NEWS OF THE CITY

SING "WACHT AM RHINE," ADVISES REV. BOYLE, TALKING OF HOME SONGS

Names It With "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Halls" and Others as Suitable for the Domestic Fireside—Closes His Two Months' Series of Addresses on Safeguards of the Home.

REV. W. H. W. BOYLE.

Who Last Evening Discussed "Songs in the Home."

"Music is the inarticulate language of the soul, which cannot be expressed in words," quoted W. H. W. Boyle from Richard Wagner last evening in the introductory portion of his sermon, the subject of which was "The Harp in the Home." This was the final one of a series of sermons, under the general head of "Safeguards of the Home," to which the Sunday evening service at the House of Hope for the past two months has been devoted.

Ample exemplification of the elevating influence of good music was afforded in the service which accompanied this sermon, the participants in which were Miss Alberta Fisher, soprano; Mrs. C. O. Krieger, contralto; Harry E. George, tenor; D. F. Colville, baritone; Edwin E. Tarbox, organist, and William W. Nelson, violinist.

Dr. Boyle said in part:

"Music needs definition. The songs of a home will be just what the atmosphere of the home is, whether that atmosphere is refined, pure and morally invigorating or low and degrading. In the moral and Christian home the trivial lilt of the playhouse or the drinking song of the bibulous companionships of the world will be refused if they knock for entrance.

"My heart is sorry for a musicless home. Sometimes it is the wealthy home that is without music, while the most humble fireside may have its harp. I recall a visit I made once in the very early days of my ministry. The mother asked me if I would like to hear some music, and a boy of fifteen played for me on a mouth organ "Nearer, My God, to Thee." That music in its very simplicity brought me nearer to my God. True music is harmony; true music is luxury."

Some of the Songs Approved.

Dr. Boyle read a list of songs of various classes which had been selected by different persons to whom he applied, and which he approved as suitable for use in the home. Among the patriotic songs were "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," "Scots Wha Hae, Wi' Wallace Bled," "Die Wacht Am Rhein," "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys Are Marching," "Dixie," and "The Star Spangled Banner." In this connection Dr. Boyle voiced his approval of the patriotic songs of other nations, but said that too few Americans knew the songs of their own country. "Why, at our banquet last week, where there were 200 men present, we wanted to sing the 'Battle Hymn of the Republic,' and I went to eight different ones without finding any who knew the song. I was afraid to go farther."

Some of the nature songs on Dr. Boyle's approved list were "Killarney," "The Boat Song," "The Bird and the Rose," "The Slumber Song," the "Spring Song," and "In May," by Schumann.

There were also folk songs, among them being "Old Black Joe," "Suwanee River," "Gwine Back to Dixie," "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Halls," and "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground."

In regard to songs of love and friendship, he said that he would consider anything that is proper in conversation to be proper in song; but that which may not be talked about with propriety should not be sung about. "And no Christian," said he, "has any right to sit and listen to a song on any stage that he would not sing himself."

TRIES A NEW PLAN

Owatonna Public Library Open to Whole County.

The Owatonna public library has recently adopted a new plan, which has the approval of the state library commission, by which the privileges of the library will be extended to all the residents of the county. In return for this privilege, the county commissioners have agreed to pay the sum of $25 a month into the treasury of the library.

The question of extending library privileges to the country communities is one which is only partly solved by the state traveling libraries, and this the promoters believe is a step in the right direction. Many of the public libraries of the state have been free to the residents of the outlying districts, but no special effort could be made to advertise the library throughout the surrounding country. If a definite appropriation is made by the county, then all the taxpayers in the county have a direct interest in the library. The Owatonna library is making definite plans for advertising throughout the county, and the new measure will go into effect the 1st of January. It will probably co-operate with the state library commission in locating traveling libraries at various points, to be under the supervision of the Owatonna librarian.

There are perhaps twenty or twenty-five counties in the state where there is but one public library of importance, and this is located at the county seat, which is usually also the chief business center for the county. The increased appropriation enables the library to extend its usefulness, and the tax upon the residents of the surrounding country is not burdensome in proportion to the benefits received.

BURGLARS IN RUNNING FIGHT WITH POLICE

Police and Watchman Are Shot and Cracksmen Escape.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A gang of five burglars, surprised while leaving the office of Isaac A. Sheppard & Co., in Pearl street, after having blown open the safe, had a running fight tonight with the police, during which one policeman and a night watchman were shot, and one of the burglars captured. The noise occasioned by the blowing open of the safe aroused the whole neighborhood, and the police reached the scene just as the burglars were making their escape. One of the burglars was knocked down and captured, but the others got away. The prisoner, who gave the name of Walter Davis, is believed to be a Western crook. He was found to have on his person a quantity of burglars' tools and a bottle of nitroglycerin. The only booty which the burglars secured was a strong box taken from the safe, the contents of which are unknown. Neither policeman nor watchman was seriously injured.

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FOR TOILET AND BATH

A special soap which energizes the whole body, starts the circulation and leaves an exhilarating glow. *All grocers and druggists.*

LIVES PUT IN PERIL

Auto Dashes Among Children Who Are Coasting.

The lives of a score of small boys and girls were endangered shortly before 8 o'clock last night by a large automobile, which came down the Cedar street hill, above Summit avenue, at a terrific rate of speed.

A half hundred children were coasting on the hill at the time, and a number of them, having no warning of the approach of the machine, managed to get out of the way just in time to escape being struck. With no warning gong or horn, the machine tore down the hill at a rate of speed estimated by those who witnessed it to be forty miles an hour.

At first spectators thought the machine was beyond the control of its drivers, but as it sped by it could be seen that the occupants were making no effort to slacken the speed. The high speed and the darkness made it impossible to see the number, and before hardly anyone realized what a narrow escape the children had experienced, the automobile was far out of sight down Cedar street.

Cedar street, just above Summit, is a popular coasting place, and on account of its freeness from cars and travel, hundreds of children go there to enjoy an evening's coasting.

Last night there were fully half a hundred on the hill, and many of them barely had time to jump to one side as the machine bore down upon them. There was much indignation among the parents of some of the children, and had it been possible to apprehend the chauffeur he would have had to answer to the charge of violating the speed limit, which provides for a rate of not more than eight miles per hour within the city limits, and four miles per hour while going over crossings.

CHILDREN OF LEPERS DO NOT INHERIT DISEASE

Sister From Hawaii Colony Declares This Belief Is Erroneous.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 20.—After having spent the past eleven years caring for the children of the lepers of the Hawaiian islands, Sister Albina, of the Francescan order, who was formerly Miss Miriam Sluder, of St. Louis, has arrived here on a visit to her parents. Sister Albina said that the common belief that children of lepers inherit the disease is erroneous.

"We take the children when they are two days old," she said, "and we have never had a case where leprosy has developed in after years. The children mostly all come from the island of Molokai, where the leper colony is located."

Will Honor American Exhibit.

ROME, Dec. 20.—Queen Helena received Ambassador and Mrs. Meyer in private audience today. Her majesty congratulated the ambassador on his recovery from the effects of his recent fox hunting accident.

Ambassador Meyer told the queen that the Americans resident of Italy would feel greatly honored if she attended the opening of the first exhibition of the work of the American academy in the Villa Aurora here and reminded her that King Victor Emmanuel had already accepted an invitation to attend. The queen replied that she would be delighted to be present at the opening.

Deposits received subject to check and interest paid monthly upon Daily Balances. Security Trust Co., N. Y. Life bldg.

TWO HARBORS DOCTOR LOST IN ROUGH COUNTRY

Dr. Goldsworthy Left for Lumber Camp and Has Not Been Heard From.

Special to The Globe.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 20.—Citizens of Two Harbors are greatly excited tonight over the disappearance of Dr. Goldsworthy, who left Friday evening in answer to a telephone message that Detective Henry Gillon, of the Duluth & Iron Range road, was dangerously ill in a deserted lumber camp forty miles north of here. Dr. Goldsworthy should have reached the place Saturday night, but no news has been received of him since he left here. Eighteen miles of the camp is a narrow foot path, at times scarcely discernible, and over a rough country of windfalls and thick underbrush. It is feared that he has lost his way.

MABEL PARKER TIRES OF DULL PRISON LIFE

Plays Tricks On Keepers and Works On New Literary Venture.

Special to The Globe.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Prison life is becoming irksome to Mabel Parker, and she is no longer the quiet young woman she was before her trial. The matron says Mabel acts like a spoiled child. She refuses to obey prison rules, and, as she is an unconvicted prisoner, stringent measures cannot be used to make her mind. The matron and her assisaints are at their wits' end keeping the "little wounded dove" from entirely upsetting discipline in the female ward. Her incorrigibility consists chiefly in playing jokes on her keepers and amusing herself generally at their expense. When Mabel Parker was seen today in her cell she was in the midst of a new literary venture which she hopes will bring about her release from prison. "The Forger Queen" is the title of a new melodrama which Mabel Parker is now writing. In speaking of this new production, which will be completed in a short time, Mrs. Parker said:

"I think the idea is a good one, don't you? I feel confident that some enterprising theatrical manager will hear of my new play and put it before the public. It's going to be a dandy one of the real, live, sensational kind, you know. The Mabel Parker of the play will be a real forger queen, just like Bill Peabody has tried to make me out. She will be bold, and bad, and cunning and clever."

BURGLARS ROB JAIL IN WEST VIRGINIA

Steal Watch, Chain and Clothing Belonging to the Jailer.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 20.—Burglars have entered the county jail and stolen a gold watch and chain, a lot of clothing and some money belonging to Jailer Rush Stephens and Jasper Frazier. They gained entrance by raising a window in the residence portion of the jail and passed several persons who were asleep in the corridors. The clothing in several rooms was rifled, but only a small amount of money was obtained.

Burglars also held up and robbed J. B. Yeager, a grocer, forcing him at the point of a pistol to open his safe and cash drawer. After getting $100 they marched him to a big refrigerator in the store, put him inside and fastened the door. The burglars all escaped.

Colorado Steel Works Resume.

PUEBLO, Col., Dec. 20.—The Minnequa Steel works, property of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, which were closed some time ago as a result of the coal strike will resume operation tomorrow. This is the wire mill department and is considered one of the most important departments of the plant. It is said that the rod and nail mills will resume in a week or ten days. The number of men to be employed will depend on the supply of coal and other circumstances incidental to the resumption of the department.

WAIFS OF THE WIRES.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 20.—Within the next few days Attorney General Crow will depart for Redlands, Cal., to recuperate his declined health. For the past two weeks he has been confined to his bed by illness at the home of A. C. Steuver. Mr. Crow, it is announced, is suffering from nervous prostration and the effects of grip.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Prince Nicholas W. Engalitcheff, Russian vice consul to Chicago, has been appointed Russian commissioner to the St. Louis exposition. Prince Engalitcheff will leave for St. Louis next week to look over the exposition plans and make early arrangements for the representation of his country.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 20.—A terrific southwest gale has prevailed along the coast today, reaching a velocity of fifty miles an hour, outside the harbor. The gale did much damage in the city, breaking plate glass windows and deranging the electric lighting system.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 20.—Isaac Chamber stabbed his brother Joseph to death tonight as the result of a quarrel which began in a saloon. Both men were half-breed Indians and had been employed in a packing house.

GEORGETOWN, Ohio, Dec. 20.—Fire today caused a loss of $100,000 to the stores of J. W. Wirthlin, of Hoppel Bros., and of William H. Hannon and to Miller's saloon and cafe.

NO DEVIL.

There's lots o' people nowadays who don't
  believe in hell,
The devil, too, has gone fer good, you'd
  think, to hear 'em tell.
The schorchin' fires they read about that
  warmed things down below
Ain't got one-half the terrors that they
  had some years ago;
No longer people lie awake, a-shiverin'
  with dread,
An' tremblin' fer the horrors they'll encounter when they're dead;
An' the smell o' burnin' sulphur they
  could sniff with every wrong
They did in days gone by, of late ain't
  nowhere near so strong.

I don't know why it is, but folks have got
  a kind o' craze
To treat religion different than they did
  in former days.
The good ol' Bible doctrine that our fathers loved, somehow
Is losin' the respect o' lots o' so-called
  Christians now;
They'll worship any kind o' creed or faith
  or "ism" jest
As long as it is doctrine they can live the
  easiest.
An' yet is somethin' that they think will
  waft 'em to the sky
On flowery beds o' joyful ease to glory,
  by an' by.

They say the devil's gone fer good, an'
  yet, sometimes, I fear
That ol' Nick an' his band o' imps are
  yet a-campin' here.
They tell us he's departed, yet I' kind
  o' like to know
Who's trottin' 'round this planet spreadin' misery an' woe?
Who's doin' all the crimes an' wrongs we
  read of every day,
If Satan an' his agents are no longer
  holdin' sway
Fer if the statement that he ain't a-hangin' 'round is true,
Why, blame it all, who's doin' all the work
  he likes to do?

—E. A. Brininstool in Pittsburg Gazette.

DREYFUS CASE AGAIN EXCITES THE FRENCH

Unfortunate Man May Get Back His Old Place In French Army.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—After long waiting, many false maneuvers, many struggles, and extraordinary efforts upon the part of his sympathizers, the Dreyfus case has been formally reopened. In all probability the unfortunate man will be rehabilitated and restored to his rank, although it will be difficult to ever convince a French soldier that he is not, or was not, a traitor, and one can imagine nothing more dangerous for every one concerned than again placing him at the head of a regiment, however just the complete restitution of his rights and honors may be.

Some men are victims of fatal circumstances, and perhaps Alfred Dreyfus is one of them—a victim of fate, but by no means an exception.

As a curious resume it may be remarked that only four of the great central figures in the Dreyfus case are now living—Dreyfus himself excepted—Esterhazy, Mercier, Reinach and Picquart. The dead are: Col. Sandherr, who was chief of the information bureau when the bordereau was received; Col. Henry, who suicided; Gen. Darras, who presided at the degradation; Maj. d'Attel, who pretended to have heard Dreyfus avow his guilt; Scheurer Kestner, Bernard Lazare, Gen. de Pellieux, Zola, who was suffocated; Maj. Ducrot; nine of the principal actors in the greatest judicial drama of the age have gone to their eternal rest.

Of the survivors, eleven of them, all army officers, have been retired, their careers ruined, and, in some cases, their reputations. They are: Lieut. Col. Cordier, Gen. de Boisdeffre, Gen. Gonse, Gen. Mercier, Gen. Zurlinden, Gen. Chanoine, Gen. de Gallifet, Gen. Deloye, Col. Paty du Clam, Col. Maurel, Col. Jouaust.

An extraordinary phase in the present revision is the evident system with which it has been brought about. There is no denying the fact that an enormous amount of money has again been spent in a press campaign, and this time the French people cannot claim that it is the "foreigners"—"strangers"—who have been instrumental in the demand for another revision.

The career of the Aurore is the best barometer, indicating the method in the rise and fall and subsequent rise of the revision idea. The Aurore, under Georges Clemenceau, was founded to serve the Dreyfus case. After the condemnation it went into bankruptcy—tottered, almost suspended, was deserted by Zola and Clemenceau, particularly by the latter, who left Paris; in other words, its subsidy stopped.

BRYAN IN ST. PETERSBURG.

Man From Nebraska Has a Long Visit With Tolstoy.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 20.—William J. Bryan arrived here today. Mr. Bryan said he spent fourteen hours with Count Tolstoy Friday last, arriving before breakfast. He rode half an hour with Tolstoi, who then insisted that Mr. Bryan should take a siesta while the author wrote. Tolstoy's physician laughingly said he was sorry that the author had curtailed his daily exercise through the fear of tiring Mr. Bryan. The conversation between Tolstoy and Mr. Bryan took the widest range.

While Mr. Bryan was dining with Ambassador McCormick at a restaurant tonight, the servants rushed in with the news that Mr. McCormick's house was on fire. It turned out, however, that only a chimney was ablaze and the fire was soon extinguished.

Text of Religious Bill Published.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—The text of the bill of Premier Combes for the suppression of teaching by the religious orders and which was communicated to the council of ministers Dec. 15, is published this morning.

The introductory clause dwells on the insufficiency of the teaching in religious schools and also the dangerous tendencies inculcated, adding that on this point there is no difference between authorized and unauthorized congregations. The bill provides that teaching congregations may be legally dissolved by mere notification to them to close their schools. Should they refuse to obey such notice their property is to be sequestrated. In the case of the teaching congregations, which also conduct hospitals for the indigent, the property connected with their schools will not be confiscated, but must be used only in connection with the hospitals.

London Press Is Aroused.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Considerable resentment is shown in the English press over the reference to Waterloo made by Emperor William on Saturday at a banquet in Hanover in honor of the anniversary of the Hanoverian regiments when the emperor said he raised his glass "to the health of the German legions in memory of their incomparable deeds, which, in conjunction with Blucher and the Prussians, rescued the English army from destruction at Waterloo."

The Chronicle, the Standard and other papers protest this morning against what the Chronicle calls the emperor's "preposterous claims."

Blizzard Off Newfoundland.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Dec. 20.—During a fierce blizzard yesterday the schooner Susan was driven ashore off St. John's Her crew, after twelve hours in an open boat, made port this morning, badly frostbitten.

The schooner Mary Ellen went ashore at Trepassay. The crew clung to the rocks all night and suffered terribly from exposure.

The schooner Fashoda went ashore at Green's Pond. The crew escaped.

It is feared that the schooner Dictator has foundered with her crew of seven men.

Overdue Steamer Is Safe.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 20.—Advices have been received by the Canadian Pacific railway officials here which indicate that the steamer Amur, now four days overdue from Skagway, is safe, though she probably has had some accident to her engines which caused her to make slow progress. A report was received today from Ketchikan that she arrived there on Wednesday last, two days late. The Amur left Skagway on Dec. 12 with fifty-five passengers.

John Redmond Protests.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—John Redmond, speaking at Bunningagain, county Sligo, Ireland, today, strongly protested against decisions of the legal officers at Dublin Castle, which, he said, prevented the proper operation of the Irish land act in congested districts by enabling landlords to combine in a refusal to sell grazing lands. He declared the decisions were gross violations of the government's pledges and said that the Irish party would demand their amendment in the coming session of parliament.

END OF CENTENNIAL

Burst of Patriotism Winds Up Louisiana Celebration.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 20.—Under the sunniest of skies today the Stars and Stripes rose to the top of the tall staff in the historic Place d'Armes, amid cheers, the ringing of cathedral bells and the roar of cannon and the centennial celebration of the Louisiana transfer ended in a burst of patriotism.

The day's exercises opened with the pontifical mass in the old St. Louis cathedral, built while the Spaniards were still in possession of Louisiana, the shrine to which Andrew Jackson went immediately after the battle of New Orleans to hear the high mass of Thanksgiving sung for the victory of the American army. Festooned in the great nave were the flags of the three celebrating nations, Epain, France and the United States. The immense auditorium was crowded with a representative congregation. Archbishop Chappelle officiated in the celebration of mass. The regular choir of the cathedral was supplemented with the principal artists of the French Opera company and a full orchestra.

Rev. Father de Lamoriniere, the Jesuit orator, preached an eloquent sermon, and Archbishop Chappelle spoke briefly from the altar upon the great significance of the occasion.

Following the mass the treaty of cession, the powers of the commissioners and the declaration of Dausaut placing the American commissioners in possession were read in turn at the Cabildo. Then the keys of the city were delivered and the proclamation of the American governor was read. The ceremonies completed, at a signal the flag rose to the high staff in Jackson square, while the Washington artillery thundered a salute. In the river within view were the six American and French warships.

The Spanish cruiser Dio de la Plata was delayed by bad weather. She was given a welcome when she reached the city just as the Cabildo exercises were concluded. One of the features of the celebration held the popular interest in the Spanish representation. Senor Tuero y Odonnell has been the recipient of unusual attention.

EXPANSION FEVER HAS REACHED CANADIANS

Canada May Take In Newfoundland and Purchase Greenland.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 20.—The Dominion government now has under consideration the question of uniting Newfoundland with Canada and also the purchase of Greenland from Denmark. This is the result of the Alaska boundary decision which was so unsatisfactory to Canada. While Canada and Newfoundland can enter upon negotiations as to union it will be necessary for the Dominion to negotiate through the imperial authorities with Denmark for the purchase of Greenland. So far no official information can be had.

SUSPECTED MAIL THIEF BLOWS OUT HIS BRAINS

Former Superintendent of Foreign Mails Kills Himself on Eve of Trial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Alexander Haff, the suspended superintendent of foreign mails in the New York postoffice, who was to have been brought to trial before the federal court this week for robbing the mails, killed himself tonight by shooting. Haff had been moody for many weeks, the approaching trial weighing on him. He gave his family no hint of his intention to kill himself. Haff entered the postal service in this city in 1874.

MY LADY.

She walks unnoticed in the street;
  The casual eye
Sees nothin in her, fair or sweet;
  The world goes by,
Unconscious that an angel's feet
  Are passing nigh.

She does a thousand kindly things
  That no one knows;
A loving woman's heart she brings
  To human woes;
And to her face the sunlight clings
  Where'er she goes.

And so she walks her quiet ways
  With that content
That only comes to sinless days
  And innocent;
A life devoid of fame or praise,
  Yet nobly spent.

—Pall Mall Gazette.

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RAILROAD NOTICES.

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM.

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Return limit, Jan. 4, 1904.

Full particulars at all Rock Island ticket offices.

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MASSACHUSETTS STARTS BOOM FOR GEN. MILES

Party Leaders of That State Unanimously Name Him as Their Choice.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 20.—It was learned today that the Democratic leaders of Massachusetts have a presidential candidate in mind—Gen. Nelson Miles. The sentiment of the party leaders all over the state has been taken with the result that Miles may have the unanimous support of the state delegation in the national convention if he will signify his willingness to accept. Mr. Olney has made it known that he will not be a candidate for president and has indicated his preference for Miles. Assurances have been received by Massachusetts leaders from New York Tammany leaders secretly working for Miles.

Congressman Hull Denies Report.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 20.—A report emanating from Eastern sources that Congressman J. A. T. Hull, chairman of the committee on military affairs, would resign his seat in congress to accept a government appointment, was denied here in toto by Capt. Hull today. He said he was in the congressional fight to stay.

Death of a Talented Harpist.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 20.—Miss Lillian Abano, of Liverpool, England, a talented harpist, died at Harper hospital today, aged twenty years. She was taken sick with typhoid fever Dec. 11, while filling an engagement at the Temple theater here.

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OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

Of Ordinance Passed and Resolutions Adopted by the Common Council of the City of St. Paul.

Bd F No. 18559—Ordinance No. 2413—An Ordinance fixing the amount of expenditure in dollars that may be incurred by the several departments of the city government of the City of St. Paul, and by the independent school district of said city during the fiscal year of 1904.

The Common Council of the City of St. Paul do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1.

That the various amounts of expenditure in dollars which the several departments of the city government and the independent school district of the City of St. Paul may incur during the fiscal year, beginning Jan. 1, 1904, be and the same are hereby, in accordance with and pursuant to the terms and provisions of section three (3) of title two (II.) of chapter five (V.) of the present charter, fixed and determined by means of and through the appropriate funds, as the same are in said charter defined, as follows:

Through the Interest Fund	$427,000.00
Through the Sinking Fund	47,000.00
Through the Redemption Fund	.....
Through the Fire Department Fund	215,000.00
Through the Police Department Fund	185,000.00
Through the Lighting Fund	179,000.00
Through the Water Supply Fund	25,000.00
Through the Board of Control Fund	26,000.00
Through the School Fund	715,000.00
Through the Court House & City Hall Maintenance Fund	23,000.00
Through the Workhouse Fund	20,000.00
Through the Commissioner of Public Works Fund	30,000.00
Through the Board of Public Works Fund	12,000.00
Through the Salary Fund	46,500.00
Through the Street, Sewer & Garbage Fund	175,000.00
Through the Bridge Building & Repair Fund	65,000.00
Through the Judgment Fund	12,500.00
Through the Printing & Stationery Fund	25,000.00
Through the Municipal Court Fund	15,500.00
Through the Library Fund	48,000.00
Through the Park Fund	75,000.00
Through the General Fund	368,300.00
Through the Health Department Fund	12,000.00
Through the Sprinkling Fund	40,000.00
A total of	$2,786,800.00

SECTION 2.

That no Department, Board or officer of the City of St. Paul shall have any power or authority to expend any of the public moneys, or to incur any liability on behalf of said city or of said independent school district, during the fiscal year aforesaid, in excess of the said several amounts as so fixed and determined upon in section one hereof.

SECTION 3.

That so much and no more of the said several amounts so fixed and determined upon as may be necessary for an economical administration of the municipal affairs during said year of 1904, shall, until the Common Council may, by ordinance, otherwise direct, be expended through the funds hereinbefore mentioned, in accordance with the estimates therefor as the same are itemized in the recent report of the Conference Committee to the Common Council, under date of Nov. 27, 1903, as finally approved and accepted by this Common Council.

SECTION 4.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage, approval and publication.

Passed by the Board of Aldermen Dec. 17, 1903.

Yeas — Messrs. Bantz, Buschmann, Corning, Dahlquist, Elder, Hinkens, Holt, Moriarty, Rohland, Mr. President—10.

Nays—0.

FRANK J. HUBER,
President of the Board of Aldermen.

Passed by the Assembly Dec. 17, 1903.

Yeas—Messrs. Arnold, Doran, Haas, Rosen, Van Slyke, Wheeler, Whitcomb, Mr. President—8.

Nays—0.

R. SCHIFFMANN,
President of Assembly.

Approved Dec. 18, 1903.

R. A. SMITH,
Mayor.

Attest: GEORGE T. REDINGTON,
City Clerk.

Dec. 21-1903-1t.

Bd F No. 18645—By Ald. Buschmann—

Resolved, That the proper city officers be and they are hereby authorized to draw a warrant in favor of Robert A. Smith, Mayor, for the sum of Three Hundred Dollars, payable out of the Common Council Contingent Account of the General Fund, for the benefit of the Minnesota Fanciers' Association to aid in defraying the expenses of the poultry show to be given by said association in this city in the month of January, 1904.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, Dec. 15, 1903.

Adopted by the Assembly, Dec. 17, 1903.

Approved, Dec. 19, 1903.

Bd F No. 18655—By Ald. Bantz—

Resolved, That the bid of the Western Street Lighting Co., for furnishing incandescent gasoline street lighting to the City of St. Paul for the year 1904 be and the same is hereby rejected, it appearing that the lamp offered for service by said Company does not comply with the specifications.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, Dec. 17, 1903.

Adopted by the Assembly, Dec, 17, 1903.

Approved, Dec. 18, 1903.

Bd F No. 18656—By Ald. Hinkens—

Resolved, That the bid of the Cleveland Vapor Light Co. for the incandescent gasoline lighting for the year 1904 at the price of $23.96 per lamp be and the same is hereby accepted as the lowest responsible bid therefor, and the Corporation Attorney is instructed to prepare a proper form of contract therefor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, Dec. 17, 1903.

Adopted by the Assembly, Dec. 17, 1903.

Approved, Dec. 18, 1903.

Bd F No. 18657—By Ald. Hinkens—

Resolved, That the bid of the Cleveland Vapor Light Company for furnishing the lamps and equipment and lighting and extinguishing the incandescent gas lights for the year 1904, at the price $11.25 per lamp be and the same is hereby accepted, and the Corporation Attorney is instructed to prepare and submit a proper form of contract therefor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, Dec. 17, 1903.

Adopted by the Assembly, Dec. 17, 1903.

Approved, Dec. 18, 1903.

Bd F No. 18658—By Ald. Bantz—

Resolved, That the bid of the St. Paul Gas Light Company, dated December 14th, 1903, as modified by the letter of the St. Paul Gas Light Company attached to said bid, for furnishing to the city gas necessary to light the city with incandescent gas, according to the specifications therefor, during the period beginning January 1st, 1904, and ending midnight December 31st, 1904, be and the same hereby is accepted and the contract for so furnishing such gas is hereby awarded to said St. Paul Gas Light Company.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen Dec. 17, 1903.

Adopted by the Assembly Dec. 17, 1903.

Approved Dec. 18, 1903.

Bd F No. 18659—By Ald. Bantz—

Resolved, That the bid of the St. Paul Gas Light Company, dated December 14th, 1903, for supplying the city with electric light, according to the specifications therefor, during the period beginning January 1st, 1904, and ending December 31st, 1904, be and the same hereby is accepted and the contract for so furnishing such electricity is hereby awarded to said St. Paul Gas Light Company.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen Dec. 17, 1903.

Adopted by the Assembly Dec. 17, 1903.

Approved Dec. 18, 1903.

FRANK J. HUBER,
President of the Board of Aldermen.

R. SCHIFFMANN,
President of the Assembly.

R. A. SMITH,
Mayor.

G. T. REDINGTON,
City Clerk.

Dec. 21-1903-1t.

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