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BULLETIN OF IMPORTANT NEWS OF THE DAY. Weather Forecast for St. Paul: Fair.



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TWO SAVED FROM A CREW OF FOURTEEN. Steamer Baltimore Founders in Storm on Lake Huron, Carrying Twelve to Watery Graves.

Survivors Were Tossed by the Waves for Hours Before Being Rescued. EAST TAWAS, Mich., May 24.—The wooden steamer Baltimore foundered in Lake Huron near Au Sable this morning and twelve of her crew of fourteen were drowned.

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TALK TAXES AT BUFFALO.

NATIONAL CIVIC FEDERATION TAXATION CONFERENCE DISCUSSES METHODS AND MEANS TO FORM PERMANENT BODY.

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THE WEATHER.

Minnesota—Fair Saturday and Sunday; warmer in western portions; precipitation, 1.5; lowest temperature, 42; average temperature, 48; day range, 11; barometer, 30.2; humidity, 57; precipitation, trace; 7 p. m., temperature, 60; p. m., wind, northeast; weather, clear.

FUNERAL OF GOV. TANNER.

Interment Will Be at Springfield Tomorrow Afternoon. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 24.—The funeral of former Gov. John R. Tanner will take place Sunday afternoon in Oak Ridge cemetery, near the city.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, May 24.—(Special.)—Following are Northwesterns registering at New York hotels today: St. Anthony, Broadway Central; J. L. Pearce, Union Square; James H. Deane, Gilsey; M. C. McGuire, Hotel New York; J. H. Morrison, Bartholdi.

BOILERMAKERS ON STRIKE.

Men Refuse to Repair Locomotive Wrecked on Another Division. EASTON, Pa., May 24.—The boilermakers employed in the Lehigh Valley Railroad company's shops here, about 100 in number, struck today because they had been ordered to repair a locomotive wrecked on one of the upper divisions of the road.

RESCUED BY LIFE SAVERS.

Schooner Wrecked in Lake Michigan—Crew Has Narrow Escape. MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 24.—The schooner C. H. Hackley, Capt. William Oertel, went ashore in a northeast gale off Port Washington at 12:45 this afternoon. The schooner was carrying a crew of 12 and a cargo of lumber.

UNREST IN GERMAN POLAND.

Polish Catholics Object to Enforced Use of German Language. BERLIN, May 24.—The anti-german agitation in the province of Posen has assumed alarming proportions, and the German government has forbidden the Polish indoor or outdoor meetings for the pentecostal holidays.

BANQUET TO LABOR LEADER.

President Lynch, of the Typographical Union, Honored in Omaha. OMAHA, Neb., May 24.—President J. M. Lynch, of the International Typographical union, was tendered a reception and banquet tonight by the local unions at which 200 members were present.

CANADA MAKES NO PROTEST.

Unarmed Gunboats May Traverse St. Lawrence and the Lakes. WASHINGTON, May 24.—Any doubt that may have existed as to the right of the United States government to send small auxiliary gunboats into the great lakes for the training of the naval militia have been dissipated so far as the cases of the Dorothea and the Hawk are concerned by the graceful acquiescence of the Canadian government in the movement.

FILIPINOS ARE DISCONTENTED.

Native Judges Displaced at Prospect of Losing Their Positions. MANILA, May 24.—The discontent among the natives at the appointment of American judges and alleged discriminations in the civil service in favor of Americans is being expressed in a number of ways.

DEFENDS YANKEE ENGINES.

President of Pittsburgh Works Answers Sir Alfred Hickman. PITTSBURGH, May 24.—Wilson Miller, president of the Pittsburgh Locomotive Works, does not take seriously the attack made on American locomotives in the English parliament yesterday.

STEEL TRUST GETS BUSY.

One American Steel and Wire Plant to Be Reorganized. PITTSBURGH, May 24.—Notices were posted today at the plant of the American Steel and Wire company, Neville Island, to the effect that on May 31 every man employed in the plant would be discharged, and that on June 1 all the forces would be reorganized.

RAP AT SECRET SOCIETIES.

United Presbyterians May Revise Obed to Exclude Their Members. DEER MOINES, Ia., May 24.—The important business of the Grand Lodge of the Presbyterial general assembly was revision of the creed, in order to provide that no member of any secret society can be a member of the church.

FRANCO-BELGIAN STRIKE LOST.

Foreign Window Glass Workers Will Go Back to Work. PITTSBURGH, May 24.—The strike of window glass workers in Belgium and France has been declared off, and the workers will return to work at the manufacturer's terms.

NEW YORK TUNNEL TIED UP.

Strike of Rock Drillers Causes Practical Suspension of Work. NEW YORK, May 24.—Work on the Rock Tunnel, which is being run in New York, has been suspended for several days because of a strike of rock drillers.

CAPT. HALL IS EXONERATED.

Court-Martial Holds Charge of Cowardice Not Sustain. WASHINGTON, May 24.—The record of the court-martial in the case of Capt. Newell Hall, United States marine corps, who was charged by the War Department with cowardice in connection with the defense of the legation at Pekin, has just reached Washington.