SAINT PAUL.

LATE NEWS NOTES.

The Cheqeogman Dancing club will give its last dancing party April 22.

Pesach services at the temple at 6 o'clock this evening and 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

The Colonial Mining company, of Duluth, filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state yesterday. Capital stock, $200,000.

Rev. A. Shepard, D. D., of Charlotte, N. C., beginning this evening, will assist Rev. B. B. Hill in a series of meetings at Pilgrim Baptist church, Cedar street, near Summit.

A small blaze was caused at the residence of John Orman, 759 Reaney street, yesterday afternoon, by the igniting of oil about the gasoline stove. The fire department extinguished the flames with slight damage to the kitchen.

A dinner will be given at the Ryan hotel Monday by the Minnesota Society of Sons of the Revolution, in celebration of the one hundred and twenty-second anniversary of the "Lexington Alarms," at which Bishop Gilbert will preside. Speeches will be made by Conde Hamlin, Edwin A. Jaggard and M. D. Grover.

M. L. Hutchins, of the relief society, writes: "We have a report from the ladies in charge of the clothing room, on the West side, that the sufferers at present are in need of the following articles of clothing: Six dress skirts for old women, three suits of underwear, children's shoes, and pants suitable for a boy of 12 years."

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine O'Connor, who died suddenly at her home, 266 Carroll street, will take place from St. Joseph's church, corner Carroll and Virginia avenue, this morning, at 10:30. Deceased leaves seven grown children to mourn her death, Mrs. Joseph Kennucin, Maggie and Julia O'Connor, of this city; Edward O'Connor, Le Sueur, Minn.; Mrs. P. J. Lonager, and Charles O'Connor, Chicago, Ill., and Frank O'Connor, Hurley, Wis.

CYCLISTS IN COURT.

Several More Wheelmen Fined for Violating the Ordinance.

J. E. Smith, who ran down ten-year-old Johnnie Boyd, while "scorching" on East Seventh street Wednesday afternoon, was fined $5 in the police court yesterday. Smith claimed that he was not riding more rapidly than the law allowed, but Officer McCall, who made the arrest, swore that he was, though not going at break-neck speed. If he had transgressed the bicycle ordinance Smith claimed he had only done so in an effort to get out of the way of an approaching team. The Boyd boy was in court and testified that he had not been badly hurt, but Smith admitted that he might possibly have avoided the lad, which was responsible for the fine.

Andrew Hogland, Grant Anderson and Halmer Larsen were fined $2 each on the charge of riding on the sidewalk on University avenue, beyond Dale. They claimed that they were unaware of the enforcement of the ordinance against using the walks for cycling.

William Francis and John Charleston, who were arrested by Officer McCall while off duty Wednesday night for riding on the Charles street sidewalk, were discharged, upon the complaint being withdrawn by the officer. Officer McCall lives in the neighborhood where the arrest was made, and was criticised by residents of the vicinity for what they chose to term "spying upon his neighbors." They resented the ardor of Officer McCall in enforcing the ordinance, and when this phase of the matter developed, he stated that rather than cause any ill feeling he would withdraw the charge.

Detective Morrissey, of Minneapolis, was at police headquarters yesterday with a warrant for the arrest of Fred Wilson on the charge of stealing a bicycle from a Minneapolis firm. Wilson was recently arrested in this city while attempting to dispose of a bicycle at a Minnesota street second-hand store which had been identified by the Minneapolis firm as one stolen last November. His case comes up in the police court today, when he may be turned over to the Mill City authorities.

Assessed Him Ten Dollars.

Otto Gustafson, a descendant of the old Norse Vikings, at present a resident of Minneapolis, contributed $10 to the local city treasury in the police court yesterday for drunkenness. According to Gustafson he had "troubles" other than having been arrested for drunkenness, though he is in a fair way to believe that liquor is the root of all evil. When he reached St. Paul Wednesday, he claimed he had met two of his countrymen with whom he had taken several drinks. In paying for the drinks Gustafson displayed a "roll" of $50, and after a number of rounds, he said, the men got him into an alley and secured his money, with which they escaped. Judge Twohy was impressed with Gustafson's story, but added another $10 to his expense account.

Second-Hand Dealers in Court.

The proprietors of nine second-hand stores were arraigned in the municipal court yesterday, on complaint of License Inspector Maloney, who charges them with doing business without having procured a license. The accused are Louis Sternberg and Benjamin Levison, engaged in business at 419 Minnesota street, under the firm name of Sternberg & Levison; R. F. Cohn, 322 Jackson street; M. Michael, 109 West Third street; J. Venner, 385 Cedar street; Louis Machinsky, 139 East Third street; I. Salpeter, 378 Minnesota street; Max Ornstein, 192 East Seventh street; I. Fine, 133 East Third street. Each of the defendants entered a plea of not guilty, the cases being set for hearing next Tuesday.

Four Charges Against Him Now.

J. H. Hale, the young man arrested several days ago on the charge of stealing a gold watch from Bertha Sielaff, and who was later accused of stealing a $14 check from the Stahlman Brewing company, was arraigned on three charges in connection with the latter case, being two charges in the second degree and one charge of larceny. The forgery accusations arise from his having indorsed the check which he is alleged to have stolen and for passing the same. The larceny charge in the watch stealing case is also still hanging over Hale. Each of the four charges against the young man will be heard Saturday.

Sent Her to the Workhouse.

Mrs. Mary Russell, a woman of respectable family, whose frequent appearance in the police court on the charge of drunkenness has caused her friends much concern, was yesterday committed to the workhouse for ninety days. Since her arrest a week ago Mrs. Russell has been ill at the county jail, and when brought before Judge Twohy pleaded hard to be allowed her liberty. Her friends have long since ceased trying to reform her, and Judge Twohy considered it a mercy to refuse her request for freedom, and sent her to the workhouse.

Andrea De Gloria's Funeral.

The funeral of Andrea De Gloria, who died by his own hand Tuesday, took place from the Cathedral yesterday afternoon. The obsequies were attended by nearly every member of the Italian colony in St. Paul, while the Societi Christoforo Colombo, of Minneapolis, was present in a body. A short service at the home of the dead man's son-in-law, Joseph Salera, 75 West Third street, preceded the ceremony at the Cathedral, which was performed by Rev. Father Turner, of St. Paul's seminary. The funeral followed a brass band to Calvary cemetery, where the interment took place.

Labor and the Labor Bureau.

A communication was received from the St. Paul and Trades and Labor assembly in which was included a resolution setting forth that the assembly favors the passage of S. F. 558, reorganizing the state labor bureau, which reorganization, the framers of the resolution say, will save the taxpayers of the state $5,500 annually. The thanks of the assembly are extended to the investigating committee for its unbiased report on the past management of the bureau. The communication was referred to the committee on labor and labor legislation.

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MILTON DAIRY Co.

Cor. Ninth and Wabasha,

And 772 Wabasha Street, Near Rice

PARTY WHIP SNAPS

ASSEMBLYMAN DALY SAYS IT'S TIME REPUBLICANS IGNORED CITIZENSHIP LEAGUE

AND GOT RID OF MORGAN.

THEN THE ASSEMBLY TURNS THE LEAGUE DOWN AND GRANTS TANKENOFF A LICENSE.

DIX'S DOG ORDINANCE PASSES.

Policemen to Act as Sprinkling Inspectors This Year, Even if Mabon Protested.

The assembly held a regular meeting last night and disposed of considerable business. The dog ordinance caused considerable discussion, and after it had been passed, the fact was brought out that only the owners of dogs which were allowed to run at large could be compelled to pay a license. The application of Mrs. Tankenoff to sell liquor at the concert hall and saloon, 454 Robert street, was approved in the face a protest from the Christian Citizens' league.

The committee on license reported a batch of ten applications for liquor licenses, including that of Mrs. J. Tankenoff. On motion of Mr. Daly, the Tankenoff application was withdrawn to be acted on separately, and the others approved. Mr. Daly then moved the Tankenoff application be approved, and cracked the party whip in an eloquent speech. Mr. Daly said he did not care to cast any reflections on the Christian Citizens' league, but he was of the opinion that a majority of them were prohibitionists and were trying to place the administration in a false position. The majority of the league was opposed to the granting of any saloon licenses. The time had come, Mr. Daly said, when the Republican party should be considered responsible and competent to pass on the issuance of licenses without the censorship of the Citizens' league. "The sooner you get rid of Morgan," continued Mr. Daly, "the better it will be for the Republican party of the city of St. Paul."

The protests filed by Mr. Doty and published in the Globe were not read, Mr. Kirke stating that they were very lengthy and time would be saved by allowing Mr. Doty to explain the matter. President Arosin said Mr. Doty would be heard by unanimous consent, and as there was no objection Mr. Doty briefly outlined the objections of the gentlemen he represented to granting Mrs. Tankenoff a liquor license. After Mr. Doty's talk Assistant City Attorney Phillips, in reply to questions, said the courts could not revoke the license on the testimony which Mr. Doty had outlined. The assistant corporation attorney did not think it advisable for the council to go into the hearing of testimony. There was hardly a place in the city where the law had not been violated, and if the council should go into each case considerable time would be wasted.

The talk made by Mr. Daly about the bad position in which the Citizens' league was placing the administration had the desired effect, for the motion to grant the license was passed by a vote of 6 to 2, those voting against it being Messrs. Reardon and Thompson.

The committee on license reported the dog ordinance of Assemblyman Dix with the recommendation that it pass. Assemblyman Albrecht wanted the ordinance to go to the committee on streets, as he considered it not well drawn. He opposed the muzzling of dogs the year around and also objected to the manner in which the special policemen to license and collect dogs were to be appointed. Mr. Dix insisted that something should be done to stop the running at large of vicious dogs, and the ordinance passed. After each section had been adopted separately the ordinance as amended was passed.

Under its provisions the keepers or owners of all dogs are to pay a license of $2 for male and $4 for females. All dogs running at large between May 1st and Sept. 30 are to be muzzled. The punishment for failing to secure a license is to be a fine of not more than $25 or imprisonment not more than thirty days in the workhouse, and for failure to muzzle not less than $2 nor more than $20, or not more than ten days in the workhouse.

The corporation attorney stated that under the charter the council was not authorized to pass an ordinance which would apply to dogs other than those running at large.

The bond of the Merchants' National bank, dated April 13, 1897, in the sum of $150,000 with Kenneth Clark, J. B. Tarbox, Maurice Auerbach, Frank B. Kellogg, J. H. Skinner and George H. Prince as sureties, was approved. The bank was designated as a depository of the city funds in the fall of 1896, but as the officers were not in favor of paying the 2 per cent interest on daily deposits no bond was filed at the time, and no city funds deposited.

A final order was passed for the paving of Third street between Sibley and Wacouta streets with sandstone.

The Northwestern Telephone company was directed to place its wires underground on Selby avenue from Summit to Dale street.

An ordinance presented by Mr. Thompson, gave the city charge of the West Third street market, and directed the hiring of an assistant market master. The compensation was left blank, and Mr. Thompson thought $70 would be about the right salary. Mr. Reardon thought $50 would be more in keeping with wages at the present time. One of the largest manufacturing plants was paying skilled mechanics less than $1.50 per day. Mr. Thompson said this was a different case, mechanics did not have head enough to do the work as assistant market master, and $70 per month was little enough pay for the work. Mr. Kirke offered as a compromise, that the assistant be paid $60 per month, and the compromise was adopted.

Mr. Reardon introduced a couple of resolutions in relating to the inspection of street sprinkling. The first provided that the city engineer should employ no sprinkling inspectors for the year 1897. The second directed the work to be done by the police department, who are to report daily as to the sprinkling.

Mr. Mabon said he had been trying to get a good Republican a job as sprinkling inspector, and hoped the resolution would not pass. Mr. Reardon said it was simply a waste of the people's money, last year five or six inspectors were appointed and kept during the season at $70 per month. The wages were paid out of the assessments, and the results were not satisfactory. Mayor Doran, according to Mr. Reardon, was in favor of the police doing the work and saving the taxpayers the $3,000 the inspectors will cost. City Engineer Rundlett thought the police would not be able to handle the inspection, and said the salaries paid were only $60 per month. Both resolutions passed, the one directing that no inspectors be employed, receiving but two votes against it, those in the negative being Messrs. Mabon and Arosin.

Mr. Albrecht handed up a resolution directing the payment of $300 to Walter L. Chapin for services rendered in preparing the tri-city charter bill now before the legislature. Mr. Reardon suggested that, as the resolution called for the amount being paid out of the $10,000 fund appropriated for the unemployed, the matter be referred to that committee. The suggestion was not acted upon, the claim going to the committee on ways and means.

PUT OVER A YEAR.

Laurel Avenue Will Not Be Repaved This Season.

Property owners residing on Laurel avenue between Nina avenue and Dale street made a strong kick yesterday to the board of public works against the paving of that street. F. W. M. Cutcheon, who appeared for the property owners, objecting to the improvement, said he represented forty-one of the seventy-nine owners and 3,400 feet of the frontage. There was no contention as to the need of the street being paved, but it would practically result in a confiscation of considerable of the property, if the improvement was ordered. Many of the owners would have to borrow the money to pay the assessment, and some of them had informed him that it would be impossible to raise the money to pay for the paving.

George Thompson favored the improvement, but was willing to let the matter rest for a year, if the owners would agree to have the paving done at that time. Those present agreed to this action, it was decided an adverse report should be made to the council.

The construction of a sewer on Gaultier street was also opposed by the property owners, and action was deferred. In the tax estimate for this year $7,500 was appropriated for the sewer, but as it would cost the property owners an additional $4,000, strong objection was made against it.

The matter of constructing a sewer on St. Albans street preparatory to ordering the construction of a cross town street car line was discussed and the board decided to submit an adverse report to the council.

INTEREST ON STREET LAMPS.

Whole Question Referred to the Corporation Attorney.

The resolution directing the St. Paul Gas company to remove the gas lamp posts out of service from the streets and providing that the city should pay no more interest on posts not in use, was considered by the aldermanic committee on streets yesterday afternoon. F. W. M. Cutcheon, representing the company, said the agreement had been reached between the city and company some years ago by which the interest charged was simply on the lamp posts and not on the mains service pipes and burners. If the city was anxious to go into the courts the company would take the ground that under the charter granted to them they were entitled to charge interest on other improvements than the posts. He suggested that the matter be referred to the corporation attorney for an opinion as to the rights of the city, and this was agreed to.

The ordinance introduced by Ald. Kenny, designating Smith park as a public market, was also referred to the city attorney for an opinion as to the rights of the council to so designate the property.

The street car ordinances and those relating to depot loops were laid over without discussion.

TANKENOFF'S ALL RIGHT.

William Hamm Says It's a Quiet, Orderly Place.

The committee on license from the assembly took up the application of Mrs. J. Tankenoff for a saloon license at 454 Robert street, yesterday afternoon. There was a large audience present and Assemblyman Daly, who is chairman of the committee, announced that so far as he was concerned he was not going to be dictated to by the Citizens' league or its attorney. The league, he said, was simply trying to make the administration ridiculous, and he for one was not going to be bothered by them. Mr. Reardon asked if the application was in the name of Mrs. Tankenoff. William Hamm, of the Hamm Brewing company, said Mr. Tankenoff had failed in business some years ago, and as there were several judgments against him the application had been made in his wife's name. The saloon was being conducted by Mr. Tankenoff, and for the last three years the license had been taken out in the same manner. Mr. Hamm, who said he represented Tankenoff, offered to prove by the police that the saloon had been conducted in a quiet and orderly manner. The objections filed by Mr. Doty were largely technical and amounted to nothing. As to the surety company being on the bond, this plan had been agreed to by a conference between the mayor and Mr. Morgan, who at that time represented the leagues. No women were allowed in the saloon, and as to the selling of liquors after hours and on Sundays, the same charge could be made against the other 300 saloons now being conducted. Mr. Doty brought in a stenographer and said he was ready to have the testimony taken and was prepared to submit evidence as to the objections made in the protest which had been filed. Messrs. Mabon and Daly decided that they did not want to hear the evidence, but would refer the matter to the assembly, which could, if it desired, order the committee to hear the testimony. By a vote of 2 to 1, Mr. Reardon opposing the action, the committee decided to report favorably on the granting of the application.

THOMAS R. BRILL DEAD.

The Judge Too Late to See His Father Alive.

Thomas R. Brill, father of Hon. Hascal R. Brill and W. S. Brill, of this city, died at Clarenceville, Quebec, last Tuesday at the advanced age of 82 years. The deceased was formerly a resident of Minnesota, having come to the Northwest in 1860 and settled at Kenyon, Goodhue county. After living at Kenyon for eight years, he removed to St. Paul, where he remained until 1885, when he returned to the East. While a resident of this city Mr. Brill was a prominent member of the First Methodist church and possessed a large number of friends and acquaintances, who will receive the news of his death with deep sorrow. Judge Brill received a telegram Monday announcing the dangerous illness of his father, and at once started for his bedside, but failed to reach Clarenceville until after his father's death. He will remain in the East until after the interment.

DON'T KNOW WHO HE IS.

Unknown Insane Man Committed to Rochester Asylum.

The man supposed to be August Hensell, whom the police found Wednesday night wandering about in the vicinity of West Seventh and Ramsey streets, was examined in the probate court yesterday. Hensell, as he is called, that being the name scrawled several times on a piece of paper found in his pocket, would not or could not disclose his identity or his residence. In answer to every question put to him, whether in English, German, Swedish, Norwegian, Danish or French, he simply moaned. Only once did he speak, when in answer to the question, "Where do you live?" he answered, distinctly, "I live with my grandfather." These were the only words he uttered.

He was committed to the Rochester asylum.

TALKED OVER THE WORK.

Christian Citizenship League Committee Compares Notes.

The Christian Citizenship league held a short meeting in the basement of the House of Hope Church last night. The session was executive, and at its close Rev. Watson Millard said that such business as was transacted was not to be given out for publication. It consisted, Mr. Millard said, of routine business only, in the shape of reports from the various committees.

Real Estate Transfers.

A. F. Westling and wife to Carrie F. Westburg, lot 2 and east 4 feet of lot 1, block 11, Sec. add. North St. Paul	$200 00
West St. Paul Building Ass. to H. N. Peterson, south 50 feet lots 29 and 30, C. Weide's sub	3,120 00
Sav. Building Society to Clara M. Bischoff, lot 7, block 13, A. Gotzian's re. Sigel's add	734 00
B. A. Provoost and wife to Nat. Ger.-Am. bank, lot 48, Union Park	1 00
J. F. Cumming to Josephine Frity, lot 11, block 8, Smith sub. part Stinson's add	2,000 00
J. M. Griffith and wife to D. Horrigan, lot 21, block 1, J. R. Weide's second add	650 00
J. A. Sparr and wife to L. Koenig and wife, lot 2, J. R. Weide's re. north ½ block 3, Syndicate add No. 2	600 00
J. Feely to P. H. Feely, lot 7, block 10, Prospect Plateau add	1 00
F. F. Patten and wife to Annie D. Mackay, lots 15, 16, 17 and 19, Hagerman's sub	400 00
Annie D. Mackay and husband to Church of St. Vincent, lots 15, 16 and 17, Hagerman's sub	400 00
Ten transfers. Total	$8,106 00

LOOKS LIKE WINNER

MOVEMENT TO ESTABLISH A NORTHWESERN DAIRY BOARD OF TRADE.

CONVENTION MEETS TODAY.

SECRETARY STINE RECEIVES NOTICE THAT MANY INVITATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

SETTLERS INDORSING THE PLAN.

List of Those Who Have Signified Their Intention of Being Present.

The convention for the purpose of establishing the Northwestern Dairy Board of Trade holds its opening session at 11 o'clock this morning in the rooms of the Commercial club. The members of the committee who called the convention and the business men generally, who are interested in the forming of a dairy board, are much pleased with the outlook. They are of the opinion that the convention will be a success, both in point of numbers and the results that will be attained.

The dairymen throughout the state have caused a broad smile to play over Secretary Stine's face, for, during the last two or three days, numerous answers have been received to the circulars sent out by him last week. The replies all show great enthusiasm in the project and the writers all express themselves as more than willing to lend their aid to its success.

It has been arranged that President Gregg, of the Commercial club, will call the convention to order and will act as temporary chairman. Mayor Doran will be on hand and will deliver an address of welcome.

Among the letters received by Secretary Stine yesterday, was one from J. E. Patton, of the Salem Creamery association, of Salem, S. D. Mr. Patton will not be able to attend, but expressed his hearty sympathy with the movement. Said he:

"We have long thought that something of this kind was practical, and are sure would be of much benefit to the Northwest."

Another dairy man writes: "You cannot have too many of such boards, where they are handled right and the money goes into the hands of the producers and not the buyers."

These are but a few of the letters received expressing sympathy with the movement. There has not been a single one that has not favored the plan.

The following is a list of those who have signified their intention of being present tomorrow:

J. F. McKennon, Cardigan; Henry Sherman, Windom; J. D. Pennil, Annandale; Gusta Newstrom, Kost; F. W. Culbertson, Florence; George F. Short, Faribault; Henry Ulrich, Biscay; Thomas Madigan, Maple Lake; Fred Schutt, Colden; G. Erickson, Clinton; A. H. Parrott, Pierpont; B. A. Mead, Dassel; E. D. Childs, Crookston; Robert Crickmore, Owatonna; W. C. Allyn, Madison Lake; A. R. Ruhnke, Minneapolis; J. W. Bloor, Chisago City; Henry Olson, Marine; Simon Braun, Kellogg; H. Peterman, Waconia; Charles Montaney, Clear Lake, Wis.; F. T. Prohl, Howard Lake; C. G. Roosen, Delano; J. A. Berry, Faribault; F. Tholle company, Gaylord; E. Peck, Kimball; Henry Ames, Litchfield; H. M. Buck, Otisco; Streissguth Mercantile company, Arlington; John F. Beddell, Trim Belle, Wis.; E. G. Hammer, Goodhue; A. W. Snow, Glenville; W. J. Henry, Clinton Falls; Dickey & Co., Forest Mills; N. T. Sandburg, Albert Lea; Samuels & White, Chaska; T. C. Wakefield, Hutchinson; E. Nelson, Grove City; J. C. Trevel, New Munich; T. T. Thorson, Winthrop; C. P. Monahan, Faribault; Nic Thomas, New Market; D. J. Freiberg, St. Henry; I. K. Lewis, Winsted; Aug Samgren, Dassel; W. E. Daily, Sutton; J. J. Farrell, Shakopee; Gustav Meilicke, Windom; A. F. Senechal, Atwater; W. S. Carlyle, Minneapolis; N. Pearson, Atwater; O. Stynce, Maple Plain; E. P. Skartsen, Audobon; E. Evenson, Stout.

ASKS FOR A RECEIVER.

Trust Company Looking After Its Property Rights.

The St. Paul Trust company has begun an action against the trustees of Macalester college to recover the sum of $76,500 alleged to be due the plaintiff on the bond issue of $100,000, dated July 1, 1891, and payable July 1, 1896. The trustees issued eighty bonds at $500 each, and forty bonds at $500 each, to the St. Paul Trust company. To secure these bonds, the defendants gave the plaintiff a trust deed or mortgage of certain real property.

The complaint further alleges that at and prior to the date, the bonds were issued, Macalester college was indebted to various persons to the extent of $125,000. In order to eventually clear off this indebtedness, the college trustees, so the complaint alleges, obtained subscriptions or contracts, for an amount exceeding $125,000. These subscriptions or contracts, were likewise handed over to the St. Paul Trust company as additional security of collateral for the payment of the bonds. It was understood, however, that the proceeds of the subscriptions or contracts, if enforced, were first to be applied to the payment of the general indebtedness of the college.

The St. Paul Trust company asks to be appointed receiver for the purpose of collecting the subscription contracts and to take the usual proceedings to collect the judgment when rendered.

MAY DO IN PINE COUNTY,

But a Simple Warrant Will Not Do in Ramsey.

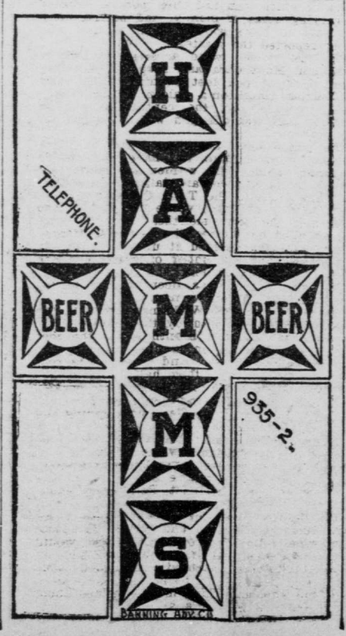
They have a queer way of drawing warrants of arrest up in Pine county. One of these processes, when submitted before Judge Bunn yesterday afternoon, furnished grounds for the immediate discharge of the man arrested by virtue of it. The warrant also furnished much amusement for the court and the attorneys.

The man under arrest was O. S. Swartz, a resident of this city. The warrant was signed by a justice of the peace of Pine county, and was issued for the purpose of bringing Mr. Swartz back to Pine county to answer to a certain charge lodged against him by a man named McKenzie. It evidently grew out of some business transactions between the two. The warrant set forth the charge in this unique fashion:

R. McKenzie made complaint to me that O. S. Swartz did misrepresent his business to me and did defraud me out of $140, and did represent that he was the Emigration association, and that he got a load of wood of me for which he did not account.

(Signed) —Crimmins,
Justice of the Peace.

Constable Turcotte, of Sandstone, came down to St. Paul with the warrant in his pocket, and proceeded to enforce it. Mr. Swartz no sooner found himself in custody than he hired a lawyer and instituted habeas corpus proceedings. The petition set forth the charge upon which Swartz was arrested with greater particularity than the warrant After Swartz had been discharged, he said he was willing to go up to Pine county, as he had nothing to fear and could easily disprove the charge brought against him by McKenzie. Swartz added by way of explanation that McKenzie and he had had a little trouble, and that McKenzie had shot at him three times, but had fortunately missed him every time.



DOING LITTLE WORK.

Street Commissioners Are Questioned on the Subject.

The street commissioners having charge of the 300 men and 80 teams now engaged in cleaning the streets were called before the board of public works, yesterday, relative to the charge that the men were not doing the proper amount of work. The commissioners claimed that the men, or a majority of them, labored under the impression that if they did too much work it would result in there being less employment for other crews that followed. the board of public works decided to give the commissioners full power in the matter and hereafter when any of the men showed a disposition to shirk the street commissioners were ordered to discharge them at once.

One of the city officials in speaking of the matter yesterday said the men employed on the street force received $1.50 per day, which was at least 20 per cent more than was paid laborers by other corporations. On this basis the men should do a deal more work than they did, but so far as he observed this was not the case. Whether this was due to the failure of the street commissioners to exercise proper judgment in outlining the work or the disposition of the men to shirk he was not prepared to say. One thing he was certain of, and that was the city was paying too much money for the work done.

COMPANY D'S INSPECTION.

Double Interest Attaches to the Event This Year.

It was a late hour last evening when Company D was dismissed, Capt. Bean having drilled his men in a majority of the movements prescribed in the school of the company. The sixteenth annual inspection of Company D will take place Thursday evening, April 29. Tickets of admission to the inspection will be sold at 25 cents each, the proceeds to be donated to the Ladies' Monument association. G. A. R., and it is expected that a neat sum will be realized for this worthy and patriotic purpose. It is particularly fitting, it is felt, that the national guard should take an active interest in the erection of a monument in the capital city of Minnesota to the memory of the soldiers who died in defense of the Union, "who preserved our flag unsullied, without a star obscured." All companies of the Minnesota national guard will execute the same movements this year at inspection, a programme having been published by the adjutant general.

SWEEPING THE ASPHALT.

Contracts Let by the Board of Public Works.

The board of public works yesterday, awarded the contracts for sweeping the asphalt paved streets. There were 200 bids, and the lowest bidder in each case was awarded the contract. The prices are much lower than last year, and the estimated cost based on the contracts awarded will be in the neighborhood of $6,000, as against $8,000 for less pavements cleaned last year. The following are the names of the contractors, districts and prices:

District No. 1—Summit, from Dale to Western, and Kent, from Summit to Ashland; M. Enkel, $9.34 per week.

District No. 2—Summit, from Western to Sixth, and Nina, from Summit to a point 210 feet north; Peter Arend, $7.50 per week.

District No. 3—Dayton avenue, from Western avenue east, and Western avenue, from Dayton to Summit; J. R. Crofut, $8.75 per week.

District No. 4—Holly and Portland, from Dale to Western; Arundel, from Summit to Holly; John Benning, $8 per week.

District No. 5—Dayton, from Western to Avon, and Kent from Selby to Marshall; John Needham, $10.20 per week.

District No. 6—Oakland, from Summit to Ramsey; James McGee, $7.25 per week.

District No. 7—Seventh, from Third to Wabasha; Albert Kirch, $8 per week.

District No. 8—Seventh, from Wabasha to Jackson; Jerry Sullivan, $7.40 per week.

District No. 9—Jackson, from Seventh to Ninth, tand Seventh from Jackson to Rosabel; Nick Winecke, $7.50 per week.

District No. 10—Seventh from Rosabel to Brook; Joseph Stauffer, $9.45 per week.

District No. 11—Sixth, from Minnesota to Sibley; Melchouir Steiner, $7.15 per week.

District No. 12—Sibley, from Fourth to Seventh; Michael O'Halloran; $6.25 per week.

District No. 13—Sixth, from St. Peter to Smith avenue; Henry Gerner, $8 per week.

District No. 14—Sixth, from St. Peter to Minnesota; John Lally, $6.75 per week.

District No. 15—Fifth, from Third to Wabasha; John Wingler, $6.80 per week.

District No. 16—Fourth, from Wabasha to Robert; Michael Larkin, $6.50 per week.

District No. 17—Fourth, from Robert to Broadway; Frank Larkin, $6.95 per week.

District No. 18—Third and Fourth, from Pleasant to Wabasha; Michael Kelly, $12.

District No. 19—St. Peter, from Tenth to Third, and Tenth, from St. Peter to Wabasha; Michael Rachneat, $12 per week.

District No. 20—Fifth, from Wabasha to Broadway; Peter Klein, $11.75 per week.

District No. 21—Robert, from Third to Seventh; Mat Krubitsch, $8.

District No. 22—Wabasha, from Third to College; John Heider, $14.25.

The contract for the collection of the sweepings went to John Duffy for $33.85 per week.

MERRIAM PARK'S LIBRARY.

Thanks to the Ladies One Will Open Shortly.

Merriam Park is to have a circulating library and reading room, even if the St. Paul library board will not support it. The ladies of the Park have the matter in hand and have it well under way. Last fall the necessity of establishing a branch reading room and circulating library was urged by the citizens of Merriam Park. A petition was presented to the library board asking for the establishment and maintenance of such a library. The matter was presented by Congressman Stevens, Gen. Childs and Mr. Paradis. The library board, in answer to this request, said they had received similar communications from South St. Paul, East St. Paul and West St. Paul, and they had no available money which they could spend in this direction. The ladies of the Park immediately became interested in the matter, and the presidents of the several literary clubs joined their forces and talked the matter over. A co-operative club was organized for the purpose of raising money to establish this library. A series of entertainments was arranged, two of which have already been given, and quite a sum of money has been realized. A building has been secured on Prior avenue and a reading room will be opened the first of next month. It will be a few weeks before the circulating department is opened. There are about 100 members of the co-operative club, and each one has promised to take her turn as librarian. H. R. McGregor will act as librarian evenings.

DISCUSSED THE STRIKE.

Open Meeting of Carpenters on Schutte Block Trouble.

An open meeting of the carpenters' union was held at Assembly hall last evening, which was largely attended by the striking Schutte building carpenters. Addresses were made by Frank Valesh, Louis Nash, Ed Christopherson, P. J. Geraghty and C. H. Stratton. The general tenor of the remarks was to the effect that the men should not have neglected their craft organization and that they should view their present difficulties in the light of an object lesson.

"Paul Morphy"—Union Make.

Nineteen years' standard; millions have been sold; a St. Paul cigar.

COMES UP SMILING

REPRESENTATIVE STOCKWELL'S RECUPERATIVE POWERS LIKE THOSE OF FITZSIMMONS.

SOLDIERS' HOME KNOCK-OUT

WAS NOT ENOUGH TO SATISFY THE HENNEPIN MAN THAT HE WAS BEATEN.

HAS MORE CHARGES TO EXPLOIT

And Wants the House to Name a Committee for Another Investigation.

Representative S. A. Stockwell, hailing from the Thirty-third district, which embraces the state soldiers' home, has broken out again, ostensibly in defense of the inmates of the institution. This time he alleges "grossly unjust treatment" in the dishonorable discharge from the home of a number of veterans, stating that the reasons given for such discharges—namely, for gross and outrageous behavior—are "outrageously untrue." Investigation would make it appear that three inmates, Chas. D. Trowbridge, Ambrose L. Soule and Frank C. Daugherty, have been discharged from the home for continued infractions of its rules, not the least of which, it appears, was their attitude during the recent investigation of the home. They have been discharged, not by Commandant McMillan upon his own responsibility, as Mr. Stockwell found this practice to be sufficient grounds upon which to base one of his charges, but with the knowledge and approval of the executive committee, which thus stands by the commandant and shares with him the responsibility for the action. During the morning Mr. Stockwell presented the following resolution:

Whereas, Upon the 6th inst. and again upon the 14th inst., certain old soldiers, veterans of the War of the Rebellion, inmates of the Minnesota soldiers' home, were dishonorably discharged from said institution for the reason that it is alleged they were guilty of "gross and outrageous behavior," and

Whereas, Said dishonorable discharge is "grossly" unjust and the reason given therefor "outrageously" untrue, and

Whereas, It is believed that the reason for said dishonorable discharge was the fact that said inmates of said Minnesota soldiers' home answered a subpoena of this house and appeared before the committee on soldiers' home, and gave evidence in the recent investigation, and for no other reason,

Therefore be it resolved, That a committee of five be appointed by the speaker of this house, and they are hereby instructed to inquire into the real reasons for the dishonorable discharge of said inmates, and report their findings to this body at the earliest possible moment.

"It is an outrage," said Mr. Stockwell yesterday, to a reporter for the Globe. "These men have been dishonorably discharged for having testified in the recent investigation before the legislative committee. Daugherty, who was acting quartermaster at the home, testified as to the cost of the pavilion from figures in his possession. He recently asked for a furlough, and was given to understand that he would be furnished an honorable discharge. Instead of this, however, he has received by mail a dishonorable discharge.

"The case of Soule is especially flagrant. He is an old man, sixty years of age, and has been an inmate of the home for three years. He was unwilling to testify in the recent investigation, but I made him do it. His testimony bore directly on the discharge of Tibbits and the drunkenness of Commandant McMillan. Trowbridge, who has also been an inmate of the home for about three years, was among those who testified with a view to establishing the cost of the glass pavilion at the home at Minnehaha."

Mr. Stockwell has been advised of other similiar discharges since early in the month, but has not definite information as to who received them. This dishonorable discharge was given to the men mentioned for gross and outrageous behavior, and makes them ineligible for admission to the national home for six months.

Mr. Johns, of Ramsey, gave notice of debate, so that the matter went over until today.

Capt. Castle, seen during the day, expressed the opinion that the matter should not be dignified by extended comment.

"The facts are simply these," he said. "These three men were discharged with the approval of the executive committee under the general authority granted by law, and under the rules of the board. The step was taken after a careful consideration of the records of the men, and if they or their friends feel aggrieved, they can appeal to the board of trustees, which meets in regular session April 28, at the home. As far as I am aware there are no other dishonorable discharges contemplated, but every case will be taken up on its merits and disposed of. I think the character of the men upon this board of trustees is such as will insure the fairest sort of treatment."

The members of the board are ex-Gov. L. V. Hubbar, of Red Wing; Capt. H. A. Castle, St. Paul; Judge L. L. Baxter, Fergus Falls; Capt. J. R. Parshall, Faribault; Capt. W. P. Dunnington, Redwood Falls; George N. La Vaque, Duluth, and John A. Gilman, of Minneapolis.

The matter will, as stated, come up today for consideration, but the general opinion is that the legislature will hardly name a committee for the purpose suggested in the Stockwell resolution.

SUSTAINS SUPERINTENDENT.

Ruling in a Polk County School Case.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Pendergast issued the following order yesterday:

In the case of the appeal of D. M. Christensen against the decision of C. C. Kaasa, county superintendent for Polk. It appears that Mr. Christensen was examined by said superintendent on the 12th and 13th of March and that the superintendent refused to give him a third grade certificate. Mr. Christensen appealed from the decision to the superintendent of public instruction, who, under chapter 182, Laws of 1895, appointed Hon. John Ogden to hear and determine the appeal. After a careful examination of all the questions and answers in said examination and hearing a statement of the case from the appellant, the decision of the county superintendent is sustained.

DOES SOME BUSINESS.

What the Municipal Court's Civil Records Show.

Deputy Clerk Clouse, of the municipal court, yesterday completed the record of Case No. 27,000 in the civil branch of the court. When Mr. Clouse began keeping the record in 1888 but 8,400 civil cases had been tried, making a total of 18,600 cases during his encumbency.

Dean Getting Used to It.

The recent trial of Robert Dean, the colored man, otherwise known as "Memphis Bob," on the charge of stealing two pairs of trousers from the Plymouth clothing house, took place yesterday before Judge Lewis and a jury. On the first trial the jury failed to agree.

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