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DOUBLED ON THE DIAMONDS BOARD OF EQUALIZATION LIFTED JEWELRY ASSESSMENT

Substantial increases were also made on Gold and Silver Plate, Watches and Clocks, Pianos and Organs... The board of equalization yesterday morning...

SCHOCH Eggs, Baking Powder, Melons, Spring Chickens, Butter and Provisions

- 10-pound basket Concord 22c
Blackberries, 16-qt. cases, \$1 to \$1.25
Blueberries, 16-qt. cases, 75c
Watermelons, 2 each of the celebrated "Ice Cream" brand, each, 10c
Currants, 16-qt. cases, 75c
Apples, Duchesse, per peck, 12c
Peaches, Michigan freestone, per basket, 30c and 35c
Peaches, Alberta, per basket, 35c
Cherries, Michigan, per box, 12c
Prunes, German, per basket, 25c
Pears, Dutch Michigan, 50c
Sweet Potatoes, per 5 pounds, 25c
Chocolate, per cake, 2c
Coffee, Palmer House, per pound, 25c
Tea, best Java and Mocha, 3 pounds for, \$1.00
Tea, Schoch's private growth, per lb., 40c
Tea, "Challenge," per package, 25c
Tea, "Old Dominion," Ceylon, per package, 25c
Celery, crisp and fresh, per bunch, 10c
Soap, 15 bars, 25c
Soap, Schoch's Best, 8 bars, 25c

their owners it would seem that the town is supplied altogether with Waterbury watches and nickel alarm clocks. An average increase of 20 per cent was applied to all of these items, and the average value of the watches and clocks is now officially stated at \$11.76.

The price of the joke about the girl who thinnings get such fearful sounds out of the piano was also ascertained. From the estimate of value placed by the owners of these instruments it is evident that the ordinance proposed to be passed to prevent the girl next door from playing "On the Banks of the Wabash" for more than three hours each day. The instrument was returned at an average of a little better than \$70. There were only a few dozen in the town it appeared, and the whole item was given a raise of 10 per cent, making the average value at \$78.80—the 80 cents to stand for the music rack and stool.

There are still malodorous and organs in use in the town, and the owners of the modest individuals who have to be satisfied to have their souls harrowed by that sort of music tried to convince that the ordinance proposed to be passed was worth about \$18 each. The board helped to brace them up by adding 10 per cent. The owners of wagon and carriages of all descriptions will have to pay 10 per cent more than they contemplated, for the whole list was lifted just that much—leaving the average of all vehicles, graded and ungraded, at \$148.71.

The board went on for some large individual returns during the day, but, with the exception of the last day upon which legal revision of the assessment roll can be made, nothing was done in the important matter of the street railway company. A member of the board said that, of course, some attention had been given it by the board. If there has been such consideration, it has been gone into in executive session. The assessment was not provided for, and will be disposed of at today's meeting by a simple motion to make the amount so much. It is possible that there will be some members in opposition to the proposed increase. It is known that at least one member and possibly two, will be inclined to go into the matter of this assessment very fully and that that may force a discussion.

The brewers came in for a hearing in the afternoon, but there were few personal appearances and the board was guided to a considerable extent by the figures of last year and the returns for this year. The breweries and brewers' agents will have to settle for the amount of \$1,000,000. Of this total the Harbin plant is put in at \$400,000, the Pabst agency at \$15,000, Schlitz, \$7,500; Yeorg Brewing company, \$5,000; Val. Blatt, \$2,000; Reitz, \$2,000; Paul, \$5,000; Dreyer & Son, \$5,000; St. Paul Brewing company, \$5,000; North Star, \$5,000; Funk Brewing company, \$5,000; Emmert, \$4,500; Lempe, \$4,000. These had all been reported separately and the lot were passed in a bunch. The National Biscuit company had been raised \$20,000 on the return, and the board had to go back upon it with a protest that they backed up with a specifically itemized sworn statement. The board took off the \$20,000 and the trust off with an assessment of \$27,500.

The coal companies were not easily disposed of. There is always a suspicion on the part of the board that the coal companies are difficult customers. The members of the board gave it out that it was clear that there was a combine and that the companies traded with the people in order to get the board to shift their stocks about so as to beat the assessment in various localities. Assessor Seng said that the best evidence he knew of a combine, was in the fact that an individual, or a small dealer tried to get cars to ship fuel in here he would find it impossible. Mr. Seng had tried to get a car of wood to be sent to the city, but the coal companies were due to have their returns raised and they were not disappointed. They sent in representative men to protest against the increase. The protests were generally ineffectual. The unanimity with which the companies had acted in pushing down the figures on their stocks and the assiduity of the board in pushing up the values of the stocks is shown in a comparison between the assessment of last year, the return for this year and the figures at which the board finally placed the current assessment:

Table with 3 columns: Item, 1897, 1898. Includes Northwest Fuel Co., North Star, etc.

The department stores were then taken up. Litigation is going on between some of the big concerns and the county over the last assessment, and this was taken into consideration in fixing the assessments, all of which were scaled down from last year's valuation, though raised slightly from the returns for this year. The figures decided upon by the board are those in the last column.

THEO. SCHWEITZER, Propr. Next Door to Schoch's.

HIGH SCHOOLS STAY APART CENTRAL AND MECHANIC ARTS NOT TO BE MERGED

School Board Yesterday Rescinded Its Action of June Last—Prof. Bond Is Made Principal at the Madison—Teachers' Training School Will Be Left as It Has Been in the Past.

The friends of the Mechanic Arts high school can breathe easy once more as the board of school inspectors at its meeting yesterday afternoon, adopted the majority report of the special committee, presented by Inspector McGill, which recommended that the school be placed on its former basis. The board in furtherance of the report, rescinded the action of June 1st, concerning the a. c. m. c. departments of the Central and Mechanic Arts high schools.

The office of assistant superintendent of schools was abolished and Prof. J. D. Bond was assigned as principal of the Madison school, to fill the vacancy created by the death of the late Gen. George C. Smith.

The application of Miss A. B. Wheaton for the office of supervisor of music being withdrawn, the board unanimously selected Miss M. Shawe at a salary of \$1,000 per year.

The board also adopted the Natural Music Reader, by a vote of four to one. The board by a majority vote decided to accept the resignation of Mr. Mullane as assistant secretary, in as much as the position was not one created by law, and a saving of \$600 per year was thereby effected. The report was signed by Inspectors McGill and E. O. Zimmerman, Inspector McNair dissenting from the majority report.

The majority of the committee gave it as their opinion that the available room in the high school building would be inadequate to accommodate the students of the mechanic arts school. The majority of the board and superintendent would have to be moved into the Mechanic Arts building, there would be but little gained in the matter of additional sittings. Not until the city was able to build new school houses could the crowded condition of the grammar schools be to any reasonable measure relieved.

The committee also recommended that as a temporary curative measure, the schools in the eighth grade study their lessons at home in the morning and recite in the afternoon in the Central high school building. The board adopted this recommendation.

Inspector McNair did not put his views on the subject in the form of a report, but stated that it was incumbent on the board to reduce expenses where it could. A saving of \$6,500 would be effected if the new building could be utilized to relieve the crowded condition of the grammar schools on the hill. The majority report concluded with the following recommendations: First, we find, that it is impracticable to move the mechanic arts school into the Mechanic Arts high school on its present location.

Second, that it is unwise to consolidate the mechanic arts school with the Central high school. Third, that the interests of the Teachers' training school would not be promoted by moving it to the new location into the Mechanic Arts high school building. Inspector McNair did not put his views on the subject in the form of a report, but stated that it was incumbent on the board to reduce expenses where it could. A saving of \$6,500 would be effected if the new building could be utilized to relieve the crowded condition of the grammar schools on the hill.

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will be recommended by Supt. Smith to serve in the high schools. Supt. A. J. Smith presents the following report, which was adopted: The following resignations were accepted: Miss Kate Wanzor, Fourth grade, Garfield; Miss Carolyn Durkee, Eighth grade, Van Buren.

I have received requests for leave of absence from the following teachers: Miss Elizabeth Hibben, Third grade, Van Buren, one year; Miss Hattie Higelow, Third grade, Rice, half year; Miss Alice Hall, Third grade, Jefferson, one year; Miss Alice Ray, Eighth grade, Webster, half year.

ITS VOICE WILL BE HEARD Chamber of Commerce Is to Be Re-opened at Saratoga

A resolution was passed by the Chamber of Commerce yesterday as follows: Resolved, That E. V. Smalley, Emerson W. D. Noyes, W. P. Clough and Hon. H. F. Stevens are appointed delegates to the St. Paul Chamber of Commerce to the national conference on foreign policy of the United States, to be held at Saratoga Springs, Aug. 19 and 20, 1898.

Resolved, That such delegates be instructed to urge the adoption of any and every policy by reason of the fact the time has been too short to ascertain definitely the views of the members of the chamber, and the sentiment of the chamber has been made apparent, it is in favor of a conservative policy.

This action was taken in reply to the following letter received from the officers of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States: The war situation which has occurred in the national conference on foreign policy of the United States, to be held at Saratoga Springs, Aug. 19 and 20, has worked largely to increase the interest in that meeting.

CORNER STONE TO BE LAID New Swedish Baptist Church Exercises Scheduled Tomorrow

The ceremonies in connection with the laying of the corner stone of the new Swedish Baptist church at Payne avenue and Sims street, will be held at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow.

THANKSGIVING FOR PEACE Prayer That May Be Used in the Episcopal Churches Sunday

Rev. W. G. Pope, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, has adopted from the Book of Common Prayer the following prayer which will be used at the services in his church tomorrow: Almighty God, the sovereign Commander of all things, whose name is power and might, whose name is able to withstand; we bless and magnify Thy great and glorious name, and we thank Thee for the peace which Thou hast given us.

GRAND CONCERT AND HOP Ramaley's Pavilion, Lake Shore

On Saturday, Aug. 13th, concert and hop at Ramaley's Pavilion, White Bear Lake. The concert will be given by the following artists: Mrs. A. M. Johnson, Mrs. S. C. Schell, Miss George, J. B. Pritchard, New York; O. R. Rice, Boston; J. C. Green and wife, Westport, Pa.; G. Mendham, Philadelphia; H. H. Fielding, Chicago; S. J. Hughes, New York; J. F. Moore, Fond du Lac; W. Kelly, St. Louis; E. B. Spicer, Philadelphia; H. S. Wetzer, S. W. Schwartz, Chicago.

WHEAT CORN AND HAY CROPS H. W. DONALDSON SAYS THEY ARE IMMENSE

Weather Conditions in Northern Minnesota Have Been Very Favorable, and He Looks for a Big Yield—Jud La Moure, M. N. Johnson and Other Prominent North Dakotans Were in Town.

H. W. Donaldson, of Northcote, came down yesterday from the northern part of the state, where he has been canvassing the crop situation. He said: "Taken right straight through, the Minnesota crop this year is the largest in years. The crop of the three states will be the biggest ever harvested. The wheat and corn crop are both much larger than usual. It is not often that both wheat and corn crops are correspondingly large. It frequently happens that one of them is a failure. More may have been put up this season than ever before. The weather this season has been adapted to hay in all parts of the state and the farmers have not been slow to take advantage of this. The meadow lands have yielded an exceptionally fine quality of grass, and much of it has been given to grazing and stock raising.

There was quite a significant gathering of North Dakota Republican politicians at the city yesterday, doubtless preliminary to a general conference which will be held here within the next few days. Congressman M. N. Johnson, the picture-maker, and M. J. Fancher, Republican nominee for governor, and James H. Wilson, Chicago, E. G. Miller, Republican nominee for the Northern Pacific, Congressman Johnson registered at the Merchants' and paid for his support. The gathering was held during the evening. Jud La Moure and the rest of the party instead of going to their usual haunts kept well under cover, engaging rooms at the Clarendon hotel.

Jud, with his usual foresight, took this precaution to divert suspicion from the object of their visit. True to a time honored custom, North Dakota "wise ones" always meet in St. Paul about this time before every campaign to fix up the fences. The rest of the crowd, who are possibly today, but everything is expected to be on the quiet. Congressman Johnson ran down to Chicago last night, but will be back in St. Paul tomorrow. It is taken to mean that nothing will be done until tomorrow. La Moure ducked out of sight as soon as he reached the hotel, and the gentleman's card up to No. 10' did not bring the Pembina statesman. Mr. Fancher could not be found either.

Morris Thomas, of Duluth, passed through the city yesterday on his way home from a trip through the Western States, spending a month in Arizona, looking over the mining prospects of the country in the vicinity of Phoenix. He says considerable Eastern capital is being invested in mining property, and some of the mines are being operated with profit.

POLICE THINK IT A BLUFF BENCH WARRANT ASKED FOR HANSON OF GROVE CITY

Its Utility It Not Apparent in View of the Premature Release of the Prisoner Against Whom Hanson Had Been Expected to Testify, but It Is Asked for by Assistant County Attorney Zollman Anyway.

When the case of James Hall, the alleged pickpocket, over whose release at Hanson's failure to appear, a bench warrant was asked for by the police department and Assistant County Attorney Zollman had a falling out, was called before Judge Hine yesterday, the complaining witness, N. E. Hanson, of Grove City, failed to appear. Neither was the prisoner, Hall, in court, but his bondsman has been released.

The police were much disappointed at Hanson's failure to appear. The bench warrant was issued by the police department and Assistant County Attorney Zollman had a falling out, was called before Judge Hine yesterday, the complaining witness, N. E. Hanson, of Grove City, failed to appear. Neither was the prisoner, Hall, in court, but his bondsman has been released.

ST. PAUL BREVIETTES

The trades and labor assembly held a closed meeting last night at Ledyard's. Father Oster of the Cathedral, will celebrate mass at Camp Ramsey this morning at 7 o'clock. Four minor permits aggregating \$1,000 were issued from the office of the building inspector yesterday.

MANNHEIMERS' SATURDAY PRICE MATINEE Wash Goods Dept. Lace Department. Glove Extras. Millinery Department. Art Department. Umbrella Inducement. Initial Handkerchiefs. Druggists' Sundries.

Wash Goods Dept. Special from 2 till 4 p. m. 10,000 yards of best American Percales—White Star, Sea Island and other leading brands, 36 inches wide, fast colors and splendid styles, worth 10c and 12 1/2c a yard, for... 40c

Lace Department. Specials from 2 till 6 p. m. A lot of Ruchings that were priced at 25c to 60c a yard will be sold at... 5c White Moll Lace-Trimmed Collars, worth \$1.25. Special... 43c

Glove Extras. Specials from 2 till 6 p. m. Kayser Patent Finger Tipped Pure Silk Gloves, black, extra quality. Special, per pair... 50c Black Silk Mitts, the regular 35c quality. Special... 15c

Millinery Department. Specials from 2 till 6 p. m. Every one of those Children's Tans, worth from 25c to 75c each. Choice for... 10c And another lot of Walking Hats, worth up to \$2.50. To close out, choice for... 98c

Sterling Silver Dept. Specials from 2 till 6 p. m. Sterling Silver Top Cold Cream or Vaseline Jar, would be cheap at 10c. Special... 50c Sterling Silver and Gold-Plated Shirt Waist Sets, 4 buttons. Special, per set... 9c

Men's Furnishings. Specials from 2 till 6 p. m. A big lot of Neckwear, Four-in-Hands, Tecks, Bows and String Ties, 50c values for... 17c

Hosiery Specials. Ladies' Fancy Hosiery, in pretty plaids, fancy stripes, lace open work ankle and pretty French blouse, worth up to \$1.50. 98c Children's Lisle Thread Hose, medium and heavy weight, 40c and 50c kinds. Special, per pair... 25c Our famous Iron Clad, for boys' wear, 19c a pair, 3 pairs for 50c.

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