

CITY NEWS.

The retail drug clerks will hold a picnic at Wildwood today. C. M. Miller Investment Company of Sandstone, Pine county; capital stock, \$10,000. Executive Clerk Martin has returned from a short vacation spent in camping near St. Cloud. The Ramsey County Colored Democratic association will hold a meeting tonight at 40 East Third street. Col. Timothy Sheehan, United States deputy marshal, will soon take a vacation, the first for a dozen years. Rufus A. Hoyt will address the Commercial club at noon Friday on "The Commercial Interests of the West." Dr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Dunning will celebrate their 50th wedding Tuesday, Aug. 20, at their home on Marshall avenue. Assistant State Superintendent Schultz has returned and located his family for the winter at Victoria street and Dayton avenue. Health Commissioner Oshare and his assistant, Dr. Gustave Renz, are at Duluth attending a conference of health officials of the state. Document Clerk C. A. Rose returned to the secretary of state's office yesterday after an absence of four weeks in California and Oregon. Samuel C. Stinekey will shortly file with the building inspector plans for a residence that he will erect at Deer street and Summit avenue. The building will be constructed of brick and stone, and will cost \$30,000. The Central W. C. T. U. at its annual meeting, held Monday afternoon at the Commons, elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Reed; vice president, Mrs. J. J. Bussell; secretary, Mrs. J. J. Bussell; treasurer, Mrs. M. J. Bussell. Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the state board of health, went to Duluth yesterday to attend the medical conference called for the purpose of discussing means of stamping out smallpox in the state and throughout the Northwest. Judge Kelly has taken under advisement the suit of Susan H. Shearman against William S. and Helen E. Gregory on a note. Service was secured on Mr. Gregory, but not on his wife, except by publication. She expects to sue for divorce. The Bethlehem German Presbyterian church and Sunday school will have its annual picnic tomorrow at Bald Eagle lake. Trains will leave the depot at 9:05 in the morning. Tickets can be secured at the depot from the committee. Private John R. Clark, Company A, Eighth Infantry, found guilty of sleeping on post, has been sentenced to a general court-martial, convened at Fort Snelling, Minn., to be imprisoned for six months at hard labor and to forfeit \$10 per month for the same period. While working in the harvest fields yesterday, the twelve-year-old son of Frank Sherman, who has conducted a hotel at Gervais lake for a number of years past, had his right foot caught in the machinery and partially amputated. He was attended by Dr. Dohm, of this city, and it is thought that no serious results will follow.

CITIZENS OVER THE RIVER PROPOSE TO CONSTRUCT LARGE CONCERN

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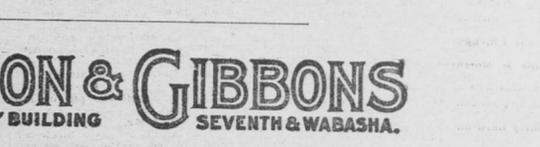
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Our Finest Hand-Tailored Suits. Our Own "Special Hand-Made" Suits. Brokaw Bros. Celebrated New York Suits. Alfred Benjamin & Co.'s High-Grade Suits.

Your absolute choice of any fine suit of clothes in our whole establishment, including all our finest Black Imported Clay Worsteds and Dress Worsteds. These fine garments are all hand-tailored, made with hand-tailored button-holes—hand-padded collars—hand-shaped lapels and are perfect fitting in all respects. These Suits Are Worth \$20, \$22, \$25, \$28, \$30. The sale is now in progress and will positively end Saturday night. The object of this sale is to immediately dispose of all our high-grade garments, on which we are considerably overstocked.



BODY TORN TO PIECES TICKET TO HEAVEN. ST. PAUL PAINBROKER RECEIVES ONE AS COLLATERAL SECURITY FOR \$20. A SMOOTH GAME OF BUNCO. STRUCK WITH A BRICK. Boy Takes His Sister's Part in Fight.

Emil Hermann Meets Horrible Death on Steam Pump. WOUND AROUND A WINDLASS. A SMOOTH GAME OF BUNCO. Stranger Hurriedly Dashes Into Town and Passes Off a Piece of Paste for Genuine Diamond. H. Michinsky, a member of the well known pawnbroking firm that name on Third street, was recently victimized on a trick that was as insulting as it was clever. A man pushed into the store in a great hurry. He displayed a diamond of apparent surpassing purity, set in a ring, and of more than ordinary weight. "Give me \$20 on this for a few hours," he said. "I have to go out of the city tonight and will redeem it before then." Omitting the dialect, the reply of Michinsky was to the effect that he was not in the pawn business, and therefore could not accede to the proposition. This was strictly true, as the city authorities recently revoked the license of the firm. Michinsky offered \$20 for the stone outright. The fashionably dressed stranger laughed aloud, and said that anyone could see his jewel was worth \$150. It could not be pawned, why he would go somewhere else; that was earnest. To prove that he was in earnest, the stranger offered to put up his railway ticket as collateral security, and proposed that he could not fail to be back in a few hours and in time to catch the evening train. Michinsky was to the effect that he was not in the pawn business, and therefore could not accede to the proposition. This was strictly true, as the city authorities recently revoked the license of the firm. Michinsky offered \$20 for the stone outright. The fashionably dressed stranger laughed aloud, and said that anyone could see his jewel was worth \$150. It could not be pawned, why he would go somewhere else; that was earnest. To prove that he was in earnest, the stranger offered to put up his railway ticket as collateral security, and proposed that he could not fail to be back in a few hours and in time to catch the evening train.

Senators Gambler in St. Paul. United States Senator Robert J. Gamble, of Yanickton, S. D., arrived in St. Paul yesterday morning and registered at the Ryan. He was accompanied by his wife and son, and a party of friends at the Lake Elmo, will leave for a trip to the coast. ATTENTION, G. A. R. Only One Cent a Mile. Only \$1.25 to Cleveland and return via the North-Western Line. Tickets valid Sept. 7, 8 and 9, return Sept. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1901. Western Line city ticket office, 322 North Street, St. Paul, 413 Nicollet avenue, Minneapolis.

Mrs. Herman Trot, of St. Paul, one of the pioneer residents of this city, died suddenly in California Monday. Mrs. Trot was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Melrose, and was apparently recovering from an illness, which had threatened her for some time. She was sixty-two years of age. Her husband, Herman Trot, for many years connected with the Northern Pacific, survived her by also two sons. The eldest son is Charles Trot, district agent of the Northern Pacific at Milwaukee.

WHITE LEAD. T. M. Roberts' SPECIAL BRAND. Warranted white lead. Per 10 lbs. \$3.75. Per 10 lbs. \$3.75. Per 10 lbs. \$3.75. NEW COOK STOVES \$4.75. New Stoves from \$12.97 up. New Stoves from \$12.97 up. New Stoves from \$12.97 up.

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SPEND DAY AT WILDWOOD

St. Paul druggists, their wives and their families spent yesterday at Wildwood, where a program of sports was arranged. The day was spent in the making of pills and the compounding of concoctions the best of it all. Fully 100 persons participated in the outing, special cars conveying the party to the grounds at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Until 10 o'clock last night the crowd remained intact, the evening party shoot chickens after sunset, and a ride on the lake and a dip in its clear waters. During the day the pillmakers indulged in a ball game, in which the state and the city were pitted against each other. At a late hour the score was computed in three figures, and the scorers quit when it threatened to run into the four figures.

MAY GO TO CONGRESS

Judson La Moure, the well known politician of Pembina, D., was in St. Paul yesterday for the day, attending a conference with Alexander McKenzie, the Nestor of North Dakota politics. Senator La Moure left for the Lake Superior coast last night, where he will pass a few weeks with some friends on a fishing excursion. While in St. Paul Mr. La Moure declared to his political friends that it is his intention to run for congress next fall. Under the new redistricting act an additional seat is allowed North Dakota, and the friends of Senator La Moure, who has always been a stalwart friend of the administration, think that it is about his best chance of being nominated, the chances being that he will have a lead pipe cinch for the nomination. This, it is said by those who are in touch with the politics of the Dakotas, would be a fitting recognition of his services in the past.

FINGER ALMOST SEVERED.

B. R. Morrow suffers painful accident while carving a steak. Burton R. Morrow, clerk in the employ of Griggs, Cooper & Co., was a victim last night of a very peculiar accident. Early last evening Mr. Morrow was dining at a downtown hotel, and while the dinner was in progress he was carving a steak with a knife struck a skewer and glanced off, the result being that one of the fingers of the left hand was almost severed. The wound bled profusely, and Mr. Morrow was taken to the office of Dr. Archibald, who dressed the injuries, and no bad results are looked for.

STOP CHILD LABOR.

Children Under Fourteen Must Go to School. State Labor Commissioner O'Donnell announced yesterday that within a very few days he would begin a rigid enforcement of the child labor laws, so called. Short lines round trip tickets will be sold at that rate August 24th to 29th, inclusive. Trains leave Chicago Union Station 10:15 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., running through gas belt and central Iowa, and to Conclave city without change. Communicate with H. R. Dering, A. G. P., Act., 248 South Clark street, Chicago, for tickets and parlor and sleeping car space.

CROWDS AT THE SHOW.

Men, Women and Children Find Ample Amusement. To St. Paul boys and girls, and even their more sedate elders, the Norris & Row circus is proving a revelation, its popularity being fully attested by the crowds that throng the big tents at the two performances given each day. The performance yesterday afternoon and last evening was no exception to the rule. Between the trained ponies, the performing elephants and the other animals whose skill is only equalled by their ability to entertain, the program is an extensive one, and appeals to all who witness the performance. Archibald, the goat; Fargo, the elephant, and "Socra," with his clown band, must be numbered among the winners at the close of each performance. Their popularity only diminishes with their disappearance from the ring. The big tents are located at Wabasha and Colfax avenues, and two performances, afternoon and evening, each day, will be given during the remainder of the season.

Do you doubt Fels-Naptha soap, when your grocer offers your money back if you want it?

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BLOW OUT THE LIGHTS

SOME DELICATE OCCUPANTS OF CITY HALL COMPLAIN OF HEAT. Say the Day Burners Should Be Extinguished to Avoid the Heat and Heavy Bills.

A gloomy atmosphere pervaded the first floor of the city hall yesterday, and the residents of that quarter were deeply discontented. "It is a nuisance," said a disgruntled office holder, "figured that the few lights burning during the day made the atmosphere too hot for him, and he went with his grievance to the custodian. Somebody else was of the opinion that it was a willful waste of light, running up a bill that the poor down-trodden taxpayer would have to pay for, and he went to the city engineer to complain. Custodian Crane, asked why the lights had been turned off, said it was because of complaints that they made the air in the corridors too hot. The light and heat for the city hall and court house is paid for yearly by a lump sum, there being no prohibition on the amount. Even when the lights are shining, the corridors and hallways are at all times dark, and for this reason it has been the custom to keep a few lights burning. Yesterday in the corridors of the hall on the first floor it was just as dark. The lights used in the day time do not incur any extra cost.

FAINED IN POLICE COURT

DRAMATIC INCIDENT AT HEARING OF A FAMILY QUARREL. The usually prosaic proceedings of the municipal court were yesterday morning enlivened by a dramatic incident, when Miss Florence Turner, a girl twenty-one years of age, fainted twice while testifying against her father, who was charged with assault and battery on her. The incident occurred in the hearing of a case against her father, who was charged with assault and battery on her. The incident occurred in the hearing of a case against her father, who was charged with assault and battery on her.

MANY WANT TO SHOOT

LIVE PHEASANT BEING CAPTURED AT DULUTH. S. F. Fullerton, executive agent of the state game and fish commission, was notified yesterday of the arrest of two men at Duluth, whose names were not given, but who were in the possession of a quantity of venison and a live fawn. The fawn has been sent to this city, and will be presented to the park board to be placed in the city zoo. Mr. Fullerton is beset with all sorts of applications for special permission to kill game, contrary to the provisions of the game laws, and he is being besieged by the persons making the requests. One man who is camping near Long Prairie has written to ask permission to shoot pheasants on his land. He says that he does not shoot on Sunday, and as Sept. 1, the opening day of the season, falls on that day, he fears that he will be unable to get a chance at them on Monday. Therefore, he would like to have an opportunity to shoot on Saturday night. He was informed that he could not shoot on Saturday night, and if he is religious scruples forbade his hunting on that day, he would like to have a chance at them on Monday. Therefore, he would like to have an opportunity to shoot on Saturday night.

BUREAU FOR ST. PAUL

REV. LONGLEY WILL BE PRESIDENT OF LECTURE CENTER. St. Paul is to have an attraction bureau all its own which will book musicians for the appearance in Minnesota, the Dakotas, Iowa, Wisconsin, and the Dakotas. Most of the attractions will be local ones, belonging either to St. Paul or Minneapolis, but a few musical organizations and two or three readers and lecturers from the East will be at the command of the bureau.

ACTION ON THE BUDGET

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The state normal school board will meet Saturday at 2 p. m. in special session at the office of Supt. Olson, of the state department of public instruction, in the capitol. It is expected that the board will take up the question of the purchase of the normal school, and the state board of control, as well as the purchasing agents for the normal schools.

Hit in a Horse Trade.

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New Hutchinson Train

Via "The Milwaukee." On and after June 17th an additional passenger train will be put on via C. M. & St. P. Railway between the Twin Cities and Hutchinson. (Daily except Sunday). New train leaves Hutchinson 7:30 a. m., and arrives St. Paul 11:30 a. m. New train leaves St. Paul 8:30 a. m., and arrives Hutchinson 9:45 a. m., St. Paul 10:20 a. m. Returning, leaves St. Paul 4 p. m., Minneapolis 4:40 p. m., and arrives Hutchinson 6:30 p. m. and Hutchinson 7 p. m.

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