Uncle Sam Must Talk Turkey to THE NAT'L VETERINARY MEDICS the Orient.

SO SAYS MISS STONE'S BROTHER

Effect of Precedent Set in Present Affair Will Be Felt for Long Time.

Perley A. Stone of Boston, a brother of Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary held for ransom by Macedonian brigands, 'is at the West. Mr. Stone is travelling representative for several Massachusetts shoe concerns. He says that his sister is not held captive by a set of brigands who seek merely the money demanded, but that it is the result of a political conspiracy among men who are behind the scenes in Macedonia and Bulgaria, and who are more powerful than the government itself. The action of the United States government in this particular, he Bays, involves the safety of every American citizen in that part of the world. He

Aimed at Americans.

"My sister was not taken captive because she was a missionary but because she was an American citizen. It would not have happened had she been the sublect of any other nation. Her abduction is a challenge to the American nation. Her rescue or abandonment will determine for long years to come the standing of Americans in the orient. It is a test of the ability of this country to protect its citizens abroad. Today American missionaries in those countries are living under threats of death unless are living under threats of death unless money demanded by these political con-spirators is forthcoming. The conditions demand vigorous action by our govern-ment. It practically means that in selfdefense we must mix in the eastern ques-tion which Russie, France and England have endeavored to keep corked up for many years. I am thankful that we have a man in the presidential chair who will have voluntarily selected the same day. The election at the Security bank was

Protection in the East.

I believe that in this case the United States will take such a stand as to impress upon the world that protection and defense will be accorded American citizens wherever they go. I want to impress upon the American people that action of its government in this instance will set a precedent for all time. Drastic measures will be necessary sooner or later for the protection of our people in the east, and now is the time to apply them. This is the crucial test. I'believe that as long as this test had to come no person in the world could have been se-lected by fate or an omnipotent power better fitted for it than my sister. She is accustomed to the country and to "rough-ing it." She is heroism personified. She has set her captors an example which has made an impression upon them. I be-lieve, as we are informed, that there is already an element among them who favor

The United States government is doing all in its power to effect my sister's re-lease. The president could not show more solicitude if it were his own sister. I cannot hazard an opinion as to the success of this effort. The political motives behind her capture are to be reckoned with. We hope for the best. My Christian mother hopes that my sister will have an influence upon her captors in leading them into better lives. She would rather have her daughter a missionary and a martyr, if need be, than a queen on a throne.

They'll Leave No Tracks.

'Our advices are that my sister's cap tors will be unwilling to release her until spring. They desire to await the appearance of the foliage and the disappearance of snow in order to cover their retreat. The \$70,000 which awaits the acceptance of the brigands would have to be carried on pack horses, and that now is impossible."

Tears came into the eyes of Mr. Stone as he discussed his sister's captivity. He says that the element of comfort in the situation was the heroism displayed by her, and the interest shown in her fate by the entire country.

THE SUB-JUGUM ACT

The State Normal Board Gracefully Passes Under the Yoke.

ITS POLICY, PEACE AT ANY PRICE

Wouchers Will Be Approved and Submitted to Control Board-A

Mankato Plaint.

Eight members of the state normal board answered the roll call this morning, the only absentee being J. C. Norby of Ada. W. F. Phelps, the Duluth memhads. W. F. Phelps, the Duluth ber, declared he was for "peace at any price," and the other members of the aimilarly subdued mood. board were in a similarly subdued mood. The accountant at the Duluth school reported certificates of indebtedness out-tanding to the amount of \$19,422.83, for work on the building during July, August and September, and there is an unexpended balance of \$9,181.01 out of the \$120,000. will be spent in paying the final estimates for heating and plumbing. Director Phelps was called on for the wouchers, in order to have the board ap-

prove them and pass them on to the board of control. He said they were in the hands of Secretary Olsen, but that a gen-tleman produced a letter from Phelps recalling the vouchers. Mr. Phelps undertook to produce the vouchers and make a report this afternoon. Director Nye took the position that under the supreme court decision vouchers should go direct to the board of control, but he was informed that the latter board insists on the approval of normal board to all bills.

Sentiment among the normal board members this morning favored a confer-ence with the board of control late to-day, at the close of the business session. The resignation of Dr. Kleeberger, president of the St. Cloud school, was

formally accepted. Director Clark of Mankato said there was much feling among the dealers of his city against the plan of furnishing books and supplies to students at cost, through a school store. He favored doing away with it. The other seven were against him, however. They passed a resolution directing the presidents to draw up a uni-form plan to be adopted next year, subject to approval of the board of control. President Kleeberger of St. Cloud asked to have tuition remitted to students in the kindergarten training course, and Director Eastman supported the request. It was voted down. Mr. Eastman was also unsuccessful in getting \$20 with which to pay the pianist at the school.

New Corporations. New Corporations.

The Aider Creek Mining company of Duluth insorporated to-day with \$150,000 capital. D. T. Denton and S. A. Love of Duluth, and Thomas Owens of Two Harbors are the insorporators. The company is going for gold. The Minnesota State Abstracters' Association has incorporated. A. T. Koerner of Litchfield is president; W. T. Dampier of St. Paul is vice president; James H. Burnham of Moorhead, secretary, and W. S. Jenkins of Minneapolis treasurer. The directors are W. E. Dampier, James H. Burnham, W. S. Jenkins, Aug. F. Koerner, John N. Hala, M. Myers and A. W. Thompson.

cured for This City.

Their Convention Meets Some Time During the Summer-Mayor's Office Receives Word.

Minneapolis will entertain the National Veterinary Medical association next summer. A letter came for Dr. Ames to-day from Dr. William Herbert Lowe, of Paterson, N. J., president of the association, stating that the majority of the members of the executive committee, whose duty it was to select a place of meeting, had decided for Minneapolis.

The Minneapolis veterinarians started he movement to secure the convention just after the last meeting, in Atlanta, Ja., in September. Invitations were sent the executive committee by the Commer cial Club and by Mayor Ames and several members replied immediately expressing their preference that the convention be To-day the announcement of the decision of the committee was re-

ceived. The National Veterinary Medican as sociation has a membership of over 1,000, every state in the union being repre

CHANGES ARE FE

Elections Being Held in Many Local Banks To-day.

G.W.PEAVEY, N.W.BANK DIRECTOR

He Takes His Father's Place-A. F Pillsbury Also Chosen on the Same Board.

Annual bank elections were held yesterday afternoon in Minneapolis. With the national banks it is by law; state banks postponed until Jan. 28; that of the South Side State bank occurs in May, of the Hennepin County Savings bank in Sep-

Few changes are expected this year, what new directors there are being mainly chosen to fill vacancies caused by death. No changes will be made in of-

At the National Bank of Commerce three directors have been chosen to succeed retiring men and the ename of Cashier A. A. Crane has been added, increasing the list to thirteen. Frank T. Heffelfinger succeeds George W. Peavey, and E. C. Warner of the Midland Oil company and F. W. Lyman of the Lyman-Eliel Drug company take the places of C. J. Martin and William Butters, retir ing. The new list is as follows:
James S. Bell, S. A. Culbertson, A. A.
Crane, S. A. Harris, F. T. Heffelfinger, F. E.

Kenaston, O. M. Laraway, F. W. Lyman, E. J. Phelps, F. B. Semple, H. H. Thayer, F. H. Wellcome, E. C. Warner. At the Swedish American bank the board has been cut down from fifteen to eleven, making a quorum easily secured. The retiring members are August Sandberg, Samuel Hill, A. C. Simonds and C.

J. Swanson, leaving the present board as follows: C. M. Amsden, W. S. Amsden, H. K. Halvorson, C. S. Hulbert, Marcus Johnson, C. J. Johnson, C. A. Smith, F. A. Smith, S. J. Turnblad, A. Ueland, N. O. Werner. On the First National bank directory Alfred Pillsbury succeeds his father the late John S. Pillsbury, and George W. Peavey comes from the National Bank of

Commerce board to take the place of the late Frank H. Peavey in the directory of the Northwestern National bank. At the Germania bank of Minneapolis the following directors were elected:
John C. Oswald, Leonard Paulle, C. G. Laybourn, H. J. Dahn, Joseph Ingenhutt, H.

Vogt. O. E. Naegele. This bank declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent, placed 2 per cent to the surplus and set away 3 per cent for undivided profits. This covers the earnings of the bank for the last six months. No changes resulted at the St. An thony Falls, the People's and Metropoli-tan banks. The election at the German-American bank will be held at 7:30 p. m.

NECROLOGICAL

MRS. LUCINDA E. BILLINGS, wife of MRS. LUCINDA E. BILLINGS, wife of C. B. Billings, died last Friday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Hall, 3129 Longfellow avenue, of spinal meningitis. The remains were taken to Rochester, Minn., for burial. Mrs. Billings was born in New York, and was at the time of her death 58 years of age. Mr. and Mrs. Billings resided in Wells, Minn., for about twenty-eight years, moving to Minneapolis nearly three years ago. She is survived by her husband, two sons and two daughters. Wells, Minn., papers, please copy.

A. FRESCHET, 57 Eastman avenue, died at the city hospital yesterday, aged 60 years. He was taken to the hospital on Dec. 10. The coronier has been asked to hold a post morteem examination to determine definitely the cause of death, which the hospital physicians are uncertain about. It is stated, however, that it was due to natural

J. A. TENNER, a veteran who served in Company D. First Minnesota, in the civil war, died in St. Paul Monday. The funeral took place to-day, at 9 a. m., from his late residence, 366 E Tenth street. Members of Company D, which was from Stillwater, will attend, and desire that all members of the First Minnesota in the twin cities should the First Minnesota in the twin cities should be notified of Mr. Tenner's death.

MRS. MARY I. BASSETT died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Barclay Cooper, 1100 Hawthorn avenue, aged 85 years. She had been a resident of Minneapolis, 38 years. The funeral will be held from the residence Friday at 2:30 p. m .

MRS. N. MATTESON, 49 years of age died at the city hospital yesterday. home was at 615 Fourth avenue S.

A 1,000 CONVENTION FAIR ARMS SCARRED CLASS

Another National Gathering Is Se- Co-Eds All Vaccinated, and the Ju- Northern Lines' Revision Does Not nior Ball Coming, Too.

SANGUINARY DAY AT THE U. OF M. WHEAT RATES MAY DROP LATER

Health Officers Do a Thorough Job and Sore Arms Galore Will Follow.

It's just too mean for anything for Dr. Hall and the health department to dis-figure our arms, with the junior ball only two weeks away I simply won't let them raccinate me."

These and other exclamations of a simi-

lar tenor—or, rather, soprano—were passed between university co-eds this morning immediately after chapel exercises, when, the order had gone forth, all students must be vaccinated or present evidence of successful vaccination. This measure, as stated by President Northrop the smallpox in the "U." The students generally realized the wisdom of the order and jokingly submitted to the attentions of the officials of the health department Immediately after chapel the work of inoculation began; hundreds of male stu-dents formed a line which led into the president's office. Here were stationed Drs. Hall and Leonard of the health department. As the line passed along, arms were bared for inspection. Satisfactory evidence of vaccination was the only means by which a student was allowed to be exempt from the attentions of the medstudents who were checked off as inspec tion was passed. The scene was a novel one for the classic halls of the library

Guild Passed Muster.

One of the first to come before the physicians was Captain Guild, superintendent of buildings. Like unto the lowliest freshman, his arm was bared and a medical opinion passed upon the scar which he has carried since the days of the civil war. "You're immune. Next!" were the words of Dr. Leonard. Then followed scores of students. Not rank, title, or affirmation of previous vaccina-tion availed. All were "up for inspec-

Meanwhile the pretty "co-eds" of the institution had gathered in the pariors of the Young Women's Christian association, where Drs. Hanscome and Deizel were stationed. Physician's certificates were produced by many, others submitted gracefully to the vaccination, while a perfect chorus of vain regrets filled the room, because they feared that the process might interfere with the pleasure at the Junior ball, scheduled for Jan. 31. At noon when operations ceased, the health officials stated that the arms of probably 1,500 students had been "passed upon." About 800 medics and laws were made immune yesterday, so that about two-thirds of the students have gone through the ordeal. To-night the night laws will come in for attention and the sessions will continue in the president's office each morning until complete results

Fully 75 per cent of the students were able to show evidences of vaccination.

BASS AGAIN IN MARKET

THEIR SALE LEGAL ONCE MORE

some Sportsmen Favor Withdraw ing Them From Market for Another Five Years.

"While I believe that the legislature should confine its work at the coming special session to a consideration of the report of the tax commission, there is one item in the game and fish laws which could be fixed without occupying any time or distracting the attention of the legis-lators from more important matters, but which would still be of great benefit to the thousands of fishermen in the state." Thus remarked Roman Alexander, one of the keenest of local sportsmen. The remark was prompted by the sight of several fine black bass in the windows of a down-town meat stall. "The five-year period during which the bass were to be protected, expired with 1901," said Mr. Alexander, "and already you can get plenty of bass in the local markets. Minnesota has the best of laws for the protection of game and fish, and although there are a great many violations, the

laws are of vast benefit. "Although the population of this state has increased greatly and with it the number of sportsmen, it is an actual fact that bass are more numerous in the lakes than they were five years ago. Of partridges and grouse there are also more, all owing to the excellent laws. Still, the be caught for the market. They would very soon become scarce again in that case. Before any damage has been done, the legislature should re-enact the law tutes and the work of the agricultural probabilities the display and solve the sol prohibiting the display and sale of bass in markets for another term of five years. By that time it might be safe to let dow. is not safe now, and to permit it will be gamy fish.

"All members of the legislature are familiar with the beneficial advantages of this law, and I believe it would pass without opposition if some one will take the trouble to introduce it."

BADGER BUTTERMEN Small Attendance for the Opening Day at Madison.

Special to The Journal. Madison, Wis., Jan. 15.—The annual meeting of the Wisconsin Buttermakers' Associa tion opened this afternoon in the assembly chamber with an attendance of about 100 Three times that number are expected for tomorrow's session. Mayor Sto comed the visitors, Professor E. H. Farring ton making the response. The reports of th secretary and treasurer were read, followed by an address by the president, F. B. Fullme of Ettrick. Joseph Kolarik of Illinois then spoke on the benefits of the state association.

THE CITY WITHOUT A MAYOR

For a week now, at least, Minneapolis pears, however, that this is not so. The will be without any one empowered to act in the capacity of chief executive. Mayor president of the council to act as mayor. in the capacity of chief executive. Mayor president of the council to act as mayor. Ames is away for an indefinite period, Should the emergency require it, proband President D. P. Jones of the city ably it would be legal for the city councouncil is out of town and will not be cil to meet in special session, depose Alback for a week or more. The supposition would be that Alderman Powers, as successor, and then the city would have cil to meet in special session, depose Althe others the derman Jones as president and elect a make provision. vice president of the council, would act an acting mayor with authority to perfor the mayor in an emergency. It ap-

Why Cy. Looked Picturesque

When Cy Harris turned up at his place of business yesterday his costume was so picturesque as to excite remark, and he didn't seem a bit proud of it, either.

Jan. 14 is Cy's birthday. Last night he and his wife returned home late and did not retire until the sitting-room clock announced the hour of 12. Then Mrs. Harris nemarked that her husband still looked hale and hearty for a man of three score years and five, the lights were turned out and the lower floor of the house was left in darkness.

with them Mr. Harris' new overcost, a sealskin jacket and an automobile coat being in the witer "creations" from a stylish and expensive millinery house, and a hat which Cy had worn since and house, and a hat which Cy had worn since at the first strong attachment. Then to impress upon their host the fact that time flies, they added a clock to their other plunder.

They left by the front door, and, as the door can only be closed from the outside with a slam, they very considerately neghouse was left in darkness.

However, the birthday was not destined to pass uneventfully into history along with the many others that had gone before. During the early morning the plan of certain friends, who had decided to give Cy a surprise party were carried out successfully, although the host of the occasion knew it not.

The house was entered through a window, and when the invaders left they took to the police.

When Cy Harris turned up at his place | with them Mr. Harris' new overcoat.

a clock to their other plunder.

They left by the front door, and, as the door can only be closed from the outside with a slam, they very considerately neglected to close it, evidently not wishing to disturb the sleepers up stairs. The sijected to close it, evidently not wishing to disturb the sleepers up stairs. The sijected to close it, evidently not wishing to the latter game will play the C. W. Huff-

Affect Commodity Tariffs.

Darius Miller Represents the G. N and the Burlington in the Rate Conference.

Tariff reductions to be made by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific roads and the consequent reductions on other lines will go into effect Feb. 1. That is the principal result of the conference of traffic officials Monday in the general offices of the Great Northern. The Great Northern rate sheets went to the printer this morning and copies of the new tariffs will soon be ready.

Other Roads Take Time. The Milwaukee and North-Western off cials are not ready to commit themselves on the probable action of their roads regarding reductions. They intend to take time to investigate the effect of the changes at the various points on their lines crossed by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific.

The reductions are included mainly in what is known as the "ten classes." This includes first, second, third and fourth classes in "less than car loads"; the fifth and the "A," "B," "C," "D" and "E" classes in carloads. Commodity rates, such as the rate on coal, lumber, flour and wheat remain unchanged. President Hill announced some time ago that the wheat rate would not be changed until later in the year, as altering it now would do the farmer little good, most of the wheat having passed out of farmers' hands.

Darius Miller, traffic director for the and the Burlington at yesterday's meethas been under his supervision. It was decided to hold another conference before the rates were placed in effect.

CAUSE OF THE FARM

The State Agricultural Society in Annual Convention.

A GREETING BY GOV. VAN SANT

Profitable Year and a Need of More Room.

About one hundred bronzed faces were upturned to Governor S. R. Van Sant, when he began his address before the Minnesota State Agricultural society in the senate chamber of the state capitol yesterday. There were other faces not bronzed-

bright feminine faces—the owners of which came to enlighten the agriculturists which came to enlighten the agriculturists and be enlightened by them. Graybeards were about in plenty, and there were a good many young men, but middle-aged persons were in the minority. It was the annual meeting and much renot taken up until nearly 11 o'clock. Dean W. M. Liggett of the state agricul-tural school, seemed to have many friends

Second Vice President Chester R. Smith

Governor Van Sant welcomed the members and dwelt upon the importance of the Minnesota fair. He said it was probabers and dweit upon the importance of the Minnesota fair. He said it was proba-bly the finest in the country. The gov-ernor spoke of Minnesota as the recog-nized "bread and butter" state, and added that it had also become the beef state. to overlook the fact that it was the state of fruits and flowers. This was well shown by the agricultural exhibitions. The governor referred to an address of in 1856, when the venerable ex-governor agreed that Minnesota was not too far north for the successful raising of corn. bass are not so numerous that they should be caught for the market. They would raised in Minnesota, and all fed here, too, college.

There was hearty applause at the end of the governor's address, and Dean Liggett, the bars for a little time. It certainly of the state agricultural college, in the only to aid in the extermination of this Then the goveror was given a rising vote On the suggestion of E. G. Champlin of

Blue Earth there was a recess of ten minutes in order that the members might meet and congratulate Governor Van Secretary Randall's Report. Secretray E. W. Randall submitted his report. The equipment was practically the same as when the present grounds were first utilized, with the exception of

a \$25,00) building constructed last year for fruit and flowers. This equipment had been outgrown in many respects, and it was absolutely necessary that improve-ments should be made. Nearly every exhibit had outgrown its housings. As to the specific improvements needed, Mr. Randall said: Sheep and swine barns must be built befor

the next fair. A live stock amphitheater of ample dimensions is a prime necessity. The dairy, woman's and poultry buildings have each been outgrown, and must soon be en-larged and rebuilt. The main building needs to be thoroughly remodeled and supplied with power. The need of a horticultural building has already been referred to. The housing for the machinery department should at least be doubled, and a power and lighting plant nust be provided.

There should also be a partial rearrange-ment of the grounds, so that the present conglomerate mixing of concessions among the exhibition departments may be avoided. These ety, so far as its funds will permit, and for the others the legislature will be asked

The opening of the fair at night had proved a decided success, and this feature would be continued hereafter. Races and special features had served "the purpose of drawing crowds."

WITH THE CURLERS Minneapolis Rinks Not Faring a Well as They Should.

lected to close it, evidently not wishing to disturb the sleepers up stairs. The silverware in the dining-room, and other articles of value about the house were undisturbed.

Thus it was that Cy came down town this morning arrayed in an old and motheaten coat, and wearing a hat of the vintage of '87. The matter has been reported to the police.

of the latter game will play the C. W. Huffman rink of Winnipeg, the strongest here. Ordway is now against S. G. Harstone of the Winnipegs, another of the very strong rinks. Stewart falls against D. W. Stocking of Duluth. The Minneapolis rinks, scipped by John MacLeod and J. H. Riheldaffer, are out of both events, losing to E. J. Rochon of Fort Williams in the first and G. F. Mac-Donald of Duluth in the latter.

Nicollet. NICKEL PLATE 307 Nicollet.

\$2.85 Clearance Sale.

TWO BIG LOTS OF BROKEN SIZES

Ladies' French enamel, patent calf, patent kid and box calf boots, latest styles of fall and winter footwear, broken sizes in \$3.50 and \$4.00 qualities---some heavy extension, some light weight--every pair a bargain.....

Entire lot to be closed out at this Special Price.

Gentlemen's French enamel, patent calf and box calf fall and winextensions, splendid styles in high grade shoes at a low price. Come and see if we can fit you at this money saving sale.....

See them in our Windows.

HERE FOR BUSINESS HOW THEY HOLD Dillin Drug Co

Members of N. W. Lumbermen's Association Meet Here.

REPORT A YEAR OF PROSPERITY

Insurance Association Will Discuss Matter of Larger Policies To-morrow.

Lumbermen from Minnesota. Wisconsin, Iowa and the Dakotas crowded K. P. Burlington, acted for the Great Northern hall, Masonic Temple, yesterday at the joint annual meeting of the North- Merritt, one-quarter. They are Duluth ing. The preparation of the new tariffs western Lumbermen's association and the Retail Lumbermen's Insurance association. A hundred delegates had presented their credentials when the chairman called for order. The morning session was taken up with the annual address of the president and the reports of the sec-

retary and treasurer.
President O. C. Sarles of Hillsdale, N. D., said the last year had been one of unparalleled prosperity in the lumber industry. The volume of business was the argest ever transacted in the history of the industry. The board directors had succeeded in confining the lumbering business to legitimate channels with gratifying success. The most important action of the year was the adoption of the new constitution last May. The attitude of the manufacturers toward the Northwestern association was friendly, and a continuance of harmonious relations between the two associations was looked for. Any seeming differences between the associations, which might appear on the surface, the president was satisfied, would be adjusted to the satisfaction of all parties Secretary W. G. Hollis reviewed the his-

tory of the association since its inception in 1890, and spoke of its benefits to deal-ers whose business had thitherto been well nigh ruined owing to the loose busi-ness methods. He said: Attitude Toward Manufacturer. In an experience in the lumber trade in this

part of the country covering a period of twenty-three years, I find no precedent for

the conditions which have obtained the past year, and now prevail in this northern terrimeans to fill urgent demands and upon his stocks, demands which have been and still are in excess of expectations. any wonder, then, that he feels that inde-pendence which comes to every man in days of great prosperity? What, then, shall be called the assemblage to order. President
John Cooper of St. Cloud and First Vice
President Thomas Shelvin were both abof antagonism, for has he not recognized the great principle for which we have been contending? During the last year there have been but forty-nine regularly filed complaints against wholesalers and manufacturers. Of this number one-third proved to be excusable shipments. Our present membership is the argest and most representative in the history of the association. It must inevitably con

tinue to grow until a non-association dealer will be a rarity. Treasurer J. H. Queal's report showed these totals: Balance on hand Jan. 5 1901, \$1,541.59; received for membership \$470; received for annual dues \$9,250; vouchers, 2,003 to 2,186 paid \$9,785.85; balance on hand, Jan. 4, 1902, \$1.475. The members of the auditing commit tee are C. E. Graf of Eldora, Iowa, and J. L. Davis of Glencoe, Minn.

In Executive Session. The association met in executive session yesterday afternoon, delegates being admitted by yellow passes, which, as the ecretary explained, had been facetiously called "quarantine" cards.

The insurance association will hold its business session to-morrow. The princi-pal business of the association, as outlined in the report to be submitted by the secretary, will be the consideration of a plan by which additional insurance can be written to suit the growing de for larger policies. With rather an un-usual run of losses during the last half of the year, the association still has enough for all losses and expenses, in addition to a comfortable surplus. The election of officers will be a feature of the morning session.

Met. L. Saley and C. H. Ketridge will read papers in the afternoon on "Grading Association Members" and "What Is the Limit to the Practicability of Our Asso-

ciation? No Social Functions.

This year's convention is of a purely business nature, all social features having been eliminated. The annual banquet supreme court are difficult to understand was to have been held this evening, but at times and the court's attitude in the its abandonment was necessitated for reasons given by the secretary in the

SANITARY CONFERENCE Physicians and Health Officers Gath er in St. Paul.

Interest in sanitary problems drew over 100 physicians and health officers to the state captiol yesterday. The opening session of er-in-law, B. B. Fryel, at 612 Harrison the Minnesota sanitary conference was presided over by Dr. Henry Hutchinson of the state board of health.

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Papers were read by Dr. J. M. Robinson on and finally attacked and beat her on the "Typhoid Fever"; Dr. Justus Ohage on "Meat Inspection"; Dr. George L. Wilson on "Sew-age Disposal"; and Professor J. J. Flather, Minneapolis, on "Water Supplies in Minne-

Great Bargains in Tailoring, one-third Oo., 240 Hennepin av.

Duluth Men's Share in "Sec-

tion 30"-One-Ninth for Towne.

Special to The Journal. Duluth, Minn., Jan. 15.-The proportionate holdings of that part of section 30, township 63, range 11, settled by yesterday's decree in the United States supreme court, are as follows: Frank W. Eaton, one-third; John Fagan, one-sixth; Lon men. George N. Lorinstarf of Milwaukee has one-fourth. Charles A. Towne and L. W. Harris, who conducted the case for J. L. Washburn probably about the same.

he exact status of the present interests The stipulation was between Harris and Washburn on one side and Walter Ayres, lands after competitive bids have been invited by advertisement, with the consent of the Indians. The Standing Rock Indians have given their consent to leasing their grazing lands. on the other. The decision of the court in this case applies to all the remainder their consent to leasing their grazing lands, and advertisements calling for bids were sent out the land involved except one forty-acre

It is probable now that the United lease of the land at a royalty and open the innes there providing any one is found Although about \$1,000,000 has been spent one way and another over this lead. one way and another over this land, no-body really knows that it is worth anything, though no nore magnificent surface indications were ever seen in the Lake Superior region. Of the present owners of this great property, Frank Eaton has been for years in poverty. Fagans, Lorinstarf and Merritt are fairly

mained to be done, yet chatting together tory. The manufacturer is no longer seeking was found so pleasant that the work was our trade, but looking for ways Case of Peter Power.

> An order was signed in the federal court yesterday by Judge Lochren appointing Richard A. Mabey a special examiner in the case of Peter Power against the Northern Pacific Railway company, to take and report to the court all testimony

adduced by the parties involved. Inasmuch as no testimony was taken in the injunction proceedings lately dismissed by Judge Lochren the significance of the new order is not apparent upon its face. It may mean, however, that Power will appeal from Lochren's ruling and wishes to make a full record.

MR. POWER'S ATTORNEY

G. A. LAMB OF NEW YORK HERE

He Refuses to Say What Further Steps Will Be Taken in N. P. Injunction Case.

George A. Lamb of New York, attorney for Peter Power in the Northern Pacific injunction case before Judge Lochren a veek ago, is in the city. Mr. Lamb is awaiting the return of associate counsel, W. A. Lancaster, and would say nothing at the present time as to what future proceedings he would institute in behalf of his client. He said, in fact, that he must await the return of Judge Lancaster pefore he could decide. He asserted that in Mr. Lancaster's absence he was simply holding down the office and would charge retaining fees at the New York

rates meanwhile.

Mr. Lamb does not believe, as an attorney, that the announcement of the United States supreme court in the merger case matter, he said, did not necessarily have any bearing on the outcome of the action brought by the state of Minnesota

TROUBLE ON HARRISON ST. Catsup Bottle and Stick of Wood s Woman's Weapons.

W. J. Brown, who lives with his brother-in-law, B. B. Fryel, at 613 Harrison head and body with his fists. He was still pounding her when Mrs. Fryel, her sister, came to the rescue and struck the man over the head with a catsup bottle. This proving ineffective, she went to the woodshed and got a billet of wood and dealt the husband a blow on the head which he will remember for some time to come. This morning Judge Dickinson sent Brown to the workhouse for ninety days.

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SIOUX LAND LEASE

Commissioner Jones Can See No Reason for a Row. From The Journal Bureau, Room 45, Post Building, Washington.

Washington, Jan. 15. - Commission-L. W. Harris, who conducted the case for er Jones cannot understand why peo-Eaton and Lorinstarf, get one-ninth, and ple are raising a row about leasing the grazing lands about which infor-These attorneys' shares, as well as the other propositions, have been taken from the fractional interests stated above and kansas. He said to-day: kansas. He said to-day: The Indian office proposes to go about this in a regular way. The law gives the secreout Dec. 23, and bids were opened a few days ago in this office. No contracts have been

> tion and the Indians are protected by the department. All leases must be approved by the secretary, and if the prices offered are considered too low or if there is evidence of collusion or fraud among the cattlemen, the department has the right and power to reject bids. Everything connected with the Standing Rock leases has been open and aboveboard, so far as this office and the department are concerned, and the information asked for in the senate resolution will be furnished

> made. In leasing these lands the department

promptly. The intimation that there was something wrong with the Standing Rock leases came from Bishop Hare of South Dakota, who telegraphed Senator Jones. the ranking democratic member of the

Indian con "Important information has just reached from Standing Rock. I urge that n final action be taken in leasing Indian lands until further investigation." Upon receipt of this Senator Jones drew e resolution calling on the secretary of the interior for all information regarding the proposed leasing of lands which was adopted yesterday.

—W. W. Jermane.

The Mails Won't Stand for Some Scriptural Quotations.

Chicago, Jan. 15,-Scriptural quotations reflecting upon a person's character and sent by postal card through the mails are a violation of the postal laws, according to a verdict returned by a jury in the United States district court to-day. The case was that of I. P. Bullis of Orchard, Iowa, against Rev. William Whitehead, an evangelist of Aurora, Ill. Mr. Bullis last sum-mer received several postal cards signed by Mr. Whitehead, each of them quoting scripture to the effect that Mr. was a hypocrite and that he had disinherited his daughter. "God will smite you till you plead for

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mercy." was one of the quotations used.

Mr. Whitehead sought to prove that he had reason for sending the cards, but the

court ruled that his reasons were imma-

terial. The defendant was fined \$50 and

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