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LODGE ROOM GOSSIP

ANNUAL ELECTION TAKING THE TIME OF LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS.

ODD FELLOWS ARE ACCEPTING

REPORTS FROM THE NOMINATIONS FOR GRAND LODGE OFFICES.

THE IRON HALL STILL GROWING.

F. D. Somerby to Institute a New Branch—Doings of the Week in Secret Societies.

The annual meeting and election of officers of St. Paul Chapter No. 24, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held next Friday evening in the Masonic Temple. Several candidates who have been elected to membership will be initiated. A social will be given by St. Paul chapter at the residence of Mrs. E. F. Miller, 715 Holly avenue, Tuesday evening, Dec. 14, to which all members of the order and their friends are invited.

A stated communication of Shekinah Lodge No. 171, A. F. & A. M., will be held tomorrow evening. Work in M. M. degree.

Nominations for grand lodge offices have been accepted by the following past grands: For grand master, George G. S. Campbell, of Alexandria; for deputy grand master, J. P. Cottier, of St. Paul; W. C. Gamble, of Fairmont; Nathan Jacobs, of St. Paul; Dr. I. J. McGillan, of Warren; Ira E. Sumner and E. M. Wallbridge, of Northfield; for grand warden, G. W. Bertram, of Minneapolis; E. G. Bloomfield, of Willmar; Charles H. Budd, of Montevideo; P. P. Cady, of Pipestone; M. F. Henion, of Minneapolis; Hugh Jones, of St. Paul; Alexander Van Praag, of Little Falls; C. R. Wilkinson, of St. Paul Park; for grand secretary, A. L. Bolton, of St. Paul; for grand treasurer, C. M. Sprague, of Sauk Center; for grand representative, D. H. Stimson, of Austin. The election will take place at the last meetings of the subordinate lodges in January, 1898.

KNIGHTS OF MALTA.

Tyrone Commandery No. 239 will be instituted on Dec. 16, with 125 charter members.

The following commanderies consolidated on last Saturday evening and conferred all the degrees on a class of 127 candidates: St. Paul No. 154, Adriel No. 168, Olice Branch No. 192, Coeur de Lion No. 213 and St. Elmo No. 216. The sir knights began to assemble at 7 p. m., and the work of conferring the twelve degrees began at 8 p. m., and was conferred by the several degree staffs from the commanderies mentioned. A banquet was served at midnight, when 400 sir knights sat down to partake of the many good things in store for them. There was a large delegation of visiting sir knights from Minneapolis commanderies.

Star of the East Commandery No. 226 conferred all the degrees on a class of forty novices on Friday evening.

Adriel Commandery No. 168 and St. Paul Commandery No. 154 are arranging to confer the white degree in elaborate form some time in May.

John Bunyan Commandery No. 240 will be instituted on Dec. 10, with 200 charter members.

There is a movement among the members of the several commanderies in the city for the institution of an alhambra and siesta of the Princes of Bagdad, or the Oriental and mystical number of 77. The siesta will be instituted about the 15th of January, or as soon as 100 charter members are procured from the several commanderies. The sir knights are requested to send their names to the several recorders, so that they can be enrolled in good season.

A. O. U. W.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year by Capital City Lodge No. 227, A. O. U. W.: James Elslone, master workman; Byron Bradley, foreman; Geo. W. Jones, overseer; Adolph Johnson, guide; Louis Sickles, inner watch; James Lucci, outer watch; J. C. Fischer, trustee; John Bergman Jr., recorder; A. F. Pabst, financier; Chas. L. Holland, receiver.

Eureka No. 9, at its last meeting elected as officers for the following year: Master workman, Owen Morris; foreman, S. C. Olmstead; overseer, John McGarry; recorder, Thomas B. F. Lee; financier, C. J. Nelson; receiver, George E. Squires; guide, P. A. Linden; inside watchman, P. O'Donnell; outside watchman, William J. Riley; trustee for three years, John Nunan. At the next meeting there will be cards, dancing and refreshments.

Hiawatha Lodge, No. 90, A. O. U. W., held their regular meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 2. The election of officers was the main feature of the evening. The lodge resolved to have a smoke social on the evening of installation of officers. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: P. M., Henry Kaufer; M. W., J. Dogerty; For. P. J. McNally, O. O. Christanson; recorder, Charles Wright; financial, H. M. Davis, recording, J. Reagon; guide, Henry Cohn; I. W., Will Roll; O. W., J. Malmstrom. The committe on next Thursday evening's entertainment report progress and a good time is expected.

Noble Franklin Lodge, No. 2, held its annual election Thursday evening. There was a large attendance. The following are the newly elected officers for the ensuing year: Past master workman, Albert Ebel; master workman, Louis Remaley; foreman, Dr. Hesselgrave; overseer, M. J. Feehan; recorder, R. D. O'Connell; financier, J. J. Daily; recorder, T. R. Fearing; guide, J. P. Master; I. W., H. Canfield; O. W., N. Walch; trustee, J. F. McGuire. Three new members were initiated; also four applications received. The Noble Franklin lodge is booming. Next Thursday evening the lodge will give a litterary and musical entertainment. All friends of the lodge are invited.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

All who attend next meeting of Commercial council on Monday evening next are promised a very enjoyable time. The entertainment committee has made preparations for a litterary and musical programme, followed by lunch. Election of officers for 1898 will be held.

Merriam Park council, Royal Arcanum, had an excellent meeting last Thursday night. The attendance was large, and many of the most prominent members were present. Two gentlemen were initiated into the mysteries of V. M. C., and considerable important business was transacted, not least of which was the election of officers for the ensuing year, resulting as follows: Representative, E. D. Parker; alternate, W. J. Sullivan; regent, F. W. Matson; vice regent, I. G. Andrews; past regent, F. D. Parker; secretary, O. E. Wood; orator, Prof. C. E. McCann; collector, H. S. Sumner; treasurer, H. M. Crosby, chaplain, Rev. G. H. Ten Broeck; guide, W. K. Naylor.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Twin City lodge have elected their officers for the coming year as follows: W. J. Sullivan, chancellor commander; Sam Howat, vice chancellor; H. L. Donnelly, prelate; K. B. Hamilton, master of works; E. F. Stockwell, master at arms; C. W. Moore, keeper of records and seal; Lester R. Drake, master of finance and master of exchequer; M. E. Booth, inner guard; John Donaldson, outer guard; Oliver Hulback, trustee. Lester R. Drake was elected to serve out the unexpired term of T. C. O'Keef, who resigned as chancellor commander.

On Tuesday evening St. Paul lodge elected the following officers for the year 1898: P. D. Godfrey, C. C.; L. A. W. Tweedale, V. C.; James R. Hickey, P.; F. W. Baer, M. W.; F. E. M. Smith, M. A.; J. S. Kimball, K. R. S.; Joseph Lutz, M. E.; William Norton, M. F.; J. R. Foster, I. G.; J. J. Hurley, O. G.; H. R. Hare, trustee. The officers will be publicly installed by the grand lodge officers on Tuesday, Jan. 4.

MODERN WOODMEN.

Minnehaha Camp No. 674, Modern Woodmen of America, held its annual election last evening. There were 265 members present out of a membership of 565, 105 more than at any preceding meeting during the past year. The result of the election was as follows:

Venerable Consul—A. W. Lilley, re-elected.
Worthy Adviser—J. Ferguson.
Clerk—A. H. Hooper, re-elected.
Assistant Clerk—G. C. Collins, re-elected.
Banker—E. B. Lott, re-elected.
Escort—C. S. Haven, re-elected.
Assistant Escort—J. F. Monaghan.
Watchman—T. H. Curtis.
Sentry—E. Anderson.
Manager—W. S. Runyon (three years.)
Physician—L. E. Penny, A. F. Goodrich, E. F. Geer.

Scandia camp will elect officers on Friday next. All members are requested to be present.

Forest Camp No. 3,800 will give a grand entertainment Monday evening, Dec. 6, in its hall, East Seventh and Reaney streets. All Woodmen are invited.

ODD FELLOWS.

This season's first social hop of Twin City lodge came off last Thursday night. Next Thursday evening the initiatory degree will be conferred on two candidates by this lodge.

The new officers elected by Hancock encampment last Monday night—all by acclamation—are: William A. Ristine, C. P.; Asa D. Piper, senior warden; Charles H. Ipps, H. P.; G. A. Rinker, scribe; Walter Tauscher, treasurer, and Henry Bocklage, junior warden. A class of candidates will be admitted to the Patriarchal degree tomorrow (Monday) night.

Snelling Lodge, No. 163, I. O. O. F., will give a social dance and supper at Central hall, Sixth and West Seventh streets, on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock.

IRON HALL.

F. D. Somerly, of Philadelphia, will install the officers of a new branch of the Iron Hall Tuesday evening in Rebecca hall, Odd Fellows' block, corner Fifth and Wabasha streets. The ceremony of installation will be followed by a dance. The name of the branch will be "Klondike."

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Prosperity Camp No. 2 held its regular meeting Wednesday evening and nominated officers for the ensuing year. Invitations are out for its seventh annual social and hop, Dec. 14.

RATHBONE SISTERS.

The annual election of officers of Myrtle Temple No. 2 will take place Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 7, at 2:30. All members will please take notice. Other business of importance will be taken up.

Modern Mince Pie.

Do you scent the mince pies a-baking? No, of course not. Half of creation buy their mince pies, and the other half don't eat them. Now and then a fine, old-fashioned housekeeper turns out some of those miraculous pies, and the fragrance threof rises to the skyscrapers' top story. Probably nothing in all cookery smells so good; but one likes to know all the ingredients, and if there is a lot of wicked liquor aboard to keep the compound from murdering the digestive organs.—Boston Herald.

Eye Photographed to Find a Murderer.

The funeral of Mrs. Nettie E. Winkler, who met her death at the hands of an assassin in Cleveland last Friday, was held from the house of her parents this afternoon. It was attended by a great crowd of people, many of them friends, the majority being attracted, however, by curiosity. Before Mrs. Winkler was buried an expert photographer took a photograph of the retina of the eye, it being hoped that perhaps the murderer's image may be discerned in it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Blizzard Promised.

Special to the Globe.

WATERTOWN, S. D., Dec. 4.—The wind is in the northwest and it is snowing very heavy. Indications are for a blizzard.

ARE PULLING AWAY

LEADERS IN THE GLOBE SCHOOL GIRLS' CONTEST ARE COUNTING MANY VOTES.

MISS AHERN STILL GAINS,

NOW HAVING A LEAD OF ABOUT 250 OVER MISS STELLA VERVAIS.

MISS KELLER'S TEN CENTURIES.

Thousand Votes Cast for Her Lifted Her Over Two of Her Rivals.

Remarkable gains by Misses Nellie Ahern and Hattie Keller have been the feature of this week in the great voting contest, which the Globe instituted several weeks ago to determine which was the most popular of the school girls in St. Paul. Miss Ahern, who has been making a close race for several weeks with Miss Stella Vervais, gained votes this week, and so has a comparatively large lead over her hardest competitor, who still holds second place.

Miss Keller's gain during the week was phenomenal, too, 1,000 votes having been added to the total credited to her last Sunday morning, thus lifting her from fifth place to third, while Misses O'Malley and Sexton are each dropped back thereby. The race between Misses Keller and O'Malley for third place is now almost as interesting as that for the first place between Misses Ahern and Vervais. The full vote up to 6 o'clock last evening is as follows:

Nellie Ahern, 131 Jessamine street	12,146
Stella Vervais, 424 Fort street	11,708
Hattie Keller, 540 Lafayette avenue	3,768
Linda O'Malley, 879 East Third street	3,749
Winnie Sexton, 510 Fuller street	3,414
Mamie Bader, 745 Tuscarora	3,017
Esther La Mountain, 433 St. Anthony	2,923
Julia Redington, 371 Banfil	2,789
Elsie Maher, 226 Pennsylvania	2,370
Mary Perrior, 651 Elfelt	2,355
Mollie Gallagher, 95 Garfield	2,290
Emily Henry, 841 Rondo	2,224
Mary Smith, 288 Lisbon	2,119
Barbara Monzel, 46 Dearborn	1,542
Mamie Gallagher, 137 East Congress	1,389
Stella St. Aubin, Brewster & University	1,037
Grace Comiskey, 547 Martin	1,032
Maud Rothschild, 10 Summit	946
Rosa Risack, 7 Mayall	914
Gertrude Hughes, 825 Payne	908
Pearl Gmehle, 457 Rice	723
Lulu F. Howard, 582 St. Anthony	708
*Lillian King, 212 Concord	655
Agnes Piquette, 314 Rondo	597
Lizzie Sullivan, 861 De Soto	563
Anna Grote, 273 Martin	553
Mamie Croker, 794 Cedar	523
Jennie Bastian, 61 West Isabel	514
*Mellie Hubbard, 844 Selby	500
Frances Paussek, 931 Hudson	495
*rene Pottgeiser, 126 Viola	488
Annie M. Whalen, 41 Atwater	473
Catherine Richie, 296 Lawson	454
Mollie Scheffer, 355 Arundel	431
Eleanor Kneip, 246 East Fourteenth	420
Mary Carney, 76 Iglehart	380
Tina Neis, 554 Aurora	334
Mae Williams, 96 Manitoba	321
Mary Lynch, 412 Jay	320
Josie Hall, 769 Greenbrier	289
Mamie Walsh, 624 East Third	283
Jeanette Thein, 1193 West Seventh	266
Pearl Leonard, Laurel and Avon	247
Winfred Costella, 410 Iglehart	243
Esther Kram, 165 Custer	242
Josephine Parnell, 929 Sherburne	212
Lucy Jarosz, 250 Thomas	201
Nora DeVer, 157 Ramsey	199
Fanny Wilson, 426 Daly	191
Josie Bowman, 141 South Wabasha st	188
Katie Gray, 995 Burgess	184
Mary Zielssinki, 1011 Margaret	172
Lolita Czikowitz, 147 Iglehart	169
Gertrude Morrow, 265 Nelson	157
Mary Stover, 60 West Summit	151
Almie King, 764 Marshall	144
Willow Schurmeier, 100 East Seventh	143
Loretta McDonald, 707 Mississippi	120
Birdie Conley, 223 Pennsylvania	106
Mary Campbell, 728 Selby	102
Celia Barteaux, 218 Goodrich	102
Irene Berrisford, 495 Oakland	97
Loretta McBride, 287 Harrison	124
Mabel Collier, 60 Manitoba	90
Louisa Boonish, 520 Rice	89
Clara Barnacle, 231 Smith	81
Virginia Just, 139 Concord	79
Pynna Jones, 555 Grand	79
Scottee Davis, 317 Carroll	95
Gracie Bell, 115 South Wabasha	76
Florence Campbell, 498 Beaumont	67
Anna Morgan, 643 Lafayette	61
Rosa Cohen, 666 Wabasha	61
Clara F. Ruch, 562 St. Peter	52
Estelle Newcombe, 417 Wabasha	49
Clara Juds, 393 Western	48
Mary McDonald, 2111 Lincoln	46
Mille Busby, 720 Armstrong	43
Selma Bergerson, 180 East Seventh	45
Debbie Garlough, 556 State	37
Florence Yoerg, 197 West Isabel	37
Mary Dwelly, 751 Margaret	37
Louisa Ray, 114 Snelling	31
Ethel Morgan, 280 Fuller	29
Anna Thornsen, 939 Armstrong	29
Nellie Johnson, 742 Pine	28
Annie Hedberg, 433 Mount Ida	27
May Donnelly, 433 Fuller	27
Vera Mahle, 449 Mount Ida	26
Ethel Jensen, 712 Cedar	26
Marie O'Grady, 542 Pleasant	23
Leila Wray, 314 Smith	23
Mary Barry, 192 Martin	21
Mary Techy, 159 Rondo	20
Agnes Cawley, 328 East Congress	20
Katherine Wjily, 902 Payne	18
Vera Beal, Fourth and Wabasha	14
Segred Elmquist, 747 Burr	8
Pearl Connell, 515 Whitall	7
Emma Rassmusser, 916 Rondo	7
Stella Daly, 975 Hudson	7
Lizzie Adlor, 993 Randolph	7
Lulu Adler, 520 Kent	5
Ada Sullwold, 787 Laurel	4
Mary Saunders, 223 Summit	4
Katie Fitzgibbon, 901 Dawson	4
Ida Kottko, 692 Lee	4
Frances McGill, 203 East Eighth	4
Bertha Blosom, 310 Wabasha	3
Alice Thorn, 344 Dale	3
Katie Mullaine, Jefferson school	3
Gertrude Gray, Irvine school	1
Grace Morton, 666 Lincoln	1

*Withdrawn.

NEW POPULAR SONG.

Eddie Conway, formerly of St. Paul, Has Turned One Out.

Eddie Conway, he of the musical voice, and formerly a favorite in St. Paul, has captured New York with a popular song, which threatens to be the next "go" in songs, and displace "A Hot Time," with which the air is now being split. Mr. Conway will soon sing it here with a company with which he is traveling. When he arrives, he will make it warm for his friends, for a genuine "popular" beats the Klondike in money-making properties. The song is now being yelled from the stage by performers in almost every city. It is a sentimental, and its title is "Missing From Home." A verse will describe the song better than any amount of explanation, and it shows that as songs go, grammatically, the song is "not too worse."

As on Sunday this old couple to their village church would go,
Acquaintances remarked how sad they seemed;
For, alas, their hearts were heavy with a parent's greatest woe,
While praying God their child might be redeemed.
They listened with devotion to the parson's solemn prayer,
And in the choir a missing voice bemoan;
For, alas, the voice that pleased them most, no longer is heard there,
It is the voice of her they miss from home.

Chorus—
As the church bells ring, for some a sweet refrain,
A story sad they tell to those in pain.
In some village humble home
Sits a couple all alone,
And prays for one who's missing from their home.

AFTER MR. FINN'S TIME

Arose the Questions in a Recent Supreme Court Decision.

The decision of the supreme court in the case of Thomas Wallace Jr., vs. the Carpenter Electric Heating Manufacturing company, which was published in the Globe of yesterday, conveyed the possible idea that the discrepancy between the par value of the stock and the amount paid for it, which suggested the possibility of raud arose during the management of George Finn. As a matter of fact, it is claimed, the question of the suit came up after Mr. Finn had severed his connection with the company. He had associated with him originally in the concern a number of friends, but when Mr. Finn retired they had all disposed of their property. It was about one year after the control of the company had gotten into other hands, that the questions involved in the decision arose.

SUES FOR THEIR CHILD.

Joseph Kun's Habeas Corpus Proceedings Against His Wife.

Joseph F. Kun wants the district court to award him the possession of his four-year-old boy, Francis Godfrey Elsner Kun. The little fellow is now with his mother, Mrs. Anna Kun, who is living with her parents at 636 Pleasant avenue. Mr. Kun invoked the law through the medium of Court Commissioner Gallick late yesterday afternoon, as all the judges of the district court had gone home. Mr. Kun made an affidavit that his boy was restrained of his liberty by Mrs. Anna Kun, that she was an unfit person to have charge of the child, and that he Joseph, was the proper person.

On such a prima facie case Capt. Gallick, acting as court commissioner, allowed the writ of habeas corpus, and made it returnable before him Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A reporter for the Globe called at 346 Pleasant avenue last night. Mrs. Kun had retired, but she conversed through the register leading to her room. She admitted that she had her boy with her.

"I left my husband in September," she said, "and took Francis with me. He threatened to kill me and my child, and I couldn't live with him any longer. He was very queer."

Mrs. Kun said that she and Kun were married five years ago, and that her huhband was employed for some time in the Second National bank. For the past year he had been out of work, and last September they had separated on account of her husband's strange actions.

LATE SOCIAL NEWS.

One of the pleasant events of the social season occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sherwood, No. 269 West Fifth street, last evening. Messrs. Loomis and Goodwillie entertained ten couples at progressive euchre and a most elaborate banquet. The prizes were won by Mr. George D. Flynn, Mrs. Charles R. White, Mr. John Mahan and Miss E. Maynard. The rooms were decorated with natural roses. Music was furnished by the Twin City Mandolin orchestra. Those present, besides Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood and Messrs. Loomis and Goodwillie, were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Madigan, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. John Mahan, Mrs. C. R. White, the Misses Cowling, the Misses Bowen and Misses Bean, Ryan, Foley, Campbell, Peterson, and Messrs. Cowling, Murphy and Flynn.

William Brennan's Death.

The death of William F. Brennan, which occurred at St. Joseph's hospital Friday afternoon, was a shock to his relatives and friends. He was taken sick Thanksgiving evening, and there were no indications of the approach of death until some days later. He grew worse, however, until Friday, when he was removed to St. Joseph's hospital, dying two hours later. He was seventeen years old, and leaves two brothers and three sisters.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

The State Bank of Appleton yesterday filed an application with Superintendent of Banks Kenyon to be permitted to begin business.

D. A. Potter will speak to the Socialistic Labor party this afternoon in Assembly hall his subject being "Reform or Revolution."

John E. King, deputy ruler of the Elks, left last evening for Fargo, where this afternoon he will deliver the memorial address befor the Elk lodge of that city.

The Young People and Ladies' Aid Societies of St. Matthew's German Evangelical Church will open a bazar Tuesday at Wellers' hall on Dale and University. The sale of articles will continue until Friday.

The St. Paul division, Order of Railway Conductors, will meet in Knights of Pythias hall, Bowlby block, this afternoon. A special dispensation has been granted for the initiation of a large number of candidates.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Durand, of 670 Charles street, returned from Stillwater.

The Junior Pioneers meet Wednesday evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the Jackson-Drew Mothers' club was held Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Cora Smith-Eaton gave a talk on "Causes of Nervous Irritation in Children," and Mrs. Dr. Brimhall sang two numbers. The January meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. MacNamara and Mrs. McNulty. The February meeting, Mrs. McCrait, Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Shaw, and the March meeting, Mrs. Tostevin and Mrs. Luley.

The next regular review of the newly reorganized Unity Tent No. 8 Order of Maccabees, will be held at the Odd Fellows' hall, Fifth and Wabasha next Tuesday. A large number of applications will be read and passed upon and members of a degree team will be selected.

The Vega society, a Swedish organization, at its annual election of officers at Vega hall, 218 East Seventh street, selected the following: Erick Norton was chosen president; Charles Skog, secretary; H. N. Clouse, financial secretary; Oscar M. West, treasurer, and John Larson, librarian. The reports of the officers show the organization to be in a flourishing condition, from both financial and membership standpoints.

Bishop Gilbert will preach at St. Clement's church this morning at 11 o'clock. In the evening there will be a union service at Christ church in the interest of the City Mission society.

The meeting of the Endeavor Society of People's Church tonight will be in charge of the Commons Educational league. The subject will be "Not to Be Ministered Unto, But to Minister."

The funeral of Francis H. Dayton, custodian of the court house, was held yesterday afternoon from the residence, 226 Bates avenue. Acker post, G. A. R., of which Mr. Dayton was a member, sent a large delegation in command of Capt. Burns. Mayor Doran was present as the official head of the city, besides a large number of officials, members of the common council and court house attaches. The services, which were quite brief, were held in Bates Avenue M. E. church.

Too Many Names in the Prayer.

A little 4-year-old girl was saying her prayers the other night, and after her "Now I lay me" asked God to bless her papa, mama, each one of her brothers and sisters, and Mr. and Mrs. Black, mentioning a lady and gentleman of whom the child was very fond, who had dined with the family that night.

Her wise older sister of 6 years listened critically to the prayer, and when it was done said severely:

"It isn't necessary to pray for any outside your own family. You shouldn't have prayed for Mr. and Mrs. Black. God might get so many names mixed up."—London Figaro.

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FUNDS OF THE SOCIETY AUDITED.

What They Show as Examined and O. K'd by the Committee That Looked Over Them.

The auditing committee appointed by the governor to examine the accounts of the executive board of the state agricultural society met yesterday and found the report to be correct, the books showing the business of the recent state fair being as follows:

Expenditures for 1897—	
1896 and former years	$137 77
Litigation—Mamie Lane and other cases	4,842 89
Attractions	2,227 70
Advertising, bill posting, printing and stationery	4,783 10
Forage and fuel	1,157 14
Labor, repairs, material	2,474 06
Officers' salaries	4,400 00
Postage, telegrams, express	377 85
Premiums	13,663 15
Races	5,436 60
Assistant superintendents, judges, police, ticket sellers, gate men, etc.	4,718 97
Permanent improvements	2,041 79
Miscellaneous expenses	2,529 92
	$48,790 94
The treasurer's report shows:	
Receipts—	
Cash on hand from 1896	$6,122 75
Cash for bills receivable, 1896	3,500 00
Sundry collections, interest, etc., 1896	201 44
State appropriation	4,000 00
Entry fees	608 50
Stall rent	1,679 40
Forage	721 10
Privileges	3,869 00
Races	3,097 35
Tickets	30,634 90
Miscellaneous	868 61
Total	$54,703 05
Expenditures	48,790 94
Cash balance on hand Dec. 3, '97	$5,912 11
Bills receivable	3,500 00
Total	$9,412 11

The annual meeting of the society will be held Jan. 12, and it is expected that 150 members will be present. At this meeting, as was state in the Globe yesterday, two members of the executive board will be elected, the terms of J. H. Letson and Wyman Elliott expiring; a president and two vice presidents will also be selected, as the terms of President Ed Weaver and Vice Presidents D. R. McGinnis expire. Mr. Weaver, it is understood, has declined a re-election, he having already held that office for three terms, which is one more than any of predecessors, thus making a new precedent. It is believed that John Cooper, of St. Cloud, will be elected to that office. The executive board will then meet, and will elect a secretary and treasurer.

Drop That Last "If."

L. A. Rosing, of Cannon Falls, chairman of the Democratic state committee, is mentioned as a candidate for governor, providing Lind will not accept a renomination. There are other and older claimants for that honor, but we would gladly support him for congress, if he would consent to make the race, if Maj. Peck, does not feel like trying conclusions once more.—Chaska Herald.

The Statue Would Be Enough.

It is now proposed to make a statue of President McKinley in solid gold, for exhibition at the Paris exhibition. Why not make another golden calf and be done with it.—Northfield Independent.

It Would Stop the Scandals.

We believe that the best way to settle this whole pension business, is to give all old soldiers who served in the field at least ninety days, a service pension, graded upon the per diem principle.—Chaska Herald.

Pension Roll Facts.

One in every twenty of our population is now on the pension roll. That is to say, of every fourteen families in the United States one family is partially or wholly supported by the government.

The Undertaker's Welcome.

At the recent reunion at Leavenworth a local undertaker thought he was showing the proper spirit when he displayed a banner in the window with these words on it, "Welcome, comrades."—Kansas City Journal.

DAYTON'S BLUFF.

An art exhibition, for the benefit of the English Lutheran church of the Redeemer, was given last Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Bjornsted. During the evening musical selections were given by Mrs. J. A. Detzer, Mr. Hals and Harry George. Refreshments were served.

The pupils of the eighth grade, Van Buren school, gave an entertainment in the kindergarten room Friday evening, to raise funds for a new piano. The entertainment consisted of drills, dialogues, tableaux and music, and will be repeated Monday and Tuesday.

The Just Us club met with Miss S. Davis, of Reaney street, Friday evening. Prizes were carried off by Miss Noble, Mr. Hoatson, Miss Agnes Milane, Mr. Knelsel, Miss Lapree and Mr. Campene. The next meeting will be with Miss Noble, of Bates avenue.

Mrs. A. J. Wielde, of Fremont street, entertained the following ladies at dinner Tuesday, in honor of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Owens, of Milwaukee, Mrs. W. Silcox, Mrs. Frank Ollesenchaw, Mrs. A. Patwell and Mrs. C. Bronnson.

Next Saturday afternoon the Junior Society of the Atlantic Church will hold a meeting in the church parlors. They will prepare a box to be sent to Miss Francis Gage, at Marsovan, Turkey.

Miss Schohlert entertained the Young People's Progressive Literary and Social club, last Thursday evening, at a progressive anagram party.

The Dayton Bluff Mothers' club will meet in the Van Buren school Monday afternoon at 3:30. A paper will be read by Mrs. Fitzgerald. Mrs. Holmes will lead.

The Excelsior club met with Mrs. Cleveland Tuesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Carpenter, Mr. Ellswarth, Miss Flynn and Mr. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkhard gave a dancing party for Miss Burkhard, on Tuesday evening at their home on Hoffman avenue. The rooms were decorated in roses, palms and chrysanthemums.

The Christian Endeavor society will hold a business meeting in the parlors of the Atlantic church Wednesday evening, after prayer meeting.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Bates Avenue Church will meet with Mrs. Rotert, of Hudson avenue, next Wednesday evening.

Miss Elsie Mertens, of Fifth street, entertained at euchre Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Geogre Neinaber, of Fifth street, entertained for her birthday Saturday afternoon.

The members of the Capital City Cycle club will entertain their friends at a card party in the club house Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Thorwarth, of Mound street, will entertain the Relief society, of the St. Paul chapter, Order of the Easter Star, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Farwell, of Hoffman avenue, entertained the Pioneer Euchre club Friday evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German M. E. Church met Friday with Mrs. Beckendorf.

Mrs. Charles Bronnson, of Minneapolis, visited Mrs. A. J. Wielde, the first of the week.

The Woman's auxiliary met with Mrs. J. M. Smith Friday.

The Dayton's Bluff Literary and Debating society will meet in the guild rooms of St. Peter's church Monday evening.

Mrs. Korphage, of Maria avenue, is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Reinking.

Miss Jannie Littner, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. Arth, left Monday for Prairie du Chien.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Patrick's Church met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Edward Klinkerfuss of Francis street.

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LATE SOCIAL NOTES

CUPID'S CONQUESTS.

A charming wedding occurred last Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Seibert, 310 Nelson avenue, uniting their daughter, Ida Marie, to Dr. F. H. Kyle. Rev. C. H. Plummer, of Lake City performed the ceremony. Miss Florence Petsch, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor, and George L. Seibert, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The bridesmaids were Miss Augusta M. Horeish and Miss Agnes C. Erickson. The bride wore pearl gray brocaded satin, trimmed in chiffon and jewels; the bouquet was of white roses. The maid of honor was gowned in white organdie, and carried white roses. The bridesmaids wore organdie over colors, and carried bridesmaids' roses. The bride's mother wore black satin, with beaded trimmings, and red roses. Miss Lillie Danz played the wedding march. A reception followed the ceremony, and covers were laid for thirty-six. The rooms were decorated in chrysanthemums, smilax and palms. Among those present were Mrs. Margaret Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Danz, Mrs. F. Danz, Mrs. Anderberg, the Misses Danz, Miss Eva Petsch and Mr. George J. Danz. Mr. and Mrs. Kyle left for a trip through the East.

The engagement of Henry J. Horn Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Horn, and Miss Josephine Robinson, daughter of Mrs. Vilas, of Livingston, Mont., is announced. Mr. Horn is the superintendent of the Montana division of the Northern Pacific railway.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Ayers, of Saginaw, Mich., and Howard James, of Duluth. The ceremony will occur in St. Paul's church, Saginaw, Dec. 16. The young people will make their home in Buffalo, N. Y.

The engagement of Miss Grace H. Flower, daughter of G