

DUNHAM IN THIS OLD GAME

ARRESTED YESTERDAY FOR PASSING SEVERAL FORGED CHECKS

PAROLED FROM STILLWATER

Was Serving a Term for Forgery, and on Being Paroled Started to Raise Some Money.

A. E. Dunham, released from Stillwater on parole a short time ago while serving a sentence of two and a half years for forgery was arrested yesterday by the Rondo police on the same charge. Two weeks ago, it is said, he passed worthless checks on Mrs. Belle Gordon, 137 West Third street, Baldwin and Hardy, Seventh and Sibley streets and Billy Strange, 373 Minnesota street, for \$10 each. He then disappeared and the police have been conducting a search for him until yesterday which resulted in his arrest. Yesterday afternoon he hired a horse

ness throughout the Northwest. The officials of the department report a heavy increase of business during the year.

COL. BAASEN WILL DIE

OLD SETTLER IS BEYOND HOPE OF RECOVERY.

Col. Francis Baasen, who has been critically ill as the result of blood poisoning at the Soldiers' home hospital for several days, is now beyond the aid of medical skill. Col. Baasen's case is quite similar to that of the late Senator Davis. A partial amputation of the foot was performed, but failed to bring relief. Progressive gangrene has now set in and there is no hope for his recovery.

ARION'S SILVER JUBILEE

GERMAN SINGING SOCIETY A QUARTER OF A CENTURY OLD.

An appropriate farewell to the old year and century and a hearty greeting to the new, was tendered by the members of St. Paul Arion Singing Society and scores their friends at Mozart hall. A musical concert opened the festivities of the evening which were participated in by several hundred happy folks. A jubilee to the society sung in honor of the 25th anniversary by the society's quartette, introduced the program, which

NEW MEN ON TWO BOARDS

MAYOR SMITH YESTERDAY MADE APPOINTMENTS TO SEVERAL VACANCIES

THERE MAY BE YET ANOTHER

Rumor Has It That J. C. Donahoe Will Resign From the Water Board in the Near Future.

Mayor Smith yesterday announced his appointments on the fire and water boards. The new appointments on the board give the Democrats control and just at present there is a merry scramble on between several local politicians to land the place of secretary of the board.

The appointments on the fire board are: John M. Clarkin, five years; Albert Schweitzer, four years; Reuben Warner, Jr., three years. These take the places of Edward Yanish, C. H. Sharrod and T. G. Walther, whose terms expired yesterday. The appointments to the board of water commissioners will be formally made today as the charter required them to be made Jan. 1. The commissioners, however, are filled out and Crawford Livingston and Thos. Grace are to be the new appointees. Mr. Livingston's term will be five years, and Mr. Grace's four years. They take the places made vacant by the expiration of the terms of President J. H. Wolterstorff and R. E. C. Bement. It is rumored that as soon as the sensational fight is over, J. C. Donahoe, at present a member of the board, expects to secure a federal position, and in case he does Mayor Smith will have the naming of his successor. This will also make the water board Democratic. The appointments are all considered strong ones.

FLATS HAVE CHANGED HANDS.

Newport Building Transferred to a Corporation.

Edward Feldhauser, formerly a member of the library board, and his wife yesterday transferred to the Newport Apartment House company, a corporation, the Newport flats on St. Peter street between Tilton street and Central avenue, for a consideration of \$120,000. The new corporation which now owns the property, is composed of Edward Feldhauser, his wife, Goode King Feldhauser, and James A. Wilson of this city.

INCREASED QUARTER MILLION.

Internal Revenue Receipts for the Year Just Closed.

The total receipts of the internal revenue office for the year 1900 were \$2,798,082.25, an increase over 1899 of \$230,334.63. The receipts during the year from the several sources were as follows: Licenses, \$86,249.87; beer stamps, \$1,256,330.74; spirit stamps, \$1,959.85; cigar stamps, \$221,172.41; snuff stamps, \$3,316.27; tobacco stamps, \$11,657.90; special tax stamps,

SUSPECT IT WAS ARSON

FIRE IN VACANT HOUSE USHERS IN NEW CENTURY.

Fire destroyed a vacant house, 483 Randolph street, owned by Mrs. Veronica Smith, at 11:29 o'clock last night. It is believed that the fire was of incendiary origin. Mrs. Vawor, 487 Randolph street, saw a person moving about the uncoccupied house with a light. She was wondering who could be there at that time of night when the place suddenly burst into flames. The damage amounted to \$200. It is not yet known whether there was any insurance.

Mrs. Vorwar and a Mrs. Kuhfeld told a Globe reporter that Mrs. Smith, the owner of the property, was an old lady who had occupied the house until a month ago. She received a pension and was worth \$2,000. A relative had induced the elderly woman to come and live with him by going to the house and frightening her by attempts to gain an entrance.

Indian Lost His Ticket.

George Roy, an Indian boy about ten years of age, from the Red Lake reservation, called on United States Marshal Grimshaw yesterday, in destitute circum-

CATHEDRAL WAS JAMMED

IMMENSE CONGREGATION HEARD ARCHBISHOP IRELAND'S GREETING TO NEW CENTURY

JESUS THE SAME FOREVER

Eloquent Sermon by the Bishop of the Archdiocese of St. Paul After the Midnight Hour.

Literally thousands of people tried to force their way into the cathedral last night to be present at the impressive watch night service over which His grace Archbishop Ireland presided. Precisely at midnight the venerable prelate entered, preceded by the surpliced altar boys and the assisting priests. As they knelt before the altar the organ swelled forth into "Adeste Fideles" and gradually the music grew softer, still on the same theme until the archbishop rose when the choir sang "Kyrie Eleison."

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RESULT OF A FLASH LIGHT IN FRIEND, CROSBY & CO.'S OFFICE.

and carriage from Allens livery stable on Sixth street, and in payment gave a check. He proceeded to Demberg's grocery store, 624 Western avenue, ordered a list of groceries which were to be sent to 222 Charles street and again tendered a \$10 check in payment. After visiting several saloons, he was arrested at Thomas street and Western avenue. When searched at the police station, twenty checks ranging from \$10 to \$25 were found on his person, also a number enclosed in envelopes ready to be mailed. In money he had \$24. His sentence at Stillwater does not expire until August of this year.

COPY MICHIGAN'S RULING

ATTORNEY GENERAL DOUGLAS ON THE SUGAR BOUNTY LAW.

Attorney General Douglas has handed down an opinion against the sugar bounty law. The sugar company has for some time been clamoring for a bounty of \$19,000 under the legislative act which gives a bounty of one cent a pound, the purpose being to foster the industry in Minnesota.

The industry is new in this state as in a good many other Northwest states. Some time ago the question of the legality of a bounty law arose in the state of Michigan and there the attorney general decided against it. This decision was what called the attention of State Auditor Dunn and other state officials to the law in this state. The auditor decided not to pay the bounty until it was determined whether or not he had a right to do so. The decision is against the legality of the law and the Minnesota sugar company will have to go without the bounty.

MAY BE TAKEN ELSEWHERE.

Question of Housing Inmates of County Jail is Complicated.

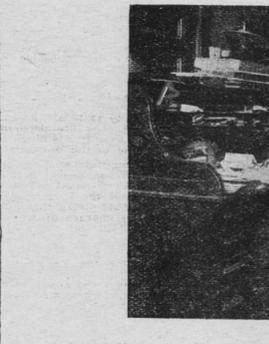
The special committee consisting of Commissioners Harvick, Gray and Lott appointed by the board of commissioners to investigate the matter of housing the prisoners while the new jail is being built, visited the workhouse yesterday afternoon but were unable to come to an understanding with Supt. Fitzgerald. The committee will, however, meet with the workhouse board at the Windsor hotel tomorrow morning, to discuss the situation. It looks very much at present as if the prisoners would have to be taken to an adjoining county for safe keeping.

USE A MAIL CAR.

Better Postal Service for St. Paul People.

Beginning today, a mail car will be attached to the night train on the Burlington out of Minneapolis to Savanna, Ill., and the morning train from Savanna will include a car for return service. Hereafter the mail has been sent out in sealed pouches entrusted to the baggage man. Now a railway mail clerk will be in charge. Another improvement in the service will

was closed by a beautiful song, descriptive of the "Grave of the Poet on the Rhine," rendered by Mr. Ferd Meabring. All the numbers were popular and well rendered. The feature of the evening, which commemorated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the society was the presentation of a handsome gold watch and chain to the president, John S. Grode, by the society. The presentation speech was made by



INTERIOR VIEW OF STOCK YARDS BANK.

Dr. H. A. Hinch. The recipient responded in a few well chosen remarks. Dr. Hinch during the proceedings, delivered an address to the gathering, dwelling up on the significance of the transition of the old year and century. The evening concluded with a dance.

MANY NOISES WERE BLENDED

In a Not Discordant Welcome to the New Century.

If noise was required to give an appropriate farewell to the old year and old century and a hearty greeting to the new, then certainly 1900 and the nineteenth century, 1900 and the dawn of the twentieth century were properly treated in St. Paul last night as the clock in the city hall tower pealed out the hour of twelve.

Bells, chimes, whistles, cannon, pistols and guns, and in fact, every conceivable thing that was capable of making a noise was pressed into service and within less than five minutes the city became one howling wilderness—almost a pandemonium reigned. Many of the large manufacturing establishments had evidently reserved an immense amount of steam just for the purpose of allowing it to escape through their whistles at this time and in consequence some of these shrill



KILLED IN THE WOODS

ST. PAUL LUMBERMAN NAMED LOFGREN DEAD AT STURGEON LAKE.

A telegram was received late last night by T. Ingerson, 71 Manitoba avenue, announcing that his son-in-law, named Lofgren, whose family lives at 882 Marion street, had been killed while working in the woods at Sturgeon Lake, Wis. No details as to how the accident happened were given.

PERMITS ISSUED BY HAAS.

December's Showing Much Better Than Twelve Months Ago.

The report of the building inspector for December shows that during the month fifty-five permits were issued aggregating \$107,855, while during the same

month in 1899 there were thirty-eight permits issued aggregating \$56,700.

Attacked by a Dog.

George C. Cowie, of the state labor bureau, was attacked by a savage mastiff in front of 118 Grand avenue yesterday morning. The dog sprang at Mr. Cowie's throat, but he threw his arm up and thus saved himself, though his coat sleeve was torn to ribbons. The matter has been reported to the police.

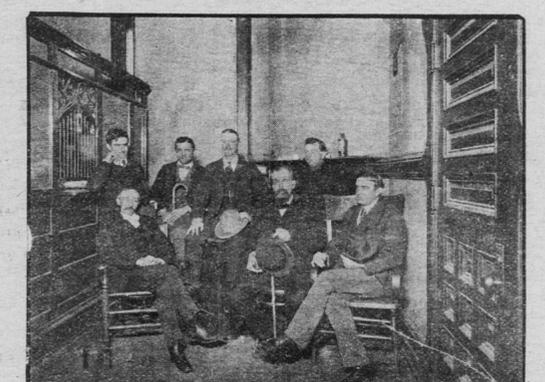
West Side Turnverein.

The West Side Turnverein gave a ball and gymnastic exhibition at Martin's hall last night. Several hundred guests were present and the programme which was greatly enjoyed was as follows: Overture, orchestra; flag drill, girls; wand drill, combined with pyramids; boys; exercises on parallel bars, boys;

GROWTH OF POSTOFFICE.

It Has Been Marked During the Past Year.

The gross receipts of the St. Paul post-office for 1900 were \$51,644.55, which is an increase of \$3,525.59 over the gross receipts for 1899. During the year just passed eight carriers have been added to the force, and there are now 123 carriers in the employ of the government. Another feature of the year's increase is the fact that there are now four fully equipped stations compared with two on Jan. 1, 1899. The sub-stations have increased from fifteen to seventeen. During the year twenty-nine new letter boxes and four new package boxes have been installed.



THE CAMERA CAUSES A SUSPENSION OF WORK IN THE OFFICE OF ROGERS & ROGERS.

to the Philadelphia government school but on reaching St. Paul found that his railroad ticket had been lost. He is now in charge of the Helping Hand mission, and transportation will probably be furnished him.

which was followed by "Gloria in Excelsis deo."

His grace spoke on the text "Jesus Christ, the Same Yesterday, Today and Forever." He said they were summoned in accordance with the command of the sovereign pontiff to honor Christ, the Redeemer. In every nation, worshippers of God were doing the same and as a century passed out into eternity, and another was ushered on the scene of humanity, the milestone of the twentieth century of the birth of Christ was being reared to mark His triumphant progress. Today all nations knelt and proclaimed Him Lord and King. They blessed him for His blessings in the past and prayed for a continuance of His grace.

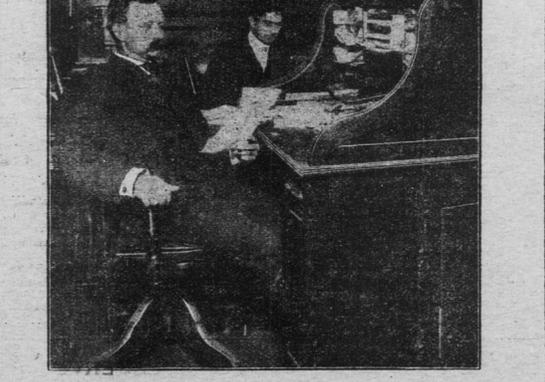
During the nineteenth century He had lived and reined, and His achievements are the credentials of faith and the challenge to love. Time tests all things and all men. Time destroys what is transitory and shadowy, but all the ages declare that Christ, as he lived here below, was perfection. As time unrolled its tablets, the names of many great men were disclosed inscribed thereon, but above all there towered one so high, that men asked themselves if it did not come from heaven and that figure was that of Christ the Redeemer, who radiates with all the brilliancy of stainless life and sinless love, as does the noon-day sun after the gloom of night.

His words were words of supreme wisdom. He spoke of things that men had craved to hear and the knowledge of peace had come from Him alone. He opened to the despairing the pathway of mercy. Surely this was God's manifestation of Divine wisdom and Divine goodness. Philosophers in the olden days never dreamed of so perfect a man and they never formulated truths so profound or so full of wisdom. In 1900 years that had passed since this figure had dawned on the souls of men, he still maintained His ancient power over humanity.

Science with its boasted achievements could not tell whence the soul came or whither it went. It could not comfort the afflicted. Christianity was sometimes said to be a dream; but dreams did not throw their influence over centuries and did not lift up thousands from despair to life. Therefore at the close of one and the beginning of another century, Christians should consecrate themselves their country and their church anew to this Christ who through the ages had been lifting up humanity.

All nations following the teachings of other masters came to Christings when they sought advancement. This was a grand tribute to Him who was the same yesterday, today and tomorrow.

He prayed that His influence over His hearers would be the same here below as it would be in eternity, in the Heaven above.



INTERIOR VIEW OF SUPT. H. B. CARROLL'S OFFICE.

GLAD HAND FOR JOHN.

Consul General Goodnow's Friends Prepare to Extend It.

Consul General Goodnow, on his return from Shanghai within the next ten days or so, will be tendered a banquet at the West hotel. Arrangements therefor were made yesterday afternoon at the West by Dr. E. J. James, James Nash, and other friends of Mr. Goodnow. The attendance is to be limited to fifty of Mr. Good-

now's friends, irrespective of politics. Invitations will be sent to President McKinley, Secretary Hay, Secretary of War Root and other members of the cabinet.

Lived Three Fifty Years.

Mrs. Clara Brown, an aged resident of Newport, who died suddenly yesterday afternoon from the Newport M. E. church. Mrs. Brown was seventy-eight years old, and had lived for fifty years in Newport. She was a Miss Clara Scofield, when she first came to New York state, but was twice married in Newport, the first time to a Mr. Parker. Her second husband died in 1874. She deceased lived with her niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald McDonald.

Thorsen Was Too Confident.

H. A. Thorsen, a stranger, visiting to the Scandia hotel yesterday and loaned two unknown men \$15 and a gold watch, all his earthly possessions. When he failed to see where his valuables were to be returned, he went straightway to the police and rehearsed his troubles to Chief O'Connor. He will be assisted in regaining his property.

Drawing on the Hello Companies.

Drafts have been sent out by the state auditor to the telephone company of the state for the 1900 gross earnings tax, which amounts to \$25,450.73, and includes forty-five companies. The Northwestern telephone company, which operates in the Twin Cities, paid \$18,969.03. The Mississippi Valley company paid \$132.20.

Elks to Form New Lodge.

A new lodge of Elks is to be established at Hudson, Wis., Thursday evening, and St. Paul lodge will send its members that night to go to Hudson, leaving on a special train on the Omaha road at 7:15 p. m. The special will return in time to take street cars to all parts of the city.

Want a Better Service.

A petition calling for better street car service is being circulated by workmen in the Fifth ward, in the West seventh street district. The petition will be presented to the city council if the company fails to respond to the demands of its signers.

INTEREST IN THE GOSPEL.

WILL BE STIRRED BY A NATIONAL CAMPAIGN.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Over 300 ministers and prominent laymen attended the meeting held today in the Twenty-third street branch of the Y. M. C. A. in response to the call issued by Mr. William Phillips Hall of this city in order to consider plans for the holding of a national gospel campaign.

Mr. William R. Moody of East Northfield, Mass., a son of the late Evangelist, said that the twentieth century needed the gospel to heal broken hearts of which there were millions. All appreciation of the present day, he said, were those during the life of Christ. People read them because they were interested. Mr. Moody approved holding revival

services in this city and advised the consecutive meetings be held. Every minister should be an evangelist and conduct revivals in his own church or in better results be obtained ministers should exchange pulpits.

Rev. Dr. George D. Purves, of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, advocated the holding of revivals and suggested that they be held in every evangelized church in the city as did the Revs. David G. Hurrell and J. Wilbur Chapman.

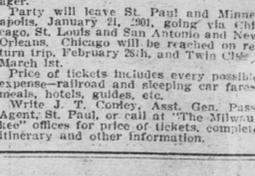
Cold in the Rockies.

DENVER, Dec. 31.—Eighteen degrees below zero was the temperature recorded at the government weather station in this city and at Cheyenne, Wyo., at 8 a. m. today. At Laramie, Wyo., 28 below zero was reported. The snow fall has ceased and warmer weather tomorrow is predicted for the Rocky Mountain region.

Tour of All Mexico.

Special train tour of all Mexico has been arranged by Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, in connection with the well known American Tourist Association. Mr. Fenn Campbell, general manager. Party will leave St. Paul and Minneapolis, January 21, 1901, going via Chicago, St. Louis and San Antonio and New Orleans. The Northwest coast return trip, February 23rd, and Twin Cities, March 1st. Prices of tickets includes every possible expense—railroad and sleeping car fares, meals, hotels, guides, etc. Write J. T. Conley, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Paul, or call at "The Milwaukee" offices for price of tickets, complete itinerary and other information.

A Gentleman's whiskey.



Pickwick Rye Whiskey. BENZ

OFFICE OF TOMLINSON, STAFFORD & CO.—F. S. PAGE AND ASSISTANTS.

be the consolidation of the mail routes on the Chicago Great Western, which have heretofore been divided at Dubuque. Hereafter the mail cars will run straight through to and from Chicago instead of being switched off at Dubuque. During the year just closed a number of improvements of this character have been made in the railway mail service to meet the constantly increasing busi-

ness could be heard for at least fifteen minutes after twelve. But out of the din of the confused roar could be distinctly heard the beautifully solemn sounds of the bells in the church towers and finally these were the last to herald to the South the departure of the grand old year and century and the advent of the promising new.