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Rev. Dr. Pleasant Hunter, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, gave notice of his resignation to the congregation at the service yesterday morning. The resignation is to take effect as soon as his successor can be secured. The actual severance of his pastorate will probably not take place for several months. The resignation was a purely voluntary one and a surprise to the congregation. It comes as the preliminary to an extended European vacation, which Dr. Hunter has long contemplated. The trip abroad will render his future work in the ministry so uncertain that it was incumbent upon him to sever all ties that bind.

"I have intended to take at least a year's rest ever since I entered the ministry," said Dr. Hunter, "after I had completed a certain term of service. I doubt if the congregation will be able to select my successor before next June. I will remain with the church, of course, until he has been installed. I will be abroad at least a year, and very probably as long as two years. I expect to reach Europe soon enough to be in Paris during the latter part of the exposition. I will devote considerable time to the different countries of continental Europe, and will make a long visit in Scotland, the land of my nativity.

CONDUCTORS OF THE DINER.

Officers Are Installed and a Banquet Follows the Exercises.

Members of the Order of Railway Conductors, No. 117, had a great time between noon and the Hotel Nicolet yesterday. The installation of officers, which took place in the morning, was a function over which J. Dudley Condit presided. All of the officers who were elected two weeks ago were switched safely onto the main line. After they had secured the right of way over all night, without accident, the meeting was closed at 10:30 p. m., when they ate down at the Pullman car banquet prepared by Ira Shattuck, superintendent of the commissary department of the Omaha road.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MENDENHALL

Was Held Yesterday From the Family Residence.

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Abby G. Mendenhall were held yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 1800 Stevens avenue. On the casket lay a spray of beautiful white and red roses. The flowers from the girls of Bethany Home, and none among that border of wreaths and sprays spoke of a sorrow more genuine. Rev. William P. Angell, who was pastor of the church which Mrs. Mendenhall attended in Minneapolis for many years, had come from Muncie, Ind., his present home, to conduct the services. A quartet, consisting of Alfred G. Rolio, Miss Nellie McCollom, Mrs. Fletcher Walker and Eugene M. Stevens, sang "Rock of Ages." Mr. Angell then read selections from the 106th Psalm and a portion of the sixth chapter of St. John and followed with a prayer.

PLANS FOR REORGANIZATION WERE DISCUSSED YESTERDAY.

At a special meeting held yesterday afternoon the Minneapolis Press club decided upon a complete reorganization. A committee on membership was appointed to see all the newspaper men in the city and present the plan for their consideration. The new organization will go into effect Feb. 1. The club decided that the club rooms should undergo a complete refitting and renovation, with the possibility of increasing accommodations as the reorganization is put into effect. The club will meet next Sunday afternoon, at which time officers will be nominated. The election will take place next Monday afternoon from 7 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. The following committee were appointed: Committee on Membership—W. R. Macdonald, Adolph Edsten and Tom Thurby.

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Claimed by Two Wives. SIOUX CITY, Io., Jan. 14.—The remains of Dr. Gustave Mahr, whose body two years ago was claimed today by Wife No. 2. Although Wife No. 1, Mrs. San Fran also demanded custody of the remains local officials decided to issue a burial permit to Wife No. 2, and she had charge of the ceremonies. More sensational developments are expected.

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Mr. Cleveland Better. GEORGETOWN, S. C., Jan. 14.—Ex-President Cleveland, Commodore Benedict and Capt. Bob Evans arrived at the Murphy Island Gun club house, Fairfax, today from South island, at which place the shooting was not good. Mr. Cleveland is greatly improved in health. Gen. Wade Hampton and Chief Justice McIver came back from their week's hunting at Rehms.

Claimed by Two Wives. SIOUX CITY, Io., Jan. 14.—The remains of Dr. Gustave Mahr, whose body two years ago was claimed today by Wife No. 2. Although Wife No. 1, Mrs. San Fran also demanded custody of the remains local officials decided to issue a burial permit to Wife No. 2, and she had charge of the ceremonies. More sensational developments are expected.

Shorter Line. MITCHELL, Ind., Jan. 14.—The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern is spending \$1,500,000 to shorten the line through Indiana five miles, preparatory to cutting the schedule between St. Louis and Cincinnati from nine to eight hours.

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Green Bay—John Dennis, an Onondaga Indian, has been arrested for the shooting of George House, a fellow Onondaga.

Mason—Miss Leta Harvey, daughter of State Superintendent of Public Instruction Harvey, lies seriously ill at her home in Marquette.