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TODAY'S WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Forecast for Wednesday: For Minnesota and the Dakotas—Fair and warmer; southerly shifting to westerly winds.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Dec. 31, 6:48 P. M. Local Time, 7:10 Meridian.

TEMPERATURES.

Table with 3 columns: Place, Temp., and Remarks. Includes locations like St. Paul, Duluth, and various international cities.

DAILY MEANS.

Barometer, 29.88; thermometer, 8; relative humidity, 70; wind, clear; maximum thermometer, 15; minimum thermometer, 1; daily range, 14; amount of rainfall or snow in last twenty-four hours, 0.

THE END OF THE YEAR.

Why should the civil year end with the last day of December? What is there on earth or in the waters under the earth that make this particular period a year's ending place?

And so it was in the Roman empire, from the time of Numa to the reign of Julius Caesar. So it was, too, with the Northern tribes and dawn nations of Europe.

But it was when those enthusiastic Frenchmen, in the last years of the last century, set themselves to making everything over anew and starting society on a new and improved basis, that they threw aside the Gregorian calendar and made one for themselves.

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The greenbacks will revolve in their usual circuit, and as fast as gold is paid in for bonds it will be drawn out by means of the legal tenders and sent abroad again to wait for another demand.

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We expect it to receive there a fair and dispassionate treatment; and that the representatives of the people will order the consummation of all practical economies, making an immense net saving and a great reduction of the tax rate, without so far invading the resources of any department as to cripple its operation or impair its future usefulness.

ST. PAUL'S NEW YEAR.

We publish this morning the replies of a number of representative citizens of St. Paul to the question, what does the city most need for the new year.

We are especially pleased with the hearty courageous and confident spirit breathed by the answers given to this query. An unshakable conviction of the greatness and security of our future is the first condition of success.

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THERESA LEWIS, OF ALEXANDRIA.

Secures the Recognition of the Judges—List of Contestants and Their Subjects.

The annual state declamatory contest was held at the Assembly hall of the Central high school last night, the result being that Burdette Thayer, of Spring Valley, and Theresa Lewis, of Alexandria, won the first prizes.

George McClure, of Stillwater, gave the most brilliant and original address. It was entitled "The Gypsy Flower Girl." It was a beautiful and expressive language, the memory of the distinguished Irishman, Mr. McClure, was placed in the hands of the judges, and he was the first on the programme, and his manner betrayed a slight uneasiness. The oration was however delivered in a very creditable manner.

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