IN LABOR'S FIELD

St. Paul Building Trades council held its regular semi-monthly meeting last evening at Labor hall. Credentials of the following delegates from various unions were received:

Amalgamated Woodworkers' council, J. T. Sullivan, C. J. Jackson, R. S. Stephens; sheet metal workers, M. Charlebois, C. M. Kumrow, C. W. Baer; bricklayers, Charles Harpke, Oscar Byer, J. Harrington; carpenters, J. T. Kavanaugh, E. M. Allen, J. B. Morrison; lathers, L. J. Mullary; plasterers, D. Stafford, John Gunn.

J. B. Morrison was elected business agent of the council for two weeks. Nomination were presented of candidates for the following officers: President, vice president, financial secretary, recording secretary, sergeant-at-arms and treasurer. The election will occur at the next regular meeting in two weeks. The following schedule of wages was approved: stonemasons, nine hours a day at 35 cents an hour, to take effect May 1. This is a minimum increase from 30 cents. Painters and decorators, minimum scale of 30 cents and nine hours, to go into effect April 1. This is an increase from 25 cents. Bricklayers, minimum scale 50 cents, an increase from 45 cents. Carpenters, 30 cents and eight hours, an increase from 25 cents. The state of trade in various unions was reported as follows:

Woodworkers—Fair.
Sheet Metalworkers—Good.
Bricklayers—Dull.
Electrical Workers—Fair.
Carpenters—Slack.
Iron Molders—Good.
Lathers—Slack.
Painters—Slack.
Plasterers—Fair.
Stonecutters—Fair.
Stonemasons—Slack.

Receipts of the evening, $27; expenses, $21.

Painters Install Officers.

Painters and Decorators' Union No. 61 at their regular weekly meeting last evening initiated C. E. Lindquist. The following officers were installed: President, Charles Jolke; vice president, J. Christianson; financial secretary, R. A. Gussion; recording secretary, H. S. Leekley; warden, A. Borstad; conductor, A. West; trustee, G. Lewis. The committee on entertainment reported that arrangements were about completed for a ball some time in the latter part of February or March. Receipts of the evening, $20.55; expenses, $30.

Adjustment Committee Work.

The results of the conference held Thursday between the adjustment committee of Great Northern employes and the officers of the road were discussed yesterday in a conference between President Hill and Gen. Supt. Ward. The committee spent the afternoon in session at the Merchants' hotel, with Chief E. E. Clark, of the Order of Railway Conductors, and his assistant chief, W. G. Lee, of Cleveland.

Steamfitters' Union.

St. Paul Steamfitters' Local union held a short executive session last evening at Assembly hall. M. A. Spitzenberger was initiated. All members are requested to be present at the next regular meeting as delegates to the Building Trades council are to be elected on that evening.

LOCAL NOTES.

St. Paul Patternmakers' union held a meeting in the Assembly hall committee room last evening, but adjourned early after transacting routine business. They will hold a special meeting next Friday evening. And all members are earnestly requested to be present.

The following union meetings are scheduled for this evening at Assembly halls: Pressmen, iron molders.

The third in the series of ministers meetings will be held at Assembly hall tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. It is expected that the speakers will be Rev. Dr. Paxton, of the House of Hope church, and the Rev. Father Huntington, of Baltimore, the noted Episcopal clergyman, who is at the head of the church association for the advancement of labor.

DIVORCE CASES.

Judge Kelly Grants One, but Needs More Testimony in Another.

Two divorce cases, in each of which desertion was alleged and the wife was the plaintiff, were heard yesterday by Judge Kelly in the district court. In one instance the decree was granted, but in the other the court refused to tamper with the matrimonial bonds without additional evidence.

The unsuccessful applicant was Mrs. Mary E. Mitchell, who asked for a divorce from James W. Mitchell, to whom she told the court that the Christmas marriage stood the test of thirty years successfully, but in 1890, the plaintiff alleged, after some slight differences of opinion, her husband packed up his things and left her. Since then she has been supported by her daughters and nothing has been heard from the truant spouse. The court thought the evidence showing the desertion was insufficient and the plaintiff's attorney promised to look up further proof.

Helen D. Ryder married Walter D. Ryder, an actor, at Boston, on July 29, 1892, and told the court that on April 15, 1897, Walter had concluded that he would try life alone again. It appeared that the defendant ran into a streak of hard luck, and when his son was born concluded that it was useless for him to struggle further in double harness against adversity. He informed his wife and left. She went to her parents. Findings were ordered for the plaintiff.

SHE TOOK MORPHINE.

Colored Woman Gives an Undress Reception at the Court House.

A colored woman, with a penchant for morphine, visited the court house yesterday morning. The woman went into a toilet room on the second floor, and after divesting herself of a large part of her clothing took a morphine injection and went to sleep. Custodian Gerlich was notified, and after investigating, sent for the matron of the county jail, who succeeded in restoring the woman to consciousness and sent her on her way.

PINNEY GOES WEST.

Former Secretary of Commercial Club to Locate in Portland.

John S. Pinney, formerly secretary of the Commercial club, left last night for Portland, to become general agent of the American Type and Foundry company in the West. Mr. Pinney has been a resident of St. Paul for a number of years and has recently been relieved of his duties with the local branch of the company to take a more responsible post. The company will enlarge its Western branches and make its general headquarters in Portland.

HER BURNS FATAL.

Mary Gottfried Died at the City Hospital.

Mary, the eight-year-old daughter of Joseph Gottfried, of 663 Canton street, who was accidentally burned while placing fuel in a stove at her home, several days ago, died from her injuries at the city hospital, at 11 o'clock Thursday night.

PREFERRED COMO SCENERY,

So Martin Pine Left the Poor Farm to Ask a Workhouse Sentence.

Martin Pine, aged seventy years, and infirm in proportion, appeared voluntarily before Judge Orr, in the municipal court yesterday, and asked to be sentenced to the city workhouse. The judge examined the old man and discovered he had just come from the poor farm. Pine said he did not like the place and preferred the workhouse. He was given a thirty-day sentence.

"Pigmy" Sausage and Buckwheat Cakes

Make an ideal breakfast—try "pigmy" sausage, 12½c lb., made only by F. W. Luley & Son, 382 Jackson street. Telephone main 220.

Funeral of Mrs. Field.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Field will be held from the Buckingham this morning at 8:30, followed by services from the Cathedral at 9.

Many persons have lost money by not seeing me before selling their bank claims. Newton R. Frost, 51 E. 4th St.

SCHOCH

Main Store.....7th and Broadway.
Uptown Store.....Library Building.

Spring Ducks,	Per pound.....	10c
Flour,	49-pound sack "Golden Rule".....	75c
	This is a good family flour, but not as good as our "XXXX" first patent, which is standard.	
Prunes,	4 pounds Large French.....	25c
Oysters,	Fresh, per quart.....	35c
Beans,	French Lima, per can.....	7c
	At the Broadway Store.	
Coffee,	"Palmer House" Java and Mocha, per lb.....	25c
	"Best" Java and Mocha, 3 lbs.....	$1.00
	"Private Growth," per lb.....	40c
Doughnuts,	Fresh, home-made, per dozen.....	8c
Maple Syrup,	Quart Bottle Vermont.....	15c

Try a pound of our home-made 40c quality Candy for 25c.

Baking Powder, Highest Quality, can. **40c**

Fresh Vegetables.

Our assortment is immense. The goods are extra choice; the prices extra low. Both stores offer for today:

Fancy Cauliflower, New Beets, Tomatoes, Mushrooms, Spanish Onions, Mint, Red Cabbage, Leek, Radishes, Head and Leaf Lettuce, Large Minnesota Celery, Water Cress, Parsley, Oyster Plant, Celery Root, Etc., Etc.

"HOME BRAND" DEMONSTRATION

At St. Peter Street Store today. "Home Brand" Spaghetti, with tomato sauce, will be prepared and served free at 10 o'clock this (Saturday) morning, and at 4 o'clock this afternoon. "Home Brand" Pineapple Salad and Apricot Pudding will be served. Every one is invited to come into our St. Peter Street Store and sample these goods.

Watch the papers for further announcements of "Home Brand" demonstration.

Try a package of Washburn-Crosby Co.'s Yuco Breakfast Food. Served hot all day today at our Broadway Store.

Good Eggs	12½c
Eggs, No. 1, dozen	15c
Butter, 5-lb jar "Crown Brand," per pound	30c
Butter, 5 and 10-lb jars, fancy dairy, lb	22c and 24c
Summer Sausage, per pound	12½c
Turkeys, fancy, dry picked, per pound	12½c
Apples, sound, per barrel	$2.00
Pickles, New Dill, per gallon	25c
Sauerkraut, Schoch's "Golden Thread," per gal	20c
Maple Syrup, gallon can, highest quality	$1.00
Lentils, 3 pounds, imported	25c
Mince Meat, 3 pounds best home-made	25c

Fancy Fresh Fruits.

FANCY Tangerines, 2 dozen for	25c
Fancy Bananas, per doz...5c, 10c and	15c
Navel Oranges, per doz.....15c and	20c
Regular 40c size Navel Oranges today, per doz	30c
Messina Lemons, per doz	15c
Table Pears, per doz.....25c and	40c
Pound package Table Figs	12c
Grape Fruit, each	10c
Cooking Apples, per peck	25c
Fancy Quinces, per doz	20c
Large Hickory Nuts, per peck	25c
New Black Walnuts, per peck	25c
New Mixed Nuts, per lb....10c, 12½c,	15c
Fresh Cocoanuts, each	3c

Fancy Malaga, Catawba and Emperor Grapes.

The Andrew Schoch Grocery Co.,
"St. Paul's Greatest Grocery Stores."
7th & Broadway. 7th & St. Peter.

IN TEAPOT TEMPEST

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION HAS A LIVELY TIME OVER ELECTION OF OFFICERS

"ONE-MAN RULE" IS CHARGED

And While Names Were Not Mentioned Directly, Some of the Members Seemed to Be Looking at the President, Who Was, However, Re-elected, After a Long, Hard Argument.

The St. Paul Teachers' association spent two hours yesterday afternoon in an argument arising over the election of officers. It is charged that a "one-man rule" has crept into the association, and the partisans on either side had it out to a finish. Indeed the finish was very bad, for of a gathering of between two and three hundred there were barely three score left when the final vote was taken. The ball was started rolling by discussion over the eligibility of members. Those who had not paid their dues, etc., were not eligible, and therefore it was necessary to pass a vote permitting them to pay up and thus enjoy the right of elective franchise. A perfect maze of technicalities was brought up, and then the constitution was evoked. Prof. J. G. Donnelly asserted that he had never seen the document; that he was under the impression that the president carried it around in his pocket at all times. Other ironical illusions to that important document were made, and some one, right out in meeting, said that ring rule in the association had been its downfall, etc., when it was proposed to elect officers by acclamation. Somehow President Farnsworth conceived the idea that the remark was made for him, and he politely said, "Thank you."

Finally it was decided to open the nominations from the various schools that had been sent in. By this time it had grown so dark that the president's figure was scarcely discernible across the room, and Mr. Bryant thought that if the lights were turned on it might light up the brains of certain ladies and gentlemen present. The election resulted in the re-election of S. A. Farnsworth as president, and Principal E. Van Dyke, of the Central high school, for vice president.

The other officers will be elected at a future meeting.

Treasurer Donnelly reported a balance on hand of $9, after paying out legal expenses for the "lost cause" amounting to $351.

Resolutions thanking Messrs. O'Brien and Albrecht for their services in the mandamus proceedings brought to compel the comptroller to audit the pay roll were passed. The firm, Principal Robinson explained, had from the first refused to accept a fee from the committee and their whole service was given gratuitously.

Prof. J. C. Bryant thought that the association should decide to carry the test case brought against McCardy to the supreme court. If it was known that the association would inaugurate a broad and liberal policy and stand for a protection of the teachers' interests a large number of new members would join. No action was taken, but some of the prominent members of the associaion favored, with Mr. Bryant, definite action by the association.

AROUND A POKER TABLE

Occurred Incidents, and Now Ryberg Is Held to the Grand Jury.

Anton Ryberg, who was before Judge Orr in the municipal court yesterday, on the charge of larceny, will have to explain how it was that he entered into a poker game by borrowing a "stake" and soon had all kinds of money without winning it over the board.

Evidence was adduced to show that on Dec. 30, 1899, Ryberg joined a poker party at the home of William Benson, Brooks and Margaret streets, and that Gus Benson, one of the players, missed a pocketbook containing $46 just at the time Ryberg evinced great prosperity, Patrolman Oldberg arrested Ryberg and a $20 bill was found in his possession which Benson declares he can identify as having been in his pocketbook at the time. On this evidence Ryberg was held to answer to the grand jury.

COFFEE HEADACHES

Left When Change Was Made to Postum Food Coffee.

"As long as I drank coffee, once every month regularly I had a bilious sick headache. I had often read in the papers about Postum Food Coffee, but like lots of people I thought you were praising your own goods to sell them.

"Finally, I asked my husband to buy me a small package to try. I boiled it not quite as long as your directions said and did not like it. The next morning I made coffee for breakfast and had a sick headache.

"The third morning I tried Postum again, boiling it about twenty minutes. Then it tasted good, and the longer I drank it the better I liked it. That was about three months ago. We have had Postum ever since, and never in all this time have I had the least kind of a headache or been sick in any way.

"I told a brother-in-law of my experience. He suffered with bilious headaches and was threatened with nervous prostration. He stopped coffee and began using Postum Food Coffee, which he did not like at the first trial, but soon got so he liked it very much indeed, when they learned to make it right. It has cured him also.

"The following friends have been helped by leaving off coffee and using Postum: D. B. Wieatt, his wife and sister; J. H. Mathews, his wife and daughter. We are naturally very strong advocates of Postum Food Coffee." Lille E. Mathews, 468 Twenty-fourth Street, Detroit, Mich.

TWO ARE MURDERERS

OF THOSE ASKING THE STATE BOARD FOR PARDON

MEETING TO BE HELD MONDAY

It Will Have for Consideration, Among Others, the Cases of Blixt and Dunat, Not to Mention "Primate" Ginner, Ald. Durnam, of Minneapolis, and a Number of Felons Less Conspicuous.

The state board of pardons will hold its regular quarterly meeting Monday in the executive chambers, when twenty-five new applications for pardon will be considered, as well as several that were left over from the last session of the board.

Two convicted murderers seek clemency at the hands of the board, Claus A. Blixt, the murderer of Katherine Ging, and Albert Dunal, of Jackson county, who has been sentenced to hang.

Dunal claims that he is not guilty, and asks that his sentence may be commuted to life imprisonment, that he may eventually prove his innocence. A claim is put up that the shooting was accidental.

A case of some interest locally is that of Samuel G. Ginner, formerly "primate of the Church of America," and president of the Order of Minnehaha, but now just simply "1264." Mr. Ginner chafes under the sentence of three years, and wants to come out into the sunlight.

The calendar of new cases is as follows:

Thomas Kennedy, Ramsey county, April 4, 1899. Grand larceny, second degree. State prison on the reform plan.

Carl H. Park, Ramsey county, April 1, 1899. Receiving stolen property. State prison, five years and six months.

Corrine McCutcheon, Hennepin county, April 22, 1898. Grand larceny, second degree. State prison, three years.

Samuel G. Ginner, Ramsey county, May 22, 1899. Grand larceny, first degree. State prison, three years.

Charles Norman, Hennepin county, Sept. 19, 1898. Robbery, first degree. State prison for five years.

George A. Durnam, Hennepin county, Nov. 19, 1897. Asking a bribe. State prison, six years and six months.

Roswell D. Rice, Brown county, Jan. 15, 1897. Grand larceny, first degree. State prison, five years and four months.

John Leonard, Hennepin county, June 4, 1898. Grand larceny, second degree. State prison, five years.

Osten Olson, Yellow Medicine county, March 22, 1897. Manslaughter, first defiree. State prison, eight years.

Henry Weiss, Hennepin county, Oct. 13, 1898. Grand larceny, second degree. State prison, two years.

Louis Loercher, Hennepin county, November, 1899. Selling intoxicating liquor without a license. County jail, sixty days and pay a fine of $50.

David L. Soderkvist, Hennepin county, Oct. 13, 1896. Robbery, first degree. Reformatory plan.

William Casey, Hennepin county, Oct. 6, 1898. Burglary, third degree. State prison, five years.

Claus Alfred Blixt, Hennepin county, May 4, 1895. Murder, first degree. Natural life.

Lee J. Barnes, Red Lake county, Feb. 22, 1898. Grand larceny, first degree. State prison, five years.

Thomas Lynch, Hennepin county, Dec. 21, 1897. Robbery, first degree. State prison, three years and six months.

W. W. Andrews, Hennepin county, Sept. 28, 1898. Forgery, third degree. State prison, reformatory plan.

Albert Dunal (commutation), Jackson county, Nov. 11, 1899. Murder, first degree. Death by hanging.

Frank Keating, Cottonwood county, Nov. 28, 1893. Rape. State prison, ten years.

James Terry, Hennepin county, March 22, 1895. Burglary, third degree. State prison, five years and four months.

Fred Deloney, Hennepin county, Feb. 17, 1898. Grand larceny, second degree. Reformatory and transferred to the state prison, reformatory plan.

Charles Clark, Douglas county, Sept. 19, 1899. Grand larceny, first degree. State prison, one year. The trial judge earnestly recommends a full pardon.

C. W. Gutherless, Faribault county, Jan. 26, 1899. Grand larceny, second degree. State prison, three years and four months.

James O'Brien, Meeker county, Jan. 13, 1897. Burglary, third degree. State reformatory at St. Cloud, and transferred to the state prison.

Wince Wood, Hennepin county, Oct. 9, 1897. Robbery, first degree. State prison, six years.

POPULAR TEACHER DEAD.

Flora L. Austin Passed Away Yesterday Morning.

The Central high school closed yesterday at 10:40, upon receipt of news of the death of Miss Flora L. Austin, since 1886 a teacher there, who died at 6 a. m. at her home, 1990 Terrace Park avenue, after an illness of some months.

Though rallying for a time she was compelled to leave her school work after teaching from the beginning of the term till Thanksgiving.

She was appointed to the high school in 1886, as teacher of mathematics, English and civics, which provinces have been hers ever since. Previous to that appointment she had been eight years in the Humboldt school, after being graduated from Mount Holyoke seminary, Massachusetts.

She was a native of Vermont, the daughter of a Congregational clergyman, who died a few years ago. Her immediate relatives living are her sister, Caroline M. Austin, also a high school teacher, and five children of a brother now dead. These children are all young, the oldest being a student at the university, and their two aunts have been their sole support for years.

The board of directors of the High School Alumni association will meet to take appropriate action.

The funeral will occur Monday at 10:30 a. m., and it is the desire of the family that there be no flowers.

WAGENER'S BRIDGE CLAIM.

It Is Discussed in Secret by Board of Public Works.

The board of public works held an executive session yesterday afternoon over the matter of condemning slopes for the south end of the Wabasha street bridge. The four members of the board, Assistant City Attorney Griggs, John Wagener and his attorney, B. H. Schriber, Judge E. H. Wood and City Engineer Claussen were present at the session.

After hearing the attorney for Mr. Wagener, and E. H. Wood, who is also interested in the matter, the board arrived at the conclusion that the city had rights on the property needed for the abutment to the bridge, for the reason that when the property was originally platted, in 1857, South Wabasha street, then known as Bridge street, was 120 feet wide. Mr. Wagener claims that the street is but 80 feet wide, and demands $7,500 for his property, but is willing to make a compromise with the board. In case a settlement is not made, Mr. Wagener threatens suit on the ground that the city has taken possession of the property, and is now occupying it without any condemnation proceedings.

STOCK ON INSTALLMENT.

Great Northern Employes Given Every Chance for Investment.

Vice President Miller of the Great Northern, stated yesterday that arrangements are being made by the road to allow its employes to take up shares in the coming issue of stock at par, on the installment plan, their salaries being guaranty of full payment. Stock issued on installment payments will not be transferred to the employes until the full amount at par has been paid in.

There has been considerable eagerness among the employes to learn in what manner the distribution will be made. Mr. Miller states that stock issued to employes will be considered issued as an investment for them, though the title will naturally be vested in the employes themselves and they will be at liberty to transfer their holdings if they wish. Those already Great Northern stockholders will be allowed to enter their subscriptions on the plan which has been used in two previous issues. Every stockholder will be allowed to take a limited amount in addition, at par. All who are not Great Northern stockholders will be required to pay the full market price of the stock.

WILL BANQUET CANDLEMAS.

Modern Woodmen Will Have a Feast on "Ground Hog Day."

Preliminary plans are being made by the St. Paul Modern Woodmen lodges for the national convention of the order, which will open in St. Paul June 12, 1901. It is expected that the event will bring about 200,000 visitors to St. Paul. The entertainment committee, consisting of delegates from all the lodges on a basis of 1 to 100 members, met at Central hall last evening. Sixty were present. The per capita assessment of 25 cents was paid in for the quarter ending Jan. 1, 1900. Through this quarterly assessment it is expected that a large fund will be raised within a year, and this will be a basis for further solicitation among the business men.

It is more than probable that a new Woodmen hall will be built in St. Paul before the meeting is held. The project was talked over informally last night, and it has been the rule in towns where the convention is held that the local bodies put up a building. It was decided to give a banquet and dance Candlemas day, Feb. 2, for the benefit of the fund.

HIS HEAD BADLY CUT.

Jerry Cullen Hurt at the Minnesota Transfer Bridge.

Jerry Cullen, a horse dealer, was seriously injured yesterday afternoon in an accident on the Minnesota Transfer bridge. Mr. Cullen was driving to Minneapolis in a buggy and leading a string of six horses. The horses became frightened at a street car, and Cullen was thrown out of the rig. He sustained a severe cut on the back of his head and was badly bruised. He was taken to the American house by Officer Twohy, and attended by a physician. The horses, which ran away, were captured by officers from the Prior avenue station.

DIED OF PARALYSIS.

Milton E. Barringer, Formerly a Weel Known Horse Dealer.

Milton E. Barringer, an old resident of the city, died early yesterday morning at his home, 45 West Fifth street, of paralysis, after a long illness. The funeral will be held from the house at 1:30 p. m. tomorrow.

Mr. Barringer was forty-six years old, and came to St. Paul fourteen years ago from Reedsburg, Wis. At one time he conducted a sale and livery stable at 211 East Ninth street. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Miss Louise Pearl Barringer.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

VITAL STATISTICS.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Swen Bernard, Anna Bjorsk.
John Victor Skiba, Mary C. Sinna.
John J. O'Connor, Margaret McCarron.

BIRTHS.

Mrs. Percy E. Bennett, 689 Wabasha, girl.
Mrs. Stephen Lintsch, 914 Charles, boy.
Mrs. N. Keeley, 48 West Geranium, boy.
Mrs. Charles Carlson, 214 Mt. Airy, girl.
Mrs. Peter Reinhard, 151 Carroll, girl.
Mrs. Christopher Offerdale, 1027 Sims, boy.
Mrs. P. J. Gaughan, 74 East Fairfield, boy.
Mrs. L. Stockwell, 567 Fairview av., girl.
Mrs. Hans Thaasen, 290 St. Anthony, boy.
Mrs. Joseph H. Fecht, 540 Aurora, boy.
Mrs. Michael Hurley, 344 Robie, girl.

DEATHS.

Gladys J. Bamford, 2 mos., 392 Aurora av.
Mrs. Joe Zampino, 40 yrs., city hospital.
Mary Gottfrid, 5 yrs., city hospital.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ST. PAUL GAS LIGHT COMPANY—Notice of Regular Election.

Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the shareholders of the St. Paul Gas Light Company will be held at the office of the Company in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, on Tuesday, January 23rd, 1900, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day. The object of said meeting is to elect members of the Board of Directors of the Company for the then ensuing year and to consider the proposition to extend the corporate existence of the Company for the period of fifty years from and after the date of the expiration of its charter by virtue of the limitations therein contained, and if such proposition be adopted to take measures to effect such extension and such other measures as are incidental thereto; and likewise to transact such other business as may properly be acted upon at such meeting.

J. P. CROWLEY, Secretary.

St. Paul, January 2nd, 1900.

ST. PAUL GAS LIGHT COMPANY—Notice of Shareholders' Special Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the shareholders of the St. Paul Gas Light Company will be held at the office of the Company in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, on Tuesday, January 23rd, 1900, at three o'clock in the afternoon of said day. The object of said meeting will be to consider the proposition to extend the corporate existence of the Company for the period of fifty years from and after the date of the expiration of its charter by virtue of the limitations therein contained, and to act upon said proposition or any modification of the same that may be proposed, and if such proposition or any modification of the same be adopted, to take measures to effect such extension and such other measures as are incidental thereto.

By order of the President.

J. P. CROWLEY, Secretary.

St. Paul, Minn., January 2nd, 1900.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Minnesota State Agricultural Society will be held at the capitol in St. Paul, on Jan. 9, 10 and 11, 1900, for the election of a president, two vice presidents and two managers and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. John Cooper, President; E. W. Randall, Secretary.

Tell your friends Our annual Shirt Sale is on.

We do not pretend to sell the kind of clothing offered at 20, 40 or 50 per cent discount.

We have no trash at any price.

On all the best styles, which we control, we are never undersold, no matter how big the type in which others may represent or misrepresent their offerings.

THE · PLYMOUTH ·

The Best Outfitting House in America. "Plymouth Corner." Seventh and Robert.

Silk Headquarters of the Northwest. GLOBE—1-6-1900.

If you make any purchase at this store that proves unsatisfactory, bring it back, and your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Mannheimer Bros.

Sixth and Robert Streets, St. Paul, Minn.

The Saturday Bargain Chapter.

Our Twenty-Eighth

Annual Linen Sale

The Saturday specials in reliable Housekeeping Linens will bring the greatest week of Linen selling in our history to a close. If you are inclined to save money, the following items will interest you:

Odd Table Cloths, all of the newest designs, and sold with Mannheimers' guarantee as to wear—no better goods in the world.

	Former Price.	Now.
2x2 yards	$3.25	$2.37
2x2½ yards	$3.75	$2.98
2x2½ yards	$5.00	$3.78
2x2½ yards	$6.00	$4.10
2x2½ yards	$6.50	$4.47
2x2½ yards	$7.50	$5.29
2x3 yards	$3.00	$2.34
2x3 yards	$4.50	$3.53
2x3 yards	$5.50	$3.90
2x3 yards	$6.50	$4.63
2x3 yards	$7.50	$5.35
2x3 yards	$10.00	$7.00

Cream Damask, made by the best Irish maker, every yard guaranteed by Mannheimer Bros.—"will wear for years."

70-inch, 75c quality, for	50c
72-inch, 85c quality, for	59c
66-inch, $1.00 quality, for	85c
72-inch, $1.15 quality, for	90c
72-inch, $1.65 quality, for	$1.28
72-inch, $1.75 quality, for	$1.35

Towel specials for Saturday.

Hand Hemstitched Huck Towels, extra heavy, largest size, 23x43 inches, 60c Towels, for..... **39c**

Hemstitched Huck Towels, large size, 50c Towels, for..... **33c**

Hemstitched Towels, size 18x36 inches, 25c Towels, for..... **17c**

Bleached and half-bleached Bath Towels, extra value.

15c Towels for	9c
20c Towels for	14c
25c Towels for	18c
50c Towels for	32c

Bleached Barnsley Crash Toweling, all linen, 15 inches wide, value 8½c, Saturday only..... **5c**

One case of Cambric finished Muslin, soft, for fine needlework. Mill price today, 8c a yard. Saturday, our price only..... **5c**

Millinery Materials half-price.

Hosiery and Underwear.

Special bargains in Children's Goods for Saturday selling.

Children's heavy fleece-lined Vests and Pants, mostly small sizes, the 40-cent quality. Saturday special..... **19c**

Children's heavy Merino Union Suits, only a few dozen left, regular $1.50 quality. Saturday special..... **89c**

Children's heavy ribbed Worsted Hose; worth 50c a pair. Saturday special..... **25c**

Children's best French ribbed Cotton Hose, sizes 6 to 8½, our 50c goods. Saturday special.. **25c**

Boys' "Iron Clad" School Hose, our own well known brand..... **19c**

Three pairs for 50c.

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DEATHS.

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