TO CLEAN CARPETS.

If you have a carpet that looks dingy and you wish to restore it to its original freshness, make a stiff lather of Ivory Soap and warm water and scrub it, width by width, with the lather. Wipe with a clean damp sponge. Do not apply more water than necessary.

The vegetable oils of which Ivory Soap is made, and its purity, fit it for many special uses for which other soaps are unsafe and unsatisfactory.

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...The Labor World...

The local branch of the carpenters' union held a large meeting at Assembly hall last night. Three members, W. Anderson, J. B. Alleyn and W. H. Penington, were initiated and the business agent reported that five new applications had been received, all of which were referred.

The report of the auditing committee showed the books of the officers to be in excellent shape, and also showed a balance of $100.45 on hand and the state of the finances in good shape.

A committe of three, made up of T. J. Cavanaugh, A. J. Metzger and Andrew Lindstrom, was appointed to appear before the library board and ask that none but union labor be employed on the work of remodeling the Market house building.

The committee appointed to draw up suitable resolutions on the death of Ole Graven, recently deceased, reported that the resolutions had been prepared and would be at once forwarded to the parents of the deceased member and also the official journal. It was announced at the meeting that the sum of $200 had been awarded to the wife of the deceased member.

The committee in charge of the annual ball reported progress.

The sick committee reported that Andrew Tonier was confined to his home, 182 Edmund street, with grip, and the usual weekly benefits were allowed; the committee also reported that P. Rossbach was still improving.

C. P. Stultz was appointed a delegate to the Building Trades council, in place of C. H. Stratton, resigned. The meeting adjourned after the general discussion of routine business. All members of the union were reported employed.

Minneapolis Retail Clerks Active.

The Retail Clerks of Minneapolis, at a meeting Monday evening last, added sixty names to their list made up from among the ranks of the local butchers' clerks. Louis Nash, of St. Paul, made the address of the evening, his remarks being confined to the benefits of organization in every branch of life, and how the butchers' clerks must combine to arouse a public sentiment against the present system of keeping open nights and Sundays. He showed how the officers of the association could print and distribute thousands of circulars per month at a minimum cost of 25 cents for each clerk employed, provided they would all join the organization and contribute their monthly mite, as all would participate equally in the benefits the moment the movement became successful. He further demonstrated how the clerks could derive more than 25 cents a month worth of solid enjoyment, by holding an occasional smoke social, for the purpose of making and extending their personal acquaintanceship. In the words of Mayor Kiefer, of St. Paul, he said, "friends means supporters, and supporters means success" to the movement you are about to inaugurate.

As an example of the benefits of organization he referred to the "union of tramps in New York, whereby the tramps have so systematized their profession that no two vagrants were covering the same beat, thus eliminating that element of competition that makes begging such a precarious means of obtaining a livelihood."

At the close of his remarks some sixty non-union clerks paid their initiation fee and joined the clerks' organization. After closing his remarks Mr. Nash asked if there was any union clerk out of a position, as he had been applied to by a merchant that day for a good union clerk, to whom he was willing to pay $20 a week to start with. Brother R. Gunner applied to Mr. Nash yesterday morning, and secured the position.

The Minneapolis union now numbers over 460 members, including some of the highest salaried clerks in the city of Minneapolis.

St. Paul clerks would do well to follow their example.

The local tailors' union held their regular meeting at their rooms, 14 East Seventh street, last night. Two members, O. S. Olson and J. J. Hughes, were initiated and three new applications were received and referred.

President Lehmann appointed the following organization committee for the local union: John Richter, Joseph Richter and John Peterson.

A resolution indorsing the Union Advocate and pledging the pay for the names out of the treasury was unanimously indorsed. The committee on state of trade reported that all members were constantly employed.

Blacksmiths' Local Union.

Owing to a mistake of the secretary of Blacksmiths' Union No. 43, the open meeting, which was to have been held at Assembly hall last night has been postponed until the last meeting in March, which occurs on Tuesday, March 28.

Several speakers were present, but the open meeting did not take place. One member was initiated and two new applications were received.

Stage Employes Meet.

The local union of the stage employes held a short session at Assembly halls last night which lasted from 11 p. m. to 12:30 a. m.

Resolutions deploring the death of George Picha, prepared by the committee, were unanimously indorsed and an engrossed copy ordered sent to the bereaved parents.

The rest of the meeting was devoted to the consideration of a large amount of business laid over from the last regular meeting. The Grand boycott occupied a large part of the meeting.

Assembly Hall Notes.

Less than fifty people attended the lecture of Miss Anloff, the local evangelist at Assembly halls last night. The young lady finished her lecture shortly after 9:15 p. m. and considerable disappointment was expressed by those present that the audience was not larger.

A debate will take place in Assembly halls at 2:30 o'clock next Sunday between John J. Skilding and Dr. A. Hirschfield on Single Tax vs. Socialism. All are welcome.

IS IT A TRIFLE?

THAT COMMON TROUBLE, ACID DYSPEPSIA OR SOUR STOMACH.

Now Recognized as a Cause of Serious Disease.

Acid dyspepsia, commonly called heartburn or sour stomach, is a form of indigestion resulting from fermentation of the food. The stomach being too weak to digest it, the food remains until fermentation begins, filling the stomach with gas, and a bitter, sour, burning taste in the mouth is often present. This condition soon becomes chronic and being an every day occurrence is given but little attention. Because dyspepsia is not immediately fatal, many people do nothing for the trouble.

Within a recent period a remedy has been discovered prepared solely to cure dyspepsia and stomach troubles. It is known as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and is becoming rapidly used and prescribed as a radical cure for every form of dyspepsia.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been placed before the public and are sold by all druggists for 50 cents per package. It is prepared by the F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., and while it promptly and effectually restores a vigorous digestion, at the same time is perfectly harmless and will not injure the most delicate stomach, but on the contrary by giving perfect digestion strengthens the stomach, improves the appetite and makes life worth living.

Send for free book on Stomach Diseases.

SELBY'S NEW ELECTRICS.

Improved Cars Have Been Put on the St. Anthony Hill Line.

Three handsome new electric cars appeared upon the Selby avenue street car line yesterday. They are modeled after the pattern of the Como interurban cars, except the seats in the rear end run lengthwise of the car, and are lighted with incandescents on either side.

As soon as these cars were sent out and were discovered, nearly everybody along the line waited for them, with the result that the old ones, looking cheap and mean as they did beside the new ones, transacted but little of the business.

The new cars are large, commodious and handsomely finished. Three more will be added today, and the number increased to ten as rapidly as they can be completed. They are intended to replace all the old cars, and the change will be fully appreciated by the people living along the line.

It is understood that they are so constructed that they can be used in summer as well as winter.

Sons of Denmark.

The Sons of Denmark, the local branch of the benevolent order, Danish Sons of America, held their regular monthly meeting at Assembly halls last night.

The question of the time for holding the annual ball was laid over until the next meeting.

The report of General Secretary H. P. Hanson, of Denver, Col., was read and showed a general increase in membership during the past year and a large increase in the funds of the order. The report also showed that 900 members had been added during the year to the mutual life benefit fund of the order, which pays $1,000 at death.

The nomination of officers for the year will be made at the next meeting and the election will take place at the meeting in April.

Ordered Findings for Plaintiff.

Judge Brill yesterday ordered findings for the plaintiff in the case of Peter J. Giesen vs. Edward Walther. The action was brought to recover on a promissory note for $500.

The defendant alleged that the note had been given to Albert Scheffer as trustee, in consideration of a quittance of any liability as a stockholder of the Allemannia bank. The release was never given and the note was transferred.

In Settlement of Account.

A decision was yesterday filed in district court in the matter of the assignment of William Dawson. The petition of A. B. Stickney as assignee for permission to accept $1,250 in full settlement of the account of Joseph W. Blabon is granted.

The claims consisted of two coupon interest notes for $1,280 each and an open account of $306.

Seeks a Divorce.

Mrs. George Burgner yesterday commenced an action in district court for a divorce from her husband, George Burgner. According to the complaint the couple were married in St. Paul on March 26, 1894.

The plaintiff is twenty-four years old and the defendant twenty-seven. Mrs. Burgner alleges that on April 17, 1897, her husband wilfully deserted her. She asks for a divorce and the custody of her three-year-old son.

An Old Resident Dies.

John Borden, one of St. Paul's pioneer citizens, died Sunday at his home, 414 Lafond street, aged seventy years. Mr. Borden had been a resident of St. Paul for fifty-seven years. He leaves a wife and two daughters. The funeral will be held from St. Vincent's church at 8:30 o'clock this morning.

Accused of Larceny.

Officers Sweeney and Murnane yesterday arrested Arthur Martinau on a warrant sworn out by Susan Wagener, charging him with the larceny of her pocketbook.

The value of the purse was fifty cents and the alleged theft occurred on March 5.

Plans of Dairymen.

The retail dairymen of the city will meet at Assembly hall this evening to complete the organization of the retail dairymen's union. It is said that a movement is on foot to initiate plans for a milk inspection which will cost them from $2 to $3 per member.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

Has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

THE SOCIAL WORLD.

Dr. and Mrs. Warren S. Briggs entertained a number of their friends at an informal musicale last evening at their home on Summit avenue. Those taking part in the programme were: Miss Florence M. Pace, Mrs. Charles O. Krieger, Mr. Colville and Mr. C. W. Schneider, of Minneapolis. Mrs. Briggs was assisted by Mrs. C. W. Schneider, of Minneapolis; Mrs. A. G. Briggs and Mrs. J. W. Thompson. Mrs. R. A. Kirk, Mrs. Cratsenberg and Mrs. W. B. Dixon presided in the dining room, assisted by Miss Strong, Miss Payne and Miss Kirk.

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Mrs. George W. Koehler entertained at euchre yesterday afternoon at her home on Portland avenue. Mrs. Koehler was assisted by Mrs. Charles Roche and Mrs. A. Neuru. Prizes were won by Mrs. W. Perkins, Mrs. Whittaker, Mrs. S. Small and Mrs. J. A. Stevenson. The guests were: Mrs. A. Floan, Mrs. C. Irvine, Mrs. P. J. McLaughlin, Mrs. F. Weidenborner, Mrs. Paul Bork, Mrs. A. Neuru, Mrs. Small, Mrs. George Campbell, Mrs. J. Ornes, Mrs. J. Willis, Mrs. O. Hall, Mrs. J. Kelly, Mrs. William Allen, Mrs. H. Rolfs, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. A. Davis, Mrs. E. Whitacre, Mrs. W. A. Potter, Mrs. F. Hinrick, Mrs. Charles Michaud, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. G. Lorne, Mrs. Sigveland, Mrs. W. Gorry, Mrs. L. L. May, Mrs. McCormick, Mrs. Shandrew, Mrs. W. Perkins, Mrs. Manire, Mrs. H. P. Stone, Mrs. Buckley, Mrs. George Walsh, Mrs. Quinlan, Mrs. Allen Black, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. W. Tuchelt, Mrs. Galbridth, Miss Morgan and the Misses Sauvenit.

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Mrs. George Campbell, of Laurel avenue, will entertain the Avon Cinch club Friday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly, of Oakdale avenue, entertained at euchre Monday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Blanchard, Miss Mary Heslin, Mr. Blanchard and Mr. Joseph P. Whitwell.

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The Flemish club will meet with Mrs. Sigmund Small, of Selby avenue, Saturday afternoon.

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The Ellsworth circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., will give a card party and social Tuesday evening, March 14, in the parlors of the Windsor hotel. Mrs. Austin, Miss Muehlberg and Mrs. Burgess have charge of the party. The proceeds will be added to the relief fund.

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The Colonnade Euchre club met Monday afternoon at the Colonnade. Prizes were won by Mrs. E. E. Goodrich and Mrs. J. A. Simmons. The club has recently been organized and will meet every Monday afternoon at the Colonnade.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allen, of Holly avenue, entertained at dinner Monday evening. Covers were laid for eight.

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The board of managers of the day nursery decided at the meeting held yesterday morning at the Relief rooms to give a reception Monday, March 20, from 3 until 5, at the rooms. The reception will give those interested in the work a chance to see what is being done. Miss Stees, Miss Clark, Miss Horn and Miss Chittenden will serve tea during the receiving hours.

Mrs. George H. Ranney and Miss Cecil White were appointed visitors for March. During February 318 children were cared for. Mrs. C. E. Clark presided at the meeting yesterday.

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A surprise was given Ralph Fenstermacher, at his home on Canada street, Saturday evening. Those present were the Misses Laura and Mildred Chandler, Sadie Harryman, Grace and Margaret Curran, Maud Scham, Maggie James, Nellie Chandler, Ada Clark, Alice Atchison, Maud Black, Bessie and Ruth Jones and Florence Slocum; Messrs. Ed Schiam, Harry Salvus, Hugh McLean, Hiram Kent, Harry Picha, Peter Hough, Jesse and Charles Enniet, Ted Flesh, Will Dolan and Con Peters.

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The Dayton's Bluff History class was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Roper on Bates avenue. Each member had prepared something interesting upon the subject of "Spain" of which the class has been studying during the winter. There were character sketches, legends, essays, and musical numbers were given by Mrs. Allan Krieger and others, after which a social good time followed, and refreshments were served.

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The Home Missionary Society of the Atlantic Congregational Church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Hamilton on Conway street. "Alaska" was the topic. Papers were read by Mrs. Frank R. George, Mrs. W. W. Lewis and Mrs. Mount.

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The Tuxedo Pleasure club, composed of twenty-two Minneapolis young people, drove to St. Paul Saturday evening and had supper at the Metropolitan hotel.

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Miss Sans Souci, of Pleasant avenue, entertained as her guest during the past week Mrs. N. G. Johnston, of Mankato.

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Mrs. A. B. Plough is entertaining a party from Duluth, consisting of Miss Boyer, Messrs. McClellan, Baldwin and Hartman.

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Mrs. Edward Huxtable, of Selby avenue, is entertaining Mrs. Loudin, of Detroit, Mich.

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Mrs. W. H. S. Wright, of Portland avenue, has returned from Chicago.

Mrs. B. M. Mitchell, who has been the guest of Mrs. Messner, of the Ashland, has returned to Louisville.

Mrs. W. F. Peet, of Dayton avenue, has gone to New York.

Miss Flandrau, who has been spending the winter with Mrs. George Thomas, of Ashland avenue, returned Monday to New York.

SMALLPOX CASES.

No Further Developments of the Contagion Reported Yesterday.

No new cases of smallpox were reported to the health department yesterday, and Health Commissioner Stone said last night that there had been no developments during the day. The members of the department were actively watching the disease, and the office was thronged yesterday with colored people, all desirous of being vaccinated.

William G. Carling, proprietor of the restaurant where Tom Smith, the colored man who is in the pest house with smallpox formerly worked, says that the man had left his employ before Carter, the car porter, who brought the disease to St. Paul, returned to the city. "He left the place two days before Carter came back," said Mr. Carling yesterday. "Afterwards he was found in the house with the porter and quarantined with him. It was ten days ago that the man quit work and he has not been near the place since."

The proprietor of the saloon at 373 Jackson street, denies that George Benton, who is now confined to the pest house with smallpox, ever visited his saloon.

"I invite the inspection of the health department and I am convinced they will find the place occupied by that class of colored people who have adopted as one of their first principles cleanliness."

CHANCE FOR MISSION WORK.

"No-Preference" Slips Are Available for the City Clergy.

To the Pastors of St. Paul: The "no-preference" slips resulting from the religious census made some time ago are now to be seen for reference at the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

—Rev. Frank E. Jensen.

"Tempest in a Teapot."

Many people have heard of a "tempest in a teapot," but have really never seen one. All who attend the motion picture exhibit to be given by Leston & Kent at the Y. M. C. A. Friday and Saturday evenings will find this fiction one of the many novel and laughable features. Their motion picture "Cavalry Charge by French Soldiers" is considered the finest yet produced. "Caravan of Camels Entering Sahara Desert" is also a celebrated picture taken on the spot and full life size. Some of the picture films exhibited by this famous company are two hundred feet long. Y. M. C. A. members will be admitted on Friday evening free of charge.

Gathering of the Clans.

A meeting will be held in Central hall, 75 West Seventh street, this evening at 8 p. m. for the purpose of organizing a branch of "The Order of Scottish Clans."

Heilbron Beats It.

A technicality was responsible for the discharge of Julius Heilbron in police court yesterday.

Heilbron was charged with running a lottery, and the court held that the complaint did not sufficiently specify the offense of which he was accused.

New Bank at Caledonia.

The State Bank of Houston County, located at Caledonia, was authorized yesterday by Bank Examiner Pope to do business. The capital stock is $15,000, with T. A. Bedow as cashier.

Lincoln School Notes.

The Lincoln School union will meet in the kindergarten rooms of the Lincoln school this afternoon.

A class of girls from the eighth grade are drilling in physical exercises.

BULLET IN HIS BRAIN

AN UNKNOWN MAN FOUND DYING IN AN EAST THIRD STREET HALLWAY

IT WAS A CASE OF SUICIDE

Early This Morning a Shot Was Heard, and a Little Later the Victim of His Own Destruction Was Found Unconscious and Bleeding—Taken to the City Hospital—No Marks of Identification.

A man, whose identity had not been established up to 3 o'clock this morning, shot himself in a hallway at 69 East Third street at 1:30 o'clock this morning. He was unconscious when found, but continued to breath when taken to the city hospital an hour later.

About 1:30 Officer Newcomb heard a pistol shot, but couldn't locate it. He, however, went in the direction from which he supposed the sound came. Before he had discovered anything Sergeant Joe Davis happened to be walking down Third street and heard groans. An investigation showed it to be the unknown who was stretched out in the hall entrance of the number given, with his feet still on the sidewalk. Blood was running from a wound in the right temple just in front of the ear.

The patrol wagon was called and the coroner notified, although the man needed a doctor, rather than the coroner in his official capacity, at that stage, because he was still alive and groaning. Before the coroner arrived the man was taken to the city hospital.

A hasty examination at the hospital failed to discover any marks of identification. The only article found in his pocket was an empty card case bearing the stamp of the Graham, Ernst Cigar company.

The man is over thirty, of medium height and dark complexion. He wore about four days' growth of beard. He was quite well dressed in a dark suit, but wore no overcoat, having a double-breasted sack coat. He wore tan shoes. The revolver was found at his side.

Shortly before 3 o'clock he died.

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SHE IS FINED FOR NEGLECT

MRS. FANNY BERNSTEIN IS SUBJECT TO DEEP HUMILIATION IN COURT

Judges Orr and Bazille Both Had Her Case Under Consideration Yesterday, and Her Children May Be Taken Away Fom Her.

Probate Judge Bazille yesterday cited Mrs. Fanny Bernstein, of 854 Payne avenue, to apepar in probate court and show cause why he should not grant the petition of Humane Agent Moak for the appointment of a guardian for her two children, Leah Bernstein and Heine Bernstein, aged five and two years, respectively. The petition asks for the appointment of Rev. E. P. Savage, of the children's home, who is temporarily caring for the children.

Mrs. Bernstein achieved notoriety several weeks ago by reporting the theft of a large sum of money from her home. A part was afterwards found by the police concealed in the house, and the whole affair is shrouded in mystery.

Since the loss of her money Mrs. Bernstein has, it is alleged, been in the habit of closing her store and going away for long periods, leaving the children locked up in the store. The neighbors complained to Humane Officer Moak, who called on Mrs. Bernstein and cautioned her against a continuance of the practice.

Monday noon Officer Porter, of the Margaret street station, found the children half dead from exposure, trying to keep warm by huddling together on the sunny side of the house. They said their mother had gone down town to see the chief of police and had locked them out with instructions to go to the neighbors. Both of the children were clothed in rags and unspeakably filthy, and the little boy had nothing on him but a little torn dress.

Officer Porter attempted to induce the neighbors to take the children in temporarily, but they were both so dirty that no one would give them shelter. Then they were taken to the police station, and Humae Agent Moak was notified of the circumstances. He turned the little ones over to the children's home and swore out a warrant for the arrest of the mother on a charge of neglect.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Bernstein appeared in police court and was fined $1 and costs by Judge Orr, who incidentally added a severe lecture.

After leaving the court room, Agent Moak went up to the probate court and filed his petition for the appointment of a guardian. He was accompanied by Mrs. Bernstein and the children, and the mother shed copious tears when the judge decided to issue the citation. She told the court that she had received a message from an attorney Monday morning that the man who was arrested and afterwards released on the charge of stealing her money had commenced proceedings against her for false imprisonment. She had been so upset by the news that she had gone down town without taking the precautions for the safety of the little ones that she would otherwise have done.

CITIES PAY $1 EACH.

Findings in a Suit of Nathan O. Ross for Infringement of Patent.

Henry D. Lang, as special master in chancery, yesterday decided two cases in equity commenced in the federal court by awarding the plaintiff $1 in each case. Suits were brought by Nathan O. Ross, of Logansport, Ind., against the city of St. Paul and the city of Minneapolis to recover for alleged infringement of a patent right on an apparatus for releasing horses in the fire department. The contrivance is an electric tripping and recovery mechanism, which releases a dropweight and sets free the horses when a fire alarm sounds. The city of St. Paul has put in twenty-five of the machines from 1883 to 1891.

The case was referred to the master to estimate the profits, savings and gains of the defendants and the damages of the plaintiff. In the St. Paul case the maximum of damages, according to the witnesses of the complainant, was $200,920, and the profits and savings $6,657.80. The minimum estimate was $146,160 in damages and $6,657.80 in profits and savings. The damages claimed in the Minneapolis case were $142,700. In estimating damages the complainant took into consideration the saving of time to the men and also the salvage on property due to the shortening of time in getting to the fires.

Master in Chancery Lang spent several days in taking the testimony and drew up his findings yesterday. They were approved by Judge Lochren.

MEN WEARY OF CAMPS

LIEUT. COL. GOTZIAN SAYS THE FIFTEENTH WELCOME THEIR DISCHARGES

HAD MONOTONOUS TIME OF IT

Order Issued for the Regiment to Go to San Francisco, but It Was Countermanded Before It Had Been Made Public—Nine of the Mutineers Have Been Tried by Court Martial.

Lieut. Col. Gotzian, of the Fifteenth regiment, who is home on thirty days furlough, said yesterday that he believed the regiment would be mustered out before the first of April.

"It would have pleased the men in the regiment," he said, "could they have been sent to Cuba or the Philippines, where they would have seen active service, but this staying in camp is the most monotonous and demoralizing life a man can live. Just before I left camp the regiment was ordered to be brigaded with the Tenth Ohio and the Thirty-fifth Michigan, and it looked as though the war department intended to send us somewhere.

"Gen. McKibben, of the First brigade, visited Washington and while there was handed an order directing the Fifteenth to go to San Francisco, the inference being that we were to be sent to Manila, but that order was countermanded before Gen. McKibben had made it public, and immediately the men became anxious to be mustered out. It is my opinion that regulars will be sent to Manila and volunteers will be used to garrison the various army posts in this country, and we all know what that is.

"It may be of interest to know that nine of the mutineers in our regiment have been tried by court martial, but the sentence has not been published, and the fifty-three others who were under guard have been released."

THIRTEENTH AUXILIARY.

Short and Harmonious Meeting Held at the Commercial Club.

A short and harmonious meeting of the Thirteenth Regiment Auxiliary association was held at the Commercial club last evening. President O'Brien presided, and Gen. Bunker read a letter addressed to each of the members of congress from Minnesota, urging them to use their best efforts to secure the early return of the regiment from Manila. It is believed that definite information on that point will be obtainable in about a week, and if the news is favorable a special meeting will be called to consider ways to welcome the men when they arrive in St. Paul.

Most of those present last night were ladies. Maj. Espy entertained them with an account of the most frightful night in his experience. It occurred when he was adjutant general of Pennsylvania, and during a coal miners' strike, when coal breakers were set on fire and fire bells were rung all over a county. He said the regiment in Manila had a similar experience recently, when the attempt was made by the Filipinos to burn Manila.

"My son and a friend," said Maj. Espy, "were in a Chinese shoe store when the outbreak occurred, and they immediately ran to the street, but the door was locked and they had to smash in the door. Then they got out and saw what was going on. They ran back to the store for their shoes, and again the door was locked and they had to break in to get their footgear. Then they ran to their posts."

Mr. Hazenwinkle gave a graphic description of the scene in Manila when the fires broke out and the members of the Thirteenth confronted fire and bullets and knives all together. He declared it was the most exciting event of the entire war.

Maj. Espy said he hoped the regiment would soon be ordered back to St. Paul. He declared that the Filipinos were the greatest liars on earth and were not fit for respectable white men to associate with.

"Is that the reason you do not want your son to remain in their company?" asked Mr. Hazenwinkle.

"I'm afraid he may fall in with your son," replied Maj. Espy, wittily.

President O'Brien suggested perhaps Maj. Espy wanted his son removed from the temptations of the handsome Filipino women.

"No," said Maj. Espy; "I'm in favor of expansion."

OLD DRUGGIST GONE.

Dr. John F. Benezet, Who Kept a Pharmacy Here for Years.

Dr. John F. Benezet, who for many years in the early days of St. Paul conducted a drug store as a partner of Dr. R. O. Sweeney at 7 West Third street, died at Duluth on Saturday last. His remains were brought to St. Paul for interment, and were buried yesterday in Oakland cemetery under the auspices of Ancient Landmark lodge, A. F. and A. M. The remains of Dr. Benezet were accompanied from Duluth by A. J. McNab, a special delegate appointed by Ionic Lodge 186, A. F. and A. M., of Duluth.

Dr. Benezet was a resident of St. Paul for over twenty years, coming here in 1869, and remained here until 1894, when he left to go to Duluth with Dr. Sweeney. Several relatives survive him in St. Paul.

KELLY ESTATE SHRINKS.

It Now Represents Less Than Half of Its Original Value.

From the original valuation of $21,750, three years ago, the estate of Patrick Kelly, incompetent, has shrunk until on Dec. 31, 1898, when the St. Paul Trust company was appointed guardian, only $9,561.70 was turned over. Yesterday, as a memento of the repeated attempts made by Kelly to have his disability removed, claims for legal services in his behalf, aggregating $3,661, were filed against the estate by Charles Butts and A. G. Wedge, his attorneys.

The claim of Attorney Butts is for $250 for Case No. 1, $1,478 for case No. 2, $404 for Case No. 3, $428 for Case No. 4 and $20 for Case No. 5. There is besides a claim of $100 in money advanced. Of this amount Butts claims to have received $191, leaving a balance due of $2,471. Wedge claims to have performed services worth $1,190, of which $50 has been paid.

Threw Selina Out of Court.

Judge Otis yesterday finally ended the case of Selina Clewett vs. The House of the Good Shepherd et al., by filing an order denying the plaintiff's motion to set aside the order refusing to settle the proposed case for appeal or to allow her proposed case and to relieve her default.

In a memorandum accompanying the order, after calling attention to the fact that six months have been needlessly spent in perfecting the appeal the court says: "The defendant has some rights in the premises and is entitled to at least ordinary diligence on the part of its adversary. By reason of the court's indulgence in granting stays on ex parte applications, defendant had no opportunity to object to the dilatory course pursued by the plaintiff until the court of its own motion refused a further stay, without notice to the defendant, at which time the defendant promptly and vigorously objected to the course plaintiff had pursued against defendants. I must decide at this late day to settle the case."

Needs Clothing and Shoes.

M. L. Hutchins, of the Relief society, writes:

"On account of the continued cold weather we daily have many applications for warm clothing and shoes, especially for children of school age. We need warm underwear for a sick man (consumptive). Also bedding—blankets, sheets, comfortables, etc., and can now place to good advantage two small stoves—a heater and a cooking stove. If notified we will gladly send for whatever may be placed at our disposal. Relief Society, 141 East Ninth street. Telephone 183."

February Library Work.

The report of the librarian of the public library for the month of February shows books issued during the month to the number of 21,184. The whole number of people entitled to draw books is 10,524, and the income derived from fines, etc., is $60.51.

New Building Permits.

The building inspector issued permits yesterday as follows:

Michael Llerich—Brick store building on West Seventh street; cost, $2,600.

St. Joseph's church, repairs, Carroll and Virginia streets, $2,500.

Pabst Brewing Company—Alterations and repairs on brick building on Rice stret; $1,400.

Juliana Burke—Addition and repairs on dwelling, East Third street; $725.

At the Y. M. C. A. Gym.

C. J. Hunt and General Secretary Grace have invited twenty-eight business men of the city to dine at the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening. During the evening the religious work of the association will be considered.

A base ball team is being organized and will try to secure a series of games with the team of the St. Thomas college.

The bombardment team has accepted a challenge from the West Minneapolis Turner's team, to play here March 18.

Physical Directors Cook and Hanks are preparing a programme for a gymnasium entertainment to be given on the evening of St. Patrick's day.

Tangle Over a Note.

Judge Bunn yesterday took under advisement the case of the New England Furniture and Carpet company against William Egan, to recover $500 alleged to be due on a promissory note.

Bishop Tuttle Spoke.

The noonday Lenten meeting at the Fire and Marine building yesterday was addressed by Rev. Daniel Sylvester Tuttle, D. D., the Episcopal bishop of St. Louis.

Bishop Tuttle referred to the new obligations that have come upon the people of the country through the late war, and the urgent necessity for missionary work in the new and strange countries beyond the sea. Americans, where the flag floated, should stand shoulder to shoulder in the battle for righteousness.

Jobbers' Union Annual.

The St. Paul Jobbers' union will hold its annual meeting Friday afternoon.

NORTHWESTERN ARRIVALS.

NORTHERN—Geo. H. Boynton, H. Johnson, Dawson, Minn.; J. D. Skinner, S. T. B. Potter, Revillo, S. D.; J. C. Arnold, Echo, Minn.; H. F. Nelson, Northfield, Minn.; E. V. Bogart, Winona; Fr. Graves, Belle Plaine, Minn.; George Catz, Glencoe, Minn.; Thomas Carney, Morris, Minn.; A. Marker, Stoughton, Minn.

METROPOLITAN—G. H. Wolbert, Casselton; Mrs. G. W. Wallace, Eveleth; A. C. Smith, Fargo; Charles E. Whatcomb, New Ulm; O. B. Johnson, Moorhead; M. D. Walker, Wahpeton; J. C. Ainslee, Albert Lea.

SHERMAN—J. R. Weide, St. James; M. A. Cline and wife, Covington, N. D.; James Moffet, Washington; Mark Koek, Crookston; A. C. Harriman, Glenwood, Wis.; C. A. Pallerson, A. L. Wright, J. W. Jones, Duluth; J. M. Smith, Wahpeton, N. D.; D. V. Reed, Dayton, Minn.; John Willis, Grafton, N. D.

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BIRTHS.

Mrs. Serine Howell, 743 East Fifth.....Girl
Mrs. John Morrick, 284 Charles .....Girl
Mrs. Edward Sundberg, 691 Mississippi....Boy
Mrs. Mathias Thiel, St. Joseph's hospital.Boy
Mrs. William Gohde, 474 Superior .....Boy
Mrs. C. J. Vilenden, 76 West Fairfield....Girl
Mrs. Edward Troise, 761 Pauquier.....Boy
Mrs. Aaron Anderson, 841 Cook .....Boy
Mrs. Frank Green, 655 York .....Girl
Mrs. Charles Gustafson, 959 Rost.....Boy
Mrs. C. Hooven, 480 North .....Boy
Mrs. Fred J. Banister, 682 Dayton.....Girl

DEATHS.

Fred Manthey, Maryland and St. Albans.43 yrs
Edwin A. Hunter, 705 Conway .....6 mos
Helen Congdon, 639 Case.....7 yrs
John F. Benezet, Duluth Minn.....69 yrs
Mary S. Zingg, 132 East Congress.... 6 mos
Baby Dora, 882 Hague .....3 mos
Baby Lou, 882 Hague .....3 wks
Mary Vatpat, 699 Orrin .....38 yrs

Deaths.

BARNHART—March 7th, at his late residence, 345 Ramsey street, Mr. W. J. Barnhart. Interment will be in Logan, Io. Funeral notice will be announced later.

BORDEN—In St. Paul, March 6, at his residence, 414 Lafond street, John Borden, aged seventy years. Funeral today at 8:30 a. m. Services at St. Vincent's church at 9 o'clock; interment at Calvary.

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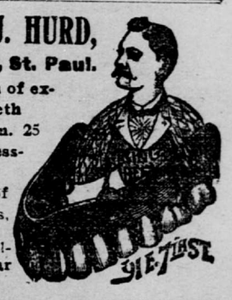

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