

# WE LEAD ALWAYS

## OUR ANNUAL SALE

### BLANKS AND REVOLVERS

Cap Pistols, Cap Cannons, Powder Cannons, Gunpowder, you need to make a big noise.

EVERYBODY CELEBRATE. If you have nothing for which to celebrate find some one who has, and bid him.

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# ST. PAUL HARDWARE CO.

St. Paul's Great Hardware Store.

## CITY NEWS.

At 9:20 and returning at 10 p. m. Brass and string music will be a feature of the day.

The Swiss Benevolent society will hold its annual picnic at Harris park, Fort Snelling, today.

The Ramsey County Graduate Nurses' association will meet tomorrow afternoon at the Lowry Arcade.

The regular meeting of the German-American Veterans' association will be held today at Garfield hall.

Senator H. C. Hansbrough passed through St. Paul yesterday on his way home from Washington, D. C.

The congregations of the Norwegian synod of St. Paul and Minneapolis will celebrate July 4 on Fairview avenue.

At the People's church tonight Jas. G. Givens, LL. D., will lecture on "The Trial of Christ, From a Lawyer's Standpoint."

July 4 the Scandinavian Salvation Army will give an excursion on the steamer Lotus, starting from the foot of Jackson.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given at the Forest street mission, Fore and Case streets, tomorrow evening, July 2.

Section St. Paul, of the Socialist Labor party, will hold its monthly business session this morning at 10:20 o'clock at Assembly hall.

Policeman Boesel denies having received notice of his proposed trial by the police commission, and has requested a reopening of his case.

The funeral of Miss Maudie Miller, daughter of John W. Miller, 526 Rice street, will be held at 1 o'clock today from the family residence.

Carl Hammerbacher, 504 Gordon avenue, and W. H. Stiles, 478 Cedar street, yesterday reported the loss of their bicycles to the police department.

Building Inspector S. H. Haas has recovered his \$75 bicycle that disappeared from the rack in the basement of the court house last Tuesday.

The monthly police report from the central police station shows 233 arrests made during the month of June. Of

# YERXA

The Table Supplies on sale here are right to the eye, right to the touch, right to the palate, right in price, right in every particular.

12 cents A peck for the very best New Potatoes.

Ham, Sugar Cured, per pound 11c

Peaches, fancy ripe Halls' Early Peaches, per doz 20c

Nutmegs, per ounce 3c

Radishes, Round or long red, 3 bunches for 5c

Onions, Fresh, crisp, 3 bunches for 5c

Turnips, Fresh, per bunch 2c

Beets, Fresh, per bunch 2c

Cherries, Fine large sour Cherries, per box 12c

Peaches, Very fancy Crawford Peaches, per doz only \$1.20

Cream Cheese, A fancy lot of rich cream, per lb 9c

Watermelons, Fine, ripe, Ice Cream, per melon 25c

Tomatoes, Smooth, large, ripe, in 5-lb. baskets, only 22c

Paric Matches, Per dozen boxes 10c

Corn Starch, One pound package 33c

Butter, Good fresh grass Creamery, per pound 20c

## GINGER SNAPS

A fine fresh lot from the ovens for 1 1/2 (5 cents per lb.)

## FRESH FISH

Fresh Mackerel, Good size, each, only 17c

Fresh Flounders, Per pound 10c

Whole Codfish, Fresh, per pound 9c

## Hotman House Coffee

Direct from the roasting room (in the premises). The perfection of Java and Mocha flavor, not mixed elsewhere (no matter where) by the fanciest 45-cent coffee, here for 30 cents.

## "Minarda" Tea

Is a blend of the finest Ceylon and India Teas that are imported. Its single-to-be price is \$1 per pound; here it sells for 60 cents.

# YERXA BROS. & CO.

Cor. Seventh and Cedar.

## INDIANS ORDERED OUT

### GOV. LIND MOVES QUICKLY TO SUPPRESS INDIAN TROUBLES AT KOOCHING

### WILL LEAVE DULUTH TODAY

### CAPT. EVA WILL PROBABLY GO IN CHARGE OF A DETACHMENT TO THE SCENE OF TROUBLE

### ADJUTANT GENERAL ON WAY

### LAMBERT OFF FOR DULUTH

### Gov. Lind moves quickly to suppress Indian troubles at Kooching.

A detachment from Companies A and C, of the Third regiment, of the National guard, at Duluth, will leave the Zenith City today, under orders from Gov. Lind, to proceed to Tower by rail, and thence by Vermilion lake and as best they can cross country to Harding on the northern boundary, thence to travel by water to Kooching, the residents of which have been terror-stricken by the menacing behavior of drunken Indians from the Canadian side of the boundary.

The women and children have fled from Kooching to Rat Portage, and Gov. Lind's army yesterday in this speedily despatching a force of militia to the scene of the trouble was in response to a telegram from G. C. Frisbee, United States consul agent at Rat Portage, stating that the straits in which the community with a picturesque name has found itself.

Mr. Frisbee's telegram was:

CONSULAR AGENT'S ALARM.

"Rat Portage, Ont., June 29, 1900.—Governor of the State of Minnesota: Threatened uprising Canadian Indians bordering Italy Lake, Leech Lake Indians and other Indians, many of them destitute, Minnesota citizens asking for arms and ammunition, will know more Sunday.

"Consular Agent."

The governor also received a petition from twenty or thirty citizens of Kooching asking for arms and ammunition, as follows:

To the Hon. John Lind, Governor of the State of Minnesota, at St. Paul, Minn.: We, the citizens of the town of Kooching and vicinity, respectfully petition and pray that you will order the sale of 1,000 rounds of ammunition to this place, via Tower, Minn., that we may use the same for our own defense and property against the Indians, who threaten to break out. These to the number of 400 are now in the hands of the Indians on this place, on the Canadian side of the boundary, and dancing, painting, etc., is usually with a view to some complete mischief. We urge you not to disregard this prayer, but to dispatch the ammunition and protection, will know more Sunday.

Dated at Kooching, Minn., June 27, 1900.

BLAMED TO LIQUOR.

Agent Frisbee's telegram was also supplemented by an official communication by mail, dated June 21:

"Dear Sir: I beg to enclose herewith letters from Inspector of Indian agencies for this district, at Rat Portage, Minn., that on account of the illegal selling of whisky on the Minnesota side of Italy Lake there is great deal of trouble among the Indians (wards of the government of Canada), and he cites as an instance the drowning of an Indian on May 1. The inspector believes that the whisky sellers cannot be proceeded against for lack of proper evidence. These complaints that no one of the several parties has a license from the state of Minnesota. I have been informed that the Indians are very fond of 'fire water,' and will undertake to purchase the same from only a nuisance to the immediate families and friends, but serious trouble might arise hereafter, if the liquor is not stopped; more especially is this true at the time of the payment of annuities along the river, commencing at the mouth of the river on the 5th of July, and ending at Port Francis, opposite Kooching, on the 23rd of July. It is estimated that on Aug. 6, of this year, the inspector informs me that last year the whisky sellers had a net profit of \$100,000, and that as soon as the Indians received their money they would cross the river and buy whisky from the Canadian side. The officers of the crown in this district will be glad to lend any assistance. Trusting that you will take such action as may seem best to you in this matter, and in the honor to remain, your obedient servant,

G. Clayton Frisbee, U. S. Consular Agent."

DROWNING OF AN INDIAN.

Accompanying Mr. Frisbee's letter is a letter to him from Arthur Leveque, inspector of Indian agencies at Rat Portage. This letter transmits a report on the drowning of an Indian, of the Hungry Hall band, and gives dates and places of annuity payments, as follows:

Hungry Hall, July 27.

Long Point, July 27.

Manitowish, July 27.

Little Forks, July 27.

Kooching, July 27.

St. Marys, July 28.

Sole River, Aug. 3.

St. Louis, Aug. 6.

It appears that Ka-ke-ki and another Indian had several drinks at Kooching, and while going home their canoe struck a log, and Ka-ke-ki was drowned.

J. H. Head, deputy United States marshal, proceeded after the drowning to do all he could to prevent liquor selling to Indians.

GOVERNOR ACTS PROMPTLY.

The affair is not regarded very seriously by the governor, but he determined to act promptly. Adjutant General W. H. Hart, accompanied by telephone from Lake City and arrived at 3 o'clock. Fifty thousand rounds of rifle ammunition are now stored at convenient places in Northern Minnesota, and 150 such rounds with rapid-fire three-inch guns, well supplied with shrapnel, and two Gatling guns can be mobilized in twenty-four hours. The governor says that in the event of trouble, there will be no such fiasco as there was at Sugar Point.

During the afternoon the governor conferred with United States Marshal Grimshaw, who has received no reports direct from the Indian country.

An advised that much of the trouble on Rainy river and lake grows out of sale of whisky to Indians. This must be broken up. Detachment of national guard troops will be sent to take possession of, and, if necessary, to destroy any stores of whisky found.

John Lind, Governor.

William B. Phelps, county attorney of St. Louis county, was sent this morning.

WAR SECRETARY NOTIFIED.

Gov. Lind also addressed the following to the secretary of war:

St. Paul, June 30.—To Secretary of War, Washington, D. C.: Under date of June 21, United States consular agent at Rat Portage advised me that trouble was threatening between settlers on the American side and Canadian Indians along the border line. Today I received a dispatch as follows:

"Threatened uprising of Canadian Indians on border along Rainy River, Lake of the Woods and Rainy Lake. Leech Lake Indians said to be inciting them.

Thirty Minnesota women and children here, many of them destitute, Minnesota citizens asking for arms and protection.

In reply telegraphed: "Detachment of troops with large quantity of arms and ammunition will leave Duluth, July 1, and proceed to boundary via Tower. Advise settlers at Kooching and suggest that they arrange for transportation as needed."

The adjutant general of this state is now making suggestions and information that at least 500 rounds of rifle ammunition to Indians on American side by parties holding government license. Have advised that a detachment from the Second regiment, Minnesota National Guard, is returning from annual encampment fully equipped and can be used for the purpose of any uprising, if it is not practicable to have federal troops sent to this service. The detachment forwarded will be recalled in season as the local authorities can handle the situation.

John Lind, Governor.

LAMBERT OFF FOR DULUTH.

The governor's orders to Adj. Gen. Lambert are:

Adjutant general, State of Minnesota—Sir: Herewith I have the honor to request for your consideration and guidance the following matters:

1. Communication from the Indian department of the province of Ontario.

2. Letter from the Indian department, consular agent at Rat Portage, transmitting petition of settlers at Kooching.

3. Telegram from consular agent.

4. Copy my telegraphic answer thereto.

Pursuant to the suggestion contained in the telegram, you will proceed to Duluth immediately with a detachment from such detachment of Minnesota national guard as in your judgment may seem proper and a sufficient quantity of arms and ammunition to be used by civilians in case of emergency, but line it is not deemed expedient to issue arms except for emergency use under the direction of officers of the National guard.

I am also advised that much of the trouble on Rainy river and lake grows out of the sale of liquor to the Indians.

It is suggested that you notify the county attorney of St. Louis county, and also the United States consular agent at the office served by you in this respect. The detachment should discover any violation of the law, and if necessary, to instruct him to take charge of any stores of liquor that he may find, and, if necessary, to take possession of, and, if necessary, to destroy the same. Very respectfully,

John Lind, Governor.

Adj. Gen. Lambert left last night for Duluth, accompanied by Quartermaster W. H. Hart, of the First regiment.

Before leaving Gen. Lambert sent a telegram to Capt. H. V. of Company A, Third regiment, Duluth, directing him to assemble forty men at the armory this morning, in readiness to move at a moment's notice. Gen. Lambert took with him last night 500 rounds of smokeless ammunition, which, together with the supply now at Duluth, will be all that will be needed in any event.

Gen. Lambert will meet at 10 o'clock at the train this morning. Lieut. Satter at the train this morning, and arrangements will be made for the transportation of a detachment of forty men to the scene of the trouble. In addition to a large supply of ammunition the soldiers will take about thirty extra guns to be issued to settlers and used under the direction of the soldiers in case the situation is found serious.

As there are no Sunday trains out of Duluth over the Duluth & Iron Range to Tower, Gen. Lambert will doubtless have a special train, if steamboat connections can be made with Tower as reached. If the boats are all up at the other end of the lake, and there is no chance of securing water transportation before the soldiers will be taken up on the regular train Monday morning, which is the first train out of Duluth. If there is any possible way, however, of getting the soldiers out of Tower today it will be done. From Tower the soldiers will be taken by steamer to the lower end of the lake, and thence down Vermilion river as far as the stream is navigable. The water in all the rivers and lakes in this section at this time of the year is very low and it is quite likely that the Duluth militia boys will have a long portage to make over an Indian trail to the nearest arm of Rainy lake.

Adj. Gen. Lambert will remain in Duluth for a few days unless his presence is required at Tower or even in the Indian country. He will continue to keep him in touch with the troops at the front, although the matter of distances and the absence of any method of transportation makes this rather difficult. Indian trails, makes this a rather difficult feature of the situation. After the boys are lowered it may be several days before anything is heard from the Canadian border.

WHISKY IS RESPONSIBLE.

Rat Portage Man Says It Caused Indian Trouble.

A party of Rat Portage mining men have been in the city for several days, and are registered at the Windsor hotel. They are E. J. Bowman, editor of the Rat Portage Miner, S. V. Halsted, A. Campbell and J. C. Irvine.

On Monday, discussing the threatened Indian outbreak, the editor of the Miner said: "I have caused it all through the Rainy Lake country prospecting, and know the mind but this is no question in my mind but that whisky is responsible for all the trouble. I have no direct knowledge of the events of the last few days, as I left for home before the start of a dubious character was heard from the Indian side, is from the press, on the Canadian side, of trouble. From some time past I have been in the country, and I welcome from Indians living on the reservation. A rich vein of ore runs through their land, and they are anxious to get it taken away from them. They know the value of the yellow metal, and they are not satisfied with the present prospectors. The best mine in the Indian river district was located by them some time ago. But very few of the Canadian Indians have any money, and they are not satisfied with the present American side, however, and they are not equipped. Many of them have Winchester rifles, but they do not have any powder. The Indians are cowardly and when they hear that the 'big knives' are coming they will run away. They stand in great fear of soldiers and soldiers' rifles."

RAT PORTAGE AROUSED.

Citizens Held a Meeting to Discuss the Uprising.

RAT PORTAGE, Ont., June 29.—A meeting of prominent citizens was held last evening, concerning the threatened Indian uprising on Rainy river, and the evidence of several of the refugees was taken. Their fears seem to have been aroused by an unusual number of Indians being seen going down the river, and from reported threats that the homes of the white people would be burned when they returned. It is also reported that a number of American Indians have come over the Canadian border, and are now on the Big Grassy river, just off the Big Traverse. After hearing the stories of several settlers, it was decided to send Indian Agent Leveque and Mr. R. J. Pither to the scene to see if anything unusual was about to occur, or whether the real men were only to meet to hold a pow-wow. Special letters were received today from settlers along the river requesting that the militia and armory be sent up at once. At Beaver Mills the men have been placing pickets out to patrol duty for several nights, and at Rat Portage, Ont., preparations are being taken against a threatened invasion from a large body of Indians on Rainy lake.

The general opinion here is that the whole trouble now arising through a prophecy by one of the "medicine men" that a great storm would devastate this whole section, and that all the white people would be wiped out. The town is making preparations for the women and children to flee here, and hope to have a favorable report from the delegation being sent up the lake.

# Field, Schlick & Co.

## Please Remember.

We close our store at one o'clock on Saturdays during July and August. If you don't care anything about liberal store methods, you should remember it, for we wouldn't want you to feel annoyed by coming here on Saturday afternoons and finding the store closed.

But, if you do take an interest in liberal store methods—if you take an interest in the pleasures and comforts of the men and women and the little cash boys who have served you so faithfully during the past year, we are sure it will be a pleasure to you to do your Saturday shopping in the morning.

So we say again—please remember that this store will close at one o'clock on Saturdays during July and August.

## Summer Dress Goods Marked Down.

This is your opportunity. With nearly the whole Summer before us, all Summer Dress Goods are marked down. A big lot for Monday's special selling. And smaller lots every day this month.

FRENCH ORGANDIES. About 50 pieces of genuine French Organadies, beautiful colorings and new designs, the very best 35c and 40c qualities imported, our unheard of price, only... 19c

SUMMER NOVELTIES. All of our Embroidered Muslins and Swisses and Cotton Novelty Grenadines are now to be closed out at about HALF-PRICE.

FRENCH CHALLIS. Genuine French Challis—strictly all-wool—the most serviceable of all Summer fabrics—made by the best makers in France, best 60c qualities for... 39c

Gray and brown mixed Cheviots, 50 inches wide, 75 cents. Navy blue Cheviots, 45 inches wide, only 50 cents. Fine Covert Cloth, 46 inches wide, \$1.25 quality, for 75 cents.

## Seasonable Silks at Lowest Prices.

Last week's offer of Cheney Bros.' Foulard Silks created a sensation. For Monday's selling we shall add a lot of New Colors to the assortment—navy blues, new helios, tans, browns, greens, reds and some more black goods, all in pretty figures, stripes and polka dots, all at

58c 58 Cents 58c

a yard. We doubt if there's another collection of Cheney Bros.' Foulards sold at so low a price in America. There are no better assortments anywhere at \$1.00 a yard.

Navy blue printed Jap Silks, full 24 inches wide, 23 different patterns, good qualities for... 50c

Elegant French Foulards in Novelty Persian designs, mostly single dress patterns, \$1.25 and \$1.50 qualities for... 75c

Black Grenadines, 44 inches wide, \$1.50 quality for \$1.00. Black Grenadines, 46 inches wide, \$1.75 quality for \$1.35. Black Grenadines, 46 inches wide, \$2.00 quality for \$1.50.

## Summer Skirts and Shirt Waists.

A few Summer Dress Skirts should be in every woman's wardrobe, especially with the thermometer soaring near 100 degree mark as it did last week.

100 woven Pique Dress Skirts, correct shapes, handsomely strapped, very good \$1.50 values at exactly half-price, only... 75c

50 Irish Linen and French Pique Dress Skirts, worth \$3.75 and \$4.75, Monday, only \$3.90.

High-grade Irish Linen and French Pique Dress Skirts—very exclusive, beautifully made in new flaring effects, our best \$6.75 and \$7.25 Skirts, tomorrow only... \$5.25

SHIRT WAISTS. Several hundred custom-made Percalé Shirt Waists—this season's best styles and best \$1.25 and \$1.35 values, only... 75c

## Black Goods.

Whether you want a dressy black dress or something for an everyday skirt, you'll find just the right thing here at SPECIAL MIDSUMMER PRICES.

Storm Serges. 42-inch, 65c value, for 45 cents. 50-inch, 75c value, for 50 cents. 50-inch, 85c value, for 60 cents. 51-inch, \$1.00 value, for 75 cents.

All-Wool Diagonals. 46-inch, 85c value, for 50 cents. 50-inch, \$1.25 value, for 80 cents. 51-inch, \$1.50 value, for \$1.10.

All-Wool Canvas Cloths, 46 inches wide, \$1.00 quality, for... 65c

All-Wool Granite Cloths, 50 inches wide, splendid \$1.00 quality, for... 70c

All our Wool Grenadines and fine, light weight Crepes at practically half-price.

## Remnant Sale of Laces.

For Monday's selling we have sorted out all Remnants, all short lengths and all odd pieces of Laces, Lace All-Overs and Embroideries.

Some will be sold at cost. Some at less than cost. Some at half-cost. There will be rare choicings for shrewd shoppers.

## Women's Neckwear.

A counterful of new and pretty Neckwear at small prices—something you'll be sure to want for the Fourth.

Embroidered Mull Ties, 25 cents. Hemstitched Mull Ties, 25 cents. Silk String Ties, 25 cents. English Wash Ties, 25 cents. English Wash Ties, 25 cents. Taffeta Silk Ties, with wide hemstitched ends, 50 cents.

White Gull Coll Stocks, 25 cents. White Linen Collars, best and newest styles, 2 for 25 cents.

## Leather Pulley Belts.

Our entire line of highest grade Leather Pulley Belts—seal, kid, grained calf and suede leathers in black, brown, tan and gray, best \$1.25 kinds, tomorrow... 85c

## Wash Goods.

Continuation of the sale of those three lots of fine Wash Goods at nearly half-price.

(For fine Lawns, Batiste, India Mulls and Madras Cords, handsome patterns in light and dark colors, most of them worth 15 cents.

For finest Batistes, Organadies, Dimities and Corded Lawns, worth 15c, 16c and 18c a yard.

For all our best 20c fabrics—Novelty Cords, Corded Batistes and finest Dimities.

\$3.50

Try to find as good a shoe as "Sorosis" under \$5.00 a pair

# FIELD, SCHLICK & Co.

## Summer Corsets.

Corset comfort for hot weather at very small cost. Our Summer Corsets are almost as strong and durable as the heavier models.

50 dozen good Summer Corsets, well boned and perfect fitting, good 50c kinds for... 35c

"W. B." Summer Corsets, 50 cents. Full line of "W. B.," "J. B." and Thomson's "Glove-fitting" Batiste and Net Corsets... \$1.00

New Tape Corsets. New "straight front" models in "W. B." Batiste Corsets.

## White Petticoats.

Some new Muslin Petticoats with deep hemstitched ruffles or embroidered flounces, only... \$1.25

Fine Cambrie Petticoats with handsome flounce of embroidery... \$2.25

## Summer Underwear.

The "Shield" Vest is a new thing and a good thing. There's a sort of shield at the arm hole which protects the dress from perspiration.

Fine ribbed Silk "Shield" Vests, white and colors, only... 50c

UNION SUITS. Finest imported ribbed Lisle Combination Suits, the best \$2.00 kinds, for... \$1.65

DRAWERS. Fancy trimmed Lisle Drawers, our popular 50c kinds, for... 43c

DRAWERS. A new lot of fancy lace Trimmed Drawers, open sides, regular 35c kinds, for... 25c

## For Men.

New Monarch Negligee Shirts—thoroughly good, handsome new patterns, all sizes \$1.00.

UNDERWEAR. Real French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, double-stitched seams, gusseted, very best wearing kinds... 75c

UNION SUITS. Fine ribbed SILK-LISLE Combination Suits—cool, comfortable and