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MINNEAPOLIS GLOBULES.

The application to remove Ingebrit Olen as assignee of the Riverside Clothing company and to appoint August Eckman in his stead has been denied.

Charles Gardiner was fined $75 or eighty days by Judge Kerr yesterday morning, after being found guilty of stealing a diamond ring from Mary White.

Sneak thieves entered the residence of E. T. Van Gordon, 669 Ninth street south, Sunday afternoon, and stole two watches, several chains, $60 in cash and a pair of bracelets.

The body of the man found at Washburn and Fourteenth avenues north last Friday, has not yet been identified. A photograph of the remains was taken and the body was buried at the expense of the county yesterday afternoon.

Louis Poses, David Hoffman and Louis Haskell were sent to the state training school yesterday morning by Judge Kerr. The three boys are of tender years and they were arrested Sunday morning by Officers Marcotte and Dennie for stealing 122 papers.

"The Midnight Bell" all the week at the Bijou with matinee this afternoon. An extra matinee will be given on Thursday if the demand for seats keeps up as it has started. The present week will end the Tuesday matinees, the regular Wednesday matinee taking its place hereafter.

The county comissioners yesterday morning accepted the bid of the Stirling company for the new boiler at the court house. The contract was signed and the company will begin work at once. The bid was for $3,570, a saving of about $430 on the lowest bid previously received.

Miss Clara Louise Thompson has arranged for a benefit for the Police Relief association at 312 Hennepin avenue, for four consecutive nights, beginning tonight. This hall is on the ground floor and will seat about 500 people, and it is hoped that it will be crowded every night, as it is given for a worthy cause.

Late yesterday afternoon the grand jury reported a no bill in the Jeffrey case. Almost the entire day was taken up in the final consideration of the case, among the witnesses examined being Elias Fitterling, owner of the building in which the Jeffrey stock of furniture was situated and where the fire under investigation took place.

It was reported to Jailor Bradley Sunday that a Washington avenue lodging house landlady had bought a paper from a newsboy and had given in payment a counterfeit dollar. An officer was sent with the lad to the place, but the woman would not own up to the act and it is stated that the affair will be taken into the municipal court.

New Stampers for the P. O.

The local postoffice officials are feliciting themselves on the arrival of two additional stamping machines, which are expected to be very convenient, and to aid materially in expediting the handling of the mails. They were set up yesterday and were put to work. The trial run was a perfect success. The machines can be fed without wasting time in "facing up" the mail beforehand, and in this respect alone there is much saving of time. And then each machine can stamp 250 letters a minute, which is pretty quick work. One of the machines will be used for cancellation of outgoing mail and the other for "back stamping" incoming mail. They are identical with those used in the large Eastern postoffices, and cost the government $175 per year. There are now three stamping machines in the Minneapolis postoffice.

Engineer Blamed.

The coroner's jury, investigating the accidental death of Michael Irving, which occurred Saturday evening, yesterday afternoon returned the following verdict: "That Michael Irving came to his death at 7 o'clock, Sept. 26, near Elevator A 2, by being struck by Switch Engine 51, Minneapolis & St. Louis, while running at a greater rate of speed than justifiable in running through dangerous places."

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LI HUNG CHANG WANTS WASHBURN

Ex-Senator Denies the Rumor That He Is to Take Charge of Chinese Railways.

About 300 earnest and enthusiastic women, wearing white ribbon badges, will gather at Wesley M. E. church at 9 o'clock this morning, to hold the twentieth annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of Minnesota. The convention has a large amount of work before it, and will hold morning, afternoon and evening sessions every day up to and including Friday.

There will be election of officers for the ensuing year, reports of regular committees and officers, and reports from all the various branches of reform work with which this organization concerns itself.

The present officers are: Mrs. Susan M. D. Fry, president; Mrs. A. C. McCurdy, vice president; Mrs. Ella F. Hendrix, recording secretary; Mrs. C. S. Soule, treasurer. There is also a long list of active state vice presidents. Several visitors from the national organization are expected. Among them Mrs. Helen M. Parker, of Chicago, national treasurer; Miss Ida Clothier, national organizer of young women; Mrs. Stella Irvine, of St. Paul, national superintendent of Sabbath school work.

The convention will be called to order this morning by Mrs. Fry. Devotional services will be conducted by Mrs. Ruth Barnes. After roll call of ex-officio members and seating of delegates, the standing committees will be appointed and the routine reports of officers and committees given. That of Mrs. McCurdy, corresponding secretary, will be of special interest, as it will show the growth and progress during the last year.

A special feature of the afternoon session will be five-minute talks on "How to Work," under the various special departments.

This evening Rev. Pleasant Hunter will conduct the devotional exercises, and Rev. W. W. Dawley, David N. Beach and others will give short addresses. Thursday evening occurs the address of Mrs. Barker, national treasurer. Friday evening the gold medal contest for the young people is expected to bring out quite a list of candidates.

The time will not be entirely taken up with business. The visiting delegates will be entertained at the homes of the members and Wednesday afternoon they will be given a reception at the residence of Dr. Martha G. Ripley, on Tenth street.

One of the special features of the convention will be the framing of a bill to be presented to the legislature to provide for local county option.

The reports being prepared by the officers show a healthy growth in the organization, and the delegates are very hopeful for good results from the annual convention.

Lost a Roll of Bills.

George Kellogg, custodian at the central station, lost $30 in five dollar bills yesterday morning. Mr. Kellogg believes that the money was lost on First avenue south. He will reward the finder upon the return of the money to the station.

COULDN'T WAIT FOR DEATH.

Aged Visitor in the Mill City Takes an Overdose of Laudanum.

Peter McManimie, residing at 1135 Bryant avenue north, took an overdose of laudunam at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, and died from the effects of it at midnight, the same day.

McManimie was 62 years old, and has resided with his daughter and son-in-law, B. J. Riefling, for the past year. Otherwise his home is at Flint, Mich. Two years ago his wife died and the blow to the old man seemed a very hard one. It seemed for some time that he would die of grief. It was therefore suggested to him that he come to Minneapolis, and make an extended visit to his daughter and her husband. This was done. For some time the change seemed to have a beneficial effect upon his spirits, and he was known in the neighborhood as quite a jolly man. Occasionally, however, he would be taken with spells, in which he was very morose and would speak to no one, except in cases of actual necessity. It was during one of these spells that the laudanum was taken.

It is claimed by Mr. and Mrs. Riefling that he had been in the habit of taking the drug for stomach troubles, and they do not seem to accept the suicide theory. Immediately after being taken ill, Dr. G. W. Bass was summoned, but could do nothing for him. The old man continued through the day in a state that was constantly going towards the worse, and at 11:50 he quietly expired.

The body has been prepared for burial, and will today be shipped to his former home for interment. Another daughter, who is also visiting here, will accompany the remains.

THEY TRIED FREE COINAGE.

Swedish Orator Tells How It Worked in Sweden.

Normanna hall was filled last night with an audience of over a thousand men who were there to listen to the address of the most eloquent Swedish orator in America, Prof. G. A. Swansen, president of Bethany college, Kansas. Prof. Swansen's speech was made in the Swedish language and had a deep effect upon his hearers. In regard to the free coinage of silver Prof. Swansen said, that Sweden had had an experience of that kind 180 years ago, during the reign of Charles the Twelfth. They had at that time the free coinage of copper. The man that caused the copper agitation was Boran Von Goeerts, a German. Baron Von Goeerts used the same argument in favor of copper as are now being used in favor of silver. The law for the free coinage of copper went into effect, but the merchants and the people refused to take the copper money. The government stamp upon it did not raise the value of it, and at last a revolution broke out among the people. Baron Von Goeerts was arrested, tried and beheaded. Prof. Swansen contended that the free silver coinage by the United States would have about the same effect as the free copper coinage by Sweden.

CHANGE IN THE TICKET.

Schlener Displaces Janney—Other Political Notes.

A meeting of the Republican city executive committee was held in Union league rooms last evening, to place in nomination a candidate for the board of education, in place of Thomas B. Janney, who finds himself unable to accept the nomination of his party. The entire committee of thirty-one men were present, presided over by Auditor C. R. Cooley. John A. Schlener was chosen as the nominee of the party. The other candidates of the Republican party for members of the school board are F. H. Peavey and W. K. Hicks.

The Republican rally at the Eighth ward Relief hall was attended by an interested and attentive audience last evening. It was not as large as some of the meetings held there, but it made up in enthusiasm for the occasional empty chair. The meeting was called to order by George B. Spencer, who, after a few well-chosen remarks, introduced Col. Louis H. Ayme, a Chicago newspaper man, who passed a number of years as consul in Mexico. Col. Ayme spoke for nearly an hour upon the life of the Mexican laborer, in comparison with the American. His speech was unconventional for a political address, being much more like a lecture on the Southern neighbor of Uncle Sam.

A large sized marching club, comprising the young society men of the city, both married and single, was organized last evening in the warehouse connected with George F. Newell & Co.'s wholesale grocery store. The club is being formed by invitation, and will be limited to sixty members. Of these forty-five were in attendance for the preliminary drill. Louis B. Newell was chosen as captain, and C. H. Case and C. S. Langdon were appointed lieutenants. The company is to be provided with suits, consisting of white duck trousers, black slicker jackets and yellow slicker hats.

The Ames club held a slimly attended meeting last evening at the headquarters on First avenue south. Not even all the ward committees were present, but those who were there seemed to be very enthusiastic supporters of Dr. A. A. Ames. The chairman, J. B. Dukes, gave a talk on money. One enthusiastic member announced that Ames meetings are to be held in every ward and clubs organized. One was formed in the Twelfth ward last week, and the members are going forth from the Twelfth to convert all others. Secretary Brayton stated that he had called Ames meetings in Brainerd and other places in that section of the state with very good success. After some general discussion of middle-of-the-roadites, the club adjourned.

LI WANTED WASHBURN.

Ex-Senator Denies That He Will Take Charge of Chinese Railways.

It has been rumored that Senator W. D. Washburn, of Minneapolis, was to go to China to take a responsible position in connection with the introduction into the exclusive country of modern facilities of transportation. It will be remembered that when Li Hung Chang was making his flying trip across the continent, Senator Washburn made a hurried journey to Winnipeg, to meet the distinguished Chinese minister, and that upon his return he was averse to making known the subject of his conference with the Chinaman. It is alleged that the meeting was for the purpose of considering some phases of the proposed plans for Chinese railways.

Senator Washburn denies, however, that there is any truth in the report. When asked about it he said: "I have no plans of this kind whatever. I have talked some of going to Japan this coming winter if I can arrange my business affairs so as to get away, but the trip, if made, will be wholly for pleasure and will have no business connected with it. While away I may go over to China."

Senator Washburn further said that when Li Hung Chang was coming to this country he, as an intimate acquaintance of John W. Foster, took an active part in trying to bring the distinguished foreigner to Minneapolis. When he found that Li was to go north via the Canadian Pacific, he determined not to lose a chance to meet the viceroy, and hence made the journey to Winnipeg.

GATHERING THE FIGURES.

Sound Money Democrats Will Demonstrate Why They Are for Gold.

The committee of the sound money Democracy, appointed to prepare an address to the voters of Minneapolis stating why they are opposed to the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, have prepared an elaborate and exhaustive address which will be published in a few days. To Mr. F. G. Winston belongs the honor of preparing the address. The address will show the ratio of wages paid to working men in all trades and occupations during the periods of twenty years before the alleged demonitization of silver, and since that time. Another subject taken up is the amount of money coined, gold, silver and paper, and in circulation, and also the amount per capita in all the civilized countries of the globe. The address also says that Mr. Bryan in all his public speeches has not given a single reason why the United States should abandon the present standard, and adopt one that would place the country on a single silver basis.

HART IS OUT.

Congregational Club Elects New Officers in Annual Meeting.

The Minnesota Congregational club is living to a good old age. Last evening in Plymouth church a dignified body of men and women gathered for the eighteenth annual meeting of the club, and mingled business, pleasure and instruction in so able a manner that official reports and selection of officers preceded a bountiful supper served by the women of the church, and this in turn was followed by an hour of edifying discourse in the lecture room. The report of the secretary, Rev. John A. Stemen, showed the club in possession of a membership of 163, and the treasurer announced a money balance of $135. Prof. A. H. Pearson, of Carleton college, Northfield, second vice president of the Congregational club, was the presiding officer in the absence of the retiring president, H. H. Hart, of St. Paul. The election of officers, which immediately followed the presentation of reports, placed a new president in the chair. The officers and committees selected, were the following: President, R. D. Russell; vice presidents, W. B. Geary, St. Paul, Lyndon A. Smith, Montevideo; secretary, John A. Stemen; treasurer, James B. Sutherland; auditor, John Waldo Perkins; executive committee, Judge Russell, Mr. Stemen, Rev. G. R. Merrill, A. C. Anderson and J. F. Jackson, of St. Paul; membership committee, J. Watson Smith, D. A. Mathews, F. G. Warner, St. Paul; Rev. R. P. Herrick, Dr. J. A. Crosby.

When the business had been satisfactorily completed, the club adjourned from the lecture room to the dining room upstairs, and were soon seated at long tables enjoying a spread of good things. With supper dispatched, the company, numbering 150 or more, repaired again to the lecture room, where the address of the evening was delivered by Dr. David N. Beach, pastor of Plymouth church.

HOME AUTHORITIES EXONERATED.

Rumor Anent the G. A. R. Parade Had No Foundation.

The statement made by the Minneapolis Times on the day following the G. A. R. parade in St. Paul, that the inmates of the soldiers' home had been ordered to participate in the parade, upon pain of discharge for refusal, naturally created considerable comment among the Grand Army men of this city.

If it was true they felt that some action should be taken in the matter, and if untrue, in justice to the commandant of the home, that fact should be made known. A meeting of the commanders of the several G. A. R. posts of the city was called, and it was decided that an investigation should be at once instituted. With this end in view a visit was made to the home September 19 and the matter sifted thoroughly. Conversations were held with the various officers, and with several inmates of the home, and it was learned that the statement as made by the Times was wholly untrue, so far as the general orders were concerned.

The man whom it is claimed had been discharged for refusal to join in the parade, it was found, had been discharged for using abusive language to the commandant, which, in military circles, is a crime unpardonable. The committee of investigation also found that the inmates of the home were well cared for, and the general government of the home deserving of credit.

The names of those participating in the investigation as as follows: Hugh Longstaff, commander James Bryan Post No. 119; S. H. Wright, George N. Morgan Post No. 4; J. L. Meadows, Appomattox Post No. 72; Daniel W. Getelile, Dudley P. Chase Post No. 22; George E. Swift, Levi Butler Post No. 73; Charles M. Hanson, John A. Rawlins Post No. 126.

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Fusionists Deserting.

The candidates on the fusion ticket are not stayers. The first to withdraw was H. D. Stocker Jr., candidate for the legislature in the Thirty-fourth district; the next was J. S. Ingalls, the nominee for probate judge; and now Walter E. Dickson, legislative candidate in the Thirty-first district, has sent a letter to the county committee announcing that business reasons will prevent him from making the race. L. D. Brown will probably be named to fill his place on the ticket.

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