HERE'S YOUR TICKET.

Edmund Rice for Mayor. H. W Corey for Judge and "Honest John" Roche for Comptroller.

A Ticket that Cannot be Beaten-Every Name on It a Positive

The Candidate for Mayor Surprised, but Reluctantly Accepts-The Nominations Everywhere Approved.

Dismay in the Republican Camp-Who Will Lead the Forlorn Hope? Political Drift,

A Mule Commits Suicide-St. Paul Wins at Polo, and Other Events Transpire.

MEN THAT WILL WIN.

They Were Nominated by the Democratic City Convention Yesterday.

For Mayor.....EDMUND RICE For Comptroller.....JOHN W. ROCHE For Municipal Judge......H. W. COREY For Justices of the Peace. F. C. BURGESS P. P. HANFT For Constables... THOMAS GALLAGHER W. H. JOHNSON.

The nominations of the city convention yesterday, especially that for mayor, were received with universal and hearty approbathe part of the Republicans. This fact may be taken as a vindication of the action of the city committee in calling the convention early; for had Mr. Rice been home and known that his name was mentioned in this connection, he assures us positively that he would have declined to be a candidate before the convention.

Turner hall was cold and cheerless yesterday morning when the convention assembled therein, and although the members kept on their overcoats and some of them their hats; many were fain to lash their arms vigorously against their sides to keep the blood from freezing in their veins. be hot enough before we get away," was the common remark made at the beginning, but the event failed to verify the prediction, for | Hanft for the lower district. never did a convention exhibit more harmony and unity of purpose if not of feeling, From the time when the temporary chairman took his seat until the final adjournment, there was not a bit of temper shown. The only contest was as to the nomination for mayor. It was very one-sided, and the weaker party were apparently very willing to side with the majority and make it unani- to two years it would be

hearty cheers which followed the announcement of the result of the ballot nominating Edmund Rice was a sufficient indication and presage of the cordiality with which it would be indorsed all over

the city. How judicious was the selection of the candidates for the minor offices may be seen from the fact that no less than four nationalities are represented, American, German, Irish and Scandinavian. The GLOBE artist was present at the con-

vention, and before he could be strangled perpetrated the sketches which adorn this account. If the coats fit anybody they may THE ROUTINE REPORT.

The convention was called to order by Chairman H. H. Fuller of the city committee, who read the call in the usual way, and stated that the first business would be the selection of a temporary chairman. Two or the former motion and declared Mr. Murray

Capt. J. D. Wood was elected secretary and Mr. Ed Bazille assistant secretary. The following committee on credentials was then appointed by the chair: Charles Ringwald, Fourth ward, chairman

George H. Allen, First ward. R. T. O'Connor, Second ward. H. H. Miller, Third ward. Henry Connors, Fifth ward. C. H. Lienau, Sixth ward.

P. J. Gleason, Seventh ward. A motion was made empowering the committee on credentials to fill all vacancies. Mr. H. P. Hall opposed the motion on the ground that such a proceeding

would establish a bad prec-dent, and after further talk, the subjet without action. talk, the subjet was dropped After a short absence the committee on creden-

as entitled to seats in the convention, proxies being reported in place of some of the delegates announced in yesterday's GLOBE. FIRST WARD. First District-Edward Shurmeier,

H. J. Turner,

E. W. Bazille.

George J. Mitsch, Frank Burgess,

William F. Bremer,

J. D. Wood,

Nick Hardy.

John Herman.

P. Keigher.

P. Dawson.

James Claffey.

Thomas Tracey,

W. M. Campbell

Charles Ringwald, Thomas Powers,

J. G. O'Leary, Jr.

Joseph Matz, F. H. Gelderman, W. P. Murray.

William G. Mulligan,

George H. Allen, Martin Tracey. Second District-Andrew Delaney, P. O'Brien, S. B. Falstad.

G. Olson, SECOND WARD. First District-R. C. Glenn, George Heegel,

R. T. O'Connor, Jacob Heck, Joseph Ellis, John W. Willis, J. H. Gieska.

Second District-THIRD WARD. First District-H. P. Hall,

E. Snyder, B. W. Armstrong, C. T. McNamara, Joseph Rouleau Second District-M. J. O'Connor, R. L. Gorman.

FOURTH WARD. First District-Patrick Egan,

Barney Ryan, P. H. Thornton, Frank Warverka. Frank Labarge. Joe Heller.

R. A. Smith, Second District-C. W. Griggs, Third District-H. H. Athey, FIFTH WARD. First District-

C. Spiel, Henry O'Connor, P. H. Kelly, Third District-William Ewald,

Second District-Patrick Kelly, Jr., SIXTH WARD. First District-

Thomas Gailagher, Second District-John G. Baasen,

James Allie, Andrew Schletz. SEVENTH WARD. D. A. J. Baker, John Leonard. NOMINATIONS FOR MAYOR.

On motion the convention proceeded to nominate a candidate for mayor. C. H. Lienau moved that the convention go into secret session, but this was greeted by cries of "no," and Mr. John W. Willis arose and

placed in nomination the Hon. Edmund THE NOMINATING SPEECH. Mr. Chairman: The Democratic organi-

sation of this city has reached a real, and, to some extent, an alarming emergency At two successive general elections the candidates of the Democratic party have reeeived a minority of the votes east within our municipal limits. This circumstance of our local officers. The duty resting upon

thereto personal popularity and personal prestige

Such a candidate is the Hon. Edmund of the office creditably to the party which Rice, long an honored citizen of our state and city. How well he bore himself in the office of mayor when he was formerly invested with its prerogatives the unanimous voice of our people will testify and the record of municiprosperity will abundantly prove. We need not inquire as to the probability of the election of Mr. Rice if nominated. Once nominated, his election is assured. Therefore, in the fullest confidence that success waits upon the choice of Mr. Rice, I place him in nomination before this convention. The nomination was seconded by Edward Schurmeier and Mr. H. H. Fuller moved to

make it unanimous. The convention objected to this and Mr. Patrick Egan nominated the Hon. C. D. O'Brien .

A motion was made to take the sense of the convention by a viva voce vote, which was carried.

THE RESULT. The names were called by wards and the vote resulted in the election of Hon. Edmund Rice by a vote of 41 to 19, as follows: Rice-George Allen, Martin Tracey, Ed. Schurmeier, H. J. Turner, A. Delaney, P. O'Brien, S. B. Falstad, Jacob Heck, J. Ellis, J. W. Willis, George Heegel, W. H. Griffin, H. P. Hall, E. Snyder, C. T. McNamara, M. J. O'Connor, H. H. Fuller, George J. Mitsch, J. D. Wood, F. C. Burgess, C. W. Griggs, H. H. Miller, F. Labarge, F. H. Geldermann, Nick Hardy, P. Keigher, J. Matz, W. P.

Murray, S. Robinson, Charles Spiel, C. Lienau, Thomas Gallagher, W. Campbell, J. G. Baasen, H. O'Con-M. nor, James Claffey, Thomas Tracey, James Allie, A. Schletz, D. A. J. Baker and John Leonard.

O'Brien-R. T. O'Connor, R. L. Gorman, P. Egan, Barney Ryan, P. H. Thornton, F. Warverka, R. A. Smith, · Steve Murphy, P. Kelly, Jr., P. H. Kelly, William Hatfield, tion not only by the Democrats but also on William Ewald, P. R. McDonald, E. W. Bazille, R. C. Glenn, Charles Ringwald, G. O'Leary, William Thomas Powers, J. Mulligan, H. Brand.



JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. Nominations were then made for two justices of the peace. H. P. Hall nominated F. C. Burgess for the upper district and P. B. After a brief discussion the nominations were made unanimous.

THE COMPTROLLER. Mr. Murray informed the convention that owing to a recent enactchanging the term of office of the comptroller from four mous. The three necessary to nominate a candidate for this office. Mr. H. H. Miller nominated John W. Roche, the present incumbent, and the

nomination was made unanimous. POLICE JUDGE. Nominations were then declared in order for judge of the municipal court, the following being placed in nomination: H. W. Corey, Frederick Nelson, Albert S. Hall, E.

The nomination was made viva voce and the first ballot stood: Corey 30, Wood 7, Hall 11, Nelson 19. As there was no choice another vote was

taken with the following result: Corey 39, Hall 10, Nelson 19. The nomination of Mr. Corev was made

unanimous, whereupon loud calls were made for a speech, to which he responded substantially as follows:

"To be selected as a candidate by a body of representative Democrats such as I see before me, from a city of 100,000 inhabitants, is the greatest honor of my life. To three nominations were made by several sit- preserve the safety, peace and property is the ting in the front row for that purpose. Dr. | first outy each community owes to its citi-Snyder named W. P. Murray and Pat Egan | zens. The city spends thousands of dollars nominated M. J. O'Connor, and appeared to support its police force and the court beto be much disgusted when the chairman put | fore which those are brought who offend against the law. Owing to the fallibility of human wisdom innocent people well as guilty are summoned and it is necessary to have on the bench a man who will justly and faithfully deal with the persons brought before it. If I am elected, I shall do all in my power to so perform the duties of the office as that no taint of suspicion shall rest upon it; and shall endeavor in every way to second the efforts of the police in preserving

the peace and quiet of the city. The following nominations for constables were then made: Thomas Gallagher, R. Hoas, Edward Bradshaw, John O'Donnell,

W. H. Johnson and Mr. Geis. After considerable skirmishing Messrs. W. H. Johnson and Thomas **F** Gallagher were declared the choice of the conven-

On motion the chair was authorized to appoint a city committee of six mem The question of nomi-

nating candidates for school inspectors where vacancies exist was then discussed, but on motion of Mr. Fuller the delegates from the several wards were instructed to select their names and report the same to the city committee.

The following committee was elected to wait on Hon. E. Rice upon his return to the city and inform him of his nomination: H. H. Fuller, R. A. Smith, P. H. Kelly, D. A. J. Baker, R. T. O'Connor, George H. Allen and C. H. Lienau.

Mr. Charles H. Lienau offered the following resolution which was carried: WHEREAS, The city of St. Paul has pros pered under Democratic administrations and ecome a great city in name and fact, and WHEREAS, The management of the affairs of the city under Democratic rule has been both economical and wise, which is attested to by St. Paul's excellent creditiin the money markets of the world; therefore be it

Resolved. That this convention deems it in the interest of the people of this city that the city government should be further intrusted to the Democratic party.

The convention then adjourned. HE CAME TO TOWN.

A Reception Tendered to the Candidate-He Accepts.

Ex-Mayor and next Mayor Rice has been away from the city for some months and only returned vesterday afternoon after the convention adjourned. The committee ap-pointed by the chairman of the convention to apprise him of their action, and a GLOBE reporter, were at the train to receive him. As he alighted, Col. Allen and Hon. P. H. Kelly grasped by either arm and started up the street with him to the Merchants hotel. H. H. Fuller, the chairman of the committee, and Ald O'Connor metamorphosed themselves into porters and followed with the candidate's baggage. Mr. Rice, himself, was surprised when he heard of the action of the convention and at first shook his head emphatically. But his two companions are famous for their winning ways and before they had got with him to the hotel, prevailed on him to accept. They steered him into the office at the left and rear of the hotel counter, and then Mr. Kelly made a few re-He informed Mr. Rice that th who met him were a committee delegated to inform him that he had the unanimous nomination of the party for mayor-a nomination of which any man might be proud, com ing as it did without solicitation. The posttion had sought the man. "We know." Mr. Kelly, "how you led us to victory once and how you will do it again. You are the unanimous choice of your friends and fellow Democrats." In reply, Mr. Rice spoke substantially as

THE SPEECH OF ACCEPTANCE.

"Gentlemen: I sincerely thank you for this honor. I had no intimation that my name was to be used in this connection. for the Democrats. has elated our opponents and in-spired in them a belief that they tainly have declined. I could not accept it can prevail at the coming election without great personal inconvenience and detriment to my business interests. It would ns at the present time is to make a nomina-tion for the mayoralty which shall not only nomination, which I am informed was the party before and he can do it again. present a candidate of proper qualifications unanimous, and I consent with great reluc- Postmaster Dr. Day-Good; we can't Articles of incorporation of the Grand box. For sale by Lambie & Bethune,

for the office, but also one who shall add tance, because I don't feel that I am beat old Uncle Ed., and a good many of us the best man for the place; but if elected I will do the best I can to perform the duties

nominated me." Whereat there were three wild cheers. Then the analytical chemist behind the counter began to get in his deadly work, and after blowing off Col. Allen's hat with a champagne cork, he invited the party to drink to the health of the next mayor.

PUBLIC SENTIMENT.

The Ticket Receives the Strongest Kind of Admiration.

No money was offered, yesterday on the opponent of Mr. Rice, whoever he might be. The announcement of the result on the street, while not unexpected, met with the most enthusiastic approval among Democrats, who showed their satisfaction in their beaming faces. "The strongest man that could be chosen," 'Nobody can beat him," and such like expressions were heard on every hand, from Democrats and Republicans alike. In fact, those of the latter party who have no personal axe to grind in the election feel almost as jubilant over the nomination as the Democrats. Everybody who knows ex-Mayor Rice regards him not only with esteem, but with affection, and, from his previous record in the office, know he will give such an administration as will be acceptable to all. Republicans who are in the machine dont feel so well about it. They have been much

TO FIND A CANDIDATE who would accept the rather negative honor of leading their forlorn hope. Their committees have been to one and another of the men who seemed to be the most available candidates and have met with little encouragement. It seems now that their task will be harder than ever. In speaking of the nomination, a prominent Republican, who has been talked of for mayor, said that he would not think of running against so strong an opponent as Rice. In fact, it would be a matter of serious doubt if they nominate a candidate at all, were it not for the fact that other city officers are to be elected on the general ticket, the most important being municipal judge and comptroller. In order to stand any show with them they must have a head to their ticket.

In their regular rounds yesterday GLOBE reporters interviewed almost everybody they met about the nomination. The results, as given below, show how the sentiment lies. WHAT THEY THINK ABOUT IT.

Capt. Russell Blakeley-He's a good man, a strong one, and hard to beat. I guess the boys won't try it much. They will probably try to elect some of the aldermen, and to get some high license measures through the council. If we are to be cursed with whisky shops we ought to get some revenue from H. S. Fairchild-He is the strongest Dem-

ocrat they could name. Mr. Lindeke can beat him. However, it don't make much difference. It's only one man. What we want is to get rid of the whole gang at the city hall. J. W. Kennedy-They ought to have nom-

inated Chris O'Brien. He was entitled to it. Commodore W. F. Davidson—He is as good a man as can be got. I have known Mr. Rice for a great many years, and know of no better man in the city.

Col. William Crooks—The nomination is

most excellent one and the Republicans ought to put up no one against him. This s a large city and important interests are involved, and the office will command a good deal of the time of the gentleman who takes it. If a business man takes it, either his business or the affairs of the city will suffer. Mr. Rice, besides being one of the best men in St. Paul for the position, has plenty of time to attend in a proper manner to the duties of the office. Gen. R. N. McLaren-Pretty good nomi-

publicans must nominate Gov. Ramsey Rep—But will Gov. Ramsey run? Mr. McLaren—He has gone away not in St. Paul now. Before he went away the matter was put to him that way and he did not say he would not accept. They will

nation. He is a good man. Now the Re-

nominate him and he wont decline. He can beat Rice. Col. Allen, who stood by and heard this Ramsey. He was an old citizen and an old friend, "but if it is between Ramsey and Rice I will take off his coat and work for Rice. We have got to have him."

Charles A. B. Weide -The nomination of Rice is a good one and his election is certain. He will get there sure. They can't nominate anyone to beat him. William R. Merriam - It is an excellent

nomination. Mr. Rice is universally respected, and all things considered, the best they could have nominated. The Republicans will have to put a strong man in the field to beat him.

Ex-Ald. Brennan-Chris was my man. I think a great deal of him, and if he had been placed in nomination I would have taken great pleasure in working for him. Mr. Rice, we all know, is an excellent gentleman and will get the full Democratic vote.

Col. Allen-Well, I should say it is a good nomination. There is no man in the city who can beat him. We have had a specimen of his capacity in that office and we know with how much ability and discretion he performed the duties connected with the position.

Ansel Oppenheim-It's the best nomination that could have been made, and renders the election of a Democratic mayor certain. Josiah Fairchild-Its a good nomination. other candidate would have been.

Mr. Rice is a good deal stronger than any Lee Davis-All right. It could not have been better. W. S. Moore-The best that could be made under the circumstances.

C. N. Bell-He is the best and strongest man the Democrats could nominate. J. M. Pottgieser-I am well pleased with the nominations that have been made. M. B. Williams-Mr. Rice was my choice

James Smith-I would rather have seen Robert Smith nominated, but am satisfied with Mr. Rice. James Ramsey -I think there is no other man in the city more fitted for its mayor

than Mr. Rice George Baird-The St. Paul Democracy howed excellent choice in nominating Mr. Rice for mayor, and most of the other candidates I consider fit to hold responsible positions in the city government.

J. H. Keef-I take interest in the election of mayor only, and as the man of my choice was nominated, I am satisfied. Judge Nelson-It is a strong ticket. John Summers-It suits me well enough.

H. P. Hall -I think we have got a sure hing. There is not a shadow of doubt as to Rice's election. Frank Fairchild-It is all right. P. McManus-It is all right I guess.

Nick Pottgeiser-It is a daisy-the best hat could be made. County Treasurer Burton-If they run Frank Ford-We will elect the whole ticket. Joe Spiel-They are all good nomina-William Louis Kelly (facetiously)-It is a

good high license ticket. Dr. Schiffman-I think it is all right. R. W. Bell-It is a good nomination. Rice will be elected. Judge Simons (viciously)-I don't think

anything about it, and don't care anything Sheriff Richter-I think they made a very good nomination. Assessor Beaumont-Mr. Rice will make

an excellent mayor. Auditor O'Brien -I think the nomination of Rice is a good one. Capt. Starkey-Very good. Henry Burmingham-That's the right kind

of a nomination.

man. He will surely win. Abstract Clerk Passavant-A strong nomination and a good one. Dr. J. H. Murphy-The nomination is a Mr. Cardozo and Mr. Spencer-A very good

C. K. Barnard-A better nomination than I supposed they'd make.

John Caulfield—A strong nomination. R. C. Wiley-A pretty good nomination

John Matheis-Hurrah for Rice.

City Clerk Prendergast-It is a remarkably strong ticket. John Larkin-Rice is one of the most

don't want to.

Ald. Dowlan-The ticket is all right. County Attorney Egan-Elegant, elegant, elegant! Capt. J. B. Olivier-Very good; it is all

Judge O'Gorman-Ithinkit is an excellent

ticket. Associate Judge Hall-I think it is a strong ticket and one that will be elected. City Attorney Murray-I am exceedingly

well pleased with Rice.
Ex-City Engineer Somers—I regard the nominations as favorable; Rice is the best trustees. man in the whole lot. Capt. Ed Bean- Edmund Rice is my kind of a man and I shall take pleasure in voting for him. City Treasurer Reis-I regard the nomina

tion as first-class; they are all good men.
Ald. Gates A. Johnson—The nominations are all good. William G. Robertson -It is all right; the ticket will be elected. Ed Rice is one of the

noblest gentlemen in the land. Stanford Newell - Edmund Rice is the trongest man you have in the city. Volkszeitung: Under such a fatherly administration as Edmund Rice gave us and Romeo is not suited to his style of acting,

will give us again, St. Paul must prosper. Dispatch: The Democratic convention to-day probably made the strongest nominapossible, after the positive refusal of Robert Smith to be a candidate. Edmund Rice is too well known and too highly respected in this community to make an at-

tempt at dispargement feasible. Volkszeitung: The Democracy of St. Paul may congratulate itself. Never before in St. Paul was a ticket put forth which found such hearty approval in all quarters, as that which the Democratic convention nominated today. Liberal ideas characterize its members from top to bottom. Every single candidate will be elected.

## THE NOMINEES.

The Candidates, Their Histories and Charac-

HON. EDMUND RICE. Hon. Edmund Rice, who was nominated yesterday for the second time, by the Democracy of St. Paul, for the office of mayor of this city, was born in Waitsfield, Vt., Feb. 14, 1819. He received in his youth a common school education and in 1838 went to Kalamazoo, Mich., where he read law and was admitted to the bar in 1842. While in Michigan he was master in chancery and clerk of the supreme court. He enlisted as a private in the Mexican war, and was promoted to first lieutenant, Company A, First Michigan volunteers. In July, 1849, soon after the organization of Minnesota as a territory, he came to St. Paul and practiced law. as the senior member of the firm of Rice Hollingshead & Becker. In 1857 he was made president of the Minnesota & Pacific Railroad company, which was afterwards reorganized and became the St. Paul & Pacific and the St. Paul & Chicago, the latter company representing the line from St. Paul to

La Crescent, which was built under his direction. Several other roads were carved out of the St. Paul & Pacific Railroad company during Mr. Rice's presidency. Mr. Rice's early connection with the railroads of this section and his earnest and long-continued efforts to complete the roads referred to caused him to be looked upon as the founder of our railroad system. It was due largely to his personal efforts that sufficient capital was enlisted in the building of these roads. During these efforts to obtain the necessary money Mr. Rice made four visits to London. The first one was in 1863, when he secured credit for 3,000 tons of rails. Mr. Rice has lived long enough to see the great advantages to the Northwest caused by his foresight and persistent labors. Mr. Rice has always been a Democrat. He was a member of the territorial legislature and chairman of the Democratic state central committee of 1872. In 1879 he was nominated for governor on the Democratic ticket. In 1856 and 1857 he was county commissioner of Ramsey county in the state senate in 1864, 1865 1873 and 1874, and a member of the house in 1867, 1872, 1877 and 1878. Without solicitation on his part he was elected mayor of St. Paul in 1881, beating R. Barden by a vote of 3,899 against 1,963. Mr. Rice was married at Kalamazoe, Mich., in 1848, to Miss Anna M. Acker. Eleven children were born of this marriage, all of whom except one are still living.

JOHN W. ROCHE. The renomination of John W. Roche for the office of comptroller will be regarded with favor by all good citizens, irrespective of party lines or political distinction. Mr. Roche has held the important position of comptroller for the past eight or ten years and he has discharged the onerous duties of

the respect of all taxpaying citizens. He is in the prime of life, is well-to-do, and he is one of the few men of conservative tempertraining to conduct the fiduciary affairs of a MR. H. W. COREY, the candidate for municipal judge, has been a practicing lawver in St. Paul for the past ten or twelve years. He is regarded as an able lawyer, and his nomination is looked

upon with great favor, not only by his own party but by the citizens at large. THE JUSTICES. Mr. Frank C. Burgess and Judge Hanft, the candidates for justices of the peace, are both too well and favorably known to require comment. Mr. Burgess will be remembered as the former city editor of the Dispatch, a position he left a few years ago to resume his former profession of the law. He is a careful, painstaking lawyer, and will reflect credit on the position for which he has been nominated. Judge Hanft is universally liked and he is a special favorite with the profession.

CONSTABLES. Thomas Gallagher and W. H. Johnson, the candidates for constable, are both experienced men and their nomination is generally regarded as eminently proper.

POLITICAL PALAVER.

A Chat With the Next Mayor-General Notes. Mr. Rice was seen last evening at his resilence on East Ninth street by a representative of the GLOBE, and during a conversation he stated that he desired to correct a statement that had been published, to the effect that he had been telegraphed to while away in regard to the nomination for mayor, and that he had returned an answer to effect that he would accept one if tendered. This Mr. Rice said was incorrect, and added: "I wish they had telegraphed to me. If they had, I would not to-day be a candidate. I knew nothing about it till I got home this noon, when the ralled me and much against my wishes compelled me to accept the nomination. It is not altogether a pleasant position and the duties are not without their responsibilities. Had I received any dispatches in regard to the matter I could very properly have declined to allow my name to be used, but after arriving here and being urged by my friends accept I could not very well refuse. I therefore accepted. PARAGRAPHS.

In Tuesday night's caucus the ticket in the second district of the Fifth ward, headed by J. C. Geary, was placed in the field through a misapprehension, and therefore no effort was made by the delegates named on the ticket to elect it. The delegation from the First precinct of

man, and he will reflect honor on the posi-It was stated on the streets last evening that Dr. Murphy had positively declined to allow his name to be used before the Repub-Clerk R. W. Bell-I think Rice is a good lican convention.

for school inspector. Prof. Fogg is an able

CAPITOL NOTES. State Treasurer Charles Kittelson will re-

turn home from his trip to New Orleans and the Arkansas Hot Springs next Saturday. Warden J. N. Reed of the Stillwater penitentiary drew a warrant on the state treasurer yesterday of \$4,386 for the March expenses of that institution. Hon. T. B. Clement of Farihault called at the state house yesterday.

at the state house yesterday. The March collection for the several counties of the state amounted to about \$80,000. the most of which has been paid in to the state treasurer.

Hon. W. C. Williston of Red Wing called

chapter of the Eastern Star of the state of Minnesota at Minneapolis, for socia and charitable purposes, and the promotion of social and moral reform, were filed with the secretary of state yesterday. The first officers are Charles W. Putnam, grand patron; Louise E. Jacoby, grand matron; Solo-mon I. Wing, associate grand patron; Kate Cove, associate grand matron; Lydia A. Pratt, grand secretary; Mary Taylor, grand treasurer; Lucy L. Lee, grand conductress Etta La Pierre, associate conductress, and Jonah Jones, Louis E. Quint, George W. Cates, Martha Emery and Ella Putnam grand

## AMUSEMENTS.

Farewell Performance of Keene-Kate Claxton at the Grand To-night-Notes. The engagement of Thomas W. Keene, the tragedian, closed at the Grand last night with the performance of "Richard III.," the

artistic rendition of which was witnessed by one of the largest and most appreciative audiences of the season. At the matinee performance yesterday Mr. Keene appeared in the celebrated tragedy of "Romeo and Juliet." The character of

although his performance of the romantic

role was intensely dramatic and presented

many points of interest. KATE CLAXTON. The engagement of this popular emotional actress begins at the Grand to-night, when she will appear in her great char-acter of Louise in the cele-brated drama of the "Two Orphans." Her impersonation of the blind girl is one of the most artistic and touching pictures of the modern stage, and the brief engagement should attract crowded houses. The Orphans" will be presented to-night and at the Saturday matinee and the "Sea of Ice" on Friday and Saturday nights. The cast is

exceedingly powerful. To-night is souvenir night at the Exposition rink, and Manager Carter promises something very elegant to all the ladies participating in the grand march. The sale of seats for the engagement of

Nat Goodwin in his new play, "The Skating Rink," opens at the Grand to-morrow morn-The great panorama of "Milton's Paradise Lost" will be given at the Grand next Sun-

A CELESTIAL ACCESSION.

day night.

A Chinese Laundryman Takes the Oath of Fealty to the United States.

Yesterday marked something of an event in the way of an accession to our citizenship. It is well known with what tenacity Chinamen cling to their ancient customs and how reluctant they have ever been to adopt any modern innovations. For a Chinato forswear allegiance man government and adopt his new country means more of a sacrifice than

to almost any other nationality; because for so doing they are looked upon by their people as outcasts. A great part of this feeling has been generated, or certainly it has been strengthened, by the prejudice which the Celestials have found existed against them in other nations. While there have been Chinamen naturalized in America, the number has been exceedingly small, and the papers of citizenship taken out yesterday by Ah Wah is believed to be the first instance of the kind in this section of the country. Ah Wah is the son of a clothing merchant, was born in Hong Kong, China, in 1863, emigrated to San Francisco four years ago, being employed in the China and tea store of his brother in that city as a bookkeeper. Two years ago he came to St. Paul and purchased a laundry on Wabasha street, but devoted his own time to gaining a knowledge of English under the guidance of the members of the Y. M. C. A. He is intelligent, and while not yet fluent, can be readily understood. This spring his laundry will be closed, and he will hereafter devote his whole time to the mastery of our difficult

tongue. He says there are a number of his race in the city who will doubless follow his example ere long.

A DULL DAY IN THE POLICE COURT. The Result of the Primaries and Convention

Evil Doers. The bull pen was almost deserted yesterday, the only offenders being a couple of petty larceny bums, a disorderly case and two nuisances. The latter were dismissed as was the case of H. Charpenter, charged with abusive language.

John McDonald was then arraigned on the

charge of stealing wood and the case presented some very sad features. The accused the trust in a manner that has commanded is a worthless widower with four small children, and as he has not worked all winter they eke out a miserable existence, and are on the verge of starvation. ament who are calculated by nature and The prisoner was caught stealing wood from Smith's yard, in the Sixth ward, and, after hearing the testimony, the court discharged him for the sake of his children. He promised to go to work.

John Wood, a workhouse bum, was released from the bastile yesterday, and, after walking into town, he nailed a pair of shoes from a cobbler on Washington street. He is a cunning, sharp-witted rogue, with a head as smooth as a billiard ball, and when arraigned he pleaded guilty and asked to be let down light. He was sentenced to thirty days, and expressed thanks for the light

judgment. Polo at the Exposition. The Stillwater and St. Paul Exposition Polo clubs met in contest at the Exposition rink for the first time last evening. The Stillwater club has quite a reputation and the proposed match was the theme of much interest by frequenters of roller rinks in the city. When both clubs were on the floor a sporting man would not have given very great odds either way, as both clubs were matched in When the game commenced the phisique. players were positioned as follows:

Position. Stillwater. C. H. Burt ...... Goal cover ..... H. Lang D. Doe.............E. Doyle The game was a very exciting one and was won by St. Paul taking three goals out of five in twelve and a half, one-half and six and a half minutes.

Very Remarkable Recovery. Mr. George V. Willing of Manchester, Mich., writes: "My wife has been almost helpless for five years, so helpless that she could not turn over in bed alone. She used two bottles of Electric Bitters, and is so much improved that she is able now to do

Flectric Bitters will do all that is claimed for them. Hundreds of testimonials attest their great curative powers. Only 50 cents a bottle, at Lambie & Bethune's.

Suicide of a Mule. A singular accident happened on West

Seventh street yesterday which resulted in the death of a mule, the spirit of which passed up the golden flume in a manner entirely novel. The animal was evidently tired of life, and so broke his neck by hanging. He was attached to car No. 65, and while trotting along the street he suddenly stopped and commenced to kick. After becoming weary, he turned sharply around and made a bold dash at the front platform of the car. His head struck the iron railing and his neck was broken instantly. No inquest was held, it being a clear case of suicide. the Fifth ward has united on Prof F. A. Fogg A Shrewd Swindle.

A clever swindle was brought to light yesterday, the modus operandi being as follows; About 10 o'clock a young man called at Dr. Boardman's residence on Wabasha street and asked to see the doctor. He was informed that the latter was out, but that be with him a couple of surgical cases filled with instruments. On leaving he was kind enough to leave his card which was signed J. Watson. Doctors should be on the lookout

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City Council Proceedings-The Feeling Since the Election.

Hon. D. M. Sabin Arrives Home-Boats For the Missouri River.

There was a sigh of relief among the vot-

ers yesterday after the efforts of the previous

After the Battle.

day in endeavoring to elect their respective candidates. Some, however, had very larger heads and decidedly heavy ones, as they had been celebrating the victory, and were out with the boys. Judge Murdock is not in the least elated over his election, but keeps on in the even tenor of his way. takes his defeat philosophically, and says he is pleased over the election of his friend, Judge Murdock. His friends would not allow him to withdraw from the race. A lesson has been given, and the voters will not go in for a third term again. There have been wild rumors of contemplated changes during the day, but Mayor Murdock is not the kind of a man to make changes except for A few changes will be made undoubtedly, but they will not amount to much. There have been several canards going the rounds, and some are highly elated over what they expect is in store for them. Alderman-elect Kerr feels somewhat elated over his vote, and it shows that, although he is a young man, he has the confidence of a large majority of his ward. There were no party lines in the contest, as both Republicans and Democrats were found voting on both sides. The city has a good council. Every member has considerable at stake in the city. They will require to do much for the benefit of the city, as most important matters will be brought before them, involving large outlays of money, which they will no doubt thoroughly investigate.

City Council.

The regular meeting of the city council was held on Tuesday evening. All the aldermen present except McComb and Drever. Licenses were granted to King Bros., druggists; J. C. Day, saloon, and Weiss & Wiley, pool tables.

Petitions were presented for changing grade on Myrtle street and for work to be done on South Second. The bridge collector shows collected since last council meeting \$78.55, \$114 and

\$118.60 for the past three weeks, and the municipal court showed income for March of \$372.48. E. L. Hospes, in behalf of Schulenberg, Boeckeler Lumber Co., the sum of \$1,625 as balance on levee; in consideration that the city council accepted the levee as it now is.

and release them from all farther responsi-

bility. On motion the whole council and the city engineer were appointed a committee to examine the work and report at the next meeting. The druggists' ordinance, raising the license from \$50 to \$150, was withdrawn, and the ordinance for skating rinks was passed, making the license therefor \$150 instead of \$300, as proposed.

The board of health ordinance was changed so as to correspond with the new state law. The votes cast for the various parties running for mayor, city treasurer and aldermen were canvassed and the result officially de-The request made at last meeting for the

appointment of a policeman on the south hill

was drawn.

Tuesday evening.

Messrs. Kaplin and Mellin made an application for a larger amount for the condemnation of their property for the extension of Union alley to Nelson alley, and the street committee was instructed to investigate and report at next meeting. The council then adjourned until next

Notes About Town.

Judge McCluer made an order yesterday allowing the sale of the goods of Singleton & Bonafon, North Branch. Yesterday a divorce was granted by Judge

McCluer in favor of Mrs. Stanley from her

Judge Lehmicke was yesterday in St. Paul on business. Supt. of Schools Curtis, with his wife and daughter, left yesterday for Minneapolis,

where they will spend a few days with some of Prof. Curtis' former pupils and other friends. Mr. Rogers gives another fire test of the new extinguisher on the old brickyard site

at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Travel is largely on the increase, all trains arriving and leaving having full coaches. This shows that business is taking an advance. Several parties from the city went to St. Paul to hear Keene in Richard III., and they were highly pleased. He will be here on Monday evening, when he will have a large The box office opens at the Grand

this morning. There will be a rush for seats, as he formerly delighted audiences here. The Lumbermen's Board of Trade have a special meeting on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when a full attendance is expected. It is probable that some fast trains will be put on the Duluth road at an early day be-

tween this city and St. Paul. Mrs. D. M. Sabin has not returned with the senator to this city but is still in Washington. Mrs. Norris is in Chicago and will

return home on Wednesday next. The Wisconsin Central railway business here will be handled by the Duluth road, and their cars will be handled by that road from this city to the junction. This will be a great convenience to shippers at this point. Sheriff Alex. McKenzie of Bismarck was in the city again yesterday. Mr. D. H. Her-

sey had him in charge. Mr. Herman Jassoy is highly elated over the eleven-and-one-half-pound daughter his wife has presented him with.

Dr. McComb left yesterday for Chicago. He will return here before going home to Duluth.

George Muller, boat builder, yesterday loaded on two Northern Pacific railroad flat cars twelve boats for the use of the United States government on the Missouri river. They are somewhat different from those used by the river drivers here, being shorter and of greater breadth of beam. Eight of them are thirty feet in length with seven feet beam, while the other four are much smaller. are substantial, well-built boats and are fitted for six rowers. They are fully supplied with oars and paddles, all of the best material. Mr. J. A. Douglas has returned from the Rochester hospital for the insane, where he went to see his father-in-law, M. C. Burk-

hardt, who was reported dying. He says

The appointment of a new board of health

there are no hopes of his recovery.

under the state law passed at the late session of the legislature meets with favorable comment, as still greater results may be expected from them. They are gentlemen that will do their duty, and Dr. Merrill will have able support. They are vested with almost absolute authority, and when they order a nuisance removed there is no use in kicking. Yesterday morning before Judge Nethe way of the municipal court there was the longest calendar of civil cases ever tried in that court, there being a total of sixty-five cases, and at the court held on March 17 there were forty-six cases, making a total of 111. And this only for one month. This will fully show that the office of municipal

judge is not a sinecure, and that Judge

Netheway has to do enough to earn his salагу. Senator Sabin and his secretary, Mr. F. G. Morris, arrived home at noon yesterday. They were accompanied from Chicago by Charles Were accompanied from Chicago by Charles
V. Lord, a banker from Bangor, Me., who is SAVE MONEY. was expected to return shortly, and saying interested in the car company here, but who that he would wait he was shown into the office. In a few minutes he departed taking fore returning home. Mr. Sabin made rewill make a trip through the Northwest be-fore returning home. Mr. Sabin made remarks complimentary to President Cleveland, and said that everything showed h would have a pure administration. He had nothing to say at present as to the Northwestern Manufacturing & Car company, but was ready to go to work and do everything possible to raise it still more from the difficulties in which it was.

W. S. Conrad returned yesterday from a long trip through Northern Minnesota, Dakota and Montana, and reports a most hope- 318 Jackson street, and 186 East Seventh street. ful feeling through the whole section. Busi-

than expected and was apparently on a good, solid foundation. There will be a large area put into crops this spring and the land was never in better condition.

Notwithstanding the big time on Tuesday evening after the election there was not a single criminal case before the municipal

> YESTERDAY'S TRANSFERS. John Larkin to Michael Lynch, lot 17, block 7, Stinson's Rice street addition... W. R. Brown to Victor Robertson, lots 5 and 6, block 3, Winslow's additon..... Robert A. Smith to Doretta Greve, lots 13

of 20, block 19, Lyman Dayton's addi-

Peter Posteher to Frederick Posteher, lot 

BUILDING PERMITS.

rington.
G. C. Schedze, one-story addition, west

north side of Ellen street, between Oxford ....

street, between Walsh and Greenbrier,

Case street, between Payne and Green-

1-story frame dwelling, 20x30, N side of Lafond street, between Kent and frame dwelling, 16x26, and kitchen, 12x14, E. side of Marion street, between

street, between Mackubin and Arundel. 700

THE COURTS Francis A. Gilson, Elizabeth J. Gilson et al., respondents, vs. George H. Simpson and

calendar and application denied. J. N. Mahler and A. C. Thompson, partners, etc., appellants, vs. John Jungbauer, respondent; motion of respondent to dismiss granted.

nishee, respondent; motion of respondent to affirm order of court below, (counsel for appellant not appearing), granted. John Bandy, appellant, vs. The Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway

Emily R. Jewell, appellant, vs. John K. Wright, respondent; motion to strike from calendar withdrawn and case set for April

lant; argued on motion to dismiss and the

[Before Judge McGrorty.] Guardianship of Frank Werick, minor; petition for license to sell real estate at private sale filed; hearing May 26 at 10 a. m. Estate of George W. Becht, deceased;

CARPETS.

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Real Estate.

B. Michel to John Fuchs, lot 9, block 1, subdivision of block 11, Stinson's divis-

town 30, range 23 and miscellaneous

ing permits to build yesterday: A. L. Mahler, two-story frame dwelling, 31x44, south side of Portland avenue, between Mackubin and Kent...... \$3,500

side of Hall avenue, between Page and 

sippi street, between Glencoe and Mis-

John O'Brien of 191 Iglehart street, 1½-story frame dwelling, 20x26, N. side of Sycamore street, between Park and 

Rees R. Henderson, partners, etc., appellants; argued and submitted to show

John A. Bowman, appellant, vs. Theodore Houlton, defendant, Stacy J. Offord, gar-

company, respondent; argued to show cause why judgment of court below should not be set aside and reinstated on calendar; submitted for decision on briefs.

Ilett & Co., respondents, vs. Chicago, Mil-

ted.

waukee & St. Paul Railway company, appelsame denied, and then argued and submit-

Adjourned to 9:30 a. m. to-day.

tains, Picture Draperies, Tidies, and even for dresses.

ful feeling through the whole section. Business had turned out better during the winter | Price Lists of Unredeemed Pledges.

court yesterday morning.

and 14, Kalman's division No. 1...... Christian Meyer to Ferdinand Witt, lot 21,

block 2, subdivision of block 11, Stin-

property.....10,000 Building Inspector Johnson issued the follow-

M. O'Connell, one-story frame barn, 14x20, east side of Rice street, between Sher-

east side of Rice street, between Sherburne and University.
Charles Weide by F. W. Schmidt, one-story frame dwelling, 10x24, north side of Whitall street, between Weide and Arcade, Arlington hills.

F. Heller, one-story frame dwelling, 16x24, west side of Marion street, between Front and Wayzata.

Joseph Wosike, one-story frame dwelling, 16x18, north side of Armstrong street, between Bay and Warsaw.

Fritz Woorast, one-and-one-half-story frame dwelling, 16x24, and kttchen, 12x 14, north side of Fauquier street, between Phalen and Atlantic.

John Kreener of 399 East Seventh, three story brick veneered double stores and dwellings, 50x60, west side of Missis-

brier, Arlington hills... Frederick Leirr of No. 2 Ellen street,

Atwater and Milford.

Jul Kingsley of 452 Ellen street, 1½-story frame dwelling, 16x23, S. side of Ellen

cause why cause should not be reinstated on

Alonzo G. Foss et al., partners as Foss,

hearing on petition for administration adjourned to 18th inst. at 10 a.m. Guardianship of Bernard H. Brummer,

minor; letters of guardianship issued to Mathias Koch.

Guns, Revolvers, &c., of