

5 CENTS
Each for Fresh Pies; today's sale.

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Per lb. for good Evaporated Apples.

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Per dozen boxes best Parlor Matches, while the carload lasts.

Step in and try our Buckwheat Pancakes, made from Yerxa's Extra Self-Raising Buckwheat.

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Per dozen for fresh Eggs.

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Per pound for a fine Creamery Butter.

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Per bag, 12½ lbs., of Granulated Yellow or White Cornmeal.

20 CENTS
Per bag, 12½ pounds, Best Graham Flour.

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Per pound for Fine Sausage Meat.

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Per pound for fresh dressed Fowls.

6 CENTS
Per pound for Veal Stew.

7 CENTS
Per pound for Fresh Boneless Ham.

8 CENTS
Per can for Mustard Sardines.

15 CENTS
Per gallon for Pure Sweet Cider.

15 CENTS
Per dozen for fine Messina Lemons.

10 CENTS
Per pound for good Raisin-Cured Apricots.

10 CENTS
Per pound for good Evaporated Peaches.

5 CENTS
Per can for excellent Sugar Corn.

7 CENTS
Per can for Silver Shield Corn.

10 CENTS
Per can for Yerxa's Extra Corn.

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Great Nut and Candy sale at prices unheard of:

Peanut Taffy	10c
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Mail orders will be filled at prices current when order arrives.

Yerxa Bros. & Co
Right-Priced Grocers,
SEVENTH AND CEDAR.

BOLD HIGHWAYMEN.

August Rohe, a Well-Known Printer, Held Up and Robbed

BY A TRIO OF MASKED MEN.

The Crime Is Committed in the Very Heart of the City

AND THE ROBBERS ESCAPE.

Rohe Is Choked Into Insensibility and Robbed of $180.

A bold and successful piece of highway robbery was perpetrated in the heart of the city early last evening.

It was only a few minutes after 6 o'clock, when August Rohe, a well-known compositor, was walking along Sixth street on his way to his home at 414 North Exchange street. Mr. Rohe had $180 in cash in his pocket, which he had just received in repayment of money loaned by him to his fellow printers during the week. As he drew near a cement store on Sixth street between Franklin and Exchange streets, Mr. Rohe noticed three men standing in the doorway of the store. He hurried quickly by. Next to the cement store there is an alley way. Mr. Rohe was in the act of crossing the alley, when the three men suddenly

Pounced Upon Him

and quickly dragged him way back in the alley. There one one of them choked him into insensibility. This done, the trio rifled his pockets of their contents, securing not only the $180, but also taking Rohe's pension papers and house keys from him. From the fact that the robbers took the papers, it is believed that they are not experienced highwaymen.

When Mr. Rohe recovered consciousness he found himself lying on the ground back of the cement store, minus all his money and other property. He got up and proceeded at once over to the central police station and reported what had happened to him. Mr. Rohe said that he recognized the face of one of the men who attacked him, but he did not know his name. He was sure, however, that he had seen that face up in the GLOBE composing room on Wednesdays when the compositors draw their pay. The other two men Mr. Rohe described as tall and dark, but further details he was unable to perceive.

Whoever the men are who held-up Mr. Rohe they were doubtless aware of the fact that Mr. Rohe loaned money to compositors and always had a considerable amount with him on Wednesday evenings, when the printers receive their salaries.

LOST THEIR HOMES.

Four Italian Families Suffer by Fire.

Fire burned four Italian families out of their houses and homes early last evening. They dwelt in four small cottages adjoining each other on the upper flats, near the foot of Chestnut street. The fire broke out shortly before 7:30. Before the department could possibly arrive the shanties were reduced to ashes. The total loss—and nothing was saved but a few articles of clothing and some kitchen utensils—amounted to at least $1,000. The names of the heads of the families thus rendered destitute are Antonio Vacco, Gingeppe Daddario, Nicola Daddario and Gidgeppe Severi.

DEATH OF MRS. KELLER.

Another Pioneer Passes From Earth.

Mrs. Annice E. Keller, of Eichenwald street, died at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, and by her death St. Paul loses another of its oldest and most respected citizens. Mrs. Keller was fifty-five years of age and has resided in St. Paul since 1856. She was the widow of the late John M. Keller, who, at the time of his death, was one of St. Paul's most prominent citizens. Mrs. Keller leaves eight children, five sons and three daughters, beside a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Their Fifth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. McCormick, of Selby avenue, celebrated the fifth anniversary of their marriage Tuesday evening. The affair was an entire surprise to Mr. McCormick, his wife having put up a job on him, so to speak, and let a few of her friends into the secret. The evening was pleasantly spent in card playing. The Cable Euchre club presented the happy couple with a mahogany chair. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, Miss Eva Whitney, Mrs. Whitcomb, Fred Whitcomb, Glenn Gessler, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Warner Jr. and Dr. Hutchins, of Minneapolis.

PERSONALS.

At the Metropolitan—H. C. Talbot and wife, Hastings; P. C. Ranger, Peoria, Ill.; Frank D. Pelle, Syracuse, N. Y.; Miss G. M. McKinstry, Faribault; W. W. Wall, Lanesboro.

At the Windsor—William Cowan, Brandon; D. W. Cowan, Hinckley; Robert Haughan and wife, Duluth; C. L. Hall, Ypsilanti; H. Mankel, Buffalo, N. Y.; Latayette French, A. W. Wright, S. D. Catherwood, Austin; J. G. Sonnesyn, St. James; C. W. Sonnesyn, Butterfield.

At the Clarendon—H. A. Fass, Moorhead; O. P. B. Jacobson, O. D. Leidal, Fergus Falls; W. M. James, Breckenridge; O. Arlitton, Milwaukee; D. Barton, Wheaton; F. W. Snyder, Stewart; Joseph Keenan, J. B. Revord, Austin; C. W. Schultz, Worthington; K. O. Nette, Granite Falls; G. Wahlund, Spring Lake; A. Martinson, Farmington; John Erickson, Hancock.

At the Ryan—N. T. Hauser, Montana; E. T. Shantz, Cincinnati; Charles L. Sullivan, G. N. Pannell and wife, H. A. Schroetter, E. R. Rowe, George H. Doran, D. S. Allen, A. Ballenberg, E. D. Keafield, Chicago; B. A. Rice, Archibald S. Newbery, Frank E. Miller, E. H. Kluge, John Balton, Gustave Frohman, Ad Dryer, E. Heath Jr., W. L. Wagner, W. M. Dietrich, New York. August Roemer, St. Louis; L. E. Hanson, Pittsburg.

At the Merchants'—Horan Hann, T. Johnson and wife, Fargo; N. E. Dowell, James Hill, Mr. Hall, Leslie Welter, Missoula; George C. Howe, Duluth; L. Ellington, Crookston; M. R. O'Neill, Graceville; F. L. Wells, H. J. Haspell, George F. Lake, T. H. Marteeny, C. S. Baldwin, Chicago; C. H. Sebren, Caldwell, Idaho; G. A. Glades, Atwater; C. P. Bartleson, Coldwater, Mich.; George S. Shaw, Cloquet; T. O. Hall, Duluth; L. B. Jones, West Salem, Wis.; D. R. Taylor, Mandan, N. D.; J. B. Ling, Sycamore, Ill.; Ed T. Wheelock, Wausau, Wis.; H. W. Lamberton, N. G. Norton, Winona; W. E. Persons, Aberdeen; W. McDaniel, Lexington, Ky.; N. J. McGrath, St. Charles; H. O. Wing, Kenyon.

JURYMEN HAVE EARS.

Counsel for Charles Hawks Is Called Down by County Attorney Butler

FOR TALKING TOO LOUDLY.

Judge Kelly Orders Hawks to Sit Behind His Attorneys.

A LIVELY WAR OF WORDS.

The Trial Proceeding More Rapidly Than the Former One.

The trial of Charles A. Hawks is progressing a little more rapidly this time than before. The testimony so far for the state is practically the same as that offered at the other trial, but the arguments of counsel for the defense in opposition to the introduction of the state's testimony are not so lengthy.

The feature of the examination yesterday was a tilt between Prosecuting Attorney Butler and Attorney Nelson for the defense, because Hawks sat and consulted with his attorney within hearing of the jurors. Mr. Butler objected to this, and said he had called the attention of Mr. Nelson to it. He said he could frequently hear the consultations, and he was satisfied the jurors could at times.

Mr. Nelson took exception to the prosecuting attorney "attempting to influence the jury by making such remarks in open court," and Judge Flandrau remarked that they had a right to consult out loud with their client if they saw fit.

"I do not know whether you have or not. I am conducting this case, Judge Flandrau," said Judge Kelly, briskly.

"Your honor, I have a duty to perform in the interest of the people in this case, and I propose to perform it regardless of the criticisms of the counsel on the other side," said Mr. Butler. "I called Mr. Nelson's attention privately to this matter, and since my objection has been disregarded, I saw no other course than to direct your honor's attention to it in open court. Here my duty ends."

Judge Kelly then ordered Hawks to sit behind his counsel.

The witnesses examined for the state yesterday were State Bank Examiner M. D. Kenyon, who testified regarding the organization of the bank; B. Zimmerman, one of the bank officials, who testified as to the establishment of the bank and Hawks' connection therewith, he being cashier of the Seven Corners bank and having general superintendence of the Nickel Savings bank in which Fuerst's deposit was made. Both banks were in the same offices. Fuerst was the next witness, and he testified exactly the same as he did at the former trial, going over all the details of the transaction—how he came to have the $127, his reason for depositing it, and Hawks' admission after the bank failed and the discrepancy was discovered, that $127 was the amount of the deposit and not $27 as shown on the books of the bank.

The witness was subjected to a lengthy cross examination, but this failed to tangle him up in the least with reference to his rather clumsy financial transactions.

Miss Betsy Shepard, the bookkeeper of the bank, was the last witness called, but the court adjourned before her testimony had progressed very far.

To Recover Money.

Alice M. Crawshaw, administratrix of the estate of Charles Crawshaw, deceased, has begun suit to recover from Albert M. Alden, Furber M. Libbey and Percival Barton former executors of the estate, $2,660.62 alleged to have been converted therefrom to their own use. The estate was administered in Dakota county, and Alden and Libbey, the complaint alleges, were removed as executors because they failed to comply with the provisions of the will, and plaintiff was appointed in their stead.

To Set Aside a Deed.

John Wilkinson et al. have begun an action to have set aside a warranty deed to certain real estate transferred to Katherine E Baker and her husband, Guy W. Baker. The property was sold for $6,500, and it is alleged that the agreement as to payments was not complied with; that Guy W. Baker gave in part payment a check on the St. Paul White Lead and Oil company, claiming it to be his own property, whereas it was the property of the White Lead and Oil company, of which he was a member, and payment thereof was refused. Mrs. Baker was appointed by the probate court some time ago as guardian of her husband, he being considered incompetent to manage his affairs.

To Terminate a Trust.

Minnesota De Graff Berkey yesterday filed a petition for an order terminating the trust of Andrew De Graff, deceased, who was trustee of the estate of Charles A. De Graff, on condition that it pass to petitioner after the death of the trustee, provided she had living issue. She further asks for an order directing the First National Bank of St. Paul to issue to her new certificates for 420 shares of its stock included in the estate.

COURT NOTES.

Nels P. Engstrom has filed a suit against James H. Haar et al., to recover $46.91 on account of some hay sold, in which plaintiff had an interest. It is alleged that Haar received a check in payment, but did not turn any part of the amount over to the plaintiff. An order canceling the check, and judgment against Briggs Bros., purchasers of the hay, is asked for.

B. H. Moriarity has begun suit to recover $1,800 damages from the city on account of the overflowing of his land by the waters of the Mississippi river last year. He alleges that the overflow was due to the construction of a ditch connecting the Robie street sewer with the river, the ditch being so imperfectly constructed as to allow the water from the river to back up through it.

The hearing of the damage suit of W. H. Yardley, receiver of the Azotine Manufacturing company, to recover $15,166 from the city for the destruction of the company's plant, was completed before Judge Willis yesterday and has been taken under advisement.

In the suit of Moritz Heim, receiver for F. D. Abbey, to recover from Charles E. Chapel and A. C. Anderson $10,740 for property sold under a fraudulent mortgage, the jury in Judge Otis' court yesterday returned a verdict for $5,249.50 in favor of plaintiff.

On motion of plaintiff Judge Egan yesterday dismissed without prejudice the suit of the Reliance Insurance Company vs. Fred A. Rullman et al. The object of the plaintiff is to file a new complaint.

The suit of John T. West to recover $7,559 from Hennessy Brothers, Agnew & Cox, on account of the building of the West hotel, was dismissed by Judge Brill yesterday, the plaintiff failing to prosecute.

W. H. Miller yesterday filed a complaint in a suit to recover from the Pasco Union Land company $1,333, alleged to be due for selling lands for the defendant.

L. C. Nolan has filed a suit to recover from the Loggie & Evans Lumber company $93.25, alleged to be due for services as salesman.

Lucy C. Butnam has begun an action to recover from Wallace W. Thomas $1,156.93, alleged to be due on notes.

John K. Fuller has filed a suit to recover from Eleanore Quesnel $5,985, alleged to be due on a note.

The suit of Edmund P. McClanahan vs. Frank B. Jerrard is still on in Judge Brill's court.

QUAINT JEWELRY

Which Must Be Sold to Buy Food for the Owner.

Secretary Hutchins, of the Relief society, yesterday exhibited some rare and valuable jewelry which he desires to sell for the benefit of the owner, an aged Hollander in destitute circumstances. The articles are a pair of ear rings and a large cross, all of quaintly hammered gold and silver, in equal proportions. Strangely enough, the silver, and not the gold, is uppermost. In the center of the cross is a large rose diamond, and there are nearly thirty white diamonds, small but brilliant, scattered over the surface of the exquisite ornament. Each of the earrings is studded with over twenty diamonds. The workmanship of this jewelry exhibits the old-fashioned but beautiful patterns of Woodhouse Snauwaert, the famous goldsmith of Bruger in the early part of this century. Upon the case is inscribed Snauwaert's name, with the description, "fabricant in goud en diamant zetter," and the date "1804." The value of the jewels has been estimated to exceed $500, and all true artists would be delighted with their strange, striking beauty. The owner, however, in view of his necessities, will accept a much smaller sum.

FOUND HIM GUILTY.

DR. GRISWOLD CONVICTED IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT

On the Charge of Violating the Health Ordinance—Given Chance to Appeal.

Judge Orr rendered his decision yesterday in the case of Dr. Charles Griswold, who was tried for failing to report to the health department a case of membranous croup under his care. The court found Dr. Griswold guilty, but granted him a ten days' stay of sentence in order to afford him an opportunity for appeal if he wished. Dr. Griswold's attorney argued that the case ought to be dismissed inasmuch as the filing of a death certificate by the doctor stating that death was caused by membranous croup, was an involuntary confession and could not be used as evidence against him on the trial. Judge Orr held otherwise, his view being that it was the official duty of the doctor to file the death certificate, and that public policy demanded that he should be bound by the statements of that certificate. The certificate assigned membranous croup as the cause of death. It was an admitted fact that Dr. Griswold had not prior to the death ever filed with the health department a notice of the case as required by ordinance. Therefore he was pronounced guilty.

THREE ARE IN JAIL.

Arrest of Men Charged With Assaulting Seven Others.

The three men accused of assaulting with knives a party of seven men early last Sunday morning near the corner of Kent and Edmund streets, are now in the custody of the police. The trio consists of Gus Pruden, twenty-two years old, residing on Summit place; John Konzen, twenty-eight years old, 507 Edmund street, and James McEvoy, twenty-two years old, who lives at Ravoux and Rondo streets. Pruden and Konzen have been arrested before on charges of highway robbery, and McEvoy was arrested once while in the act of stealing a wagon load of coal.

Of the three men who were slashed in the cutting affray, two are in a very serious condition. They are Kneiser, whose tongue was split and who is now speechless, and Buck, who is also in a critical condition. Lockjaw is feared in Kneiser's case.

NELLIE AND MARY

Lectured in Court on the Evil of Their Ways.

Mary Cornell and Nellie Watson, two sixteen-year-old girls, were taken before Judge Orr in the municipal court yesterday morning on the charge of disorderly conduct. The officer who arrested them said that the girls were in the habit of frequenting saloons and dives. Judge Orr administered to the girls a sound lecture, and warned them of the awful fate that awaited them if they continued in the broad path they had chosen. The court then imposed a fine of $15 upon Mary and Nellie, but suspended the sentences on condition that they would keep out of the saloons and behave themselves.

INCORRIGIBLE YOUTH.

Runs Away From Home and Lands in the Workhouse.

William Allen, the sixteen-year-old boy whose father recently had him taken before the police court for incorrigibility, and who was released upon his promise to stay at home and obey his father, ran away from home fifteen minutes after he had arrived there. Yesterday he was found roaming about the streets, with no money and "no place to go but out," for he declared that he would not return to his father. Judge Orr found a place of abode for William during the coming thirty days, and William rode out there in the Black Maria.

Case Looks Dark.

Belle Perry, a dusky cyprian, who has figured in the police court more than once, was there yesterday on a serious charge. George B. Henderson, a white man, swore out a warrant charging Belle and a female companion, designated as "Maud Doe," with stealing a diamond stud from him worth $500, and also taking $50 in cash out of his pockets. The case was continued until today.

Family Troubles in Court.

Henry Raehm, who officiates as chief cook at the Aberdeen hotel, was arrested yesterday on the complaint of his wife, who charged Henry with coming home drunk and kicking her. Henry told Judge Orr yesterday morning that he would not live with his wife any longer, but that he would give her an allowance of $50 a month. Judge Orr said that would be satisfactory, but Henry was also made to furnish a bond in the sum of $100 to keep the peace.

Soldiers Are Coming.

The G. A. R. state encampment will meet here on Jan. 27 and 28, and the contest for state commander is exciting more or less interest in the ranks of the organization. Judge Torrance, of Minneapolis, is a candidate, as is also Capt. Reed, of Glencoe, who is now senior vice commander. Judge Torrance has the disadvantage of never having held any subordinate position in the state organization. Capt. Van Sant is now state commander.

GUS FROHMAN TALKS

The Celebrated Theatrical Man on a Flying Visit to St. Paul.

BUSINESS MUCH BETTER

In the Western Country Than in the East and South.

THE VARIATION IN TASTE

As Shown by the Reception Accorded His Different Plays.

Gustavus Frohman, one of the celebrated trio of theatrical managers, arrived in St. Paul yesterday. Mr. Frohman is making a tour of the Western country, where most of his numerous companies are now playing, for the purpose of seeing how they are getting along, and also to ascertain the condition of the theatrical market. Mr. Frohman said last night:

"I find that theatrical business is better in the West than in the East and South. Three weeks ago I left New York, and have since visited nearly all my companies. I found business uniformly good, especially in Colorado, Nebraska and Kansas, considering of course the nature of the times. I attribute such success as my companies have met with to the fact that they are playing pieces that the public want to see. I have in all fifteen companies on the road. I organized every one of them and sent them out from New York at the beginning of the present season, and the plays they are presenting were all New York successes."

Mr. Frohman talked entertainingly of the variation in public taste as manifested in different sections of the country. Referring especially to Oscar Wilde's epigrammatic drama,

"Lady Windermere's Fan,"

Mr. Frohman said:

"I took great pains last season in selecting the company to present this remarkable play, and secured one of the strongest I have ever managed. The play and the company received the most flattering and enthusiastic comment when it visited the Northwest and your city last spring, but when it reached Kansas City—well, you never read such wholesale condemnation, if not fierce denunciation. The critics of that city were unanimous in branding it, not only as an unpardonably immoral play, but one devoid of cleverness ann interest. From Kansas City the play proceeded westward to the coast. There its success was the most pronounced. It took San Francisco by storm. We devoted the summer season to California, working southward at the close of the summer. Then we returned east over the southern route, until a week ago "Lady Windermere's Fan" closed in Galveston, where it was indifferently received, as it was all through the southern country. Plays of that character seem to be misunderstood there. The company left Galveston by steamer a few days ago bound for New York."

Mr. Frohman will leave St. Paul today for Brainerd, where he will meet one of his "Charley's Aunt" companies which is playing its way East from the coast.

Mr. Frohman has never witnessed this company's performance of the farce, though he rehearsed it in it. From Brainerd Mr. Frohman will go to Sioux City, Lincoln, Neb.; Chicago, Cincinnati, Louisville, Memphis, and thence return to St. Paul in order to be here when his company is playing "The New Boy" at the Metropolitan opera house. That will be the latter part of next month.

FOR THE UNEMPLOYED.

Everyone Should Attend the Grand Concert Today.

This afternoon, at the Grand opera house, will occur the grand concert given by the Musicians' Union of St. Paul for the benefit of the unemployed. The concert is donated, and the union should be staunchly supported by the public in this most laudable enterprise. The sale of seats has already been large, but it is expected that the box office sale this morning will complete the sale of the entire house. The union will be assisted by Mrs. C. B. Yale and Mrs. S. V. Harris. The former will sing "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," and Mrs. Harris will sing a selection from "The Daughter of the Regiment," and the ladies will sing Lacome's duet "Estudiantina."

The military band will consist of sixty men under the direction of V. F. Safranck, and a glance at the programme is assurance of a feast of melody. The programme:

PART I.

Military band of sixty men under the direction of V. F. Safranck.
March—"King Bee" ..... Safrenek
Overture—"William Tell" ..... Rossini
Song—"My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" Mrs. C. B. Yale.
Andante and Polonaise from "Mignon"—Thomas
Slavonic Dance No. 3 ..... Dvorak

PART II.

Duet—"Estudiantina" ..... Lacome
Mesdames S. V. Harris and C. B. Yale.
Overture—"Tannhauser" ..... Wagner
"Pecheur Neapolitaine et Neapolitane"—Rubinstein
Song—Selection from "The Daughter of the Regiment." Mrs. S. V. Harris.
Violin Solo—"Fantaisia Caprice" Vieuxtempe Dan Muehlenbach.
Czardas—"The Ghost of the Wojevodas"—Grossman

MEDICS WILL DINE.

Annual Meeting of Ramsey County Medical Society.

The Ramsey County Medical society will hold its annual meeting next Monday evening at the Ryan hotel. There will be a preliminary social gathering in the parlors of the hotel at 6:30 p. m., and dinner will be served at 7 p. m. sharp. The business meeting will be called to order at 8:15. The annual reports of officers and committees will first be read, after which the society will elect officers for the ensuing year. The officers and committees are:

Executive Committee—President, Dr. A. B. Ancker; vice president, Dr. H. W. Davis; secretary, Dr. H. Longstreet Taylor; treasurer, Dr. O. S. Pine.

Judicial Committee—Drs. A. J. Gillette, J. C. Markoe, Arthur Sweeney.

Membership Committee—Drs. A. Henderson, H. W. Davis, W. B. Morley.

Pathological Section—Dr. J. M. Finnell, chairman; Dr. R. A. Wheaton, secretary.

Necrologist—Dr. G. Stamm.

Chasing an Indian.

Deputy United States Marshal Ed Funk left last night for Ball Club lake to take charge of James Drumbeater, a half breed who murdered another half breed named Charles Fisherman there a short time ago. He will be taken to Duluth and given a preliminary hearing before the United States commissioner, and his trial will take place at the May term of the United States district court there.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

HE'S STUCK ON WORK

Strange Hobby of Citizen Pat Connolly, One of the Unemployed,

WHO DESIRES A TICKET,

Or Else a Severe Roast on the City and Ticket System.

WORLD OWES HIM A LIVING,

But He Can't Find the Man Who Pays the World's Debts.

P. Connolly blew into the office yesterday afternoon with a multitude of red whiskers, and after blowing his nose at the rate of forty knots an hour, he sat down.

"Th' tap av' th' mournin' t'ye," he said, finally, and received an appropriate response.

"Oi hev a bit o' news far ye," he said, running one finger across the borders of his beak, "an' begorra, sor, it'll make yer eyes wather wid tears whin ye know it. Oi'm a pore wurrikin mon, sor, not wurrikin now fer th' reason thet none o' thim guys over there in th' hall 'll give a dacent mon anny wurrik."

"Why don't you see the mayor?"

"Ah, be th' saints above, but yer a woise mon. Oi hev in me hand a letther from th' mayor, an' th' same indarses me fer anny job in toun. But the thrubble is Oi kin foind no wan thet kin rade. Here begorra's anither wan 'at'll make a man feel prood. Rade that," passing over a letter that was badly soiled by fingers, also thumbs. The letter read:

"The bearer of this letter, Pat Conley, is an honest man who seldom works. As he has no more than several thousand dollars it is hoped some kind friend will take pity on him and give him a cigarette."

At the bottom of the letter in another handwriting was the sentence: "He's a good thing; push him along."

"Now there," said Mr. Connolly when the letter was read, "there is a letther that'll shew you thet there aire some dacant guys in th' wurruld. They aire thryin' ter hilp me oot av th' hole, but begorra th' hole's gittin bigger wid ivery precedin' day. Oi hev a woife an' manny children, yis begorra an' th',

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aire havin' a harrud toime av it whoile their owld mon's huntin' fer the mate thet kapes th' breythe in their sunken boddies, begorra. Now there's Mishter Korwin; shure you know him. Av coorse ye do, fer iverbody knows Mishter Korwin. Oi know him an' a foiner mon never breathed fer two days t'wanct. He's bin very koind ter me, be the powers above. Ony fer him an' oi'd a died ter death durin' th' cowld shnap. Yis, sir, Oi'd bin a carpse be this toime. An' bein' a earpse in sich weather as this, begorra, ain't no joke an' Oi'm tellin' ye. Now, you know Misther Ahern, doan you? Av coors e ye know Misther Ahern, th' wan wat sits in th' hoigh cheer in th' coort over th' way, an' does nothin' but ask ye ef yer guilty. D'ye know Misther Ahern? Well, he gamme a letther, an' Oi cud a had a dozen av thim ef Oi wanted thim, but be the powers, Oi moight as well hev none for th' good they do. Oi hev troid ter git a ticket for wurrik, but they won't gimme wan. Wat Oi want's a ticket, an' begorra, ef they doan gimme wan Oi'll pull the hands aff th' coort house clock, d'ye moind. They hev a right ter gimme a ticket, fer Oi'm a pore hard wurrikin mon, an' thim's thim wat the tickets is fer, be me sowl.

"Now wat Oi want now is t' hev ye roasht th' city all th' way from the Sivin carners t' Connemara Patch. O be all th' powers Oi am sore an th' city, an' yon kuow as well as annyone thet Oi hev a roight t' call an anny noose-paper t' roasht th' city from Hamm's brewery t' Mirriam Park.

"Well, annyway, it do stroike me, an' a harder wurrikin mon niver lived than me, it do strike me thet a mon wid mitts an him loike mine ort t' hev all th' wurrik he cud do an' me wid a family av a woife an manny children. D'ye think ye kin say a wurrud?"

Assured that something would be said concerning the ticket system, Mr. Connolly bowed and scraped a few inches off the floor.

"Be th' powers," he said, "Oi'm glad Oi mit ye. Av Oi had a can o' beer Oi'd gav ye th' half of it. Good day, sor, an' may the saints be wid ye. Good day."

Mr. Connolly had with him a letter from Mayor Smith, recommending him as a good, honest man, and the words of the mayor were indorsed by Archbishop Ireland. If there is anyone in the city who can give Mr. Connolly work, the latter and his family will be grateful. Connolly is all right.

THE SABBATH DAY

Should Be Observed by Everyone, Says Dr. C. D. Reynolds.

Rev. C. D. Reynolds, of the Goodrich Avenue Presbyterian church, delivered an address last night in the Sunday school room of the Central Presbyterian church on the "Secularization of the Sabbath."

Mr. Reynolds' audience was composed of members of the House of Hope and Central Presbyterian churches. The speaker treated the subject in a material, a religious and a scientific way. He said.

"Christ set His seal on the observance of the Sabbath, and, moreover, He specified that it should be the first day of the week. If a day of rest was so much needed in a pastoral age, how much more necessary is it in an age when people do all their work by electricity and live at a pace that is warranted to kill. In the present day people generally are too busy to die. To secularize the Sabbath would be to die by moral asphyxiation. The Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath, and even the people who are most devoted to material things agree that for every reason a day of rest is a good thing." Continuing, Dr. Reynolds quoted the sentiments of some of the most radical adherents to the secular creed. He referred to a sentiment expressed by a member of the Sunset club, Chicago, whose idea of Sabbath rest was that it should mean that the individual might do as he pleased without infringing on other people's rights. He quoted another materialistic sentiment which is contained in the idea that in a rational appreciation of a day of rest, the needs of man rather than the dues of God ought to be observed.

In conclusion Mr. Reynolds said: "None but a fool will ask to work seven days a week, and we who believe in the higher and better reason for Sabbath observance want our rest day for the cultivation of the higher life. The testimony of all scientific men goes to show that the man who takes a day in between to rest does not deteriorate, as does the man who works day in and day out."

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

General Committee Going After It in Earnest.

The general committee of citizens appointed to secure the G. A. R. national encampment of 1896, held a meeting at the rooms of the Commercial club last night and heard the report of the executive committee with reference to the question of railroad rates and other matters. The committee reported that it was satisfied a one cent a mile rate will be made from all points west of Chicago, as desired, but the roads refused to promise definitely that such a rate will be made. The report further recommended that in view of the assurances the committee had on the matter, and the fact that the legislature is considering a resolution inviting the encampment to meet here, that the general committee be made permanent and go to work in earnest to accomplish its object.

The report was adopted.

The chair was authorized to appoint a special committee of three to look further into the question of railroad rates, and also a committee of three to look after such questions as it may be deemed advisable to have brought before the legislature in connection with the matter. These committees will be appointed in a few days.

YEAR WAS TRANQUIL

FOR THE ST. PAUL HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS.

Annual Election of Officers and Reading of Yearly Reports.

The re-election of all the old officers and directors and the reception of the yearly reports was the only business transacted yesterday morning at the annual meeting of the board of managers of the Home for the Friendless at Relief hall, 141 East Ninth street.

The secretary, Miss Florence Fairchild, reported the past year as tranquil and encouraging for the inmates of the home. Their average number per month was thirty-eight. There are now seven life members. The reception given by the board of managers on the last Thursday of September, the good cheer of Thanksgiving day, and the Christmas tree and numerous presents of the holiday season agreeably varied the placid existence of the inmates' lives. The shelter of the home has been sought during the past twelve months by a large number of women out of work and having dependent children, and by many friendless servants temporarily incapacitated. The finances of the society have been augmented by the receipt of the fourth payment from the Hale estate and by shares from the Stees estate. The latter donation, however, was chiefly in the form of real estate. The kindly services of various churches, physicians and others were suitably acknowledged.

The treasurer, Mrs. S. O. Flagg, reported cash on hand, $571.06; expenses during the year, $3,565.12, and total receipts of $4,136.18.

The officers re-elected were Mrs. Pascal Smith, president; Mrs. C. E. Furness, vice president; Mrs. S. D. Flagg, treasurer, and Miss Florence Fairchild, secretary, while the directors continued in office are:

Mesdames Pascal Smith, S. D. Flagg, C. E. Furness, M. E. Braden, A. A. White, Archibald Guthrie, Dennis Follett, Rickard Hurd, Charles Corning, Kenneth Clark; Miss Adah Murphy, Miss M. F. McClurg; Mesdames D. A. Curtis, E. C. Becker, J. A. Sabin, H. S. Fairchild; Miss Mitchell, Miss Florence Fairchild; Mesdames J. A. Adams, T. S. Tompkins, Paris Fletcher, E. L. Shepley, E. C. Mason, Myron Brown, C. A. Warren, F. E. Rice, Henry Boardman, C. W. Kibbie, A. S. Brooks, Dr. Brooks and W. A. Nailor.

EXTENDING COMO.

Park Board Prepares to Condemn the Necessary Land.

The park board met yesterday afternoon and passed the resolutions for the extension of Como park on the north side. The extension contains about seventeen acres, most of which is swamp land, which was originally the bottom land of the lake before the waters receded. The extension also contains a ridge or hill, along which a picturesque driveway will be laid out.

The resolution setting aside the purchase money for the extension provides for an appropriation of only $1 from the park fund, which means that the expense of condemnation of the land and the price to be paid for the land will be raised entirely by assessing the surrounding property benefited. So the extension will not cost the city anything. The second resolution passed directs the board of public works to proceed to condemn the desired land, and to ascertain the damages and benefits.

ON KINDERGARTENS.

Miss Harrison Will Lecture at the High School Tonight.

Miss Elizabeth Harrison, who received such a warm welcome in St. Paul last year on the occasion of her visit, will lecture at the high school this evening at 8 o'clock. Miss Harrison's familiarity with the subjects on which she lectures makes her talks most entertaining to others besides kindergarteners and mothers who go to hear her. As a speaker Miss Harrison is particularly bright and entertaining, and her appreciation of human nature in all its phrases always commands the admiration of those who hear her. She will deliver three lectures during her stay in this city, the first this evening, the second tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock and the third Friday morning at 10.

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