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IN LABOR'S FIELD

A constitution and by-laws were adopted by the boss plasterers' union at its regular meeting at Assembly halls last night, and two members were initiated, making a union of twenty-nine out of the thirty boss plasterers of the city. Five hundred copies of a circular, on which is to be printed the new scale of wages and hours, which were somewhat modified at last night's meeting, were ordered printed and mailed to all boss carpenters in the city.

The new scale, as modified, calls for an eight-hour day and the following scale of wages: Lime and sand work, 12 cents per square yard for two-coat work and 14 cents per square yard for one-coat work; all cross-back lathing, 14 cents per square yard; up-and-down back lathing work, 12 cents per square yard; all hard wall plastering, when sand is mixed at the building, 20 cents per square yard; when the sand work is done and mixture takes place at the factory, the sum of 24 cents per square yard will be charged; all adamant plastering will be charged for at the rate of 35 cents per square yard.

After some general discussion it was unanimously agreed that all members should come to the next meeting prepared to make a statement of all contracts on hand up to date, for the purpose of placing the same on record, so that no confusion should be occasioned after the new scale goes into effect, April 10, and also for the purpose of preventing the cutting of prices after that date.

A committee of five, composed of John J. Anderson, William O'Rourke, I. Marriette, P. Leo Sr. and President William Poppenberger, were appointed to call on all the lime dealers and also the members of the lathers' union and that of the journeymen plasterers and request them not to sell goods to or work for any boss plasterers who were not in good standing with the boss plasterers' union.

Another meeting will be held on Friday evening next, when a regular meeting night will be decided on.

Building Trades Council.

Five new delegates were obligated at the regular meeting of the building trades council, at Assembly hall last night. The new delegates were J. M. Brown and J. Murphy, of the painters, and John Gaskins, Ed Christopherson and M. Kelly, of the sheet metal workers' union. When the reports on the state of trade were called for the executive committee and organization committee both failed to report. Other reports from the delegates present were: Stonecutters, very good; bricklayers, fair; carpenters and plasterers, fair; sheet metal workers, iron molders and amalgamated machine woodworkers, all good, and lathers fair.

Delegates from four unions reported that the council work card had been adopted and five others reported that the card was still under consideration.

A committee made up of Thomas Gibney, stonecutters; J. B. Morrison, carpenters; William Brown, of the bricklayers; J. H. Wilson, plasterers; John Gaskin, sheet metal workers; J. A. McDaniels, iron molders; George Hersig, machine wood workers; S. J. Murphy, lathers, and J. M. Brown, painters, was appointed to prepare a new set of by-laws for the council.

The subject of conferring with Theodore Hamm on the subject of repair work was referred to a committee made up of J. H. Morrison, J. H. Wilson and John Ellitt. A. Hawkinson, of the electrical workers' union, was a guest of the meeting and told of the progress of the work on the electrical bill now before the house.

Journeyman Painters.

All journeymen painters of the city who fail to become members of the new local union on or before next Saturday evening, April 15, at the regular meeting at Assembly halls, will be obliged after that date to pay the sum of $2 for initiation instead of 50 cents, which will remain in force for all applicants joining before the 15th inst., when the charter membership list will be closed. Eleven new members were added to the list last night. They are W. Asmusen, K. Wallo, O. G. Wold, M. Quinn, J. Donahue, J. Chenery, W. J. Martin, E. F. Olson, Louis Rehberger, A. Coippini and John Rheinhardt. Two new applications, A. F. Anderson and M. De Peti, were received and referred.

A regular meeting night will also be decided on at the next meeting.

Each member present was appointed a special committee of one to look after getting in the new union all the journeymen painters of the city. The sum of $18.45 was received during last night's meeting and $6.50 was allowed for expenses.

New Stonemasons' Union.

The new stonemasons' union did not succeed as expected in completing a permanent organization at the Assembly halls meeting last night, though fourteen new names were added to the list of membership of the temporary organization. The new names were: John Quinn, Adolph Wallie, Florence Driscoll, Patrick Wheeler, A. G. Lundgren, Jacob Schwartz, Charles Harp, Charles Johnson, John Wilder, August Dahlby, Andrew Pearson, John Holm, John Bergstrom and G. Sallanski.

The union now numbers over forty members and the next meeting will be held on Friday evening, April 14, at the same place, when a regular meeting night will be decided on and permanent officers elected.

Plan a Mass Meeting.

The legislative committee of the trades and labor assembly are planning a large mass meeting to be held at assembly hall some evening early next week at which several senators and representatives have promised to be present and listen to the wishes of organized labor in reference to the bills pending at present in which organized labor is interested.

Granite Cutters Wanted.

J. Soss, the contractor in charge of the capitol of Montana now being erected at Helena, has written W. H. Hamilton, of the stone cutters' union, requesting him to secure for him at once ten granite stonecutters for work at Helena. Mr. Hamilton can be found in the stonecutting sheds at the new capitol grounds where he is engaged.

JOINT O. R. C. MEETING

To Discuss Legislation That Is Needed by the Order.

The following circular has been sent out by Division 40 and Division 117, O. R. C., of St. Paul and Minneapolis, to all other divisions in the West and Northwest:

Brothers: In compliance with an old established custom Minneapolis Division No. 117, and St. SPaul Division No. 40, will hold a joint union meeting just prior to the convening of the grand division. You are therefore most cordially invited to attend the above meeting, which will be held in the hall of Minneapolis division, at No. 305 Nicollet avenue, Sunday, April 9. The meeting will be called to order at 9:30 a. m. sharp. The object of this meeting is to discuss needed legislation and to adopt resolutions recommending the enactment of such laws at the next session of the grand division as will best serve the interests of the entire membership of the order. We hope every division in the West and Northwest will send delegates to attend this meeting. Any measure receiving the indorsement of this joint union meeting will most certainly receive favorable consideration when presented to the grand division. Special rates for your accommodation have been arranged for at Hotel Nicollet. If possible, kindly inform secretary of Division No. 117 how many of your division will attend the meeting. Yours truly in P. F.,

—Chas. E. Fitzgerald, C. C., Div. No. 117.
—C. W. Kyte, Secy-Treas., Div. No. 117.
—J. D. Condit, C. C., Div. No. 40.
—M. N. Goss, Secy-Treas., Div. No. 40.

CHURCHES AND THEIR WORK.

A meeting of the Universalist Aid society was held yesterday in room 202, Chamber of Commerce building. Among those present were Rev. A. N. Alcott, pastor of All Souls' church, in Minneapolis; Capt. Blakeley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Willis, Mrs. H. E. Lamp.

Plans were discussed looking toward the lease of the church on Holly avenue, corner of St. Albans street. Nothing definite was concluded, however, on account of the absence from the city of the parties interested in the property.

A canvass of the supoprters of the Universalist church has secured pledges almost sufficient to pay the running expenses for one service per Sunday throughout the year.

The meeting adjourned to meet after the services Sunday. In the meanwhile a thorough canvass will be made among the Universalists of St. Paul for the purpose of securing more pledges.

The Primary union will meet at the House of Hope parlors tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30. The lesson, "The Anointing in Bethany," will be given by Mrs. A. D. Harmon. "Is Your School Graded? If So, How?" Mrs. C. J. Hunt.

Kipling's Good Luck.

The first story that Kipling writes after his illness will bring a fabulous price. It will be sought as eagerly by progressive publishers as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is by all who suffer from stomach ills of any nature. No matter whether it be indigestion, constipation, biliousness, nervousness, stubborn liver or overworked kidneys, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure it. It is an unequalled spring medicine, curing and preventing malaria, fever and ague, and all ills resulting from a run-down system.

PERSONAL.

Capt. J. A. Campbell, of the regular United States army, is at the Ryan for a day or two. He is on his way home to Fort Kehoe from Cuba where he has been stationed for the past few months. Capt. Campbell is well known in St. Paul having at one time been located at Fort Snelling.

Prof. Cooper, superintendent of the normal school at Mankato, is registered at the Windsor. He is in the city on a business trip.

Senator Knute Nelson was in the city yesterday afternoon registered at the Merchants. He spent a few hours in conference with some of the local politicians and left last night for his home in Alexandria.

Congressman F. M. Eddy was in St. Paul yesterday, registered at the Windsor.

Greenleaf Clark, of the Aberdeen, arrived home yesterday from the South. Judge Clark went South before Christmas and has spent the winter on the Atlantic coast of Florida and at Nassau.

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On April 4 and 18 the Chicago Great Western Ry. will sell round trip Homeseekers' excursion tickets to points in the following states at one fare plus $2.00 for the round trip: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia. These tickets are limited for return 21 days from date of sale. For full information call on J. P. Elmer, City Ticket Agent, "Maple Leaf Route," 5th and Robert Sts., St. Paul, Minn., or address F. H. Lord, General Pass. and Ticket Agent, 113 Adams St., Chicago.

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Will be the place for Good Butter Bargains today (Saturday), not simply because the prices are low, but because the high quality and freshness will be there. We sell more Butter than any other five dealers in town; consequently our stock is always **fresh** and **sweet**. In the last two days we have received an extra large lot of fresh Farm Dairy Butter in 5-pound jars direct from the makers. Have marked the prices very low for Saturday's trade,
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ARE WELCOME HOME

MEMBERS OF THE FIFTEENTH WHO ATTENDED LAST NIGHT'S RECEPTION

ARE ASSURED OF THE FACT

The Banquet Tendered the Men Who Have Just Returned Largely Attended — Capt. H. A. Castle Delivers a Short Talk—An Interesting Athletic Programme Winds Up the Event.

Over 200 of the members of the Fifteenth regiment and their wives and sweethearts were tendered a very enjoyable banquet and reception last evening at Y. M. C. A. hall, by the St. Paul Y. M. C. A., assisted by some of the ladies who are interested in the regiment. An elaborate programme was provided for the entertainment of the returned soldiers.

The ladies in charge of the banquet and reception were: Mrs. Groat, Mrs. Brack, Mrs. C. S. Pattee, Miss Brack, Miss Lewis, Miss Weyer, Mrs. E. O. Zimmerman, Miss F. Krieger, Miss E. Hurd, Mrs. Van R. Humphrey, Miss Grace Small, Mrs. William Kimball, Mrs. J. K. Humphrey, Mrs. J. H. Schierman, Mrs. Siebold, Miss E. Siebold, Miss A. Holl, Mrs. Eckles, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Moss, Miss Wesbro, Miss Kirwin, Miss Holmes, Mrs. Hoglund, Mrs. Whitney, Mrs. Shierick, Mrs. Lightbourn, Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Brand. The large auditorium had been transformed into a banquet hall for the occasion, and was tastefully decorated in the national colors, with red, white and blue streamers entwined around the pillars. The tables were covered with cut flowers, and the menu was very elaborate.

T. H. Dickinson officiated as toastmaster, and, after a few words of welcome, introduced H. A. Castle, who congratulated the men on their return.

"Although the Fifteenth did not get a chance to fight, nevertheless it was ready to fight, and would have made a showing that Minnesota would have been proud of had occasion afforded," he said. "Its members are as much heroes and entitled to our homage as if they had earned their laurels on the battlefield."

Capt. Castle pointed out that but 2 per cent of the men who enlisted in the Civil war failed to become self-supporting after being mustered out. He declared that he was satisfied that the Fifteenth would do as well, and confound the people who have claimed that army life would demoralize the boys.

The speaker was liberally applauded and at the conclusion of his address eevrybody filed up stairs to the gymnasium, where the young men of the Y. M. C. A., under the direction of Secretary Grace and Physical Director Cooke, furnished a long and a varied programme that was enthusiastically received. One of the main features was a cake walk for a large white cake, in which three couples took part, under the leadership of Charles Harrington. Couple No. 1 was composed of Miss Tom Trieger and Matthew Balfour; No. 2, of Miss Louis Wiley and J. Emeot, and No. 3, of Miss Fred Burns and E. I. Solomon. Miss Wiley and Mr. Scott carried off the cake in triumph after a very clever exhibition of fancy steps.

Other features of the programme were: German horse and parallel bars exhibition, by Dr. Cooke and a team from the state university; a piano solo, by Miss Cora Gran; a cornet solo, by Miss Linton; vocal solo, by Prof. Kenworthy; knockabout, by Ledger and Varnum; tumbling, by Walter Thornhill, of the Minneapolis Y. M. C. A., and an octarina solo by Miss Linton. Every number received an encore.

BEGINS HOLDING OUT.

First Claim of the State Allowed, Minus About $3,000.

The state received from the United States government yesterday the first return of moneys expended by the state in providing Minnesota's volunteers for the war with Spain. The amount returned was $18,932.30 on account of a claim for $21,000. This amount was paid to the troops at Camp Ramsey for time between the mobilization and the mustering in. The difference between the amount allowed and the claim is due to the fact that the government will not pay those men who answered the call of the governor, but afterwards refused to muster. The men who were rejected by the examining surgeons, however, are allowed pay, but are included in the amount held back until proof in a detailed statement is furnished by the government. The former number is very small, but the government is cautious in the matter.

The work of making these settlements naturally devolves on the attorney general or the state auditor's department, but by a tacit understanding, has been done by the adjutant general. This is only one of several claims the state has against the national government. It means a lot of clerical work and it was said yesterday, when the state found the government for a starter had held back $3,000, that the request of the adjutant general's department for an allowance for another clerk to handle this particular work was reasonable and that it would be a profitable investment for the legislature to make on behalf of the state.

BURGLARS IN A SALOON.

Thieves Break Into Joe Kill's Place and Rob the Drawer.

Burglars entered Joseph Kill's saloon, Washington and Sixth streets, this morning between 12 and 1 o'clock, and secured a supply of cigars, $14 in change and a small amount of liquor.

The work bears marks of having been done by the same parties who have made several other petty burglaries during the past few weeks. As in two other cases, entrance was effected through a side door. The entrance was locked, but the burglars applied the heels of their boots with the effect that they forced the panels out, breaking in the door and leaving part of it still hanging to the side on which it had been locked. A cash register was tapped and its contents abstracted. Three boxes of cigars were broken open and a handful taken from each. A small amount of liquor was also taken.

The burglary was discovered by Officer Govin, who found the side door of the saloon open when he made his rounds. There is no clue to aid the police.

SMOKE WARRANTS.

Complaints Filed by Officer Hervin Against Four Buildings.

Following the mayor's order for the strict enforcement of the city smoke ordinance, warrants were issued yesterday for the arrest of Fred Stiefel, Jerry Ring, P. J. Klomer and H. L. Widemann, firemen of the Lowry Arcade, Court block, Germania bank and Globe buildings respectively. Information of the nuisances was filed with the city attorney's office by A. S. Hervin, a police officer of the first precinct, and the complaints were made out by Assistant City Attorney F. H. Griggs. The warrants were issued from the office of the clerk of municipal court.

The ordinance relating to the smoke nuisance was adopted by the city council Oct. 7, 1895, and afterwards amended, making it the duty of the chief of police to see to its enforcement. Acting on instructions, Officer Hervin filed information leading to the issuance of warrants. The ordinance has a penalty of fines not less than $25 or more than $100, and in default of fines, imprisonment for not more than ninety days.

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He Will Probably Produce Hereafter Some of the Highest Class Attractions, as the Acquisition Opens a Field Which He Has Not Heretofore Entered Except Occasionally.

Theodore L. Hays, manager of the Grand opera house, received a telegram from Jacob Litt last evening informing him that Mr. Litt had leased the Broadday theater in New York city for a term of years. It is Mr. Litt's intention to operate the theater upon the same high-class plan that has hitherto prevailed in its management.

The remarkable success of Mr. Litt in the amusement business the last few years, and the rapid manner in which he has forged to the front rank in the managerial field has warranted the belief that it would not be long before he would figure as a manager in that great metropolis, New York. His entrance as a magnate into that city could not be more auspicious for he has assumed control and direction of one of the admittedly best theaters in New York.

The Broadway theater is of modern construction, commodious in size, and it represents the height of perfection in theatrical architecture of today. It has a large auditorium, and the stage is also of immense size, capable of handling any scenic demands made upon it, in fact, the Broadway is generally considered to be the best theater in New York. Mr. Litt's plan of management will undoubtedly be to continue the high plane of attractions and scale of prices which have so successfully prevailed there, and the Broadway will be the scene undoubtedly of some pretentious productions under Mr. Litt's own direction. The present season has been one of remarkable success for Mr. Litt, and all of his various theatrical enterprises have been most profitable. He carries with him in the inauguration of his New York venture a degree of judgment and clean-cut business methods that will undoubtedly make possible a tremendous success for him.

This added success of Mr. Litt from time to time is always a matter of interest, and a source of pleasure to St. Paul. The popularity of his house in St. Paul has naturally extended to himself, and his monetary interest in the Grand places him among the city's heavy property owners. Mr. Litt has invested $275,000 in the Grand opera house property, and it was not long since that he paid the last indebtedness of $94,000 on the property.

There is no telling how far-reaching is going to be the acquisition of the Broadway theater to Mr. Litt's string of playhouses. In the West he now has the Grand in St. Paul, the Bijou in Minneapolis, the Bijou in Milwaukee and McVickers in Chicago. He also holds a controlling interest in the Metropolitan and Lyceum theaters in Minneapolis. Now he steps into the big metropolis, and secures a house where he will probably produce most of his new plays, at least the more pretentious ones. His may be the source of supply for high-class attractions which will help out some of the houses which now find the supply at this time either limited or cut off altogether by the theatrical managers' combination.

MAJ. WILKINSON'S SWORD.

It Will Be on Exhibition at the Ryan Fruit Store.

Don't fail to take a look at the sword of Maj. Wilkinson, in the show window of the Ryan fruit store, on Sixth street. It will be forwarded to Mrs. Wilkinson in California on Monday. Mr. Smith has surrounded the weapon with artistic decorations, which do him great credit.

Day Laborers Meet.

Thirty day laborers met as assembly hall last night and discussed plans for the organization of a "day laborers'" union, with organizer John F. Kreiger.

Another meeing will be held in the near future at which it is hoped to form a temporary union.

HIGH STRUNG AMERICANS.

A Brooklyn Teacher Makes a Discovery.

I am a teacher in one of the city high schools here, and have what might be called a typical American temperament—that high-strung, nervous make-up which is partly inborn and partly due to the constant demands for quick and concentrated effort of our rapid modern life.

Such a temperament demands nourishment and reserve force rather than stimulation and its sure reaction—exhaustion.

My observation teaches that people with such temperaments are very seriously affected by coffee, even in small quantities. I had become gradually more and more irritable and extremely unhappy and melancholy, while the flesh became thin and flabby, with a sallow bilious appearance.

Being of an analytical mind I have observed these symptoms, not only in myself but in other coffee-users, and during the past few years have been casting about to find a suitable beverage for breakfast in place of coffee or tea. One day my wife brought home a box of Postum Cereal Food Coffee from the grocer's, and the result of the experiment was very satisfactory—quite beyond our hopes. We discovered that there are two ways to make Postum; underboiled it is flat and tasteless, but when properly boiled it is perfect in its coffee taste, fully as pleasant, but effects vastly different. Instead of increasing irritability, it allayed it, giving that satisfied feeling which only comes from food which digests and assimilates at once. It is a very common occurrence for visiting friends to use the Postum right along at the meals, complimenting the excellence of our coffee and not being aware they are using Postum Food Coffee until told. Postum has solved the problem for us and several of our friends. We use it three times a day and bless the man who invented it. Edwin W. Foster, Instructor of the Brooklyn Manual Training High School.

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All-Silk Seam Binding Ribbon. Special, per piece..... 7c
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VITAL STATISTICS.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Gustave Nelson, Mathilda Johnson.
Martin Peterson, Frida Johnson.

DEATHS.

E. J. Codgelow, 27 mos., 40 Front.
J. J. Murphy, 25 yrs., 6 Stillwater av.
Emma Waters, 35 yrs. 35 Sycamore.
Christian Veith, 57 yrs., 277 Louis.
H. S. Larned, 57 yrs., 1618 Clinton av.

BIRTHS.

Mrs. S. Cunninghom, 477 Burgess, boy.
Mrs. P. Wahlstrand, 943 Payne, boy.
Mrs. John Casey, 750 Rice, boy.
Mrs. G. B. Neinaber, 618 East Fifth, boy.

DEATHS.

DALY—In St. Paul, at St. Joseph's hospital, Friday, April 7th, at 2:20 p. m., Dennis Daly, aged thirty-five years. Funeral from residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary McDonald, 321 St. Lawrence street, Sunday, April 9th, at 1:30 p. m. Services at St. Michael's church at 2 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS.

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Total premium income	$4,768,230.43
Rents and interest	3,070,247.66
Total income	$7,838,478.14

DISBURSEMENTS IN 1898.

Death claims and matured endowments	$4,283,340.44
Annuities and premium notes, voided by lapse	1,481.00
Dividends to policy holders	1,272,693.78
Surrender values to policy holders	654,584.55
Total paid policy holders	$6,212,099.77
Commissions, salaries and expenses of agencies	384,504.54
Salaries of officers, employes and examiners' fees	173,175.43
All other disbursements	670,181.25
Total disbursements	$7,439,960.99
Excess of income over disbursements	$398,517.15

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1898.

Value of real estate owned	$10,977,642.71
Mortgage loans	28,900,189.39
Collateral loans	2,300.00
Premium notes and policy loans	904,622.19
Bonds and stocks owned	20,405,063.2
Cash in office and in bank	1,677,837.67
Accrued interest and rents	981,274.90
Deferred and unpaid premiums	333,456.99
Total admitted assets	$64,182,387.27
Assets not admitted	$5,367.79

LIABILITIES.

Net value of outstanding policies, actuaries' 4 per cent	$55,361,814.00
Claims due and unpaid	37,570.50
Claims adjusted and not due, and unadjusted and reported	149,319.00
Claims resisted	40,392.00
Dividends due policy holders	782,437.17
All other liabilities	294,312.53
Total liabilities on policy holders' account	$56,665,845.20
Gross divisible surplus	$751,642.07

EXHIBIT OF POLICIES, 1898 BUSINESS.	No.	Amount.
Policies in force at beginning of the year	66,705	$157,701,387
Policies in force at close of the year	66,862	158,078,850
Net increase	157	$377,463
Issued, revived and increased during the year	3,711	9,678,249
Total terminated during the year	3,554	9,300,786
By death	1,532	3,883,263
By maturity	163	298,434
By surrender	822	1,696,400
By lapse	841	1,937,050
By change and decrease	3	990,139
Not taken	193	495,500

BUSINESS IN MINNESOTA IN 1898.	No.	Amount.
Policies in force at beginning of the year	851	$1,570,810
Issued during the year	78	129,000
Ceased to be in force during the year	38	76,693
In force Dec. 31 last	891	1,623,117
Losses and claims incurred during the year		$26,136.00
Losses and claims settled during the year, in cash		$26,136.00
Total		$26,136.00
Cash received for premiums		$33,048.53
Total receipts		$33,048.53

State of Minnesota,
Department of Insurance.
St. Paul, March 16, 1899.

I, the undersigned Insurance Commissioner of the State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the Connecticut Mutual Life 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 Life Insurance in this State for the year ending January 31st, 1900.

J. A. O'SHAUGHNESSY,
Insurance Commissioner.

U. S. BRANCH EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ASSURANCE CORPORATION (LTD.).

Principal office, Boston, Mass. (Organized in 1881.) S. Stanley Brown, Attorney. Wm. A. French, Acting Manager. Attorney to accept service in Minnesota, Insurance Commissioner. Cash capital, $200,000.

INCOME IN 1898.

Premiums Received—	
Accident	$147,286.82
Employers' liability	534,425.49
Fidelity and surety	25,581.75
Total premium income	$1,114,496.16
From interest, dividends and rents	63,834.68
Total income	$1,178,330.84

DISBURSEMENTS IN 1898.

Claims Paid (Net)—	
Accident	$87,668.87
Employers' liability	534,425.49
Fidelity and surety	11,379.94
Net paid policy holders	$633,474.30
Dividends to stockholders	81,753.88
Commissions, salaries and expenses of agents	279,276.19
Salaries of officers, employes and examiners' fees	42,790.65
All other disbursements	91,956.16
Total disbursements	$1,129,251.18
Excess of income over disbursements	$49,079.66

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1898.

Bonds and stocks owned	$961,600.00
Cash in office and in bank	10,812.91
Accrued interest and rents	7,059.17
Deferred and unpaid premiums	188,692.93
Total admitted assets	$1,168,165.01

LIABILITIES.

Claims in process of adjustment and known	$51,480.00
Claims resisted and disputed	38,845.00
Resisted for employer	208,415.00
Aggregate of unpaid claims	$298,740.00
Reinsurance reserve	478,202.43
Capital stock paid up	200,000.00
Total liabilities, including capital	$976,942.43
Surplus beyond capital and other liabilities	$191,222.58

RISKS AND PREMIUMS 1898.

	Amount at Risk Beginning of Year.	Written or Renewed During Year.
Accident	$28,883,900	$37,006,776
Employers' liability	181,052,813	244,925,400
Fidelity	5,938,920	6,927,855
Totals	$215,875,633	$288,860,031

	Premiums Received Thereon.	Amt. at Risk End of Year.
Accident	$164,474.56	$27,982,715
Employers' liability	1,088,557.33	183,504,594
Fidelity	30,790.47	5,554,870
Totals	$1,283,822.36	$217,042,179
Losses incurred during the year		$673,724.30

BUSINESS IN MINNESOTA IN 1898.

	Risks Written.	Premiums Received.	Losses Paid.
Accident	$1,018,958	$4,528.70	$2,403.11
Employers' liability	5,523,372	24,548.32	25,891.92
Fidelity	350,950	1,569.78	553.72
Totals	$6,893,280	$30,636.80	$28,848.75

	Losses Incurred.	Amt. at Risk End of Year.
Accident	$1,988.11	$1,018,958
Employers' liability	25,886.92	5,523,372
Fidelity	548.72	350,950
Totals	$28,423.75	$6,893,280

State of Minnesota,
Department of Insurance.
St. Paul, March 25, 1899.

I, the undersigned Insurance Commissioner of the State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the U. S. Branch Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation (Ltd.), 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 Accident, Employers' Liability and Fidelity Insurance in this State for the year ending January 31st, 1900.

J. A. O'SHAUGHNESSY,
Insurance Commissioner.