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Weight of Ice Formations Has Carried Down Miles of Telegraph Lines.

The resumption of train service on the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific was heralded early yesterday morning by the arrival of the first through trains since the great blizzard tied up the two systems.

The eastbound transcontinental train from Portland on the Northern Pacific, which should have arrived in St. Paul last Friday, came rolling into the union depot about daybreak this morning.

Both systems have resumed the sale of tickets to Pacific coast points and expect to be able to carry their passengers through. The storm is said to have been the worst since the systems have been built.

The whole Northwest was in the icy grasp of winter yesterday, and the mercury hovered so closely around the zero mark that it was not until a chilly reception to December.

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He said was probably too far ahead for the city to consider. This second proposition was also something of a frost and as by this time Ad. Bigelow and Donahower and Assemblymen Daily and Kirke were present.

No one seemed to take kindly to this proposition, so Mr. Thompson suggested that the independent belt line for consideration. This line was to run down Fifth to Sibley to Third to Robert to Seventh to Wabasha.

The ordinance allowing the Northwestern Telephone company the right to erect poles in alleys between Thomas and Edmund and Dale and Mackubin streets was recommended to pass.

BURROUGHS NOT FOUND.

Missing Mail Clerk Is Still in the Snow.

Henry M. Burroughs, the railway mail clerk who left his car at Devil's Lake, N. D., during a fierce blizzard last Thursday, has not yet been found.

The municipal court fund is also short, but as the pay roll for the month amounts to only \$88,570, the employees of the city are not to be paid.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

The city commissioners will hold a special meeting this morning.

MEDICAL MEN MEET.

Ramsay County Society May Change Its Name.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ramsay County Medical Society was held last evening in the Lowry arcade.

BEAT LINES AND LOOPS.

Talked Over in Committee, but the End Is Far Off.

OPEN AT NOON TODAY.

The most unique eating place in the city, The St. Paul White House, 47 to 51 East Fourth street, open until 10 o'clock tonight.

SOME INSURANCE MATTERS.

Acting Insurance Commissioner Lighthour yesterday admitted to do business in Minnesota the Royal Exchange Assurance Company of London.

BUILDING IN NOVEMBER.

The report of the building inspector for November gives the total of permits as 48, of which 11 were for plumbing and 37 for building.

Field, Schlick & Co.

Oriental Rugs

AT NEW PRICES.

The great sale of Oriental Rugs is a success from the very start. The collection is matchless and prices are lower than ever before.

Yesterday's sales were large, but the assortment is still perfect - still the best in town.

Oriental Rugs in all sizes, from small door mats to large carpets. For convenience of quick selling we make five Very Special lots at very special prices for the opening days of the sale:

- Lot 1-Carabagh Rugs, \$5.90. Lot 2-Carabagh Rugs, \$8.50. Lot 3-Daghestan Rugs, \$10.00. Lot 4-Daghestan Rugs, \$12.00. Lot 5-Daghestan Rugs, \$15.00.

The finest collection of Antique Persian Rugs, large sizes, \$35.00 to \$85.00 each.

Extra large carpet sizes, \$45.00 to \$125.00.

Most of the Sales announced in Sunday's papers will be continued today. All of these specials will be found in perfect assortments.

20 pieces of Imported White China Silks and 20 pieces of Imported Black China Silks, the kind usually sold for 48 cents.

50 pieces of Imported China Silks in art colors, regular 48c kinds, for 24c.

A large lot of Silk Remnants, worth \$1.50 and \$1.75, will go quick at 49c.

New Silks for 69c, Worth up to \$1.50.

These are in full pieces and part pieces, and the values are better than any we have offered in former sales.

French Plaids with Satin Bars, Scotch Plaids with Satin Bars, Heavy Monotones, Brocaded Taffetas, Evening Brocaded Satins, Evening Brocaded Taffetas, and many others. More than 100 pieces.

More Silks for 97c, Worth up to \$2.50. By a great streak of good luck we picked up another lot of richest Silks made by the foremost makers in this country.

Great Sacrifice Sale of Pianos! Commences This Week at Wm. Dyer & Bro. New Pianos from \$150 upwards.

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