NEWS OF THE CITY

CELEBRATION WILL BE HELD THIS FALL

Semi-Centennial Plans Are Discussed by General and Executive Committees.

Unable to learn when the new state capitol would be completed the general and executive committees appointed to prepare for a joint celebration of the semi-centennial of St. Paul, the completion of the capitol and the completion of Fort Snelling improvements, failed to decide last night, at the Commercial club parlors, when the celebration would take place. The two committees did not adopt the opinion of one of the executive committeemen, previously published, that the celebration should be held during the first week of October. "Some time in the fall" is again the most definite estimate.

The whole programme was once more submitted to the executive committee with the understanding that, during the next sixty days, the committee shall agree upon the details of the celebration. At the end of two months the committee can probably announce when the capitol will be practically completed, and when, therefore, the celebration can be held. Plans can be made public and canvassing for subscriptions can begin.

Too Early to Fix Date.

In the opinion of Channing Seabury, chairman of the state capitol commission, it would have been premature last night to declare that the commission would co-operate with the celebration committee.

"The dedication of the capitol," Mr. Seabury explained, "is too far in the future; we have too much work to do yet. The commission hasn't given it a single thought. It has never been mentioned at any meeting."

Mr. Seabury then suggested that, if the committees would wait sixty days, he would probably be able to make a guess at the date for completing the capitol. He understood, of course, that it would not be necessary or advisable to wait until every part of the building was finished.

Asked whether the commission sympathized with the local celebration project, Mr. Seabury answered that he didn't know the opinion of any commissioner except himself. He believed, though, that the other members, living, as they did, outside of St. Paul, were not interested in the St. Paul semi-centennial or the Fort Snelling improvements.

"Personally," he added, "I think the capitol celebration ought to stand by itself. It's an important event to the state at large."

"Do you think," someone asked, "that the addition of the St. Paul and Fort Snelling celebration will magnify or minimize the capitol celebration?"

Mr. Seabury—"I'm not certain about that."

Chairman Stringer insisted that the local idea was to magnify the capitol celebration. Then he explained:

"A semi-centennial celebration will cost something. If people are called upon for that, and then later for a capitol celebration it's a question whether sufficient funds would be available the second time. Some business men are getting rather tired of frequent collections."

In the course of the informal discussion, Mr. Seabury mentioned as a reason for being unable to estimate when the capitol would be finished the fact that work is now in progress on twenty contracts connected with the building. Material and fixtures are being made for the capitol in half a dozen cities. A strike anywhere might tie up all or part of the work for weeks.

The talk drifting upon the subject of expenses, Mr. Seabury agreed that the capitol commission would probably be able to pay the cost of dedication exercises, as it had paid in 1898 the expenses connected with laying the capitol corner stone.

OFF FOR CONVENTION

North Dakota Republicans Meet In Fargo Tomorrow.

"North Dakota Republicans will declare for the removal of the tariff on lumber," said a leading member of that political party from the Flickertail state last night on the departure of a number of prominent Republicans from St. Paul for Fargo to attend the state delegate convention which will be held at the North Dakota metropolis on Wednesday.

"The Fargo convention will voice the practically unanimous position of the Republicans of the state when it demands a revision of the tariff to the extent that lumber will be put on the free list. Even the stand-patters will not stand pat enough to be willing to continue the payment of tribute to the lumber barons of Minnesota and other Northwestern states. We don't want free barley or free wheat or free anything in particular, but we will declare in our convention that we have had enough of lumber with a tariff charge tacked to it. Hardly a foot of lumber is produced in North Dakota and the prairie country in process of development uses large quantities of lumber in building homes. We have been taxed on lumber until we have reached a stage where to keep silent any longer will be treachery to our people, and you may expect the convention to adopt resolutions in favor of the removal of the duty on lumber that will make pretty hot reading to Minnesota Republicans."

Senator Hansbrough, State Senator Judson La Moure, C. B. Little, of Bismarck; Alexander McKenzie and several other North Dakotans who had spent yesterday in St. Paul left last night for Fargo to attend the convention. Senator Hansbrough will be chosen as one of the delegates, and it is said that there will be no opposition to the selection of McKenzie as national committeeman to succeed himself.

A FITTING TRIBUTE

A Citizen of St. Paul Pays a Well Earned Tribute.

The following public statement of a respected citizen adds one more indorsement of merit to the scores that have appeared before:

Mrs. Joseph Fink, of 410 Blair street, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills and value them highly. A son-in-law, whose business requires much heavy lifting, had considerable trouble arising from this strain on his kidneys. The use of Doan's Kidney Pills brought the most successful results in his case. I gladly recommend this reliable preparation to anyone requiring a kidney cure. We procured it at F. M. Parker's drug store, opposite the postoffice."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

GET STASTISTIC AS TO WAGES PAID

State Labor Inspectors Are Busy Gathering Useful Information.

Inspectors of the state bureau of labor, who are engaged in making the annual inspection of factory conditions throughout the cities and towns of the state, will include data as to the scale of wages being paid for various classes of employment.

The department now has six inspectors at work in different parts of the state, and in addition to the usual statistics gathered relating to the conditions under which labor is employed, there will be returned to the department statistics as to compensation paid employes. The field covered will include the number of apprentices, their working hours and rate of wages, as well as the hours and rates of wages of journeymen. The value of the statistics will be estimated by comparison with reports of other states and of Minnesota from time to time. The ascertainment of the cost of living will not be attempted by the state bureau, but this will be left to the attaches of the United States bureau of labor and commerce.

WILL PLACE EXHIBIT

That of Twin Cities Soon to Be Displayed at Fair.

Stewart P. Patterson, assistant director of the Twin City exhibit at the Louisiana exposition, left last night for St. Louis to take charge of the exhibit and to assist in placing it in the Minnesota building.

Word was received yesterday from the Fair City that the car containing the exhibits from St. Paul and Minneapolis had arrived, and that the Minnesota building was so nearly completed that the exhibits can now be placed in position. Mr. Patterson left immediately to superintend the work.

The committee in charge of the Twin City exhibit will issue a folder exploiting the industries and beauties of St. Paul and Minneapolis. The folder will contain a list of the important cities of the country and will show the twins as eighth in both population and manufacturing.

WANTS TRIAL PASSED UPON BEFORE ACTION

Daniel Peebles, of Anoka County, Files Answer With Supreme Court.

An answer filed by Daniel Peebles in quo warranto proceedings instituted against him on the motion of the attorney general, sets up that a motion for a new trial of the action under which he was convicted for falsifying an account to township officers, is pending before the supreme court, and he asks that the writ be discharged. Arguments will be filed on briefs in the supreme court May 31.

Peebles is chairman of the township board in the town of Burns, Anoka county, and the attorney general seeks to oust him because he had been convicted of a felony. The motion for a new trial is pending before the October term of the supreme court, while the action to oust him is on the calendar for the April term.

First Prize for Minnesota Fruit.

The fruit display of the Minnesota Horticultural society at the St. Louis exposition has taken first prize over a large field of competitors. The prize winning Minnesota display was shown at a meeting of the State Horticultural society at Minneapolis some weeks ago.

Railway Clerks Annual Ball.

The second annual May ball of the National Order of Railway Clerks, Division No. 16, was given last night at Cambridge hall. One hundred and twenty couples were present.

Additional Sporting News

SHATTUCK WINS DUAL MEET FROM CARLETON

Faribault Athletes Are Too Swift for Team Sent From Northfield College.

Special to The Globe.

FARIBAULT, Minn., May 16.—At the Shattuck-Carleton dual track meet held here today Shattuck won by a score of 53 to 43. The events were as follows:

100-yard dash, Redick, Shattuck; half-mile run, Morris, Shattuck; 120-yard hurdles, Roney, Carleton; shot put, Farmer, Shattuck; high jump, Tate and Paine, Carleton; 220-yard dash, Kelsey, Shattuck; discus throw, Farmer, Shattuck; pole vault, Lammers, Shattuck; one-mile run, Monroe, Carleton; hammer throw, Little, Carleton; quarter-mile run, Diamond, Shattuck; broad jump, Tate, Carleton; 220-yard hurdle, Sprague, Shattuck; relay race, won by Shattuck.

WITH THE AMATEURS

The Tip Tops defeated the Centrals in a close game by a score of 9 to 8. The feature of the game was the all around fielding and battery work of the winners. The Tip Tops also defeated a team from Hastings by a score of 5 to 4. Bohman and Websky pitched both games. The Tip Tops want games with any eighteen or nineteen-year-old team in the state, out-of-town games preferred. Address W. C. Steiger, 583 Dale street.

The West Laurels defeated the Strollers in a one-sided game on the Lenos grounds by a score of 35 to 4, the Strollers quitting in the fifth inning after three pitchers had been batted out. The Laurels want games with any seventeen-year-old team in the city. Address R. Berg, 478 State street. The Tip Tops and De Witts are prefered.

The Grottos defeated Hugo in a hard fought game by a score of 4 to 2. The game was in doubt until the last man was out. Both pitchers did good work, but the Grottos' work in the field and at the bat won for them. Teams wanting games in the eighteen-year-old class address T. Shirley, 381 Grotto street.

Clarkin Bros. defeated the Forbes Avenue Rivals by a score of 10 to 2. The feature of the game was Wall's pitching. Games wanted with any good fifteen-year-old team in the city. Address Joe Conway, 180 Goodrich avenue.

The L. Eisenmenger Meadow Farm Colts won a double-header by defeating the St. Anthony Hills 12 to 7 and the Pickets 7 to 0. The feature of the game was the all around playing of M. Farvey and Carroll's pitching.

The Pfisters charge the Peterson Seniors with stone throwing and other unsportsmanlike conduct and protest the claim made by the Petersons. The Pfisters offer to play them for any amount.

The Great Northern Shop baseball team would like to arrange a game with any strong team in the city for Saturday afternoon, May 21. Address W. A. Swick, Dale street shops.

The Mechanic Arts team overwhelmed the Macalester second team yesterday at Macalester by a score of 23 to 8.

The Omaha Colts defeated the Yoerg Exports by a score of 23 to 9.

RAILROAD NEWS

NEGLIGENCE RESTS ON FELLOW SERVANT

Supreme Court Decides Important Damage Suit in Northern Pacific's Favor.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 16.—The supreme court of the United States laid down the principle that a telegraph operator for each railroad company and a fireman on a railroad engine are "fellow servants," and that the negligence of the former causing the death of the latter in the operation of trains was a risk the fireman assumed, and was not grounds for damages against the railroad company.

The case was that of Allina A. Dixon against the Northern Pacific for damages for the death of her husband, C. A. Dixon, a fireman on the road killed in a collision caused by the negligence of a telegraph operator.

The opinion delivered by Justice Brewer answered two questions certified from the United States circuit court of appeals for the Eighth circuit, as follows:

"First, when a local telegraph operator is called upon specially by a train dispatcher to give information relative to the arrival of a train at his station, to enable the dispatcher to formulate orders for the movement of other trains, does the local operator in the matter of giving such information act as a fellow servant of train operatives in such sense that the master is not liable to train operatives who are injured by obeying an erroneous order of the dispatcher that was induced by false information given by the local operator?"

The answer to this question is:

"The telegraph operator was, under the circumstances described, a fellow servant of the fireman."

Fireman Assumes Risk.

Second, is the negligence of a local telegraph operator and station agent of a railway company, in observing and reporting by telegraph to the train dispatcher the movement of trains past his station, which causes the injury or death of a fireman of the company without any fault or negligence of the train dispatcher, the negligence of a vice principal for which the railway company is liable in damages to the fireman or his personal representatives, or is it the negligence of a fellow servant of the fireman, the risk of which the latter assumes?"

Answer: "The negligence of the operator was the negligence of a fellow servant of the fireman, the risk of which the latter assumed."

A dissenting opinion was delivered by Justice White and concurred in by the chief justice and Justices Harlan and McKenna. In this dissenting opinion the view was expressed that the operator was the agent of the employer, and as such his negligence rendered the employer liable for damages or death caused thereby.

The opinion was further expressed that the court's decision would create much confusion.

BEATS RAILROAD, BUT WILL PAY FULL FARE

Salvationist Writes to President Elliott, of the Northern Pacific.

Charles Harmon is languishing in the Salvation Army heaven of San Francisco, suffering torments that only a guilty conscience can inflict and eagerly awaiting an answer from Howard Elliott, president of the Northern Pacific, to whom he has written offering to restore to the railroad company $6.40 he swindled it out of before he "got religion."

He says he shipped out of Spokane to go to work on the Seattle Belt line on the coast and traveled on a laborer's $4 ticket, while the regular fare is $10.40. He went on to San Francisco and joined the Salvation Army instead of the section crew. Now he says he wants to pay the difference of $6.40. He desires an immediate reply from President Elliott and closes with an exhortation for the welfare of his soul.

GREAT WESTERN TO PROMOTE ITS AGENTS

Freight Department Announces a Bunch of Appointments.

A bunch of appointments and transfers was yesterday announced by the freight department of the Chicago Great Western.

M. E. Newell, who is now general agent at Pittsburg, will on June 1 become district freight agent at Fort Dodge. He will be succeeded at Pittsburg by W. I. Laird, a traveling passenger agent for the Maple Leaf, with headquarters at Chicago.

H. E. Matlack, chief clerk in the office of Assistant Freight Agent Johnson at Chicago, will succeed Mr. Matlack as traveling passenger agent.

ROVIG AND CALDWELL EXCHANGE POSITIONS

Latter Give Up Traveling Because of Ill Health.

Reider D. Rovig, city passenger agent of the Milwaukee, has been appointed traveling agent in charge of the territory comprising North Dakota and Manitoba. He succeeds Joseph Caldwell, who takes Mr. Rovig's position in St. Paul.

The trade in positions was made to enable Mr. Caldwell to remain in St. Paul. He has just recovered from a severe attack of illness, so much remain where he can receive treatment. This necessitated giving up his work on the road.

Prior to becoming traveling passenger agent Mr. Caldwell was city passenger agent and Mr. Rovig succeeded him when he was placed in charge of the Manitoba and Dakota field two years ago.

Mr. Rovig has been in the employ of the Milwaukee for twelve years and before he was made city passenger agent was assistant ticket clerk at the company's city office. He is one of the most efficient passenger agents in the Twin Cities.

The transfer of positions between Mr. Caldwell and Mr. Rovig will take place June 1.

MILWAUKEE OFFICIAL IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

J. N. Barr, Assistant to the President, Is Victim of Heart Failure.

J. N. Barr, assistant to the president of the Milwaukee, is dead at his home in Libertyville, Ill., of heart disease. He was fifty-two years old.

Mr. Barr was one of the best known railroad mechanical engineers in the country. He started early in life as a railroad employe, occupied various positions and was appointed superintendent of motive power for the Milwaukee. On Nov. 1, 1899, he was given the place of mechanical superintendent of the Baltimore & Ohio. Not long after that he accepted the same position with the Erie. He returned to the Milwaukee and became general superintendent and in April of last year was named as assistant to the president.

GREAT WESTERN SELLS STOPOVER TICKETS

World's Fair Passengers May Rest at Chicago and Kansas City.

The Great Western yesterday announced that it will grant stopovers at Chicago and Kansas City on world's fair tickets.

About a week ago the Western Passenger association passed resolutions recommending that the roads grant stopover privileges to these two cities because the authorities had taken action to prevent scalpers from dealing in the transportation.

The stopover privileges will be granted upon the payment of $1 and will allow the holder of the ticket to remain ten days in either town.

Road Appeals Case.

Special to The Globe.

WINONA, Minn., May 16.—The Chicago Great Western road has appealed to the supreme court from the order of Judge Snow denying a new trial in the cases in which damages for the killing of horses were awarded against the road as follows: Albert Kulowski, $300; John Frisch, $650; Clarence Murray, $500.

RAILROAD NOTES.

A party of eighteen Lithuanian immigrants passed through St. Paul yesterday on their way to the agricultural lands near Minot, N. D.

William B. Dixon, Northwestern passenger agent of the Milwaukee, left yesterday for a trip over the road's new Mankato line. He will return today and tonight will go to Winnipeg on a business trip.

The North-Western has begun the work of reballasting 700 miles of its track in the Black hills region. A large gang of Indians are employed as section hands, the first to be employed by any railroad as laborers.

General Manager Pennington, of the Soo line, yesterday announced that his road has absorbed the Bismarck, Washburn & Great Falls line. The headquarters of the Washburn line have been abandoned.

H. W. Brown, contract freight agent for the Omaha, will probably succeed N. P. Langford as commercial agent. No appointment has yet been made, but among freight men it is thought that Mr. Brown will be selected.

Among a number of contracts embracing trackage agreements between the Illinois Central and Frisco railways filed yesterday in the parishes of Louisiana, was one disclosing the agreement under which the Frisco will again enter into New Orleans over the Mississippi Valley tracks. In return for the use of the Valley tracks from Baton Rouge down the Frisco gives the Illinois Central an entry into the coal and iron fields of Birmingham over the Kansas City, Memphis & Birmingham.

BATTLE IS DUE WITHIN TWO DAYS

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sighted in a bay near Dalny and heavy firing has been heard in Kinchow bay.

Russian officers at Mukden have compelled the Chinese there to disarm, although the Tartar general protested against such action.

SURPRISE THE RUSSIANS.

NEW-CHWANG, May 16.—The Russians were surprised by the appearance of the enemy at Kai Chau, twenty miles south of Yinkow, this morning. They were expecting the Yalu army.

Nine transports, assisted by the navy, landed 10,000 troops and the remainder will be landed tonight and tomorrow. The number of the Japanese force is not known. The warships shelled the shore from early morning until 4 o'clock.

The Japanese are expected here on Wednesday and the Russians are rapidly evacuating the town.

AGAIN PROMISES NEUTRALITY.

LONDON, May 17.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Post says that the Chinese government is addressing an identical note to all its ministers abroad renewing China's declaration of neutrality and that an imperial edict will be issued enjoining the Chinese people to strictly observe neutrality.

SERIOUS FOR KUROPATKIN.

LONDON, May 17.—The London newspapers this morning comment on what is believed to be the precarious position of Gen. Kuropatkin, who is menaced by the possibility of the Chinese rebels cutting his communications, as well as by the difficulty of divining the Japanese plan of campaign.

The Standard, which is rather inclined to be pro-Russian in its views, admits that Kuropatkin has at his disposal south of Mukden at most 100,000 troops of inferior quality, only 75,000 of whom are available for active operations, while Gen. Kuroki certainly has 140,000 first-class troops, the equal of those in European armies. "Under such conditions," the Standard says, "the issue of battle is very seldom doubtful."

BRUSH WITH BANDITS.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—The general staff has received the following dispatch from Lieut. Gen. Sakharoff, Gen. Kuropatkin's chief of staff, dated May 15:

"On May 11 I was informed that Chinese bandits had appeared in villages sixteen kilometers west of Liao Yang and I sent out detachments of riflemen, mounted and on foot, and a company of infantry. No bandits were found in the villages, the inhabitants of which answered evasively. As the force was returning from the village of Shantaidza, twelve kilometers west of Liao Yang, considerable number of bandits were discovered at a spot where they had been concealed by the villagers. The riflemen attacked the bandits who occupied the outskirts of the villages, from which they were dislodged. They left twenty dead and a number of rifles and many cartridges. Our loss was two soldiers killed and three wounded.

"The Japanese have reoccupied Koundianh-Sian."

MARKED BY INDECISION.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—The following dispatch from Maj. Gen. Pflug, dated May 15, has been received at the war ministry:—

"According to information received up to May 13, the enemy's advance from Feng Wang Cheng towards Liao Yang is characterized by indecision. It is to be supposed that the objective of the principal Japanese forces is a point beyond Hai Cheng or Haitjoou (Kai Chau).

"Another important group of these forces is concentrating in the district northwest of Takushan. Several skirmishes have occurred with Chinese bandits in which three Cossacks were killed and four are reported missing."

Japan Loses a Cruiser.

TOKYO, May 16.—The Japanese dispatch boat Miyako was destroyed in Kerr bay by striking a submerged mine. Eight casualties are reported. The Miyako was lost while assisting in the operations of clearing the Russian mines from Kerr bay, northeast of Ta-lien-wan bay, on which Port Dalny is situated. Admiral Kataoka, commander of the third squadron, returned there Sunday with a detachment of his squadron, protecting two flotillas of torpedo boats which had been detailed to complete sweeping the harbor by the removal of mines. Five mines were discovered and exploded and the work was being suspended for the day when the Miyako struck an undiscovered mine, which exploded under the stern, on the port side, and inflicted immense damage on the hull. The Miyako sank in twenty-two minutes. Two sailors were killed and twenty-two men were wounded. The rest of the crew were rescued.

Affairs of the Northwest

DEITZ HAS NO USE FOR AN ASSESSOR

Scares Him Off With a Volley and Gets Fresh Supply of Ammunition.

Special to The Globe.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., May 16.—Town Assessor Anderson paid Deitz a visit yesterday to assess his property and was treated to volley of shot from Deitz that made him (the assessor) take to the woods. Sawyer county is in a state of anarchy, there being no leader to enforce the injunction and arrest Deitz. It is even stated that Sheriff Peterson has said that he does not intend to effect the arrest of Deitz and take chances of being riddled with bullets.

William Law, who has returned from the Cameron dam, says that Deitz is still master of the situation, and that people will not venture within half a mile of his cabin. Saturday, it is said, Deitz went to Phillips and secured a supply of provisions and ammunition. He returned yesterday and no attempt was made to arrest him.

MUSIC WILL OVERFLOW NORTHFIELD THIS DAY

First Annual Musical Festival Will Take Place at St. Olaf College.

Special to The Globe.

NORTHFIELD, Minn., May 16.—All is in readiness for the reception of the visitors to the "First Annual Musical Festival" tomorrow at St. Olaf college. Dr. P. M. Glasoe, chairman of the committee on arrangements, states that many people are under a wrong impression with regard to this festival. Dr. Glasoe says that the aim is not to have a celebration of Norway's day of independence. He says:

"This is simply incidental. It occupies only one-sixth of the two days' festival. The festival begins on May 17, simply because that is a day when Norweglans are accustomed to come together for enjoyment and because the day is a holiday at St. Olaf. Besides, on that day the annual baseball game between the two rival colleges, Luther and St. Olaf, takes place."

The principal feature of the programme is Haydn's oratorio, "The Creation," which will be rendered in the Ware auditorium by the St. Olaf Choral union, accompanied by the Danz Symphony orchestra, of St. Paul, and the soloists, Miss Mabel Runge, soprano; D. Alvin Davies, tenor, and Clarence A. Marshall, bass, all of Minneapolis.

WILL DEAL GENTLY WITH GOV. CUMMINS

Iowa "Standpatters" Will Dodge His Views in Their Platform.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 16.—Although the "standpatters" of the Republican party are in overwhelming control of the delegates to Wednesday's convention, it is stated tonight that they will treat Gov. Cummins and his followers with consideration. Senators Allison and Dolliver, Secretary Shaw, J. W. Blythe and other leaders have held conferences on the platform. It is certain that the resolutions will contain nothing which will be offensive to Gov. Cummins; that is, they will contain no reference to any of his views. It is certain that the platform will be of a character which will find indorsement

SMALLPOX IN SCHOOL.

Fergus Falls Institution Is Closed and Ten Families Quarantined.

Special to The Globe.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., May 16.—The board of education at a special meeting today ordered the Adams school closed for the balance of the term, owing to an outbreak of smallpox among the scholars. Ten families so far are in quarantine.

LUMBER CASE GOES TO THE JURY TODAY

Arguments Close in the Suit Against the Commonwealth Company.

Special to The Globe.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., May 16.—In the case of the Government vs. the Commonwealth Lumber Company, attorneys for both sides finished their arguments this afternoon. Capt. Mercer, government agent in charge of the reservation, admitted that usually the purchaser was permitted to do his own scaling and logging. He said the descriptions of land from which timber was to be cut were, as a rule, furnished him by parties who were to do the cutting. Tomorrow morning Judge Morris will sum up the arguments and give the case to the jury.

BODY FOUND IN WELL.

Search Is Made for William Viegler in South Dakota.

GROTON, S. D., May 16.—The body of Dewitt C. Bilby, with three bullet holes in his head, was found in a well on the farm of Andrew McFarland, near here. Bilby made his home with McFarland. He was known to have had about $200 on his person. William Viegler, employed by McFarland, disappeared with a livery team hired in Groton. He drove to Hecla and left the team outside of the town. He tried to hire another team of a liveryman, but failed, and walked out of town. It is believed he will be captured.

REPUBLIC MINE TAKES FIRE.

Spark from Miner's Lamp May Result in Extensive Damage.

MARQUETTE, Mich., May 16.—A spark from a miner's lamp today started a fire in the Republic iron mine at the 1,500-foot level and 200 feet from the shaft. Tonight the blaze is still uncontrolled and threatens extensive damage.

Must Stand Trial.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 16.—Milwaukee officials against whom indictments were returned charging bribery must stand trial. A demurrer in the case of Ald. William Murphy on such a charge was today overruled by Judge Tarrant in the circuit court, he holding that the matter was legally before the council and the alderman had a right to vote upon it while acting strictly within his right as an official. It was contended by the defendant's attorneys that the matter on which the alleged bribery hinged, an ordinance for a sidetrack, was not legally before the council. Many other cases are similarly affected

Shot While at Play.

Special to The Globe.

GRAND FORKS, N. D., May 16.—Frank O'Reilly, aged twelve, was shot through a lung today by William Bollanger, about the same age. The lads live at East Grank Forks, Minn., and, armed with a revolver and small rifle, were playing highwaymen, when the rifle was discharged. It had been loaded to shoot at birds and the fact that it was loaded was overlooked. O'Reilly may die, by the national convention.

Accused of Stealing a Boat.

Special to The Globe.

HASTINGS, Minn., May 16.—Three St. Paul boys named Henry Jensen, Frank Bahr and Fred Keller were arrested here today by Chief of Police E. J. Ingalls upon a charge of larceny of a skiff, valued at $25, from J. V. Huitz, of St. Paul. They were arraigned before Justice W. DeW. Pringle and bound over to the next term of the district court. Failing to furnish the required bail, $200, they were committed to jail.

Dies From a Blow.

Special to The Globe.

MINOT, N. D., May 16.—John Kelly died at Rugby today as the result of a fight May 10, twenty miles south of Rugby. L. L. Devereaux, it is charged, struck Kelly on the head with a monkey wrench. Devereaux is proprietor of a hotel at Rugby.

In the Second Degree.

Special to The Globe.

ALBERT LEA, Minn., May 16.—Patrick Donahue was this afternoon found guilty of assault in the second degree and recommended to the mercy of the court. He shot at his half brother, Peter Donahue, and lodged two bullets in his body. He pleaded self-defense.

Sovereign Physicians Elected.

OMAHA, Neb., May 16.—The executive council, Sovereign camp, Woodmen of the World, in session here today, elected Dr. A. D. Floyd and Dr. I. W. Porter, both of Omaha, sovereign physicians of the society. They will serve four years.

MINNEAPOLIS

"U" GOPHER OF 1904 WILL APPEAR TODAY

This Year's Volume Said to Be the Cleverest Ever Issued.

The long expected 1904 Gopher will appear at the university this morning, and a large part of the time will be spent by the students in perusing the annual volume.

The book this year is exceptionally clever and is much stronger in its hits than the usual volume. However, it is all done good-naturedly and everybody gets it alike, so it will be borne bravely by most of the offended parties. The usual class album is gotten up in fine style, as are the athletic review and other departments.

In the athletic department is an innovation in the form of rather hard roasts on the wearers of the "M" in place of the ordinary flattering write-up. The literary department contains some very original roasts on university politics and journalism, as well as more personal hits. An interesting feature is "McShure's Monthly," giving a series of exposures of various college elections after the manner of Lincoln Steffens' well known articles.

The rush for the volume is expected to be very great, as everybody is anxious to see it and to learn the failures and foibles of their classmates and others.

BOY TRIES TO KILL FATHER.

Lunges at Him With Knife When Arrested on Incorrigibility Charge.

Otto Goodyear, seventeen years old, made a desperate attempt to stab his father yesterday afternoon because his parent had sworn out a warrant for his arrest on a charge of incorrigibility. When Court Officer Winthrop read the warrant for the boy's arrest, young Goodyear made a sudden leap toward a table, picked up a kitchen knife and lunged toward his father. The officer, however, frustrated his attempt at patricide, and the two men then took the knife away from the enraged boy, who complained bitterly that his father had done nothing when he first "became bad," but had waited until it was too late. He will have a hearing in police court this morning.

VETERANS TO HOLD REUNION.

Survivors of First Minnesota Will Gather at Soldiers' Home.

The First Minnesota Volunteer Infantry association will hold its annual reunion at the Soldiers' Home June 22, when the veterans will have an outing in the form of a basket picnic. Last year the reunion was held June 24, since which time the following have died:

F. Schulz, Company H; Matt Mervin, K; C. J. Dotts, B; Capt. E. P. Perkins, D; George Arnold, B; George McNish, B; Maj. W. B. Leach; Capt. W. B. Harmon, D; D. Butler, B; Sam J. Pitkin, A; George W. Ketchum, K; Charles H. Spear, hospital steward; George Fuller, D; John Blazi, A; James B. Gilman, C; William Cundy, E.

McDonald's Trial Opens.

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