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CITY NEWS.

The water board will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The first anniversary of the American Mining Investment company will be held tomorrow from 2 to 4 p. m. at the offices in Minneapolis.

The Ginsrud Shoe company, of Minneapolis, incorporated yesterday. The capital is $100,000, and the incorporators are C. G. Ginsrud, H. J. Richardson and E. F. Southard.

The friends of Mr. Frank A. Rouleau will be pleased to know that the critical operation which he underwent yesterday afternoon was successful and that his recovery is assured.

The West Side Turnverein will celebrate its twelfth anniversary with a gymnastic exhibition and ball at Paul Martin's hall, Colorado and South Wabasha streets, Saturday evening.

A horse belonging to Henry Wolfer escaped from the coachman in charge Sunday night, and was found dead beside the Chatsworth street trestle of the Northern Pacific road.

The lecture of John Merritt Driver, Ph. D., on "Europe Facing the Twentieth Century," will be delivered this evening in the First Swedish M. E. church, Tenth and Temperance streets.

Michael J. Kelly, employed at the American Hoist & Derrick company's plant, had a casting fall on his right hand yesterday afternoon. The two middle fingers were painfully bruised.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Henderson, 61 Iglehart street, will regret to learn that their infant son, Brooks Henderson, died yesterday afternoon, aged sixteen months. Funeral arrangements are not yet completed.

The St. Paul Lake Ice company have secured permission to erect a frame ice house on the south side of Tillman avenue, between Walter and Edward streets. The estimate cost is $5,000. The Butler-Ryan company have secured the contract.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on each box. 25c.

Seat Sale for Thomas Concerts.

It is important to intending patrons of the Thomas concerts that they should take note of the fact that the seat sale, which opens at 9 a. m. next Monday morning, will be held at W. J. Dyer & Bros.' music store. Arrangements have been made for the future sale of tickets for the People's church at this place.

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Per peck for fancy New York Quinces. This is the lowest price we've ever known a good quince to be sold for.

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A bushel basket for a very fancy lot of Burbank Potatoes.

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Best Granulated Sugar for one dollar with every order amounting to five dollars or over.

20 pounds best granulated sugar for $1
With orders amounting to $3.50.

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Creamery Butter, very choice, fresh and high-flavored, per pound 23c

Niagara Grapes, Large 10-pound baskets, fancy, only 20c

FRESH FISH.

Fresh Salmon Steak, per lb 15c
Fresh Halibut Steak, per lb 12½c
Fresh Codfish Steak, per lb 12c
Fresh Flounders, per lb 10c
Fresh Lake Trout, per lb 9c
Fresh Whitefish, per lb ..... 10c and 11c
Fresh Haddies 10c
Fresh Mackerel ..... 20c, 25c and 30c
Fresh Lobsters, per lb 23c
Fresh Shrimps, per quart 30c

WILL DRAW TWO PLANS

COUNTY ARCHITECT DONOHUE CONSIDERS BOTH PROBABLE SITES, AND PROCEEDS ACCORDINGLY

BUSINESS MEN WILL CONFER

Representatives of Local Commercial Bodies Will Discuss Merits of Respective Sites at a Meeting Friday.

While the county commissioners have taken an option on the Stewart property as a possible site for a new jail building, yet the assurance that the ideas of the commissioners in this matter will ever reach consummation is decidedly slim.

A sentiment strongly opposite to the desires of the commissioners has made its appearance, and County Architect Donohue, in view of this and a possible miscarriage of the plans of the board, is preparing a set of plans based on the present jail grounds as a site.

The judges of the district court, a commission of contractors and the grand jury have so far favored the present jail site and their contentions have in a manner been borne out by public sentiment.

In making the plans two sets will be prepared, one based on the Stewart property as a site, and the other with the present jail site as a foundation. There will be cells and departments for women, common prisoners, juveniles and prisoners awaiting sentence. All cells will be in proximity to shower baths. In the plans as prepared for the present site, a bridge will be arranged to connect the jail with the court house, so that prisoners can be transported direct to the court room. In addition to the offices for those in charge, there will be a well equipped hospital and drug room.

The county commissioners will meet next Monday and at that time the jail question will again receive considerable discussion. No effort has as yet been made to repair the present structure or to remove the steel stack as ordered at a previous meeting.

FAST WORK ON NEW MAIN

WABASHA BRIDGE ACQUEDUCT BUILT WITH SPEED.

The placing of the heavy sixteen-inch water main under the Wabasha street bridge is proving a very interesting operation. The contractors who have secured the work of putting the main in place have adopted a novel way of accomplishing the unusual job. Scarcely a dozen feet of the sidewalk have been disturbed, although nearly 400 feet of the pipe was laid yesterday and 375 feet the day before. A strip of walk on one side of the bridge has been torn away, leaving just room to lower one section of pipe at a time. The pipe is carried by teams to the opening, where it is seized by hooks and gently lowered below the bridge to a small car which runs along the two parallel strips or iron hanging from the superstructure, which will eventually form a cradle in which the main will lie.

The little car is loosened from its fastenings, and, with the men on board, gravity carries the load down the length of the bridge to where the pipe is slid ahead a trifle until it fits into the one which preceded it, and the car and men return for another pipe.

The work is proceeding at an astonishing rate, and would have been finished last night but the pipe gave out.

The main is being constructed to supply the West side with water in case the main on the bed of the river should fail.

THESE WON THE PRIZES.

List of the Lucky Ones at Assumption Parish Bazaar.

The following is the list of prize winners at the Assumption parish bazaar last week:

Silver knives and forks, donated by Mrs. K. Frenzel, won by No. 52, Leon Erger, Exchange street.

Fancy table cover, donated by Miss M. Ehrmantraut, won by No. 52, Leon Lizzie Schott, 244 Glencoe street.

Dinner set, donated by Mrs. G. Mitsch Sr., won by No. 49, Elizabeth Costello, Summit and Rice.

Barrel of flour, donated by Seibert Flour company, won by A. Heidenreich and Mrs. B. Schwelzer.

Pickle dish, donated by John Prister, won by No. 29, Mrs. H. Melchior, 209 Rondo.

Sofa cover, donated by Mrs. Schonarth, won by No. 4, K. Thelsen, 497 Wabasha street.

Parlor lamp, donated by Ogden, Merrill & Greer, won by No. 29, Notre Dame sisters, Fort street.

Eight day clock, won by No. 72, M. Mandl, 165 South Franklin.

Gold ring, guessing contest, donated by C. Simmer, won by No. 3326, C. Miller, 154 Isabel street.

Oil stove, donated by Simmer & Marzolf, won by No. 13, Mrs. Thomas, 556 Wabasha street.

Silk umbrella, donated by Herz Bros., won by 37, Miss A. Beinning, 46 West Ninth street.

Violin, won by Herb Leuthner, 764 Jackson street.

Cushion, won by Rose Fetsch, 11 Iglehart street.

Salt and pepper, donated by H. Rockstruck, won by No. 82, Miss Josephine Peter, 151 Carroll street.

Battenberg center piece, donated by Miss S. Pollard, won by No. 100, Miss Margaret Wagner, 537 Western avenue.

Sacred Heart picture, donated by Miss Ida Hammer, won by No. 6, Carrie Lutter, 193 Iglehart.

Picture of St. Rose, won by No. 50, C. Heil, 189 Iglehart.

Holy Bible, donated by D. O'Halloran, won by 99, J. Schaffhausen, 304 Carroll street.

Hand embroidered cushion, donated by Mrs. O. Stein, won by No. 95, Mrs. M. Lux, 192 Carroll.

Doll, won by No. 32, Miss Mary Soens, 201 Rondo.

Ton coal, donated by Pittsburg Coal company, won by John Wallraff, 767 Wabasha street.

Sofa cushion, won by No. 1, Mrs. J. Schneider, 78 East Eleventh street.

Bedspread, donated by Mrs. A. Winter, won by No. 93, Eva Henle, 595 Temperance.

Pudding dish, donated by Emil Geist, won by No. 4, Mrs. George B. Thera, 244 Thirteenth.

Blanket, donated by M. Mealey, won by No. 92, Mrs. M. Larpenteur, 314 Louis.

Fancy center piece, donated by Mother Benedict, won by No. 4, Miss L. Ernst, 468 Fort.

Tea set, won by No. 12, J. Thompson, 204 Carroll.

Quilt, donated by Field, Schlick & Co., won by No. 18, Wm. Dorsch, 422½ Wabasha.

Single harness, won by No. 76, Fritz Bartles, 137 Fuller.

Chair, donated by Peter Van Hoven, won by No. 28, Joseph Jansen, 722 Armstrong.

Box fancy candy, donated by Campbell Broose, won by No. 55, Mrs. Fr. Seifert, 11 Summit.

Battenberg table cover, donated by Blesius sisters, won by 19, Miss A. Kander, 956 Gaultier.

Doll, donated by Miss A. Bradway, won by No. 56, Theor Sauter, 367 Colborne.

Honiton handkerchief, donated by Pfeiffer family, won by No. 65, Louisa Elles, 11 Summit.

In the contest for a gold watch, Miss Clara Roeller took first prize and Miss Cora Hammer second.

In the contest for the steel range, donated by Philip C. Justus, Henry Krapp was the winner.

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FLATS FOR DALE STREET.

Three New Buildings Betwee Ashland and Portland Avenues.

Three double flat buildings, three stories high, will be erected on Dale street, between Ashland and Portland avenues, by Carl Peterson, a resident of Minneapolis. The foundations will be laid this fall, but the superstructure will not be started until next spring. The flats will be provided with eighteen seven-room suites.

A building permit was issued yesterday by Building Inspector Haas, estimating the cost at $45,000.

Mrs. Hugh J. McAfee was yesterday granted a building permit to erect an apartment house on Kent street, between Dayton and Selby avenues. The structure will be constructed of brick, with stone trimmings, and will be divided into six flats.

MAKES GRAND AN EXAMPLE.

Building Inspector Haas Will Arrest Manager Hays.

The manager of the Grand opera house has received a communication from the office of the building inspector, stating that warrants have been drawn up for his arrest and will be served if the aisles of the theater are again blocked with chairs. This action has been taken by the building inspector as an extreme measure. His remonstrances against the violation of the law have been unavailing.

The Grand opera house has not been the only offender against the ordinance regarding the blocking of the aisles in places of public entertainment, and Mr. Haas says others will be made to feel the force of the law as occasion requires.

DEMAND HUNTING PERMITS.

County Auditor Is Selling Them at a Rapid Rate.

Hunting permits, the kind that allow the killing of deer, moose and elk, are still a salable article at the office of County Auditor Johnson, and many calls are made for them. Up to last evening 103 had been disposed of, the following nimrods being supplied since Saturday:

William Burns, Charles S. Abbott, Charles N. Morrell, John B. Klosbun, John D. Rodger, T. Cadfield, M. S. Stokley, A. B. Smith, E. H. Whitcomb, Grant Spicer, Leo Novak, John Krathchden, W. B. Hastings, J. W. Basset, George H. Fisher, George Wagner, George F. Zueenmerman, E. J. Abbott, Walter R. Work, W. A. Torida and W. H. Lowe.

So far only resident hunting permits have been issued, no one having been found with a surplus of wealth that would allow him to deposit $25 for a non-resident permit.

HAD TO ADMIT SERVICE.

Judge Orr's Ruling in the Case of an Obstinate Litigant.

Judge Orr has filed an opinion covering the question of service of notice of sale in foreclosure proceedings instituted against Charles Dohs, an employe of the West Publishing company. Judge Orr holds that under the circumstances, service was had, and that Dohs received notice of the sale.

An attempt was made at service at the Dohs home, where copies of the notice of sale were refused by the family. A second attempt was made, and was likewise unsuccessful.

Copies of the notice were finally thrust underneath a screen door at the Dohs home, yet, according to testimony, were not received by any member of the family.

HE IS TEADILY IMPROVING.

Senator C. K. Davis Reported to Be Much Better.

Senator C. K. Davis' condition is improving and the swelling his disappeared from the affected foot. It is still very painful and the pus is being drawn off by means of gauze.

Yesterday he received a visit from His Grace Archbishop Ireland and was able to enjoy a long chat with him. Judge Sanborn was another caller.

Although improving, he is still unable to attend to his correspondence or to transact any business.

It is thought that it will be some weeks before he will be able to use the injured foot.

A hat among hats—the Gordon.

Johnson Wants a Divorce.

John G. C. Johnson, who gives his residence as Yellow Medicine county, has brought suit for a divorce from his wife, Cora A. Johnson, alleging desertion.

The wife is now a resident of Ramsey county. They were married in 1878, and the alleged desertion took plact in 1898. The plaintiff is forty-two and the defendant forty years of age.

Hendrickson Is a Bankrupt.

Albert P. Hendrickson, a St. Paul contractor, has filed a petition in the United States court asking that he be adjudged a bankrupt. The liabilities are given at $7,259.37, and the assets $447.50. Of the latter $325 is claimed to be exempt.

LARGEST EVER HELD HERE

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION CONFERENCE WHICH OPENS AT HOUSE OF HOPE TODAY

GATHERING OF PAID WORKERS

At Similar Session Held in St. Paul Fifteen Years Ago Only Thirteen Were in Attendance.

F. G. Ensign, of Chicago, the superintendent of the American Sunday School union, and E. B. Stevenson, of Cedar Rapids, Io., the assistant superintendent, arrived in St. Paul this morning. They come to conduct the conference of the missionaries of the American Sunday School union, which opens tomorrow morning at the House of Hope Presbyterian church, in this city. The conference will continue until Sunday.

The first conference of the missionaries of the union ever held in the Northwest met in this city fifteen years ago, at which time only thirteen persons were present. The growth of the work is shown by the fact that from sixty to seventy-five missionaries are expected to attend this meeting, making it the largest gathering of paid Sunday school workers ever held in the Northwest.

The public will be welcome at all sessions. Besides addresses by the missionaries the conference will be addressed by Rev. Dr. James D. Paxton, Rev. Dr. M. D. Edwards, Rev. H. F. Stillwell, Presiding Elder F. M. Rule and D. R. Noyes, all of St. Paul; Rev. Dr. George E. Merrill, Rev. C. F. Swift, Rev. E. R. Pope, Rev. A. Knudson and Mrs. J. E. Hobart, of Minneapolis. Some of the general officers of the society from Philadelphia will probably be present and take part in the conference.

SIGNED A PEACE BOND.

Webb, Who Struck His Wife, Was Liberated Yesterday.

In the police court yesterday William W. Webb, arrested for striking his wife, was allowed to go on signing a peace bond.

The jury in the case of C. A. Graham, charged with assault and batter by J. A. Metcalf, a clerk in the store of M. Metcalf, Third and Smith avenues, will not return a verdict until this morning as it was agreed by all parties interested that they go home until this morning.

Michael Orstein, charged with disorderly conduct, had his case continued until Nov. 2, and plead not guilty. Orstein is held for trying to break into his son-in-law's house at 239 East Fairfield avenue. He was allowed to go on his own recognizance.

The case against Anton Wirl, who made an assault on Mrs. Lena Fierstein on the upper levee, a week ago, and who was arrested on the charge of assault, was continued until Nov. 5. Mrs. Fierstein's injuries are painful, but there is little danger of a serious result.

Fred Lauscher, who went out with a load of wood and forgot to deliver it a week ago, was in court yesterday. The wagon which Lauscher drove was found later and the charge of larceny was changed to drunkenness.

LIGHT INSPECTION IS ENDED.

Board of Public Works Is Compiling Its Report.

The board of public works has finished the annual inspection of the street lamps of the city and the clerk is now compiling the report.

Last spring the inspection was so thorough that few changes in comparison with the 5,630 lamps which is necessary to light the city were found desirable. Some cases were found in which the city was paying for lights which could not be located and in other cases the contractor was lighting lamps for which he was getting nothing. Such cases were few, however, and nearly balance each other.

The city pays approximately $145,327 a year for street lighting, distributed somewhat as follows: One hundred and sixteen arc lights at $69.50, 144 arc lights at $94, 141 arc lights at $113.60, 2,620 gasoline lamps at $16.56, 2,609 gas lights at $23.

The contract with the lighters, both electric and gas and gasoline provides that the city shall pay for the lights only on the nights that they are actually lighted.

SAT IN SECRET SESSION.

Special Council Committee on the Levee Proposition.

The subcommittee which is considering the means of granting to the Union depot company permission to extend its facilities held an executive session yesterday afternoon.

The scheme to move the freight houses of the Milwaaukee freight road down the river 10 feet or more and grant the Union Depot company the space vacated by the removal, with permission to build out into the river, was the principal subject of discussion.

Nearly all the committee were agreed that the city ought to reserve a strip along the other edge of the concession, which may be used for a public dock, if, in the future, the river traffic should demand it.

Those present were City Engineer Claussen, City Attorney Markham, Chairman Ulmer, of the aldermanic committee on streets; Chairman Craig, of the assembly committee on streets; Attorney Hadley, of the Union Depot company; Assemblyman Benson and Chairman Noyes.

SENT TO HER FRIENDS.

Relief Society Sends Mrs. Nellie Straight to Minneapolis.

Mrs. Nellie Straight, the crippled widow from Winona who was recently found destitute at the Lafayette hotel, was yesterday sent by the Relief society to her aunt and brother in Minneapolis.

Secretary Hutchins says there has been a splendid response to the appeal for furniture and household goods for the families burned out in the fire at the Minnesota Transfer, but there is still needed a wood heating stove, a wash tub, a baby carriage and some bedding.

AS TO SITES FOR JAIL.

Representatives of Commercial Bodies Will Confer Friday.

Representatives of commercial bodies met with a committee of the Commercial club yesterday afternoon to formulate some ideas regarding the proposed county jail.

The first question to be taken up will be the matter of declaring a preference from the numerous sites which have been offered for the jail. The committee yesterday expected to take the site question up, but as all the commercial bodies were not fully represented the committee organized by electing H. A. Boardman chairman and adjourned to meet again next Friday in the club parlors at noon.

Humors

They take possession of the body, and are Lords of Misrule.

They are attended by pimples, boils, the itching tetter, salt rheum, and other cutaneous eruptions; by feelings of weakness, languor, general debility and what not.

They cause more suffering than anything else.

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which radically and permanently drives them out and builds up the whole system.

FOR THE FIREMEN'S FAMILIES.

Fund Amounts to $1,500—Star Theater Benefits Netted $818.

The firemen's relief fund received a substantial addition yesterday morning, when the receipts from the benefit performances at the Star theater were turned in.

This welcome addition came in the form of a check for $818. This sum, with the $395 received by the secretary and about $300 in the hands of Chief Cook, places the fund in the neighborhood of the $1,500 mark.

Through manager Freedy, the employes of the Northwestern Telephone company have sent Mr. Owens a check for $45.

In the event of a benefit concert being decided upon, the People's church has been tendered free of expense.

SUSTAINED SERIOUS INJURIES.

A Newsboy Falls Thirty Feet and Dislocates His Shoulder.

Willie Morgan, a newsboy living at 164 West Isabel street, had his arm broken, shoulder dislocated, and received a bad cut in his chin shortly before 9 o'clock last night, by falling thirty feet down the cellar of the new building being built at Third and Wabasha streets.

He was rescued by Joseph DeGruchy and H. Thompson, who descended the bluff at considerable risk to themselves and brought the boy out.

He was removed to the city hospital in the patrol wagon.

WHITEFISH AND TRELIPIES.

Open Season Opens Tomorrow, Continuing Until Dec. 15.

The season for catching whitefish and trelipies in inland lakes in Minnesota will open Nov. 1 and continue until Dec. 15. According to the law, these fish cannot be caught for market and cannot be sold. Licenses are issued for $1 from the state game warden's office, forty-three being issued yesterday. Last season the total number issued was 350.

CONCERT FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Interesting Entertainment at Bethlehem Bresbyterian Church.

The entertainment given last evening at Bethlehem church for the benefit of the Sunday school was a great success. About 125 people were present and enjoyed an excellent programme. Mr. Menke rendered two violin solos which were warmly received. The quartette of young ladies, led by Miss Taylor, also carried off some of the laurels of the evening.

Mr. Anderson gave a recital and was brought back again, so much were his efforts enjoyed by the audience. Several solos were offered and received encores. Rev. W. C. Laube and Supt. Gregory, of the Sunday school, made a few remarks about the proposed improvements to be made in the Sunday school rooms so as to make them more pleasant for the little ones.

SAID HE WOULD SUICIDE.

Arthur Sadars Disappears After Threatening to Drown Himself.

Arthus Sadars, twelve years old, son of of Ludwig Sadars, a tailor, living at 732 Case street, left home about 8 o'clock last night. He told his oldest brother he was going down to the river to drown himself. Nothing was thought of the threat, but when he did not return by midnigt, his parents became alarmed and reported the matter to the police.

He was wearing a double breasted blue coat, with knee pants and a gray cap.

SOO HAS NEW OFFICE.

George Huntington Has Been Appointed General Superintendent.

A new office has been created by General Manager Pennington, of the Soo road. Saturday a circular was issued from the general manager's office, announcing the appointment of George R. Huntington to the position of general superintendent, with headquarters at Minneapolis. Heretofore the road has conducted its business with two division superintendents, but the growth of the road has necessitated a general superintendent, and in the appointment of Mr. Huntington, recognition is made of his long service with the road and his thorough fitness for the position.

Mr. Huntington has been connected with the Soo road for the past twelve years, having severed his connection with the Milwaukee road to accept a position with the Soo road. While in the employ of the Milwaukee road he served in the capacity of train dispatcher, at La Crosse, Wis., and was employed in a like position by the Soo, being promoted to chief dispatcher and later to superintendent of the Eastern division, from which position he is now advanced to that of general superintendent.

It Is Now Up to Ohage.

The corporation attorney has submitted an option to the health commissioner, regarding the complaints which have been entered against the People's Sanitation company. The opinion, in effect, allows the commissioner free use of his discretion, making him both judge of the questions of fact and the advisability of allowing the People's Sanitation company to continue the night soil business in this city.

Police Commission Will Meet.

The police commission will probably hold a meeting before the close of the week. A quorum of that body have not been in the city for some time, and the opportunity to dispose of some outstanding affairs will not be lost.

The Cook-Hennessy matter will not come up, as Chief Cook is in the northern part of the state on a hunting trip, and will not have a chance to defend himself before the joint fire and police commissioners until he returns.

DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 31.

Second ward Democrats meet at 605 East Third street.

Fourth ward Democrats meet at Swiss Casino hall, Third and Minnesota streets.

Eighth ward Democrats meet at Jarosz's hall, Gaultier and Thomas streets.

THURSDAY, NOV. 1.

Second ward Democrats meet at Bergen's hall, 1179 East Seventh street.

First ward Democrats meet at Hudalla's hall, 1019 Arcade street, 8 p. m.

Ninth ward Democrats meet at 173 Grove street, corner Jackson.

Tenth and Eleventh ward Democrats meet at Brooks' hall, University avenue.

Eighth and Ninth ward Democrats meet at Harbeck's hall, 1143 Rice street.

Eighth ward Democrats meet at Weller's hall, Dale and University avenue.

Eighth ward Democrats meet at A. O. U. W. hall, 1044 Front street, corner Oxford.

Most Convenient Train

To Madison, Waukesha, Janesville, is via the North-Western Line. Leaves Minneapolis, 10:40 p. m.; St. Paul, 11:10 p. m.; arrive Madison, 8:00 a. m.; Waukesha, 10:00 a. m.; Milwaukee, 10:50 a. m.; Janesville, 10:10 a. m.; Chicago, 12:25 noon. Immediate connections at Chicago with fast trains for New York and Boston and for Nashville, Cincinnati and South.

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Special sale of suits.

Substantial price reductions on about 80 ladies' suits—suits selected from our very complete lines and placed under two prices that the stock may be much reduced at once—it's a suit event that demands the attention of economical women who would be well dressed.

20.00 for suits worth 25.00, 27.50, 29.50, and 32.50—values positively as stated—go on sale at $20.00—every suit a present-season style, having all the chic and elegance of the finest tailor productions—there are venetians, man's wear coverts, French zibelines, English tweeds and homespuns.

13.50 for suits worth 25.00 17.50, 20.00 and 22.50—values positively as stated—go on sale at 13.50—there's a splendid variety of styles and materials—every suit guaranteed to be absolutely correct in style and finish—it's the best opportunity of the season to get a medium-priced, serviceable suit for little money.

TALKED OF EARLY DAYS

ANNUAL GATHERING OF THE SOCIETY OF COLONIAL WARS

REV. DR. MELDRUM'S ADDRESS

Spoke After the Banquet on "Scotland's Contribution to America" Other Speakers of the Evening.

Ah! On Thanksgiving day, when from East and from West,
From North and from South, comes the pilgrim and guest;
When the gray-haired New Englander sees around his board
The old broken links of affection restored.

To commemorate the first New England Thanksgiving was the occasion that actuated a unique yet pleasant gathering at the Ryan hotel last evening. The members of the Society of Colonial Wars in the state of Minnesota were the promoters, and the pleasure derived made the event really one of the features of the social season.

The gathering was held in one of the large dining halls, the decorations being in every way appropriate. Ranged around the hall were rows of bright yellow corn in the husk, this being heightened by a number of luscious pumpkins, their glistening, rounded sides being polished to a degree that reflected the shimmering lights. In front and along side a big colonial arm chair was a frowning cannon, primer and swab resting against its rusted sides, while as a background a number of stands of old time muskets with accoutrements and each bearing a bayonet, bristled in company. At the door stands of arms greeted the visitor and prepared him for the war-like aspect that later greeted his vision.

The reading of the proclamation which gives to Americans the grandest day in the year, Thanksgiving, opened the programme of the evening, Gov. Charles Phelps Noyes, who presided, following with a brief address in which he incorporated a review of the beautiful sentiment which gives this still more beautiful celebration, how the colonial fathers made it a day of rejoicing and prayer in addition to one of feasting and how the beautiful custom has been handed down to us to commemorate as of old.

Another address in every way in sympathy with the occasion was one delivered by Jacob Stone, his subject being "Thanksgiving Day in Colonial New England." He traced the day from its origin, how the pilgrim, far from civilization, gathered his family around him and with a larder replenished from the fruits of the forest, feasted and gave thanks to the Almighty for the favors and blessings showered on him and his own. The gathering at the meeting house, the heads bowed in silent prayer and meditation and then the rejoicing as gathered around the festive board they disposed of the good things that dame house wife had prapared for them. It was an address filled with beautiful thoughts, replete with anecdotes of olden days and to those present who had tasted of its delights, brought back pleasant memories.

An address bristling with good things and tinged with the broad dialect of the Scot was that delivered by Rev. Andrew B. Meldrum, D. D. His subject was "Scotland's Contribution to America." A son of Scotland himself, Rev. A. B. Meldrum was perfectly at home in his response to the toast, a number of Scotch anecdotes which he incorporated in his remarks eliciting applause and much well deserved merriment.

"The early history of this country," said Rev. A. B. Meldrum, "fairly bristles with Scotch names. The love of liberty and freedom of speech ingrafted in them by their forefathers, they sought this country in search of the same and when the time came to throw off the yoke they were foremost in the fray and never desisted until the shadow of the crown had disappeared from these shores.

Arthur Sinclair, who blazed the way for the greatest civilization the world has even known George Rogers Clark, who continued the good work; Dr Weatherspoon, whose stirring speech at the signing of the Declaration of Independence gave to the world a new country; Sandy Ross, Roy McGregor, John McCloud; aye, I might continue on to morning and yet not reach the end of the list. There is no other race of people on the face of the earth that became Americanized quicker than the Scotch. The freedom enjoyed here is what they have fought for for years and it meets their views. ou never hear of the Scotch vote, as you do of the German and Irish. He has no grievances. The Scot esteems his own opinions better than others and votes for himself. I tell you a Scot is a better American than half of those born in America."

Rev. A. B. Meldrum concluded with a list of illustrious Scotchmen who had participated in the civil war, together with a review of those making such a success in the social, intellectual and commercial world.

The address accorded unstinted attention was that of Rt. Rev. Bishop Henry Benjamin Whipple, whom Gov. Noyes introduced as chaplain of the National chapter. Mr. Whipple's contribution was "Porto Rico and Our New Respensibilities," and, coming from a man whose views were from personal observation, the subject was one of more than usual interest. He said in part:

"A wise man has no guide for the future except the lessons of the past. You are keeping an old-time Thanksgiving. No nation has a greater respect for Thanksgiving than our own, but of that kind which produces thoughts inimical with our own history. When the pilgrims came to this country to establish the greatest nation the world has seen it was Edward Burke, the greatest statesman who watched their progress and made the remark: 'I only wish that my lot was cast with them, for they are the advance guard of what will be the greatest people on the face of the earth. The progress of our forefathers, their success when failure was imminent and their appeal to prayer as when Washington, his army unkempt, without food and suffering from cold, dropped on his knees and spoke to the God on high and asked for aid.

Two days later he fought the battle of Trenton. His army was victorious, and the English were routed. I am sure if you would pray to Him as our forefathers did, whether we shall hold the Philippines as acquired, the inspiration received would be sufficient. They are ours, and we have received them with an object lesson.

I have no fear for the future. If we trust in God He will guide us in the control of our new possessions. Light is dawning on these people, and despite the contentions that have arisen among our own people over the islands, they will work out their own destiny. The inference here that grew out of the placing of a tariff on Porto Rican products at first caused much unrest among the people of the island, the proposal of an almost prohibitive tariff shutting them out from our markets, that had been theirs for years. The reduction, however, has aided matters greatly. I believe there is a marvelous future for the island.

Bishop Whipple concluded with a description of his visit to the island, the people and their traits, and an idea as to the extent of the island.

Following the address an old Thanksgiving dinner was served informally, the menu consisting of pumpkin pie, brown bread, doughnuts, chicken, apples, cranberries, sage tea and cider. The menu was served on small tables and was a fitting close for the evening's entertainment.

During the evening patriotic and old-time ballads were rendered, the close being marked by the singing of "America," in which all present joined.

Fully 150 persons were present, nearly all the gentlemen being accompanied by their wives, while a number of visitors from a distance were present.

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Application for a $20,000 permit for that purpose was yesterday filed with the building inspector, but as the structure will be within the fire limits, it will be necessary to obtain the consent of the common council before work can be commenced. The building will be of brick and stone, two stories high, 56x78 feet, and will cost between $15,000 and $20,000.

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