NEWS OF THE CITY

Lumber Company Would Foreclose Lien—The L. Lamb Lumber company yesterday began suit in the district court to foreclose a mechanic's lien for \$164.93 on property belonging to Nels

Paving Contract Awarded—The board of public works yesterday awarded to the James Forrestal company a \$3,865 contract for paving with brick Ken-wood terrace to St. Albans street and

Baking Powder Not Properly Labeled—A. M. Johnson was fined \$25 in the police court yesterday for selling baking powder not properly labeled. The complaint was made by the state dairy and food department. and food department.

No One Told of the Fight-Martin Ulvin, charged with beating S. Larson in a saloon on Jackson street during a fight two weeks ago, was discharged in the police court yesterday. No evidence was brought against him.

Goes to Works for Stealing Gun-Joseph Muchero, arrested on a charge of stealing a revolver from Frank Branka, proprietor of a saloon at Third and Washington streets, was sent to the workhouse yesterday for thirty

Probation Officer to Watch Haper-William Haper, a seventeen-year-old boy, was placed in charge of the probation officer yesterday for stealing a box of plums from a fruit dealer at Fifth and Jackson streets Wednesday night.

dise in Ramsey, Hennepin and St. Louis counties last year was \$12,878, Fifth and Jackson streets Wednesday night.

Woman Has Vicious Dog Killed-Mrs. F. Plant, living on Kentucky street, was before Judge Finehout yesterday on a charge of keeping a dog which her neighbors said was vicious. She was discharged when she told the court that the dog had been killed.

Minors Prepare to Sue Order-Judge Minors Prepare to Sue Order—Juage Bunn yesterday appointed Herbert O. Smith, of Shakopee, special guardian of Henry, May J. and Phillip K. Bout-well, minors, thus allowing them to sue the Ancient Order of United Workmen for the amount of life insurance held by their father.

· Must Explain Money Shortage— Herman Smith, employed by J. Free-man, a farmer, was in the police court yesterday on a charge of taking \$17 of Freeman's money which he had received for the sale of potatoes. Smith said he lost the money from his pocket. He will have a hearing today.

Street Brawler Draws Thirty Days-Bert Carpenter, arrested last Thursday with Harry Pierce on a charge of using a knife on A. Robinson during a fight at Fourth and St. Peter streets, was sentenced to thirty days in the work-house. Pierce was discharged, it having been shown that he did not use a

Evanger Takes Stroll in Nightshirt-Andrew Evanger, living on Como ave-nue, wandered from his home clad in a nightshirt at an early hour yesterday morning and was picked up by Patrol-man Friel on Wabasha street, He was arraigned in police court yesterday on the charge of drunkenness and his case was continued until next Tuesday.

Central High Glee Club Elects-The Glee Club of the Central High School held its annual election of officers yesterday. The following were the suc-cessful candidates: Paul Berisford, president; Chester Emeny, vice president; Vera Putz, secretary; finance committee, Horace Holdeman, Ethel Chellew and Perry Williams. Miss O. Long was re-elected directress.

Fire Patrol in Collision-While responding to an alarm of fire yesterday afternoon the fire insurance patrol collided at Fourth and Minnesota streets with a heavy wagon owned by the James Forrestal company. The tongue of the patrol was broken and one wheel was damaged. Three members of the salvage crew were thrown from their seats, but no one was injured.

IOWA FARMER LOSES VALUABLE WATCH

Misses Timepiece While Returning Home and Reports Loss

Eugene Cherry, a farmer of Iowa City, Iowa, missed a valuable gold watch and chain while on a southbound Great Western train yesterday morning en route to his home from St. Paul. He got off the train at South St. Paul, and after notifying the police of that town returned to St. Paul and notified the railway company and the police of this city. Mr. Cherry thinks that the watch was taken from his pocket when he was in the union depot of this city.

Bad Old Traveler Is Lucky

Patrolman Williams, who was stab-bed twice in the back at the union depot last Wednesday afternoon by John R. Davison, an aged traveler en route from Wallace, Idaho, to Hartford, Conn., asked Judge Finehout in the police court yesterday to dismiss the charges against his assailant. liams said that as Davison's mind was evidently affected, and as he was seventy-five years old and nearly blind, he preferred not to prosecute the man. Williams has now almost entirely recovered from his wounds

Minister's Body Lies in State

Five hundred people and as many school children viewed the body of Rev. Charles Holmes, which lay in state from 11 o'clock until 2:30 o'clock yesterday at the Ascension Episcopal thirteen years. The church was crowded. The exercises consisted of a sermon by Rev. W. P. Ten Broeck, of Faribault, and singing by the choir of the church. After the services the body was conveyed to Oakland cemetery.

"The Gates of Chance"

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By Van Tassel Sutphen,

Will make you forget "Raffles" and "Sherlock Holmes."

For the First Adventure See

Next Sunday's Globe

IN RAMSEY COUNT

Equalizers Compromise on Increase of 25 Per Cent in

the Valuation

After informally deciding to increase the valuation of goods and merchandis in Ramsey and Hennepin counties 33 1-3 per cent, the state board of equalization yesterday compromised on an increase of 15 per cent for St. Louis, 20 for Hennepin and 25 for Ramsey. The same class of property had bee increased generally throughout the

state 25 per cent. No change was made

in the figures relating to this increase The effect of the change is to place the total taxable value of goods and merchandise in the state at \$31,566,310, with the value of the class in the three big counties of the state, \$15,797,486. Last year the total valuation was \$25,-962,746, an increase this year of \$5,603,-564. The value of goods and merchan-

The compromise was reached only after an all day's struggle in the board.

H. W., Fagley, Ramsey county's member of the board, made a single-handed fight, but. Emerson Cole, the Hennepin county member, was reinforced by a delegation which included Assessor C. J. Miner and several representatives of the big wholesale and retail establish-ments of Minneapolis.

Mr. Fagley, late in the afternoon, moved to amend the committee's report and to make the increase in Ramsey county 15 per cent instead of 331-3. The motion was lost, but 5 of the 18 members voting for it. After further discussion the compremise measure was proposed, and it went through without dissent.

Today the board will take up manufactured articles, which largely consist of lumber, and it is expected that there will be something of a contest over raises which are proposed by the committee having had this class under consideration. Minneapolis, Stillwater, Winona, Duluth, Brainerd and other lumbering interests are involved.

BLANKET PROVES THE UNDOING OF STUDENTS

Seniors Toss Freshmen High and One Falls on His Head

Students at Mechanic Arts had a lively time yesterday morning at re-cess. Some of the upper classmen secured a blanket from a peddler's wag-on, captured about a half dozen small sized freshmen and tossed them. One of the victims missed the blanket in coming down, and fell on his head. The injury was not serious, and he was able to attend the rest of his classes. Principal Weitbrecht stopped the sport.

ORDINANCE ALLOWS

BUNCHING OF BIDS

for Board of Public Works

Assemblyman's O'Brien's ordinance permitting the board of public works to receive bids for paving with differ-ent kinds of material on one order received the approval of the aldermanic committee on streets yesterday, and will come up for passage Tuesday

The ordinance was prepared by Corporation Attorney Michael, and, after receiving the approval of the assem-bly, has laid with the aldermanic committee for some time. When brought up yesterday there was a disposition to question its purpose, but Ald. Corning withdrew his opposition when it was explained that if it is passed it will be possible for the board of public works to open bids for the paving of a street with the various paving materials used, and accept the offer meeting with the most favor. At present it is necessary to specify in the order the kind of material upon which bids

JOSLIN, OF WINSTED, WINS BUTTER CONTEST

Average of Product Shown by 75 Exhibitors Exceeds 93 Per Cent

scoring contest conducted by the state dairy and food commission were made dairy and 100d commission were made known yesterday. J. C. Joslin, Winsted, McLeod county, won first place with a percentage of 98; C. E. Kendall, Shafer, Chisago county, second with 97½, and John F. Kielty, of

Watkins, Meeker county, third with a rec-ord of 97. The general average of the butter shown by the seventy-five exhibitors was better than 93 per cent.

E. Slater, of the dairy and food department, and D. J. Mumm, a St. Paul commission man, were the judges. There will be one more contest, to be held in October, before the series of twelve monthly contests is completed.

Charged With Stealing Wire

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W. F. McDill and F. J. Kennedy are
charged with carrying off a quantity of
telephone wire which had been taken
off the poles on Hague avenue by order
of City Engineer Rundlett. The men
were arrested while attempting to dispose of the wire to a West side junk
dealer Wednesday. They were arraigned in the police court and their case
was continued until this morning for
the purpose of filing a complaint.

Funeral of Mrs. Susan O'Brien Burk The funeral of Mrs. Susan O'Brien Burk was held yesterday morning. The church were largely attended, many of those present being sisters of the Visitation and members of the Alumnae Association of the Convent of the Visitation, of which Mrs. Burk was president. Father Cahill officiated at the church and Father Cosgrove read the service at the grave.

T. A. Hickey Speaks Tonight

Thomas A. Hickey, national organizer of the Public Ownership party, will address the members of the party this evening, and each alternate night from now until Oct. 12. The other speaker is F. J. O'Hara, of Kansas City. E. V. Debs, candidate of the party for president, will be here Oct. 12 to take charge of the campaign.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

PARSONAGE TAXES | NEARS END OF TASK

Churches Would Have Them Classed as Benevolent Insti-May Be Completed at Next tutions and Escape Rates Session

The action of the county board of abatement in deciding that the Payne avenue Salvation Army barracks is not subject to taxation has resulted in considerable agitation against the practice of assessing the residences of ministers and priests in charge of the

local churches. The decision that the Salvation Army shall not be taxed, although us ing part of its building as a residence, because it classes itself as a benevolent association, has shown some of the parties interested a way in which it may be possible to secure exemption for the residences used by the ministers and owned by the congregations. It is set forth that it should be easy to secure a ruling that a church, not being a money making venture, is a benevolent institution.

Exempts Societies

A strong ground for hope as to a favorable outcome is based upon the recent ruling of the county attorney that the property of the benevolent associations, including the Woodmen, the Elks, the Masons and other societies could not be taxed. All such property had been placed on the rolls by County Assessor Conley, but upon the strength of this ruling was taken off, and it is believed that having been made aware of the condition of the law the churches will seek to be classed as benevolent associations, instead of as religious denominations, following the line laid down in the action of the abatement board in the Salvation Army case. Exempts Societies

Up to the Auditor It is not thought likely that the board of abatement has the power to act on the matter, and it is beyond the power of the assessor to change the tax rolls. If this view is correct the entire responsibility devolves upon County Auditor Krahmer, who, under the law, has the power to change the assessments after they have been acted upon by the boards of equalization and abatement.

"All parsonages in the city are as-sessed," said Deputy Assessor Petersessed," said Deputy Assessor Peterson yesterday, "it having been the practice for some years to make the religious denominations pay taxes upon all property not used exclusively for religious purposes."

for religious purposes."

Mr. Peterson declined to discuss the legal phases of the proposal that if a building used as a residence by the Salvation Army can escape taxation upon the theory that it is owned by a benevolent association, it would also be possible to put the parsonages in the same class the same class

PAYS STIFF FINE FOR WIELDING CLUB

Printing House Employe is Fined \$50 for Assaulting Foreman

Theodore Funk, charged with striking G. Golke on the head with a club two weeks ago, was fined \$50 in the police court yesterday. Funk, who had been employed at the printing office of the Webb Publishing company, was discharged from his position, and was accused of visiting the office and striking Golke, the foreman, with a club recovered from the operation of the peddlers' ordinance exempting farmers and gardeners from the operation of the peddlers' ordinance, the grocers objecting on the ground that the provision might invited the entire weeks.

GLUMSRUD REPEATS WORKHOUSE TRIP

Released Prisoner Is Returned to Cell for Stealing Bicycle Tools

Nels Glumsrud, released from the workhouse Wednesday, was sent back for sixty days yesterday by Judge Fine-hout. He was arrested on a charge of stealing bicycle tools from H. K. Har-rison, a dealer on East Seventh street. Glumsrud had just completed a thir-ty-day sentence for passing forget checks on grocerymen. Glumsrud's former specialty was purchasing a dozen eggs and laying down a check for a small amount. When arrested he said he resorted to the device to keep his family from starving.

SON SAYS FATHER **USED A PITCHFORK**

Broken Arm Results From Heated Do mestic Argument

Michael Cunningham, a farmer of Michael Cunningham, a farmer of Eagan township, was arrested yesterday on a charge of assault and battery preferred by his son, twenty years of age, who says his father struck him with a pitchfork. The younger Cunningham told the police of South St. Paul that he and his father had an argument and that his father broke his left arm and severely bruised his hand left arm and severely bruised his hand with the pitchfork. Chief of Police McCormick arrested Michael Cunningham, who will have a hearing in Sout. St. Paul this morning.

ACCUSED OF MISUSING GOVERNMENT MAILS

Edward H. Dahlhelmer Committed In De fault of \$1,000 Bail

Edward Hobert Dahlheimer has been held to the federal grand jury, to con-vene at Sioux Falls, Oct. 19, to answer to a charge of sending obscene literature through the mails. The arrest was made at the instance of Postoffice Inspector Frank Planert, of the St. Paul division, and Dablhoimer was constituted. and Dahlheimer was committed in default of \$1,000 ball by United States Commisof \$1,000 bail by United States Commissioner J. A. Rogers, of Clarion, Iowa.

Charles Smith, alias John Johnson, has been held by United States Commissioner L. E. Levorson, of Fergus Falls, charged with the robbery of the postoffice at Degraffe, Minn., Sept. 20. The arrest was caused by Postoffice Inspector George H. Drake, of Minneapolis. Smith is a laborer and will await the term of the United States district court at Fergus, Falls Oct. 4. In default of \$5,000 ball he was committed to the Hennepin county jail.

Insurance Renewed at Same Rate

The state board of control has re newed \$150,000 of fire insurance carried on the state soldiers' home at the rate formerly prevailing. Insurance companies had demanded an increased rate because, they alleged, the electric wiring is defective.

SEEK AVOIDANCE OF RELIEF COMMITTEE IW. C. T. U. WOMEN

Schedules of Appropriations Mrs. Lilian Stevens Addresses

With the exception of a few minor cases yet to be investigated, the city council cyclone relief committee yes-terday completed its work, the total amount appropriated after reductions of \$1,100 had been made is \$9,329.50, leaving a balance of \$670.50 from the

When the session began the committee had previously provided for the expenditure of \$6,385, from which \$500 was deducted. The allowance to James Rogan, 897 Edgerton street, was cut from \$150 to \$100; Mrs. Christianson, 969 Edmund street, from \$250 to \$200; Robert Bruce, 1305 Thomas street, from \$1,250 to \$900, and H. A. Wygant, 1228 West Minnehaha, from \$100 to \$50. The allowance of \$475 to M. H. Lestine, 775 Aurora avenue, was held up for further investigation.

List of Appropriations

The \$3,445.50 ultimately appropriated at vesterday's meeting went to the following: Mrs. Louis Thorworth, the Portland, \$200; W. J. Carroll, 961 Fuller, \$450; Mrs. John Roser, 814 Rondo, \$114; Mrs. Burnham, 912 Aurora, \$86.50; William Fleischer, Charles and Lexington, \$150; J. D. Rotterman, Ashland and Snelling, \$360; Lewis Dunn, \$150; Mrs. Fisher, 336 East Seventh, \$20; Arlington Hills Presbyterian church, \$350; George H. Fley, 467 North street, \$50; John Donovan, \$200; George H. Dahlberg, 643 Burr, \$300; John F. Collins, \$260; Mr. Prescott, \$15; P. H. Mohn, 516 Whitall, \$150; C. L. Marx, \$75; J. Holden, 463 North, \$100; Mrs. Johanna Moeller, 662 De Soto, \$150; Minnie Johnson, \$93 Jessie, \$150t; Catholic Orphan asylum, List of Appropriations Jessie, \$150; Catholic Orphan asylu \$150; Mrs. Church, Broadway, \$25.

Applications Rejected

There are three or four cases yet to There are three or four cases yet to be investigated by the committee, but quite a number of applications were disallowed. * Among these were R. L. and Jennie Gould for \$1.200; G. A. Hoffman, mail carrier, for \$225; W. S. Cole, 882 Hafonid, \$200; Mrs. E. S. West, 772 Arundel, \$41; Mrs. O'Connor, 451 University, \$21.50; J. D. Hoffman, \$600, Mrs. Gowan, \$100, and J. E. Moffett, \$200. The members of the committee who had investigated these cases reported that the claimants were financially able to take care of their financially able to take care of their property.

Among the notable reductions in yesterday's allowances was the Arling-ton Hills Presbyterian church, from ton Hills Presbyterian church, from \$500 to \$350, on the motion of Ald. Hebl; William Fleischer, from \$600 to \$150, on motion of Ald. Lynch, and J. D. Rotterman, from \$450 to \$300, on motion of Assemblyman Regan.

As this practically completes the task of the committee, it is expected by the members that they will be able to prepare a final report at the session scheduled for Tuesday.

GREEN GROCERS ARE TO PEDDLE UNMOLESTED

validate the entire measure.

It is provided in the proposed ordinance that all growers and farmers who sell their products from house to house shall not be subject to the pedhouse shall not be subject to the peddlers' ordinance, the supreme court having decided that they can be prosecuted under the existing ordinance. The grocers were willing to enter into an agreement that growers and farmers would not be arrested, but Alvin Rowe, appearing for the Growers' association, objected to this.

Messrs. Corning, Lynch and Rohland voted for a favorable report, and Messrs. Held and Moriarty against such action. The latter two explained that they believed that the farmers should be restricted to certain hours during the afternoon.

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GETS HABEAS CORPUS BUT FAILS TO USE IT

Gatewood Writ to Secure Daughter Not Yet Served

The habeas corpus writ applied for on Tuesday by Rias Gatewood, in which he alleged that he desired to secure the custody of his ten-year-old daughter, lies unused in the office of the clerk of the district court. Gatewood charged in his complaint, on which the writ was issued, that his wife had eloped with a man named J. H. Lee, and that the child was in St. Paul with Mrs. Gatewood and Lee.

Gym to Open at Central

Dr. Robinson, principal of the Central high, today announced that gymnasium classes would begin in the school next Monday. Classes for boys will be held on Wednesdays and Fridays, for girls on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Prof. Hermann will take charge of the classes until his son Alvin, who was appointed assistant physical diwas appointed assistant physical di-rector and who is now coaching Cen-tral's football team, will be through with his football work.

Claims Husband Deserted Her

Mrs. Josephine North has brought suit in the district court for divorce from her husband, Clarence W. North, claiming that he deserted her a year after their marriage, which occurre Dec. 30, 1897, when plaintiff was fiftee years of age and the defendant nine teen. Plaintiff asks that the court re store her maiden name of Josephin

Brings Action to Quiet Title Martha A. Yoerg yesterday brought an action in the district court to quiet title of lots 123 and 24, block 35, Sum-mit Park 30 addition, naming Anna George and others as defendants.

Woman Fights on Train Mrs. Jacob Peterson, of Neillsville, Minn., created a scene at Seventh and Jackson streets Wednesday, and the police put her on a train at the depot for her home. She acted so violently on the train, however, that she had to be taken off at Willmar. State Agent Lindsay has taken charge of the woman.

Suit by State Bank

The State Bank of St. Paul and not the State Savings bank has brought suit in the district court against F. A. Pike and others, in which several per-sons were garnished.

Members of the Local Unions

The members of the several unions of the W. C. T. U. in St. Paul furned out in large numbers yesterday after-noon to meet Mrs. Lilian M. N. Stevens, national president of the organization, and Miss Anna Gordon, national secretary. The reception in their onor was held in the parlors of the Willard hotel from 3 until 5 o'clock, and an excellent programme of music and speeches was given.

After greeting the guests of honor, those present were seated and the chairman introduced Mrs. Addie Bixby Upham, the temperance worker of this city, who made a graceful address of velcome to the distinguished guests. She told of the progress made in the local work and reported the prospects as very encouraging. Several vocal numbers were given by Miss Cora Winston, of Hamline, which short speeches were made by Mrs. Mandigo, of this city, state treasurer of the W. C. T. U., and Miss Bessie Laythe Scovel, of Minneapolis, state president, who cordially welcomed Mrs. Stevens and Miss Gordon to St. Paul.

Praise for Mrs. Stevens

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The latter responded with a stirring address, in which she paid a high compliment to the executive ability and able management of Mrs. Stevens, who was selected by Miss Willard herself to be her first assistant. Miss Gordon spoke of and to the children, encouraging them to join the local union of Loyal Temperance legion and to learn the marching songs which were written especially for the children, and particularly urged them to sing, "The Saloon Must Go."

Mrs. Stevens, national president, a

sing, "The Saloon Must Go."

Mrs. Stevens, national president, a dignified woman with a strong voice, addressed herself particularly to the mothers. She told them a story of the sailor who rescued a boatload of ship-wrecked people, saying: "Give me the children first." This, said the speaker, should be the motto of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, for if the children are early imbued with a horror of liquor and the saloon, they are not likely to go wrong later on. Links in a Great Chain

She dwelt upon the importance of each member as a link in the great chain which makes up the largest or-ganization of women in the world, and cordially invited those present not

cordially invited those present not members to join.

She paid a tribute to N. R. Frost, who named his hotel after the great temperance leader and would not allow liquor to be sold in it, and she hoped the day would come when every hotel in the country would follow the example set by Mr. Frost. She cordially thanked the women of the W. C. T. U. for their charming reception and for the hospitality shown to her and Miss Gordon. Mr. Frost said a few words, which closed the programme. Mrs. Stevens and Miss Gordon go to North Dakota from here.

TEACHERS OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS HOLD MEETING

Opening Sessions of Tenth Annual Institute Are Well Attended

The opening session of the tenth annual Sunday school institute of Rames and Hennepin counties at the Central Park M. E. church, Minnesota and Twelfth streets, yesterday morning Twelfth streets, yesterday morning was well attended. The institute is being held under the auspices of the state primary department. About 200 Sunday school workers from Minneapolis and St. Paul and the surrounding

olls and St. Paul and the surrounding towns were present.

Miss L. A. Emery, of St. Paul, presided at the teacher's training session in the morning. The report of the treasurer, Mrs. H. C. Morse of Minneapolis, showed a substantial sum to the credit of the organization. After the appointment of committees the president, Miss Emery, addressed the meeting, extending a welcome to the visiting, extending a welcome to the visit-ing delegates. Mrs. M. F. Bryner, the international field worker, delivered an interesting address on the subject,
"How Lesson Construction Resembles
Dress Construction."

Mrs. L. J. Lee, of St. Paul, presided at the afternoon session devoted to the interests of parents. Home training of children and child study were the principal subjects of discussion. Mrs. J. Hobart, the field worker, of Minneapolis, conducted a conference on child study, and Mrs. Bryner spoke on the "Home Department and Cradle Roll." Ernest Fagenstren, of Minneapolis, gave an illustrated lesson, using as his text the Bible story of the good Sa-maritan, showing how, by means of the blackboard, subjects could be more

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St. Paul's Silk Selling Store.

Field, Schlick & Co.

Autumn suits eleven dollars

Walking skirts five dollars

opportunity that has not been 100 new fall skirts, laid out for a speequaled this season will be offered to-day, when 50 suits will be put on sale at the above price. They are all strict-ly fashionable, and if your purse is limited this is the sale you should at-tend. Ten to one you'll find just what you've wanted and half the cost saved. 100 new fall skirts, laid out for a spe-cial Friday sale. The astonishing fea-ture is that a nobby, fashionable skirt can be made and sold for so little. There are plain and herringbone chevi-ots, men's-wear tweeds, etc. Every one strictly new, stylishly cut and a bargain at half as much again.

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Today a great sale, and at the price only 20 yards will be sold to each cus-

One case of the genuine first quality Lonsdale muslin, the best 10c bleached muslin made —for the one day, and only one case—the yard.....

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FEAR AN EPIDEMIC DEEMS IT A BENEFIT

posed to Diphtheria

The village of Inver Grove is threatened with a diphtheria epidemic. One family is entirely at the mercy of the disease and one death has occurred. Henry Miller, his wife, and six children are in, a critical condition, and one child, a girl of four, is dead.

Physicians are taking every precaution to guard against the spread of the disease, but as many of the people of the village have been exposed it is feared that other cases will develop. The danger first became apparent yesterday when the girl died. The fam-ily had been ill, but the nature of the sickness was not known. Wednesday night a physician was called and he pronounced the trouble with which the girl was suffering to be croup. Within a few hours the child was dead. Physicians were then called from South St. Paul and St. Paul, and it was learned that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and that the child's death was due to dipherent and the child was dead. theria, and that the other members of the family were suffering from the dis-

NEW INCORPORATIONS

Articles of incorporation of the Water-man-Hunter company, Minneapolis, were filed yesterday with the secretary of state. The capital stock is \$50,000 and the new company will manufacture sash, doors and blinds. The incorporators are: Raymond, Waterman, R. V. Hunter and

N. I. Vickery.

The Hebrew Ladies' County Charity society, Minneapolis, filed articles of incorporation. There is no capital stock, and the purposes of the seciety are purely charitable.

Interest Disqualifies Judge Gov. Van Sant has designated Judge Lorin Craw, of Mankato, as the trial judge to displace Judge B. F. Weber in the trial of a civil action at New Ulm.

Judge Weber is interested in the case, and is therefore disqualified from sitting as the trial judge. Gathers Data on Fish Charles H. Stevenson, Washington D. C., a special agent of the United States fish commission, is spending a few days

in Minnesota gathering data to be used

by his department. He called on S. F. Fullerton, executive agent of the state game and fish commission, yesterday at the state capitol. Dakota Governors Take Part ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 29.—The chief executives of four states—Gov. Terrell, of Georgia; Gov. Beckham, Kentucky; Gov. Herreid, South Dakota, and Gov. White, North Dakota participated in the celebration of Jamestown exposition to-day at the Virginia world's fair building. The celebration was destined to proclaim to the world that in 1907 at Hampton Roads, Va. the tercentennial of the

founding of Jamestown, in 1607, the first English settlement in America will be

Residents of Inver Grove Ex. M. H. Jewell Says Irrigation Congress Was a Success

"Our irrigation congress at Mandan was a decided success," said M. H. Jewell, the Bismarck (N. D.) editor, at the Merchants hotel yesterday on his return with the St. Paul delegation from attendance

on the convention which had been in session at Mandan for two days.

"We passed resolutions calling on congress and the reclamation bureau to begin on some of the great projects for developing the semi-arid lands along the Missouri river, and I believe that the confidence in the confidence of the co Missouri river, and I believe that the con-ference will be of benefit in stimulating interest and drawing attention to our needs. North Dakota has been one of the needs. North Darota has been one of the very heaviest contributors to the fund which is being expended in large amounts in other states, but we have been remiss in not taking hold of the proposition to irrigate our bench lands along the rivers. A very little additional moisture will produce wonderful results in that country. The St. Paul men expressed themselves as much pleased with the entertainment at Mandan and with the merits of the plans to irrigate our lands."

STILLWATER

Samuel B. Tripp, when released from the state prison yesterday at the end of his fourth term in the institution, was rearrested at the instance of tion, was rearrested at the instance of Hudson (Wis.) authorities. As Tripp-refuses to voluntarily go to Hudson, requisition papers will be secured, the charge of his being a fugitive from justice having been continued in police court to Monday. Tripp's periods of confinement have all been on the charge of either horse stealing or larceny, but the new accusation is burglary. His last term was for four

John F. May, a pioneer citizen of Washington county, died in Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 23, and his body will arrive in Stillwater this morning. Interment will be in Fairview cemetery, He was about eighty years of age and lived on a farm near Stillwater from the early '50s until five years ago, when he went to California. He served in Company C, Eighth Minnesota regiment of Civil war volunteers.

A report made by the Stillwater Carnival association shows that the subscribers to the carnival fund will receive back 45 per cent of their money. This is a much better return than was expected. Foot passengers were yesterday al-

permitted to go over today. Towne Stirs 'Em Up

lowed to cross the bridge from Still-water to Holton, and teams will be

VINCENNES, Ind., Sept. 29.—Charles A. Towne, of New York, delivered the principal address at a meeting tonight. which opened the Democratic campaign in Knox county. Mr. Towne's address embraced a discussion of national issues and an appreciation of Alton B. Parker.

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