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Affairs on the Northwest

IS IDENTIFIED BY HIS TATTOOED ARM But for This an Iowa Man Killed by Cars Would Have Gone to Unknown Grave.

Special to The Globe. DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 23.—A tattoo on the arm of all that saved Andrew Welch, of this city, from going into an unknown grave.

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POLICE SAY MAN PASSED BANK CHECKS

C. W. Frick Is Arrested by Flour City Detectives, Charged With Forgery.

C. W. Frick, who is charged with passing a number of forged checks in the Twin Cities, was arrested last night by Detectives Bahan and Gallagher.

When taken into custody by the detectives Frick had several blank bank checks in his pockets. He also had a check for \$25 payable to himself and signed with the name of C. A. Quist & Co.

The police say that the extent of Frick's operations in Minneapolis for three months, according to Chief Conroy, and during that time has only succeeded in cashing worthless checks to the amount of \$300.

Frick, who is of an excellent address and a smooth talker, found little difficulty in passing the forged checks. It is claimed by the police that he operated in St. Paul prior to coming to Minneapolis and that he succeeded in securing in that city more than \$1,000 on worthless paper during a few weeks.

ARBITRATION IS DELAYED. Committee to Settle Builders' Dispute Has Not Been Selected.

It is now recognized that the controversy between the building contractors and the trades unions cannot be arbitrated by the building board.

JEALOUS LOVER STEALS CLOTHES. And Gets Sixty Days in the Workhouse Instead of Revenge.

Albert Whittaker was arraigned in the police court yesterday charged with stealing a tailor-made suit and a hat.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—The strike here of employed in the various branches of the supply began to assume serious proportions today.

DEATHS OF THE DAY. CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Hiram W. Beckwith, a law partner of Abraham Lincoln from 1856 to 1861, is dead here at the age of seventy-two.

DOG AND WOLF FIGHT. A DESPERATE BATTLE. South Dakota Man Encounters Animal Uncommonly Bad Temper.

Special to The Globe. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 23.—Wolves are bold this winter. Seburn Pense, a rancher living near the Missouri river, in Gregory county, has killed eight of the animals this season.

LUMBERMEN WILL LOSE ON THE COAST. Association Goes to Pieces and Prices Will Probably Not Be Maintained.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 2.—The Pacific Coast Lumbermen's association, which for two years has controlled the export lumber trade of the entire Pacific coast, has gone to pieces.

THE FAMILY BREADWINNER. \$8 TO \$12 WEEKLY. Fully earned by either sex keeping Seemless Family Machine with Ribbing Attachment.

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BLAMES THEIR RELATIVES.

Court Says Meddlers Shall Not Part Man and Wife.

Judge Elliott yesterday refused to grant a divorce to Margaret H. Cavannaugh from Michael Cavannaugh on the ground that he believes the parties could have lived together fairly well if relatives had not used their influence to stir up troubles.

GETS HIM INTO TROUBLE. Man Who Walked Holes In His Money Is Charged With Forgery.

John J. Walsh, the man who recently walked from Mankato to Minneapolis and back, was charged with forgery.

HILL AND MOUTON, ACCUSED OF BRIBERY, NOT READY FOR TRIAL.

Charles R. Hill, charged with bribery in connection with the Ames administration, and George F. Mouton, indicted on the charge of offering a bribe to Fred M. Powers, appeared yesterday before Judge Elliott and had their cases continued over the term.

CASES ARE CONTINUED. Hill and Mouton, Accused of Bribery, Not Ready for Trial.

COMMITTEE ASK FOR PLANS. The committee having charge of the Twin City municipal exposition at the St. Louis exposition will ask St. Paul and Minneapolis architects to submit plans for the municipal building to be erected at St. Louis.

TRY TO ACCOUNT FOR A MISSING OFFICER. Lieut. Miller's Parents Think His Sweetheart Knows Where He Is.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 23.—First Lieutenant Floyd Miller, of the First Infantry, U. S. A., who is on duty at the grave of the late President McKinley and who has been absent from his post since Nov. 29, spent several days with his parents in this city and they believe he is in Canton.

TWO DATES GIVEN FOR END OF WAR WITH SPAIN. Some Conflicting Statements on Record in Case of Civil War.

"When did the war with Spain end?" is a question upon which the navy and the war department seem to be at variance. Recently the acting secretary of the navy decided that the Spanish war ended on Dec. 18, 1898.

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Jewelry, Handkerchiefs, Hats and Caps, Leather Goods, Umbrellas, Cameras, Burnt Leather, Silk Waist Patterns, Art Needlework, Crochery, Wool Waist Patterns, Table Linen, Gloves, Mirrors, Rugs and Carpets, Sorens, Toilet Articles, Bath and Lounging, Chafing Dishes, Smoking Jackets, Pocket Knives, Baking Dishes, Bath and Lounging, Shoes and Slippers, Robes, Toys and Dolls, Neckwear, Clothing, Games of All Kinds.

Carvers: Special. Don't fail to see the sets on sale in the basement today from \$3.00 to 1:00 o'clock for \$1.9c.

Patent Flying Clown Circus. One of this year's best toys—a mechanical wonder. See the clowns jump from trapeze to donkey's back and then fly through the circus ring. Regular 50c. Special here today 25c.

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Offensive Even to Myself.—F. A. Bottom, druggist, Cookshire, Que., says: "For twenty years I suffered from catarrh. My breath was very offensive even to myself. I tried everything which promised me a cure. I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It got relief instantly after first application. It cured me and I am free from all the effects of it."—19.

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