

CITY NEWS

Named by Van Sant—Gov. Van Sant appointed George Gilgine, of Minneapolis, a state delegate to the American mining congress to be held at Deadwood.

Early Settlers Will Gather—Territorial pioneers of Minnesota will meet Monday evening at the state capitol. All territorial pioneers have been invited to be present.

Carmen's Union Grows—An increase of 170 in its membership in two weeks is the record claimed by the St. Paul Railroad Carmen's union. The union has a total membership of 700.

Teamster Suffers Bruises—Gus Fillebaum, 123 Atwater street, was badly shaken up and bruised in an accident on the street car tracks on Concord street yesterday. He was thrown from his wagon and received bruises about the neck, back and chest.

Tim Tapper Goes Up—James Hogan, who made an attempt to touch the "bill" at the saloon of Nelson Hagertry, 133 East Third street, Friday night, was sent to the workhouse yesterday by Judge Hine for ninety days.

Will Speak at House of Hope—Dr. S. S. Scovel, for many years president of the Wooster, Ohio, college, and one of the most influential speakers of the day, will occupy the pulpit of the House of Hope today and for the following two Sundays.

KRAHMER REFUSES TO PAY EQUALIZERS

Warrants of County Members Are Held Up on Claim They Are Not Entitled to Pay.

Warrants issued to the county representatives on the board of equalization, which were to have been delivered yesterday, are being held up by County Auditor Krahmer.

Mr. Krahmer gave as his reason for holding up the warrants that he believed the county officials had no legal right to draw pay for their services as members of the board of equalization, and he will not deliver the warrants to them until he has secured an opinion of the matter from County Attorney Kane.

The members whose warrants are being held back by the county auditor declare he has no authority for his act, and some of them said some unpleasant things about him.

The board completed its labors yesterday morning, and the announcement was made that the warrants would be ready for the members at the county auditor's office upon calling for them.

County Commissioner Nash was the first one to call for his warrant, and it was handed out to him without protest. County Commissioner Wright also received his warrant, but, for some reason, after paying these warrants, the auditor declined to give out the warrants to any more of the county members.

Shortly after Commissioner Wright had received his warrant, and before he had left the auditor's office, Assessor Conley requested that he be given his warrant.

"I'm sorry," said Mr. Krahmer, "but I have decided to hold these warrants for a time. I am not quite satisfied whether or not you are legally entitled to this money. I will have to secure an opinion from County Attorney Kane before I give out any more of the warrants."

County Commissioners Gray and Pottgieser were the next to be turned down.

"But Nash and Wright have their warrants," said Mr. Gray. "I changed my mind after I had given them out," explained the county auditor. "I have no doubt, if I am right in my opinion, and it is found that the county members have no right to the money, that they will return it to the county."

Mr. Krahmer delivered warrants to the members who represented the city, but he held that the county members were not entitled to any pay.

"I find that the law provides that the salary of the county officials shall be so much and no more," explained Mr. Krahmer, "and I do not believe they are entitled to pay for any extra work."

The action of Mr. Krahmer in holding up the warrants of members of the equalization board establishes a precedent, which is freely criticized by those affected, as well as by others.

The statutes explicitly provide for the organization of the board of equalization and they also provide that each member who serves on the board shall receive \$3 per day.

Mr. Krahmer, however, contends that the laws fixing the compensation of the county officers are subsequent laws, and he is of the opinion that he is right in holding up the warrants.

"I guess you are right," said one of the members of the board last night. "Mr. Krahmer has some queer ideas regarding the construction of the law. If you remember, when he first went into the auditor's office he established a precedent in the matter of pay for county officials. That was when he drew his own warrant for his first month's pay, and included therein five days which he had not served. His own warrant was the only one he drew in that manner, but it did him little good. County Treasurer Metzdorf demanded that he return the money to the county, and it was held out of his pay for his second month's services as auditor."

The warrants held up by the county auditor are for \$72 each, being the pay due the members for their services on the equalization board during the entire session.

COURT WILL HEAR STORY OF THAT FAMILY ROW

All Participants Are Cited to Appear Before Judge Hine Tuesday.

All the participants in the row which occurred Thursday night at the homes of Peter Max and Hiram Stafford, 977 Sherburne avenue, will be in court Tuesday, and an effort will be made to thresh the matter out. Peter Max was in court yesterday, and his attorney represented to Judge Hine that both sides to the controversy were about equally to blame for the difficulty. Judge Hine therefore decided to have all parties concerned in court at the same time. The city prosecutor was instructed to have the Staffords, the Maxes and Mrs. Grace Patterson in court for the "threshing."

In need of curtains? Note this For a quick and sensational sale in the Curtain room Monday—Point d'Arabe Lace Curtains will be sold as follows, per pair:— 7.00 Curtains at 4.75 9.00 Curtains at 5.75 10.00 Curtains at 6.75 12.50 Curtains at 7.75

ST. PAUL'S SILK SELLING STORE. Field, Schlick & Co. Entrances—Wabasha, Fourth, Fifth and St. Peter Streets. This store closes daily at 6, but on Saturdays all this month the hour is 1 o'clock

A great lace stocking chance The most superior 50c lace list Stockings for women we ever sold; in fact it might be classed among the kind you've paid 75c for without a murmur. All-over lace patterns and spliced heels and toes—Monday only 32c

Decidedly the latest fall suits To know that what we show is positively the latest is a source of infinite satisfaction at all times, and on tomorrow morning we shall experience this satisfaction in the highest degree. Monday morning at 9 o'clock the new fall stock of fall suits will be opened. These suits have been made under the personal supervision of our buyer, Mr. Morrissey, who has been for weeks in New York city, and who purposely delayed their production until the very last moment, that each suit might have the latest touches demanded by Dame Fashion. The latest tips that Paris, Berlin, London and New York have to give you'll see here tomorrow at from 18.50 to 60.00 and a hundred prices in between. The new suits at 18.50 are particularly attractive not only because 18.50 is the present lowest price at which new long coat fall suits can be bought, but also because they're worth very much more money. Suits with the same finish and style are advertised plentifully at 22.50 or 25.00. Ask to see these! They are made of Tweeds, Chevots and Zibelines, the coats are silk lined throughout, and our opening price Monday is 18.50

More and better foulards Forty-four hundred yards, 1903, best quality, satin foulards made to retail for 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50, to go at 49c At 9 o'clock on Monday morning we shall start another and most important sale of silk foulards. We say "better" because they are later, choicer and more fashionable designs, and have the advantage of coming from a different maker than those we've had before. All are 24 inches wide and fully guaranteed to wear. A description of the styles is out of the question, as all are different, but rest assured there is not an undesirable one in the lot, all are fully up to the Field-Schlick style standard. Remember the sale begins at 9 o'clock. Very special—a little clean-up of silks, not quite 2500 yards—made up of 50c, 75c, 85c to 1.25 silks, all go at 25c On this great bargain table will be found the best black yarn dyed wash cords; 20 pieces of the best white wash cords; 20 pieces of polka dot Foulards; all sorts of lengths of plain and fancy weaves in black liberty satin; remnants of the best 1.00 and 1.25 quality Foulards, about 500 yards of white China printed with polka dots and light figures. These are washable and all this season's styles. All ready at 9 o'clock.

Final reduction for a clearance sale of the entire stock of fashionable silk, etamine and cloth blouse coats Any one who knows real elegance and marvelous value will be interested in this and can tell at a glance that there will be some wonderful doings in the women's ready-to-wear store tomorrow: 11.50 silk blouse coats at 10.50 35.00 fancy silk coats at 20.00 22.50 silk blouse coats at 14.00 20.00 Etamine coats at 12.50 And 12 fine cloth coats that were 16.50 to go at 10.00

August sale "misfit" rugs An opportune time to place early orders for rugs made from discontinued patterns. While the sharp advance on the price of carpetings make it necessary to advance the retail price, yet the following quotations are based on the old low price. We do not slight the work on these "misfits," but use the same care as though made to order. If you do not need them at once, anticipate your wants; make a small payment and we will hold them for you. Bring measure of rooms and come early. In quoting prices below we show the difference between rugs made to order and "misfits." There are 50 to select from.

Mid-August linen event The sale Monday will touch with a heavy price-cutting hand many of the smaller things in the linen room, of which only a few can be mentioned. There are most exceptional opportunities for a little cash to go a long way. 500 all-linen damask carving cloths size 20x30 inches and each worth 45c in the regular way—at this sale only 25c One case of 54-inch Table Padding 33c Huck Towels 28c Just 150 real Marseilles bedspreads 3.10

Don't miss these good muslin underwear specials for Monday Sample lot of muslin drawers, finished with tucks and embroidered ruffle or hemstitched flounce. Also lot of children's skirts of cambric, trimmed with tucks and hemstitched ruffle—all fine 50c values at 25c Sample lot of muslin and cambric gowns in yoke and bishop effect, all trimmed with embroidery insertion or fine lace, really splendid value at 1.50, this sale 75c A lot of some 25 dozen fine nainsook covers, French shaped and trimmed with lace edge and ribbon. Actual 45c covers, to go now and quickly at 25c

Brussels Carpets and Wilton Velvet Carpets table with columns for Size, To Order, Misfit Price, and Misfit Price.

Attractive Autumn cottons There is great wisdom in getting the first glimpse—the first choice of a season's styles, especially in yard goods, because the best patterns are picked early. A great feast of new stuffs is prepared for Monday, including the following: 25c Mercerized Gingham 10c yard New Flannelettes, 10c yd New Cashmerettes 15c yd

The fashionable fall shoe is the Sorosis shoe at 3.50 The quality, the style and the endurance of Sorosis shoes stand out just as firm, just as sure a basis as does a bank note with American government securities behind it. If you seek shoe values buy Sorosis, they never disappoint.

Continued, very sensational selling of the John S. Brown & Son's linen handkerchief seconds The third week and the final grand wind-up of the greatest handkerchief sale in St. Paul's history, augmented by a few hundred dozen mused and soiled ones from our regular stock, making as choice a bargain feast as any you've yet enjoyed. Two lots for Monday—come early. Lot 1—Women's All pure linen plain hemstitched handkerchiefs, all widths of hem, also hand embroidered and Swiss embroidered ones that were sold during the sale at up to 12c each—now 7c Lot 2—Men's All pure linen handkerchief 2nds in any width hem desired. This lot will embrace all the 50c and 75c qualities at 25c

About Autumn dress goods Many advance novelties and exclusive styles are now being shown, and if you have a curiosity to know what fall dress goods may be like, you can get a very good idea even now. Many of those you'll see tomorrow at 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00 and 3.50 a yard will not be duplicated. A dress goods bargain that you should not miss 50 pieces all-wool fancy dress goods, 60c value and full 40 inches wide, at 29c These are in small pin checks, canvas and zibeline weaves, and is even a better collection than offered one week ago, and of which hundreds of women took advantage. Black dress goods The stock of new black goods for the fall and winter is now practically complete and we advise immediate selection. 1.00 to 3.50 a yard are the fine new things. We're giving the men of the town innumerable good Chances to save money these days, and the beauty of it is that a large percentage of them are taking hold of those chances, much to their pocket's advantage. Here are some examples of how YOU may save: The latest lot of Neglige Shirts to arrive beat the first ones all hollow in the matter of style; they're "Monarch" and "Armor" brands, and are the best in the world at 1.00 and 1.50, but they all go into the sale at the same price 69c Closing out the stock of Men's Belts. All are fine quality and all 1903 styles. 1.50 Belts reduced to 1.20 1.00 Belts reduced to 85c And thus all through the line.

Summer underwear clearance To clear the shelves of odd lots of garments before the arrival of the heavier goods for winter is now the effort, and Monday additional force will be given to the clearance by the announcement that 20 per cent reduction will be made on every woman's summer garment for Monday only! Two extra special items on the tables Women's Vests, low neck, lisle thread, fancy crochet at neck and sleeve, also some pure silk, plain or silk and lisle, shield shape and lace trimmed, 85c and 1.00 regular. All to go at 69c Lot of Women's Union Suits, the umbrella style and lace trimmed, lisle or fine mercerized; suits that have sold all season at 2.00. To be closed out at 1.25

Remnants, odds and ends Embroideries and laces Original cost is not even taken into account in this clearance, for in many instances the prices marked for Monday are less than half what the goods cost to make. A big cut! You'll believe it when you see the goods. Fine Swiss nainsook, 45-inch flouncing, and all-overs, edgings, beadings, insertions, galoons and appliques. Normandy and point de Paris laces, French and Italian real and imitation torchons and cluny laces. Remnants and broken sets of high-grade novelty lace and all-overs, in black, white and ecru. The entire stock has been gone over for these short lengths, and the prices are marked to compel a final clean up before the arrival of new merchandise.

You'll find Monday an excellent time to buy a corset Your choice of the 175 models of "Y. E." "P. & G." and Thompson corsets, in net, batiste and long hip, short and medium length, broken sizes of course, so come early for your size. Price is 75c Your choice of the 200 models "American Lady," "R. & G." and "C. B." corsets, in linen batiste, long hip, full gored, front and side garters. Price is 1.50

A clearance of Men's Union Suits A little lot of fine imported Swiss lisle Combination Suits for men; double throat seat and made in every regard in the most superior manner, one of our best garments and sold all season at 3.25—to be closed out at 2.50

ALDERMEN WANT MORE CAR LINES Ordinances Now Before Board Call for Numerous Extensions Next Year. If council demands prevail, there will be a heavy extension of St. Paul's street railway system next year. Nearly every car line in the city will be affected. The demand is the result of a heavy and growing suburban traffic, and already some of the members of the council are preparing ordinances for extensions that will care for it. Ald. Bants wants the Rondo line extended two blocks, Ald. Buschmann is preparing an ordinance calling for a two-block extension to the East Seventh street line, Ald. Holt wants the Lafayette line extended to Phalen park, and Ald. Rohland will ask for the rebuilding of what was formerly the Randolph street line. Even Ald. Dohner is interested and may try to influence an ordinance calling for a cross-town line, probably on Cleveland avenue. All these extensions, the interested officials say, are greatly needed, as they tap a territory that has grown the past few years far beyond what was expected when the system was originally put in. In the case of Rondo street, there are fully 500 people that would be greatly benefited, while the same might be said of East Seventh street, which Ald. Buschmann is trying to have extended beyond Atlantic street.

FEARS A FARMER IS BEING WORKED Saloonkeeper Has Two Rural Patrons Arrested on Suspicion. L. D. Dohman, of Dickinson, N. D., and Robert Engleman, a stranger from Wisconsin, were locked up by the police yesterday as a precautionary measure. Dohman, who is a well-to-do farmer, had met Engleman, and together they had been taking in the town. Dohman and his friend came into the saloon of B. Rossini, 314 Sibley street, yesterday afternoon, and seated themselves at a table. Rossini observed them in confidential conversation, and he feared from their actions that one was trying to rob the other. He then notified Patrolman Williams, who sent the men to the station, where they might adjust what differences Rossini said that he saw Dohman hand over his pocketbook to Engleman, and declared that he did not want to have anyone robbed in his place, and that he therefore informed the police. The officers say it is not being extended enough to meet the growing demands of the city. There are sections of St. Paul that are blocks from a car line, and these, in time, they want to see accommodated. Another big extension that may be made next year will be that of the Concord street line to South St. Paul. Ralls were purchased, surveys made and everything arranged for the building of the line last spring, but owing to a difference between the company and the South St. Paul officials nothing was done. It is expected that another effort will be made the coming year.

ALL HELP TO BUILD UP A GREAT CITY Plans for Many Improvements Filed With the Inspector. Chris Hansen has filed plans for a three-story apartment house, to be located on Rice street. The building, which will be of brick, will cost \$20,000. The Habighorst block, at Seventh and Wacouta streets, is to be remodeled at a cost of \$10,000. The lower floor will be converted into a modern store and the upper stories into offices. The Sisters of St. Joseph yesterday filed plans with the city building inspector for their new boarding school, to be located at Cleveland avenue and Randolph. The administration building only will be built this year. The cost is given at \$55,000.

SPOUSES CANNOT BE BROUGHT OVER LINE Attorney General Holds That State Cannot Make Requisition for Deserters. Desertion and failure to support a wife is an offense punishable by the infliction of fines and even imprisonment, unless, thanks to the wisdom of the last legislature, the deserting partner is sufficiently in earnest to leave the state. Then it is unlawful and too bad, but the law becomes inoperative so far as punishment is concerned. According to an opinion furnished Gov. Van Sant by the attorney general yesterday, the legislature of 1903 rendered the non-support law of 1901 a thing of mockery by the battle-scarred spouse who tires of supporting his wife and numerous progeny. Recently the Polk county attorney applied to the governor for requisition for Nathaniel Whalen, who is charged with disregarding his marital vows to the extent of removing his residence to the state of North Dakota and neglecting to furnish proper care and support for the wife he left behind. The application for requisition was made out in accordance with the law of 1901, which defines desertion and non-support as a felony. Submitted to the attorney general, the application is found to be outside the provisions of the law as amended by the last legislature, which decided that desertion is not a felony, but unlawful, and therefore

VISITORS IN THE NEW HOSPITAL ARE MANY Building Will Be Open for Further Inspection Today. Nearly 250 persons availed themselves of the opportunity yesterday afternoon to visit and inspect the new detention ward to the city hospital. Including Dr. Ancker and the regular hospital staff, the members of the board of control were in attendance, and the visitors were escorted over the building and its many novelties explained to them. The building is unique in many ways and requires a visit to intelligently grasp the expense and trouble that the hospital management has gone to in caring for those entrusted to their care. The building will be open to the public this afternoon and probably until Monday night, should the weather interfere today. It will not be put to use until Tuesday or Wednesday.

SEEK TO BETTER THEIR PART OF CITY Residents of the West End Form an Improvement Association. A meeting was held Thursday evening at the shoe store of Joseph Koch, 989 West Seventh street, at which an organization was effected, to be known as the West End Improvement association. Officers elected were: Mr. Anthony Friedman, president; Mr. Frank Machovec, vice president; Rev. C. C. Markham, secretary; Max Whitman, treasurer. The first regular meeting will be held at St. Francis' hall, corner of Warsaw and James streets, Monday evening, the 17th. All citizens and tax payers between St. Clair and Tuscumbia avenue, are invited to be present at 8 o'clock sharp. See Wallblom advertisement on page 11.

WEST EMPLOYES GO ON RIVER TRIPS Have Their Annual Excursion on Board the J. J. Hill. The employees of the West Publishing company yesterday had their annual outing on the excursion steamer J. J. Hill. The boat left with a crowd

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