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In Labor's Field.

The issue is fairly joined between the harness manufacturing firm of Hardenburgh & Co. and the twenty-five union men who left the establishment last Saturday because of differences with the employer over the retention in the service of a man who was objectionable to the union men. The union men held a meeting at Assembly hall yesterday and all of the men on strike answered. There has been no break in the ranks of the men and the firm of Hardenburgh & Co. is not suspected of having intentions of compromise.

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Combine your dollars, cents, and sense with a Schoch list. The result will be perfect satisfaction at an expense way below that at other stores.

- Preserves, Minnesota Strawberry and Raspberry, pound can, each, 10c
- Pies, Fresh, 5c
- Doughnuts, Fresh, 8c
- Potatoes, Medium, per bushel, 30c
- Soap, Xew Bill, per pound, 25c
- Pickles, per gallon, 25c
- Nectarines, Four pounds evaporated, 25c
- Prunes, Four pounds large bunch, 25c
- Asparagus Tips, Three-pound can, 15c
- Sweet Chocolate, Per pound, 23c
- Jelly, Currant, per quart, 12c
- Strawberries, Preserved, 2-pound can, 15c
- Turkeys, Fresh dry pickled, 10c
- Coffee, and Mocha, per pound, 25c
- Maple Syrup, Quart bottle Vermont, 15c
- Maple Syrup, Quart bottle Highest quality, 25c
- Baking Powder, pure cream of tartar, can, 20c
- Flour, XXXX First, 50-lb. sack of Schoch's celebrated Patent, \$2.00

- ### FISH.
- Pickered, per pound, 5c
 - Fresh-caught Whitefish and Trout, 40c
 - Marlinio Herring, per dozen, 40c
 - Round Shore Herring, per half, 50c
 - Mumm's Split Herring, per half, 50c
 - Spiced Herring, per half, 75c
 - Norway Herring, per half, 75c
 - New Holland Herring, per half, 75c
 - English Breakfast Mackerel, per half, 75c
 - No. 1 Trout, per pound, 90c
 - 2-codfish, per pound, 90c
 - Fresh Oysters, per quart, 40c
 - Fresh-water Herring, per pound, 4c
 - Roll and Print Butter, per pound, 25c
 - 6-pound Jar "Crown Brand" Butter, 28c
 - Navel Oranges, per dozen, 15c
 - Blue Points on the shell, 12c
 - Fresh Boiled Lobsters, 20c
 - Holland Herring, per dozen, 40c
 - Marlinio Herring, per dozen, 40c
 - "Rollemums" (herring), per dozen, 40c
 - Hard-shelled Crabs, extra quality, 40c
 - Fresh P perch, per pound, 4c
 - Finnan Haddies, per pound, 10c
 - 3 pounds German Lentils, 25c
 - 2-pound Jar Dairy Butter, \$1.10
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The Andrew Schoch Grocery Co., St. Paul's Greatest Grocery Store, 7th & Broadway, 7th & St. Peter.

of the Electrical Workers' union last night once President J. A. Brooks presented his resignation. He has secured more remunerative employment at Tacoma, Wash., and will remove there at once. A successor in office will be chosen at the next regular meeting of the union. The committee entrusted with securing a hall for the dance to be given by the union, reported, and another committee to have control of all arrangements was appointed. The reports of committees having work of a similar kind will hereafter be made at each regular committee. All members were instructed to take out Building Trades Council working cards.

A committee was also appointed to look after the initial steps of the union in giving a steamboat excursion in June. One application for membership was received.

No Strike in Minneapolis. The newly organized Machinists' union of this city does not feel at all favorable to a strike, as the dispatches state is the intention of the national union. Reports from Chicago state that President O'Connell has had a session with the national officers concerning the difficulties in that city, and that the opinion among the officers was that if it was necessary to win the Chicago strike to order a general strike, it would be done.

The local Machinists' union has been organized but a short time, and has not as yet received its charter from the national organization, and is therefore not under its control. Inquiries made among a number of machinists yesterday developed the fact that Chicago's trouble was a local affair, and that none but the ordinary interest is felt in Minneapolis. The local machinists will do all they can to help their Chicago brethren, but as far as going on a strike, it is thought the line will be drawn.

IN MEMORY OF GILBERT

Arrangements for the service in memory of the late Bishop Mahlon N. Gilchrist, who died on the 12th inst., will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the People's church, having been completed. The programme is as follows: Voluntary. Introductory Remarks—His excellency, Hon. John Lind, governor of Minnesota. Hymn—St. Paul's church choir. For all thy saviors in warfare, Address—Rev. C. D. Andrews. Prayer—Rev. Dudley W. Rhodes, D. D. Address—Rev. C. D. Andrews. Hymn—"What Are These Arrayed in White Robes?" Address—Walter H. Sanborn. Address—Rev. S. G. Smith, D. D. Hymn—"Jerusalem the Golden." Benediction—Rev. Maurice D. Edwards, D. D.

The ushers will be members of the Society of the Sons of the Revolution and of the Society of Colonial Wars. The plan for a lasting memorial to the memory of Bishop Gilbert is beginning to take definite form. It is proposed to raise funds for the purpose of building an addition to Shattuck school at Fairbault, to be used for boys between the ages of nine and fourteen, and to be known as the Bishop Gilbert school.

LYONS IS HOPEFUL.

Weather Man Thinks the Backbone of Winter is Broken. "This is, in my opinion, the end of the winter," said Weather Observer Lyons yesterday. "Today the wind is blowing from fourteen to sixteen miles an hour, and there are snow flurries, but when the wind goes down tonight the snow flurries should cease. The weather will certainly be warmer and more spring-like for the next few days, and, while I can say nothing definite about the weather after that, I am convinced that we will have spring. A warm rain this week seems probable."

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iards is a finer game than any we have in the association now. Rev. H. F. Stilwell, of the First Baptist church, said: "I have enjoyed billiards, I once opposed introducing billiards into a Y. M. C. A., as Mr. Everts is now doing, with the sad result that the association broke up and the young men of the town organized a club where they played the game, not under any Christianizing influence."

The resolution, as finally passed, reads: Resolved, That, appreciating the courtesy of the board of directors in seeking the advice of the pastors of the city in regard to the matter of extending the games department of the Y. M. C. A., we hereby assure the secretary of our entire confidence in the conscience and judgment of the board of directors, and we as secretary and board that we will in no way seek to oppose the introduction, as an experiment, of billiards in such games, as, in their judgment, may seem proper.

GUESTS OF THE JOBBERS

ROSTER OF THE MERCHANTS HERE ON THE EXCURSION.

The St. Paul Jobbers union has the following list of merchants from Northwest-ern points who are now in the cities on the second of the spring series of merchants' excursions: Pickett, J. C. This excursion are limited on the Northern Pacific and Great Northern to March 22, and on all other roads to March 20. The list follows:

- Miss R. Kalmoe, Renville; Mrs. B. Leach, Grotton; Mrs. Emma Swenson, Ostrander; Miss N. Nordmark, Ostrander; Mrs. B. Erickson, Ostrander; Miss Jessie Colvis, Wheaton; Eva Westblling, Mapleton; Miss C. Moyer, Mitchell; Miss Matty Egan, Mitchell; Mrs. M. A. M. Sheldou, Wauboy; Miss A. M. Abbott, Wauboy; Mrs. M. Brooks, Grand Rapids; Mrs. B. Clark, Grand Rapids; Mrs. Pike, Hewitt; Mrs. D. Weed, (only); Miss Hanna Rund, Christine; Miss Hanna Hicks, Dickson; Mrs. G. A. Peet, Rudmore; Mrs. N. J. Carter, Withee; S. A. Ellsinger, Fargo; Anna Meyer, Airoon; Miss Anna Peterson, W. J. Lund; Mrs. W. H. Ballard, Grandin; Mrs. Kate Hecklesmiller, Ellendale; E. S. Heveland, Grand Falls; Mrs. M. J. Peterson, Prescott; Miss C. Jorgensen, Fairmont; Mrs. Thomas Colman, Lake Benton; Miss Mary Matheson, Lake Benton; Mrs. St. Peter; Miss Ray Kahn, St. Peter; G. Hard, Isbours; T. H. Morgan, Isbours; James Orenstrom, Isbours; Herman Sill, Buffalo Lake; J. F. Conway, Chester; Mrs. P. A. Sandstedt, Alexandria; A. Larsen, Alexandria; G. O. Hagren, Alexandria; E. L. Dinor, Henning; Carrie Malbyrant, Milton; Mary Reibel, Delano; W. S. Elliott, St. Cloud; Dr. J. E. Campbell, Melrose; M. A. Modgins, Waseca; A. B. Anderson, Wabasha; D. A. Doty, Zumbrota; W. J. Lund, Zumbrota; S. Phillips, Zumbrota; J. A. Carleton, Winthrop; E. L. Ellison, Fargo; H. W. Stevens, West Concord; T. J. Devakas, West Concord; William Brunt, New Ulm; P. J. Kretsch, New Ulm; Kate Danman Mankato; Mrs. H. A. Zabel, Mankato; Mrs. G. M. Soddard, Sherburn; Miss Maude Goddard, Sherburn; Miss M. Wickes Colby, Sherburn; Miss Carrie Topping, Reynolds; Mrs. M. A. Zabel, Lake City; Mrs. A. M. Black, Buxton; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gady, Rochester; Herman Phillips, Zumbrota; W. A. Munger, Red Wing; William Wolf, Red Wing; S. Stubbens, Morris; John B. Demphy, Duluth; J. J. Duncan, Council Bluffs; Matt Verdine, St. Cloud; H. Smith, Hibbing; Frank Jung, Minnesota City; Charles Knutson, Clear Lake; Miss Edith Wortz, Clear Lake; Carl S. Schell, Akeley; Mrs. James Salsler, New Prague; L. A. Davis, Grand Forks; Ella Ford, Ferguson Falls; Mrs. G. J. Stow, Josta; Marie Mariz, Le Roy; Jessie Marty, Le Roy; Mrs. L. Epstein, Isbours; Christine Nelson, Litchfield; Ole Bjella, Crookston; H. E. Olson, Morris; H. W. Rabifson, Russell; Mrs. Julia Johnson, Royaton; Anna Samuelson, Warren; Edward Larson and wife, Decorah; P. W. Porrett, Moorehead; J. C. Ragen, Franklin; M. Regan, Franklin; N. Schlerman, Franklin; H. Johnson, Clarkfield; L. M. Jacobson, Clarkfield; Ira D. Woodard, Big Lake; John Stenlund, Rogers; R. Monfort, Litchfield; V. W. Wolbert, Grand Forks; E. F. Newbold, Kinross; G. A. Klausen, Miland; Robert Hozz, Sleepy Eye; G. Adams, Montvidue; Mrs. J. L. Sandell, Dassel; Jessie Lindner, Willmar; Emma Lindner, Litchfield; John McGrath, Barnesville; E. M. Norman and wife, Grand Forks; C. D. Grindols, St. Cloud; H. P. Holen, Brant.

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