THE NORTHWEST

THEY GO FORTH TO TEACH

STUDENTS GRADUATE FROM WINONA NORMAL

Class of Twenty-Nine Receives Diplomas—The First Class Graduated Under the New Plan for Continuous Sessions—Boys at the Training School Make a Break for Liberty.

Special to The St. Paul Globe.

WINONA, Minn., March 25.—The commencement exercises of the Winona state normal school were held this evening at the Central M. E. church, a very large audience being in attendance. The state normal board was present, as well as the school faculty. The exercises were opened by an organ solo, "Pilgrim's Chorus," from "Tannhauser," by Mr. Marcus Lombard. Mrs. C. B. Yale, of St. Paul, rendered a contralto solo, "O Divine Redeemer," by Gounod, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Hattie Woolsey, violin by Prof. F. S. Hines and organ by Prof. Marcus Lombard.

The address of the evening was then delivered by Prof. William L. Tomlins, of Chicago, on "Music; Its Nature and Its Influences."

Miss Katherine Jewell Everts, of the normal faculty, gave a delightful reading, "The Symphony," by Sidney Lanier.

The presentation of diplomas by Resident Director Morey concluded the exercises.

The list of names of the first class graduated under the quarterly graduation and continuous session system, is as follows:

Advanced Course—Genevieve Arnold, Roswell, S. D.; Effie Louisa Bean, Winona; Annette Emelia Dryg, Minneapolis; Nellie Gilliland, Winona; Grace May Horne, McGregor, Io.; Adeline Edna Madden, Minneapolis; Hattie Elvida Mann, Litchfield; Clara Isabel McNown, Mauston, Wis.; Margarete Edna Morrison, Beulah, Io.; Mary Eliza Palmby, Witoka; Emma Louise Riemenschneider, Minneapolis; Elizabeth Chave Rutledge, Sparta, Wis.; Matilda Sandberg, Minneapolis.

Elementary Course—Georgiana Allen, Rochester; Marie Christine Bordson, Selma, Cal.; Mary Rubina Colligan, Stillwater; Jessie Anna Cook, St. Charles; Charlotte Mary Diddams, Le Roy; Josephine Agnes Fanset, Milbank, N. D.; Josephine E. Farnam, La Crosse, Wis.; Mary Lydia James, Northfield; Dora Ulrique Johnson, Rushford; Helen Mary Kauphusman, Wyatteville; Adelaide Lilliam Marin, Crookston; Margaret McAdam, Blooming Prairie; Mary Antoinette Elizabeth Nolan, Stillwater; Henrietta Rigley, Milford, Mass.; Margaret Aloysius Ryan, Winona; Klara Youngdahl, Red Wing.

FOUR ELEVATORS BURN.

Heavy Loss Caused by Flames at Hudson, S. D.

HUDSON, S. D., March 25.—A disastrous fire occurred last night completely destroying the four elevators and contents. The elevators were all close together and were owned by the following companies: Spencer Grain company, of Spencer; Terwilliger & Dwight, of Rock Valley; Hunting Elevator company, of McGregor, and Farmers' elevator, of Hudson.

They were all horse-power elevators. The one belonging to the Hunting Elevator company was the most valuable. The loss on the contents will amount to considerable, Terwilliger & Dwight having about 6,000 bushels of grain on hand, and the Spencer Grain company and the Hunting Elevator company also each having considerable grain in their houses.

All the buildings, as well as the contents, were insured to about three-fourths of the value. Among the companies interested are the Scottish Union, St. Paul Fire and Marine and the Philadelphia Underwriters'. All the elevators, with, possibly, the exception of the Farmers', will be rebuilt at once.

BOYS BREAK AWAY.

Ten Escape From the Reform School—Four Recaptured.

Special to The St. Paul Globe.

RED WING, Minn., March 25.—Ten boys escaped from the city training school here today. Four have been captured.

Hastings Nominations.

Special to The St. Paul Globe.

HASTINGS, Minn., March 25.—The Democrats nominated the following ticket: First Ward—Alderman, W. E. Beerse; school inspector, E. A. Dean; justice of the peace, Peter Marshall; constable, T. R. Fahy. Second Ward—Alderman, J. G. Sieben; school inspector, Jerome Hanna, John Heinen; justice of the peace, Ernest Otte; constable, L. G. Hamilton. Third Ward—Alderman, George Barbaras; school inspector, A. M. Adsit; justice of the peace, A. F. Johnson; constable, Webster Feyler. Fourth Ward—Alderman, E. E. Tuttle; school inspector, B. D. Cadwell; justice of the peace, N. J. Stein; constable, Joseph Hiniker. At the Democratic city convention, held this afternoon, the following were nominated: Mayor, Fred Busch; city clerk, B. H. Kayler. Stephen Newell was renominated for police justice.

State Can't Have the Lands.

PIERRE, S. D., March 25.—In making selections of lands for the state, the land department selected about 90,000 acres on that portion of the Sioux reservation which lies east of the river, in the Pierre and Huron land districts. Of this amount practically 36,000 acres was indemnity lands, and the balance, or 54,000 acres, for the various state institutions. These selections were made during a course of years, from the opening of these lands to settlement, and a portion of them had been patented to the state. But under a recent ruling of the secretary of the interior, all of these selections must revert to the government. The holding is based on the theory that these lands are held in trust for the Indians, and the payments received for the same is a trust fund for the Indian benefit.

A Klondike for Sharpe.

ADA, Minn., March 25.—The jury in the Sharpe-Larson libel case, after deliberating eleven hours, brought in a verdict for Sharpe in the amount of $750. Sharpe is the county attorney for Norman county, and while acting in that capacity was criticised by B. B. Larson, a prominent and wealthy merchant of Halstad, through the Halstad Reporter, as being dishonest and unfit for the office he filled. This took place in 1896, and Sharpe received a verdict of $500. This was carried to the supreme court and the verdict sustained. On top of this, Larson wrote another communication to the Reporter, reiterating his former statements and now Sharpe gets another verdict of $750, or $1,250 in all.

Settlers Pouring In.

JAMESTOWN, N. D., March 25.—Over 400 settlers arrived in the James river valley Thursday, eight car loads coming from Virginia, five from Indiana, and one from Nebraska, beside smaller parties from other states. A single train of sixteen passenger cars was sent out of here to distribute the settlers in the valley from here north. The settlers bring their horses and cattle, their ducks, chickens, turkeys and hogs with them, besides consiberable farm machinery, and their household goods. Many have secured lands and will at once begin the erection of buildings; the others who have not definite locations in view will prospect for a time.

Badgers to Be in the Race.

MADISON, Wis., March 25.—A letter was received today which makes it quite certain that Wisconsin will row in a great quadrangular shell race with Cornell, Pennsylvania and Columbia colleges. The naval board received the official invitation from the Eastern Rowing association this morning. The crew will go East two or three weeks before the event, which occurs July 1. The students confidentially expect to raise the $2,000 necessary for the trip among themselves and alumni.

Telephone Serenade.

WASHINGTON, Io., March 25.—The Bonnie Brier Bush quartette, of this city, gave an an ovation to Col. D. J. Palmer, of Des Moines, over the long-distance telephone. It was in honor of Col. Palmer's late appointment as railroad commissioner. He was a member of the quartette, which did good service for the Republicans in last year's campaign in this county. "Lame, Tame Crane" and other selections composed the serenade.

Larabee Returns to Iowa.

CLERMONT, Io., March 25.—Ex-Gov. William Larabee and wife have returned from an extended trip in Mexico and the Southern states. After repeated requests from Gov. Shaw, Larabee has accepted the office of chairmanship of the board of control.

Alibi for Putney.

DEADWOOD, S. D., March 25.—Late last night the jury acquitted Walter Putney, who was tried for robbing the Belle-Fourche bank, an alibi having been established. He will be tried for jail-breaking today.

For Selling Firwater.

BUENA VISTA, Minn., March 25.—Thomas Nuby, who kept a "blind pig" at Howe's stopping place, has been arrested for selling liquor to the Indians and is now in jail at Fergus Falls awaiting his trial. This is his second offense.

Crematory for Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 25.—The city council is considering the question of building a garbage crematory at a cost of $9,000. With this it is estimated the cost of scavenging can be reduced to bout $25,000 per year.

Convention Goes to Dubuque.

DES MOINES, Io., March 25.—The Republican state central committee met in this city yesterday and decided to hold the next Republican state convention at Dubuque, Sept. 3.

Victim of Apoplexy.

MARSHALL, Minn., March 25.—John Lanzendorfer, of Sleepy Eye, while visiting relatives here, in usual health, was stricken with apoplexy yesterday, falling to the floor, and expired instantly.

Ended Life With a Rope.

LITCHFIELD, March 25.—J. A. C. P. Palmer, a resident of this city, committed suicide here last evening by hanging himself.

STILLWATER.

Special to The St. Paul Globe.

STILLWATER, Minn., March 25.—The sawmill season in this city will open next Monday, by the starting of the Atwood and East Side Lumber company mills. These two concerns have quite a few logs in stock and expect to be able to run until the boom starts up.

A heavy wind today and warm weather caused much of the ice in Lake St. Croix to disappear, and there is now a large open space below the pontoon bridge, together with open water from the bridge to the St. Croix Boom company's works.

The April meeting of the board of prison managers will be held in the board room at the prison April 6. A number of applications for parole have been made and will be considered by the board.

Warden Wolfer is preparing a new set of rules governing the inmates of the prison. The new book will not only include rules for prisoners, but will contain the laws of the state relative to the warden and other officials of the prison. It will make the rules more comprehensive, and Mr. Wolfer thinks it will prove a good thing.

ST. PETER.

Special to The St. Paul Globe.

ST. PETER, March 25.—As George Beard emerges from the prison gates, at Stillwater, tomorrow morning, after having served one sentence for larceny, he will be arrested by an officer from this place, and brought back to St. Peter, to answer to another crime. On Oct. 15, 1895, a horse and wagon were stolen from John Mans, of this county, and the crime was traced to Beard, but not before he had been arrested in Minneapolis, where he was afterwards convicted for stealing a bicycle.

The board of county commissioners, at a special meeting held today, directed an entire resurvey of every township in the county at a cost of $22 per section. The work will be done by the county surveyor and will occupy several years.

Supt. H. A. Tomlinson and family have moved into the new residence just constructed at the state hospital.

ST. CLOUD.

Special to The St. Paul Globe.

ST. CLOUD, Minn., March 25.—Judge D. B. Searle is holding a special term of the district court at St. Joseph. There for the purpose of giving persons there an opportunity to get their second papers.

An excellent concert was given this evening at the Davidson opera house, for the benefit of the St. Cloud public library, under the auspices of the Ladies' Reading Room Society. The society is engaged in raising a fund with which to build a public library.

An expert diver has been engaged by the water power company, and is now at work making an examination of the dam under the apron. It was recently discovered that the apron on the west side, had dropped down and it is believed that the back water has damaged the foundations of the dam.

WINONA.

Special to The St. Paul Globe.

WINONA, Minn., March 25.—County Auditor Weibel has completed the March settlement of county funds, showing a disposition of $71,361.44.

Mrs. J. S. Tracy and two children are making arrangements to leave Winona early in May to go to Hawaii, where they will settle at Hilo for future residence, with Dr. J. S. Tracy, who went there a few months ago for his health.

A fire at a very early hour this morning caused the destruction of $300 worth of liquors in a Fourth ward saloon, run by Joseph Oleyzewski.

The ice in Lake Pepin is reported to be in such a condition that it will likely go out early next week.

ANOKA

Special to The St. Paul Globe.

ANOKA, Minn., March 25.—Last week the shop of Denny & Dimmick was robbed of several high grade bicycles, tools etc. The police have finally captured the thieves and four young men are now in jail here. Three were arrested in Minneapolis last night.

Mrs. Hiram Thornton, wife of Judge Thornton, an old settler of this place, died early this morning at her home on Third avenue south. Mrs. Thornton had been very ill for several weeks.

THE TWIN CITIES.

—Deputy Supreme Oracle Mrs. C. Bauford, of the Royal Neighbors, is organizing a new camp at Marine Mills.

—Scarlet fever was reported at the St. Paul health office yesterday as existing at 404 Banfil and 297 Iglehard streets.

—Prof. George D. Herron will lecture this evening at Westminster Presbyterian church on "The Economic Basis of Faith."

—Copeland camp, Woodmen of America, of St. Paul, will give a musical Tuesday evening for members and their friends.

—A permit was issued yesterday for the erection of a brick veneered store building at 1134 Rice street, at a cost of $1,200. Fred Rihm was the applicant.

—Scandia camp, Woodmen of America, of this city, will hereafter be known as Maple Leaf camp, the change having been adopted at the last meeting of the camp.

—H. H. Hart and J. F. Jackson, the latter the newly elected secretary of the corrections and charities, spent yesterday inspecting the state and county institutions at Rochester, Minn.

—Assistant Dairy Commissioner Anderson was yesterday in receipt of a large picture of the Minnesota delegation taken at the natianal buttermakers' convention, at Topeka, Feb. 21.

—Miss Grace Williams, assistant superintendent of the teachers' training school, St. Paul, whose serious illness was noted in The Globe two weeks ago, was able to attend to her duties yesterday.

—A petition was filed with the city clerk yesterday for the opening of a boulevard on Maple street, between Ravine and Cable avenues. The city engineer estimates the cost of the improvement to be $3,500.

—A paper will be read by Miss Leila Thayer on "The Main Objects of the New Organization, Universal Brotherhood," before Lodge No. 67, Universal Brotherhood, Sunday evening, in Room 251 Endicott building.

—William Julian Frazer, of Springfield, O., who may be chosen general secretary of the Minneapolis Y. M. C. A., was in the city yesterday. The decision as to the general secretary will be made next week.

—Ramsey County W. C. T. U. will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at 3 p. m. at St. Paul Commons. A full attendance of members is desired, as the question of entertaining the state convention, this fall, is to be discussed.

—Today at 12 o'clock in front of the Grand opera house, the champions of labor, "The Curse of Gold" company, will give away to any one asking for it a fresh loaf of Horejs Bros.' bread. One thousand loaves are to be distributed.

—A concert will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Arlington Hills Presbyterian Church, in the I. O. O. F. hall, on Payne avenue, on Thursday evening, March 31. The programme promises to be most excellent.

—Hiawatha Lodge No. 90, A. O. U. W., held its regular meeting Thursday evening last. Mr. Ishem read a paper on the subject "Progress and Poverty," which was followed by a very spirited debate. Next Thursday evening William Lee will talk of "Progress in Bridge Architecture."

—Patrick McTague, who has attained the respectable age of 87 years, was yesterday sent to Rochester to end his days. He has been in the probate court before, but was thought to be harmless. He has lately got so bad that his relatives could do nothing with him, and a commitment was asked for and granted. He went to Rochester in company with Andrew Norbeck, who is under the impression that he is the king of Sweden.

STIRS UP THE COUNCIL

CHARGES OF THE GRAND JURY WILL BE LOOKED INTO

Minneapolis City Fathers Appoint a Committee and Appropriate Funds With Which the Imputation of Dishonesty by City Officials Will Be Either Substantiated or Disproved.

The Minneapolis council cleared up an immense amount of business at its last night's session, most of which was accomplished by the president and clerk. Several new ordinances were proposed, and others were put upon their passage.

The matter which called for greatest interest on the part of the gentlemen of the council was the report of a special committee appointed at a former meeting to recommend proper action to be taken concerning the report of the grand jury of Hennepin county, which made wholesale charges of corruption against city officials. The report had been drawn up by Ald. Webster, and it will be interesting reading for members of the grand jury. The motion to adopt was carried unanimously, appropriating $300, or so much thereof as should be necessary, for expenses in carrying out the recommendation of the committee.

The resolution in substance condemns the action of the grand jury in making its charges general and not specifying any official on whom its suspicions rest. Three hundred dollars was appropriated, and a committee appointed to investigate the charges of the jury.

The resolution was adopted without debate, the only talk being a hot speech by Ald. Webster, in which he charged the grand jury with having violated their oaths in not finding indictments against the parties they believed to be guilty. President Loye appointed Ald. Webster, Adams and Crosby to act as a high board of inquiry in the matter.

A report was made by a committee appointed to receive bids for publishing 10,000 copies of the new charter for general distribution, and the printing ordered.

Ald. Dwyer's idea of making use of the workhouse prisoners for breaking stone for the city, instead of for the board of charities and corrections, was adopted by the council upon a motion to that effect.

A report which promised to start a war, to the effect that the fire department force be reduced and that two fire houses, one at Lyndale and Forty-second street, and one at Minnehaha avenue and Lake street, be abandoned, was laid upon the table, after brief discussion. It may be heard from hereafter.

DIVORCE NOW WANTED.

Mae Alice Lockwood Not Satisfied With One Triumph.

Mrs. Alice Lockwood, whose sensational action in Minneapolis for alienation of the affections of her husband resulted in a verdict for heavy damages against his parents, some time ago, has commenced an action for divorce against Edwin L. Lockwood, on the ground of cruelty, in which she sets up that he owns property valued at $7,000.

The husband will fight the action and in answer has stated that his wife deserted him without cause or provocation, and also gives the value of his property at $2,000. He also sets up the fact that she was paid $16,000 because of the judgment secured against his parents, he having furnished a part of the money, and having agreed to pay the balance to them. He paid $2,452 attorney fees, expenses of the trial, and his parents were obliged to mortgage their home to pay the judgment, he paying the interest upon the loan.

The wife files a denial to a portion of the answer, and says that if her husband paid any of the judgment it was no legal obligation and was a fraud upon her right to recover of him in a divorce action.

DANISH PRESS TO WITHDRAW.

Independent Press Association Soon to Be Formed.

A movement is on foot to organize an independent press association of Danish publishers and editors. It is being quietly fostered by some of the leading Danish publishers, and will undoubtedly materialize some time this summer, at a meeting, which it is proposed to hold in Omaha during the transcontinental exposition. There are about twenty Danish papers in this country of first class standing, and their proprietors are of the opinion that there is enough mutual interests to warrant the organization of an independent association.

This movement will, however, have but little effect on the Norwegian-Danish Press association that at present exists. Although the name includes the Danish, but three Danish publishers have joined the association. The total membership is nearly fifty, and all the others are Norwegian papers.

Wants Salvage Corps Increased.

In his annual report of the work of the Minneapolis Salvage corps, Supt. J. T. Ruane says that the corps as at present equipped is too small to cover the immense amount of territory in Minneapolis. He suggests that another station be added, or that a double company be maintained at the present station. This latter plan would necessitate only four additional men. The corps at present consists of the superintendent, captain, lieutenant, nine patrolmen, fire reporter and auxiliary patrolmen. During the past year the number of alarms responded to has been 312. The corps was on duty 246 hours 35 minutes. It spread 756 covers, and used the chemical 28 times.

Burglars Steal Gold Leaf.

Burglars visited the Dayton building, Minneapolis, confining their efforts to the offices of dentists. Dr. Edward Shumpik lost $10 worth of gold leaf. His door was pried open with a jimmy. In his cabinet were sets of valuable tools, which were not disturbed, as the cabinet was well made of hard wood, and resisted the efforts of the thieves.

Dr. G. A. Bennett lost $25 worth of gold leaf, but nothing else was disturbed. The outer doors of his office were not marked, but the inner ones were badly marred from efforts at an entrance.

'Phone Company Ready to Sign.

The Minneapolis city attorney's office was visited yesterday by a representative of the Mississippi Valley Telephone company, who desired to secure copies of the contract and bond for the signatures of the officers of the concern. The ordinance must be formally accepted and a deposit of $5,000 must be made within thirty days of the signing of the ordinance, and it is believed that the company will be on time.

Racing Cyclists Organize.

The Flour City Cyclists is the name of a wheelmen's club organized last evening at the South Side skating rink, Minneapolis. The project has been under consideration for some time, and two preliminary meetings have been held. The club will be of special benefit to the racing class, but it is hoped that such features will in time be added to the club as to interest other wheelmen. The primary intention of the club is to secure training quarters, and possibly build a track for the special benefit of the racing men. This particular feature will be passed upon later.

He Lost His Faith.

Sam Weissman, hailing from North Dakota, took too much faith in a couple of strangers the other evening, and is now minus $500. He arrived in Minneapolis Wednesday night, and at the station met the two men, who made themselves agreeable and invited him to their rooms. There, by use of a drugged liquor, Weissman was rendered unconscious and robbed. He reported the matter to the police, with a good description of the men.

CASTORIA.

The facsimile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Fatal Trip on the Ice.

ANOKA, Minn., March 25.—Last night at 12 o'clock a man tried to cross the Rum river on the ice near the Pleasant street bridge, but broke through. His cries for help attracted the attention of Edward S. Goeldner, city assessor, returning from the Woodman lodge. Goeldner went to his assistance, and after a desperate struggle, succeeded in rescusing him. The cries aroused Henry Push, who lives on the opposite side of the river. He, with a neighbor, started to the rescue in a small row boat, which became capsized in the middle of the stream, but they held to the boat until others had been aroused and came to their rescue. Push died in less than an hour from exposure. He leaves a wife and six children.

SPAIN IS WHIPPED.

She Cannot Keep Up the Fight on the Island of Cuba for Two Months Longer.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, March 25.—A private letter, dated three days ago, from Manzanillo, received here by a schooner, says the condition of the Spanish troops there is terrible. It adds that starvation and disease prevail everywhere, and that the government forces have sustained heavy losses in recent skirmishes with the insurgents, the wounded being brought to town in cart loads.

The letter says, in conclusion, that even without the intervention of the United States the war cannot last two months longer.

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Safe and Effective in Every Form of This Common and Annoying Disease.

Many people suffer from piles, because after trying the many lotions, salves and ointments without relief or cure, have come to the conclusion that a surgical operation is the only thing left to try and rather than submit to the shock and risk to life of an operation, prefer to suffer on. Fortunately this is no longer necessary, the Pyramid Pile Cure, a new preparation, cures every form of piles, without pain, inconvenience or detention from business. It is in the form of suppositories, easily applied, absolutely free from opium, cocaine, or any injurious substance whatever, and no matter how severe the pain, gives instant relief, not by deadening the nerves of the parts but rather by its healing, soothing effect upon the congested membranes.

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A person takes serious chances in neglecting a simple case of piles as the trouble soon becomes deep seated and chronic, and very frequently develops into fatal rectal diseases, like fistula and rectal ulcers.

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W. Seventh, 499.....A. & G. A. Schumacher

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HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

COOK WANTED—177 Nelson av., near Summit; small family; no children; no washing; good wages; go to White Bear in summer.

COOK—Wanted, first-class cook, with city references. Call afternoons at 555 Summit av.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, good, reliable girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Eldridge, 666 Laurel av.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, a girl for general housework. Call at 234 West Fifth st., Flat 2.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, by a married man of thirty-one years, situation as bookkeeper, cashier or responsible position with a first-class reliable firm; best of reference and bonds if required. Address B 2, Globe.

EMPLOYMENT—Wanted, a situation in a hardware store or office. C. W. Sanford, 1607 Wesley av.

YOUNG MAN of sober habits wishes work in private place; well experienced around horses; can furnish references. Address C. B. A., 415 Rosabel st., city.

AUCTION SALES.

A. G. Johnson, Auctioneer.

ELEGANT furniture, carpets, etc., at public auction. I will sell at public auction in the salesrooms, no. 419 and 421 Jackson street, on Saturday, March 26, at 10 a. m., a large and fine lot of household furniture, consisting of elegant parlor chairs, center tables, rockers, combination book cases and desks, couches, chiffoniers, fine extension table, elegant sideboard, 1 on beds, dressers, hair mattresses, fine pillows, bedroom suits, a fine lot of lace curtains and portieres, pictures, books, etc.; also a fine lot of Brussels and ingrain carpets, one gas range, 1 refrigerator; these goods have only been used six months; and are just as good as new; you cannot afford to miss this sale. A. G. Johnson, Auctioneer, 419-421 Jackson street.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—We have a number of houses, cottages and flats at all prices and in all parts of the city; call and examine our list; it may contain just what you are looking for. The St. Paul Trust Company, Endicott Arcade.

HOUSE—For rent April 1, No. 658 Pine st., seven-room house and bathroom. Apply at No. 656 Pine st.

THE NATIONAL INVESTMENT CO., 510 Globe Bldg., Have for rent houses, flats, stores and offices.

STORE FOR RENT

FOR RENT—From April 1, the large store occupied by Schliek & Co., shoe dealers, 103-107 East Sixth street. For further particulars inquire of Mannheimer Bros.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

SEVENTH ST., 59 EAST—For rent, first-class furnished rooms in suites, single or for light housekeeping; steam heat and bath.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR RENT—Hotel at Pine City; will sell furniture and rent building, or sell outright; good business; good location. Call on or address J. F. Stone, Pine City, Minn.

ICE BUSINESS in town of 6,000, this state; sales, 3,000 tons annually; fine opportunity for two workers; favorable terms. Apply G. D. N., care of St. Paul Gas Company.

FOR SALE.

BOILERS AND ENGINES FOR SALE—One nearly new 50-horse power fire box boiler and 40-horse power engine; also second-hand 80-horse power boiler with 50-horse power engine, in good shape; also complete tow mill outfit. Address Racine Twine and Cordage Co., Rock Rapids, Io.

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SEWING—Wanted, sewing in families or at home; perfect fit guaranteed. J 17, Globe.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT—The entire building, 375-377 Sibley st.; power and elevator; 130 feet long, 36 feet front; five stories and basement; 20-foot alley; rent very cheap. Inquire John Furlong, Daily Globe.

LOST AND FOUND.

DOG LOST—Lost, setter bitch; all ticked; one eye black. Reward. 852 Albemarle st.

DOG LOST—Fox terrier, brown-black spot on back; answers to the name of Rastus. Return to the Aberdeen and receive reward.

WATCH LOST—Between Van Buren school, Hoffman and Maria av., a lady's silver watch and chain, marked N. D. Reward if returned to 619 East Third st.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

NOTICE—From this time on the German Daily Volkszeitung will insert a want ad. for any one seeking or offering employment, two times free. Send in your ad. to the Daily Volkszeitung, Newspaper Row, St. Paul, Minn.

MEDICAL.

ANNA MACK, from Chicago; baths of all kinds; select massage. 186 East Seventh st.

MME. LAURETTA'S MASSAGE BATH PARLORS; elite patronage solicited. 319 Jackson.

SCIENTIFIC MASSAGE and baths. 27 East Seventh st., suite 209.

INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

MUTUAL BENEFIT ASSOCIATION.

Home Office, Toledo, Iowa. G. R. Struble, President. E. L. Rines, Assistant Secretary. Incorporated Jan. 17, 1882. Commenced Business April 8, 1882. Attorney to Accept Service in Minnesota, Insurance Commissioner.

Net assets Dec. 31, previous year....$34,912.84

INCOME DURING 1897.

First year's assessments or premiums	$3,927.96
Subsequent year's assessments or premiums	29,050.94
Total paid by members	$32,978.90
From all other sources	7,035.77
Total income	$40,014.67

DISBURSEMENTS DURING 1897.

Death claims and installments paid	$25,651.60
Return and other payments to members	6,489.12
Total paid to members	$32,140.72
Commissions, salaries and expenses of agents and collectors	5,635.85
Salaries of officers, employes and examiners' fees	2,161.61
All other disbursements	3,554.80
Total disbursements	$43,492.98
Excess of disbursements over income	$3,478.31

ASSETS.

Value of real estate, bonds and stocks owned	$12,271.41
Mortgage and collateral loans, less $2,000—borrowed money	17,516.24
Cash in office and in bank	1,269.84
Accrued interest and rents	255.97
Assessments due and unpaid	1,500.00
Post mortem assessments to become due	2,400.00
All other admitted assets	275.00
Total admitted assets	$35,488.46
Assets not admitted	$102.04

LIABILITIES.

Losses and claims adjusted and unpaid	$10,250.00
Losses unadjusted and present value of installments	3,200.00
Advance payments, surrender value and dividend obligations	855.00
All other liabilities	2,057.77
Total liabilities	$16,362.77
Balance to protect contracts	$19,125.69

EXHIBIT OF CERTIFICATES OR POLICIES, BUSINESS OF 1897.

Total Business—

	Number.	Amount.
In force Dec. 31 (beginning of year)	1,311	$2,413,600.00
Written during the year	227	263,500.00
Total	1,538	2,676,500.00
Ceased during the year	256	434,500.00
In force Dec. 31 (end of year)	1,282	$2,242,000.00
Claims unpaid Dec. 31 (beginning of the year)	10	$21,000.00
Claims incurred during the year	21	38,000.00
Total	31	$59,000.00
Claims settled during the year	22	41,000.00
Unpaid Dec. 31 (end of year)	12	$20,000.00
Amount collected during the year		$32,978.90

Business in Minnesota—

	Number.	Amount.
In force Dec. 31 (beginning of year)	75	$114,000.00
Written during the year	40	43,000.00
Total	115	$157,000.00
Ceased during the year	19	30,000.00
In force Dec. 31 (end of year)	96	$127,000.00
Amount collected during the year		$1,833.90

State of Minnesota,
Department of Insurance.
St. Paul, March 12, 1898.

I, the undersigned Insurance Commissioner of the State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the Mutual Benefit Association, Insurance Company, above named, has complied with the laws of this State relating to insurance, and is now fully empowered, through its authorized agents, to transact its appropriate business of Assessment Life Insurance in this state for the year ending January 31st, 1899.

ELMER H. DEARTH,
Insurance Commissioner.

INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

SOVEREIGN CAMP, WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Home office, Omaha, Neb. Joseph C. Root, President. John T. Yates, Secretary. Organized Jan. 1, 1891. Commenced business Jan. 1, 1891. Attorney to accept service in Minnesota, Insurance Commissioner.

Net assets, Dec. 31, previous year....$18,147.82

INCOME DURING 1897.

Dues for expenses	$106,149.50
Mortuary and reserve assessments	808,910.23
Membership and examiners' fees	8,093.15
Total paid by members	$923,152.88
From all other sources	7,450.93
Total income	$930,603.81

DISBURSEMENTS DURING 1897.

Death and permanent disability claims paid	$779,758.00
Return and other payments to members	1,399.80
Total paid to members	$781,157.80
Commissions, salaries and expenses of agents and organizers	16,313.35
Salaries of officers, employes and examiners' fees	41,054.88
All other disbursements	59,045.59
Total disbursements	$893,571.62
Excess of income over disbursements	$37,032.19

ASSETS.

Value of real estate, bonds and stocks owned	$24,661.59
Due from head camps	2,672.30
Cash in office and in bank	12,869.07
Assessments and dues in bonds of local camps	39,590.00
Assessments in hands of subordinate bodies	91,990.43
All other admitted assets	796.89
Total admitted assets	$163,491.19
Assets not admitted	$12,188.82

LIABILITIES.

Losses adjusted and unpaid	$35,600.00
Losses unadjusted and reported	96,700.00
Total liabilities	$162,300.00
Balance to protect contracts	$1,191.19

EXHIBIT OF CERTIFICATES OR POLICIES, BUSINESS OF 1897.

Total Business—

	Number.	Amount.
In force Dec. 31 (beginning of year)	50,119	$95,798,500.00
Written during the year	28,456	47,918,600.00
Total	78,575	$143,717,100.00
Ceased during the year	10,905	17,495,000.00
In force Dec. 31 (end of year)	67,661	$126,222,100.00
Claims unpaid Dec. 31 (beginning of year)	96	$201,200.00
Claims incurred during the year	406	774,600.00
Total	502	$975,800.00
Claims settled during the year	413	780,968.80
Unpaid Dec. 31 (end of year)	73	$162,300.00
Amount collected during year	14	$734,370.97

Business in Minnesota—

	Number.	Amount.
In force Dec. 31 (beginning of year)	1,167	$1,904,700.00
Written during the year	630	1,000,000.00
Total	1,847	$2,905,700.00
Ceased during the year	165	249,500.00
In force Dec. 31 (end of year)	1,682	$2,656,200.00
Claims unpaid Dec. 31 (beginning of year)	2	$5,400.00
Claims incurred during the year	2	2,700.00
Total	4	$8,100.00
Claims settled during the year	4	8,000.00
Unpaid Dec. 31 (end of year)		$100.00
Amount collected during year	14	$15,540.75