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### Brainerd Shops to be Enlarged.

Gen'l Manager Sargent, of the N. P. R. R., was in town on Wednesday, and made a contract with Mr. Wm. Schwartz for 3,000,000 brick, with which to build the new round house and enlarge the present maching shops in this city. The new buildings to be constructed of brick are to be located on the south side of the track, east of the present paint shop, while the general repair shops and buildings for construction of cars will be erected also of brick, on the north side of the track, as additions to the present structures. These movements are the outcome of long determined plans in this direction, and settles the question of the permanency of the principal shops of the N. P. for the eastern portion of the road. Mr. Sargent has understood that the best interests of the company he represents would be consulted by keeping the shops at Brainerd, from which center that portion of the road east of the Rocky mountains can be better provided for than from any other place from Duluth to the Pacific; and acting upon this understanding, Brainerd is to be the manufacturing center of this great thoroughfare. We have long been aware of the convictions of the N. P. management, as to the propriety of enlarging the shops here, and have frequently referred to the matter in these columns, but we are prepared now to definitely announce the result as finally settled and the movement already inaugurated. Mr. Schwartz goes to St. Paul on Monday for additional machinery and tools for his brick-yard, which he will enlarge to double its present capacity, and it is his intention to manufacture six to eight million brick the coming season.

### Notes of the Late Editorial Convention.

The Brainerd TRIBUNE was represented in the editorial convention at St. Paul, this week, by its associate editor, and, though comparatively new in the harness, we can not and will not attempt any learned comments, indulge in any classic criticism, or advance any logical strictures as to its individual or aggregate make-up. It is enough for us to say that to have sat beside the learned and profound Belfoy, of the Litchfield *News Ledger*, listened to the glib eloquence and practical good sense of our gentlemanly brother, Dr. Leonard, of the Rochester *Post*; (and, Dr., we are glad to have met you, and sincerely hope to again,) witnessed the intellectual sallies, wit and wisdom combined of our exceedingly cultivated gymnastic brother of the St. Paul *Globe*; hung with rapture on the ponderous but tastefully rounded sentences of that intellectual giant, Jennison, who *sartor resartorizes* every idea that meanders through his capacious brain; taken Jay Whipple by the hand and wished there was more of him (we mean his presence on that occasion); sat entranced as we admired the sectarian graces, and the theological grandeur of our very capable and worthy vice president of the Duluth *Tribune*; learned in fact how to run a country newspaper to make it interesting and make advertising pay; pondered over the richness of the association; studied its possibilities, and helped solve the problem of the future success of the society by elevating Mr. Harlan P. Hall to the presidency, a position (it is perhaps needless to say) he will abundantly fill. We now have the felicity of congratulating ourself that we belong to so honorable and august and numerous a body, and we assure our brothern of the State editorial association that we shall try and be "with you once again." By the way, we want Morris Russell there next time with those 400 verses of classic melody, which we failed to get this time—a *blank verse* apology will not be accepted either. But, really, so many thoughts are crowding for expression, eliminating subjects of great concern to the society, that we prefer to stop here, rather than leave nothing for discussion at our next annual. Really, gentlemen, and this is not sarcastically said, we are glad to have met you, and trust the suggestion will touch a chord responsive. Your mission is a grand one. Will you achieve it!

### A Public Meeting.

At the request of a large number of our citizens who are desirous that something be done at once, as suggested by the TRIBUNE last week, looking to the incorporation of the town of Brainerd into a city, we have concluded to ask that all citizens interested meet at Bly's Hall on Tuesday evening next, January 31st, at 8 o'clock, to discuss the subject and take such action as may be deemed requisite. This is a step of importance to every resident of Brainerd, and we hope a large attendance will respond to this call. The TRIBUNE warmly advocates a city organization, with limited powers, at a limited expense, but would not favor an incorporation with all the needless and cumbersome machinery once discarded by our citizens.

Col. E. H. Bly, of Bismarck, stopped over in Brainerd part of Tuesday last to perfect the sale of his block on Sixth and Front streets, after which he proceeded south. He was en route to Iowa and eastern States, where he proposes visiting various coal mines with a view to applying improved machinery and methods in his mine west of Mandan, on the Missouri division of the N. P. The machinery and appliances he designs procuring will cost him $1500 to $2000, but will soon pay for themselves in the reduction of expense that will be effected by their use. The Northern Pacific company is procuring locomotives especially constructed for burning this coal, and has contracted with Mr. Bly for its entire supply the coming season for the Missouri and Yellowstone divisions. There is no wood in that country, and the company is obliged to use this coal or import fuel—either wood from Minnesota or hard coal from the east, so that the question of its practicability for locomotive use becomes a vital one to the interests of railroading in that section. Several car loads of Bly's coal were shipped to Pittsburg, Pa., this winter, and Mr. A. P. Farrar, superintendent of machinery of the N. P. followed and personally superintended a rigorous test of its qualities upon different makes of locomotives there to be had for the purpose. A peculiarly constructed locomotive called the Mogul, the grate of which is made in three sections, allowing one section to be cleared at a time without disturbing the fire upon the other two was found to give very satisfactory results, and the company has accordingly ordered several of that make.

General Manager Sargent has ordered of the Barney & Smith manufacturing company $1,500,000. worth of new rolling stock, consisting of sleeping cars, coaches, box-cars, stock-cars and flat-cars for use on the N. P. road the coming season, in addition to a number of engines, among them several Moguls especially built for burning Bly's lignite coal on the Missouri and Yellowstone divisions. Mr. Sargent denies the rumor that the road has been sold or leased to another road, or undergone any change of ownership or management whatever. On the contrary, the Northern Pacific was never as prosperous, financially or otherwise, as to-day, in fact it is just emerging upon a regular and genuine boom, which will be shared by every town on its line and throughout the great Northwest. The line will be extended the coming summer eastward to an all rail outlet down the south shore of Lake Superior, as well as pushed westward as rapidly as men and material can be applied to that end. Three cheers for the Northern Pacific, the grandest scheme of the present age.

The TRIBUNE received a call this week from Capt. Geo. Houghton, the up river steamboat man. He was on his way to Aitken, where he is making preparations to build another steamer, smaller than the "City of Aitken," which he proposes to have completed by the time navigation opens. His large steamer can only run spring and fall, owing to the low stage of water during the summer season, and the smaller boat is designed to make regular weekly trips between Aitken and Grand Rapids during the entire season of navigation. This will be found a great accommodation to lumbermen and others engaged in business in that country, while the establishment of a regular line of steamers into the very heart of the vast pine forests of northern Minnesota, with all its varied and picturesque scenery and other attractions will soon become very popular with the tourist and pleasure seeker. We predict for the Captain's new enterprise a large and prosperous traffic.

The *Pioneer Press* has changed the name of Fargo to Chicago. There is little difference in the names of the places and the transition is very slight.

Publishers would do well to observe the warning in this morning's *Pioneer Press*. St. Paul page, of a base advertising fraud.

There is a shortage in the accounts of the Albert Lea postmaster to the amount of $588.27.

The editor of the TRIBUNE was presented this week with a gold pen by Mr. T. J. Delamere, of the N. P. railroad office. It is a nice pen, and in the hands of a good penman could dash off very handsome chirography, in fact we fancy it even improves our scrawls but alas, if the donor expects it to glide as smoothly in our hand as it used to in his he is another victim of misplaced confidence. One might expect too that with such a pen an editor ought to indite flourished, flowery and finished editorials bristling with rhetoric and rounded out in dazzling brilliancy. We tried it. The first attempt was all flourish with the rhetorical eloquence and dazzling brilliancy business, the best illustrations of a minus quantity we ever saw. In the next effort we endeavored to bring out the important features left so far in the background before as to be quite invisible. We struck the gait of a Demosthenes, but before we had fairly set sail we brought up against a rock, dashing our craft to atoms and seriously straining the pen. Clinching our trusty old Faber, out of the stub end of which we have endeavored to chew ideas until it resembles a splint broom, we recorded the experiment and have concluded never again to look beyond a good square pair of scissors or a jack knife for brilliant editorials.

W. O. Whitney, brother of G. W. Whitney, of this city, arrived in Brainerd this afternoon after an absence of over six years. He is one of the boys of Brainerd's early day history, and while she wore city toggery was on the police force. He has changed very little, and will be recognized by many old friends who still remain here.

The preparations being made for the A. O. U. W. grand ball on Feb. 17th, being the anniversary of the institution of Brainerd lodge, indicate that the affair is to be one of the grandest this town has yet seen. The committees are all actively engaged in carrying out the arrangements, and no pains will be spared to make it a really pleasant occasion.

### The Brainerd Boom.

Special to the Pioneer Press.

BRAINERD, Jan. 26.—Wm. Schwartz, proprietor of the Brainerd brick yards, has closed a contract with the Northern Pacific Railway company for 3,000,000 brick, to be used for the extension and completion of the Brainerd shops. This settles the question as to the permanency and future welfare of this town.

Chase, Pillsbury & Co., owners of the Rice lake mill site, north of town, will not build their mill this year, but will devote their time and attention to their big mill at Gull river, six miles west.

B. F. Hartley to-day purchased of E. H. Bly his block, consisting of ten lots, two stores and house. Consideration, $8,500.

Capt. French, one of the owners of the addition to the town site, will open his brick-yard the coming spring.

Correspondence of the Evening Dispatch.

BRAINERD, Jan. 24—The annual ball of the "Five Charlies' Club" is the exciting social event of the near future. Invitations are out, and the demand for fancy dresses, white, lavender and pearl colored kids, white vests and dress coats is far greater than the supply.

Minneapolis parties are negotiating for land in the immediate vicinity of Brainerd for a location for a brick yard. Another party from Glencoe proposes to open up a brick yard at Brainerd the coming spring.

Mr. Wm. Schwartz's yard turned out over 2,000,000 bricks last year, and the demand is for more. Brainerd clay turns out a beautiful cream-colored brick, not excelled by the celebrated Milwaukee brick.

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| Blur C C | [illegible] George |
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| Burrell John | [illegible] Chas F |
| Brunswick John | [illegible] Mrs Harriat A |
| Branick M | [illegible] John |
| Chorett Antwine | [illegible] |
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| Conrad John | [illegible] H D |
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| Croshare Chas | [illegible] George |
| Donahue John | [illegible] |
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## CURRENT TOPICS.

In clearing-house exchanges for the year 1880, New York was nearly ten thousand millions of dollars ahead of London.

The Illinois legislature is making a general attack all along the line upon corporations. Even the eccentric gasmetre comes in for a share of regulation.

The leaders of the new republic in Africa have telegraphed to London for the appointment of a royal commission to inquire into the claims of the Boers.

The consolidation of the telegraph companies now agitates the business mind of the whole country. The losers are straining every nerve to find means to prevent it.

Pope Leo XIII. refuses to formally condemn the land leagueism in Ireland. The Irish shillelah cut so liberally in Peter's pence, that the old gentleman feels very kindly toward them.

The elements have been making things lively in Europe, and especially in England. Trains have been blockaded by snow, wharves broken up by the waves and drifting ice, many vessels wrecked, and great loss of life and property entailed.

Whittaker's bifurcated auricular appendages were formally arraigned in court-martial, on the 20th ult. His counsel demanded further time for preparation of evidence, and the hearing was postponed until February 3rd, when further details of those much canvassed ears will be inflicted upon a long-suffering community.

The California legislature is exercised over the new Chinese treaty, and have tried to pass resolutions protesting against its ratification. The resolutions were laid on the table. The chief grievance seems to be that the treaty defines no means of determining who are laborers and who are visitors from China.

The schemes to improve the Mississippi meet with determined opposition in the East. What is desired there is to take the streams in their order from the Atlantic westward. If all the immense water-ways of that region—Oil Creek, *et al.*—are to be overhauled first, there is little hope for so unimportant a ditch as the Father of Waters.

Prospectors through the wheat-growing regions of Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, and Iowa, prophesy a short crop of winter wheat, for the reason that the weather last fall was unusually cold and dry. The wheat had hardly started before winter set in. Continuous cold weather, without snow enough for protection, has already destroyed about half the crop.

The German government fosters the anti-Jewish agitation. The police prohibited a proposed meeting of workmen to protest against the outrages—the reason given by the authorities being that the meeting violated the anti-socialist laws. The prohibition causes much indignation, in view of the fact that none of the anti-Semitic meetings have been interfered with. What a congenial place Germany would be for Judge Hilton.

Great financial distress prevails in Germany. Selling prices and land rents are very low and constantly falling. In consequence, mortgagors can not pay the interest on their debts, and are dispossessed and their homes sold at a fearful sacrifice. On the top of this, the country is eaten up with taxation to support a mammoth standing army and the gorgeous phraseology of an imperial government. No wonder the over-burdened German skips for America on the first opportunity.

The European powers continue to amuse themselves with the controversy between Greece and Turkey. Every day some one of them reiterates a demand to the porte to submit to arbitration, which the porte kindly but firmly declines. So the gentle efforts at persuasion go on indefinitely, while Greece daily dons fresh warpaint, spits on her hands, and howls for somebody to hold her, lest she be overcome by her yearning to yank the tail feathers from that perverse gobbler.

The wily politician of the border, Sitting Bull, has again skipped the fence and retired to the protection of his namesake, John Bull. He snuffed on the tainted gale the scent of the soothing and persuasive Gatling gun, and breaking off negotiations with Allison, without asking to be excused, hoisted the bovine caudal appendage and made sail for Canada. Only a handful of warriors followed him. The remainder of his band prefer the comforts of civilization, and have surrendered.

The Dakota legislature voted to memorialize Congress, praying for the passage of the Bennett bill to divide the Territory on the forty-sixth parallel, and admit South Dakota as a State. The legislature also passed a resolution requesting the President to reappoint Hon. A. H. Barnes to the office of associate justice of Dakota Territory at the expiration of his present term of office. An effort will be made this session to remove the capital from Yankton to Pierre, of the Missouri river, where the Northwestern

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

### *PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.*

The Nevada Senate tabled a resolution Jan. 21, protesting against the ratification of the new Chinese treaty.

The Tennessee legislature, on the 20th elected Howell E. Jackson, a State credit Democrat, to the U. S. Senate.

The President has nominated Stanley Matthews as associate justice of the U. S. supreme court, vice Justice Strong, resigned.

Gov. Cornell, of New York, recommends a State appropriation for the suppression of cattle diseases, and urges Congressional action.

The congressional committee on commerce rendered a report, on the 20th, favorable to the reservoir system for the upper Mississippi.

A Chicago dispatch, Jan. 26, says that the firm of Field, Leiter & Co. is about to dissolve, and a new firm be organized as Marshall, Field & Co.

The two houses of the Wisconsin legislature voted for United States Senator Jan. 26, the Republicans voting for P. Sawyer, and the Democrats for Jas. R. Jenkins. The result in favor of Sawyer will be declared in joint convention to-day.

Washington dispatch, Jan. 22, says: The president has directed that the following officers be placed on the retired list: Gen. Stewart Van Vliet, assistant quarter-master general; Lieut. Col. Samuel Woods, deputy paymaster general; and Maj. Joseph H. Eaton, paymaster. The retirement of the first two named goes into effect to-day, and of the others on Monday.

### *WEEKLY CASUALTY RECORD.*

Two young ladies at Reading, Pa., were instantly killed while coasting.

Off Pensacola, Fla., the steamer Minnie exploded her boiler, killing the captain, engineer and fireman.

A violent storm is raging over the Mediterranean. The Guadalquivir river in Spain has risen 34 feet.

Fire at Wilton, N. H., destroyed thirteen stores, the bank and several offices Loss, $60,000; partially insured.

By the explosion of a boiler at Dansburry, England, Jan. 20, eleven persons were killed and sixteen wounded.

Eugene Mahon, switchman in the Fort Scott railroad yards at Kansas City, Mo., was killed by a backing train, Jan. 25.

Mount Baker, British Columbia, is reported in a state of active irruption, and throwing out clouds of smoke and ashes.

Wm. Cummins, fireman, was killed Jan. 25, at Tiffin, O., by a collision between two sections of a freight train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

At Mexico, Mo., on the 24th, a father and son, named Scharisch, while walking on the railroad track, were struck and run over by a backing train and instantly killed.

A Yankton dispatch, Jan. 22, says: A blizzard of the most approved character has been raging since night before last, blocking railroads and delaying mails in all directions.

Omaha dispatch, Jan. 29, says: Last night, at the Blair crossing of the Sioux City and Pacific railroads, trains collided, and a brakeman named McLennan was instantly killed.

A boiler explosion occurred near Long Prairie, Minn., on Jan. 24, killing the engineer, Frank Gerow, and scalding three others—E. B. Rice, and two brothers named Strong.

Three inches of snow fell in New Orleans Jan. 24, the heaviest fall since in 1864. There was a fall of five inches at Mobile, Ala. Other parts of the South were visited by the coldest and severest weather.

The O'Hara Glass works, Pittsburgh, Pa., belonging to Wm. McCully & Co., was totally consumed by fire Jan. 26. Loss $27,000; insured for $12,000. Fire supposed to have been caused by a broken pot.

Fredericksburg, Va., dispatch, Jan. 22, says: In the Rappahannock to-day a gorge formed, causing water and ice to come up to the height of eight feet, submerging wharves and the lower story of the Baltimore steamers' warehouse.

St. Peter dispatch, Jan. 22, says: One of the worst blizzards of the season was raging at Sleepy Eye up to dark. The Winona & St. Peter road had barely been opened before it was closed again. Trains were running to Wasecs, and may possibly reach St. Peter.

Alonzo Bend, engineer on the Wabash express train, when approaching Cerli, Indiana, Jan 21, saw a freight train taking the siding and expecting a collision jumped off, and was thrown under the cars and cut to pieces. His fireman remained on the engine and escaped injury.

Fort Dodge dispatch, Jan. 25, says: E. W. Ford, in the employ of the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad company, was the victim of repairing a car when a Des Moines & Fort Dodge train backed up, caught him between the cars and killed him. He leaves a wife and four children.

A frightful railroad accident occurred on the 24th, at Puerto Cortes, Louisiana. A train consisting of two passenger coaches, a mail and baggage car, jumped the track at Golden Rock Curve, Amour Mountain, and fell seventy feet to the rock below. Nearly all on board were killed.

Peoria dispatch, Jan. 22, says: The Fort Clark elevator, with 26,000 bushels of grain, was burned this morning and is probably a total loss. Loss, $25,000; insured for $14,000. A fire in Kinsey & Maher's last night damaged the structure $10,000. J. J Strauss lost $5,000 on his skirk works; insured.

Salt Lake dispatch, Jan. 22, says: The bodies of seven victims of the Alta avalanche of last week were buried yesterday in this city. The *Tribune* has letters from Custer and Bonanza, Idaho, dated the 12th, describing snow slides there burying seventeen persons, all but four of whom were rescued. The danger appears to be over Alta for the Present.

### *CRIMES AND CRIMINAL RECORD.*

At Cleveland, O., Jan. 26, Joseph Kling was indicted for murder in the first degree.

A farmer in Dakota, fifty miles south of Sioux City, was found hung to a tree in the woods, Jan. 24. Suicide.

J. C. Ramsey, brother of Secretary of War Ramsey, committed suicide at St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 24, by shooting himself in the head.

H. G. Aebard, clerk in the internal revenue office, San Francisco, has been arrested charged with embezzlement. He gave bail in $5,000.

Oscar Rice, some years ago internal revenue collector for the Louisiana district has been arrested at Boston on a charge of embezzling $15,000.

A fiend in New York threw vitriol into the face of a lady, because she would not marry him. She will be disfigured for life and may lose her sight.

Two blacks brutally assaulted Mrs. Beale Wertz, an estimable young lady living at Prosperity, North Carolin, and both were lynched by a crowd of whites and blacks.

Dispatches from New Mexico state that on the 23d and 24th ult., a band in the vicinity of San Marie killed fifteen persons and wounded several. Nine are missing, probably killed.

Andrew Mader, aged 22, formerly organist of St. Peter's church, Louisville, shot himself Jan. 24, in the head, in a low student, and it is supposed his mind was affected.

Federal troops are in pursuit of the robbers who recently captured a stage near Fort Cummings, it is feared, have learned that they were whites disguised as Indians.

Two brothers named Lafferty, living about nine miles from Parkersburg, West Virginia, got into a fight Jan. 21, when the elder stabbed and instantly killed the younger.

The body of Jeremiah Sullivan was taken from the Mount Elliott cemetery, Detroit, and the janitor of the medical college has been arrested for participation in the crime.

At Genoa, Livingstone county, Mich., Wm. Van Blair, a farmer living near there, shot his wife and then killed himself, Jan. 21. The cause was drink and family trouble.

Miss Kate Nicketta, daughter of one of Baltimore's wealthiest citizens, during temporary aberration, called at the Mechanics National bank, and attempted to shoot its president, Robert Baldwin.

Atlanta, Ga., dispatch, Jan. 22, says: Jack Stokes (colored) was murdered last night. He's body was placed in a fire, wood piled around, and the clothing saturated with coal oil. Her head and face were horribly burned.

New York dispatch, Jan. 26, says: Catharine Crane, aged thirty-one, was fatally shot to-day in her own boarding house by William Sindlmer, a German, aged thirty, whom she had ejected from the house. Sindlmer was arrested.

J. M. Patterson, J. S. Doyle, Wellborn Braden, J. E. Powell and E. Pryor, the men convicted of resisting United States marshals in Tulare county, Cal., where several men were killed, have been on Jan. 24, sentenced to eight months imprisonment, and $300 fine each.

### *FOREIGN.*

Advices from Spain report the present winter the severest known for years.

In the British parliament two Irish coercion bills were introduced on the 24th.

An Irish dispatch says that much distress exists among laborers in Laughres.

A boat used for harbor work at Cherbourg, France, foundered, and the crew of 78 persons were drowned.

Alfred Elmore, the historical painter, is dead. He was born in 1815, at Clonakilty, county Cork, Ireland.

The shipwrights in two yards on the Clyde, in Scotland, have struck for an advance of 1½ per cent. on their wages.

It is stated from Rome, that Garibaldi will not preside over the projected meeting in favor of universal suffrage.

Gen. Calley telegraphs that he has reached Bigugo river without opposition from the Boer patrols, four miles distant.

The advance of 7½ per cent. in wages has been conceded by the Clyde ship builders to their men, and the strike is ended.

Saturday last, at Ballycastle, woman named Cummings, residing at Cranacon, N. C., gave birth to four children, all doing well.

Paris dispatch, Jan. 22, says: A terrific storm prevails on the Mediterranean. It is reported that fifty smacks have been wrecked.

London dispatch, Jan. 22, says: It is generally rumored in the lobby of the house of commons that Gladstone is to be created Earl of Hawarden.

King John, of Abyssinia, has decided to send a special embassy to Egypt to return thanks for the favorable reception of his envoys by the Khedive.

Gen. Skobeleff reports another sortie at Geok-Tekes. The Sarts attacked the Russians, captured one cannon, but were driven back within the fortress with great loss.

The German agriculturalists are generally complaining against the importation into Germany of American productions, which they say seriously affects their interest.

Berlin dispatch, Jan. 22, says: The proposed establishment of triennial imperial budgets, which Bismarck has again introduced in the bundesrath, causes great opposition in the press.

The London Times in a leading editorial says: "We do not believe the ministry is in danger of being defeated without support by the great body of liberals on the coercion question."

London dispatch, Jan. 22, says: There is a renewal of snow storms in portions of England and Ireland. The weather is very cold. A bark is ashore near Boston; and considerable damage is done.

Montreal dispatch, Jan. 24, says: Joseph Mousette, of La Prairie, died in the far West, intestate, and his heirs in this vicinity have inherited the estate, which is said to amount to over $1,000,000.

The British government offers a reward of £500 for the discovery of the perpetrator of the Salford outrage, and £100 and a free pardon to accomplice not being the actual perpetrator who shall give information.

Cape Town dispatch, Jan. 21, says: The British force at Ceane Pokchetrom made a sortie, killing four Boers. The colonial force at Mosom, Basuloland, has been strongly reinforced and will take the offensive shortly.

St. Petersburg dispatch, Jan. 20: The Agency Russe says there will be no formal conference at Constantinople. Each ambassador will treat with the porte separately, and the negotiations will be simultaneous but collective.

The storm in Great Britain continues. The weather is the severest within the memory of living persons. Nine vessels are reported ashore at Yarmouth, and it is estimated that fifty persons have been drowned there.

London dispatch, Jan. 22, says: Colliers and police of Skelmersdale had a fight yesterday. Several persons are injured. Troops are being sent to the Wegan and Preston districts, owing to their disturbed condition.

London dispatch, Jan. 22, says: In consequence of the explosion at Salford it is intended to materially strengthen the garrison at Manchester. Do. are being transported on the coast of Ireland to prevent the landing of arms.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg reports that 1,500 soldiers have been constructing a railway at Kizel Ural bank moved toward the front. Two battalions are ready for immediate transportation from Mislinsk-Cwacy.

A dispatch from Moscow says that Petersbay, a political prisoner was sentenced by the court-martial to fifteen years hard labor, with commencement owing to his youth that the sentenced be commuted to forty years in Siberia.

Athens dispatch, Jan. 22, says: The immediate formation is ordered of three battalions of infantry, one regiment of cavalry and one battalion of engineers. The present strength of the army is 25,000 men. The interior of war has addressed a circular to the

## BOINGS IN WASHINGTON.

*Proceedings of Congress.*

[Official Record.]

Senate, Jan. 20.—The ladies' gallery was crowded by a fashionable throng to witness the inauguration of the President. Messages were received from the State department, relative to the steps taken to sell to the government the original Declaration of Independence of Benjamin Franklin. Will Carter, the original Jayhawker, was continued in congress to George Third, 1776, signed by Washington, Jefferson, and the introduction of resolutions discussed and postponed. Adjourned.

Senate, Jan. 21.—Resolution of Sherman, to amend and referred. Resolution of Cockrell, to amend the rules, was discussed and referred to committee on rules. Resolution of Hoar, to amend the bill granting lands to Dakota, Montana, Idaho, and Washington, for university purposes. Pending bill was discussed and referred to committee on finance. The bill allotment land in severalty to Indians on various reservations was taken up, and pending the question of the bill, Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned.

House, Jan. 20.—Went into committee of the whole on the naval appropriation bill. Mr. Hewitt, of New York, offered amendments of the provisions of the bill, which appropriated $16,631,000, a net increase of $65,000 over the appropriation of the current year. After discussion the committee rose and reported the bill to the House. Pending the question of the bill reported by the committee on appropriations, it was then called up the contested election case of Bisby vs. Lofland, from the third congressional district of Massachusetts. The majority report, signed by Republicans at the elections, signed by Republicans and Democrats, recommended the contestee entitled to retain his seat; the report of the minority signed by Weaver, being in favor of contestant.

Senate, Jan. 21.—Senator Logan presented the credentials of his Senate bill to place Gen. Grant on the retired list, and asked for its immediate consideration. Laid over. The House bill granting a pension, was received from the House and referred to the committee on appropriations. The morning hour having expired, the Indian land bill came up as unfinished business, but was laid aside formally, and the Indian appropriation bill taken up. Senator Wallace stated the nature of the amendments made by the committee on appropriations, which added $71,000 to the bill. In committee the amendments were adopted, and the bill were agreed to. The bill was then reported to the Senate, the amendments concurred in and the bill passed. Adjourned.

House, Jan. 21.—The bill for the relief of Maj. Gen. Ord, with the rank and pay of major general, passed. The contested election case of Boynton against Loring came up, Boynton speaking in his own behalf. After debate, the majority resolution in favor of the sitting member, Loring, was agreed to without division. Mr. Weaver then called the contested election case of Bisby vs. Hall, from the second congressional district of Florida, the report of the committee on elections being unanimously in favor of Bisby, the contestant. Without action on the case the House took a recess.

Senate, Jan. 24.—Committee on Indian affairs, Coke, chairman, reported the resolution making appropriation for certain improvements of grounds near the capitol. The bill was passed. Memorials presented from Philadelphia manufacturers and Cincinnati manufacturers, favor Regan's inter-State commerce bill. Judiciary committee reported adversely Senator Edmunds, Geneva water bill, and offered a substitute. Senator Logan asked unanimous consent to take up the bill to relieve Gen. Grant. After discussion the consent was refused. Senate then took up the Indian land-in-severalty bill, Morgan's amendment which occupied the rest of the day. Went into executive session and soon adjourned.

House, Jan. 24.—Bills were introduced and referred: Calling on the Secretary of State for information on the disposition of foreign governments to work silver mines. To regulate collection of tax on silver bullion. To establish a system of inter-oceanic transportation. For better security of life on the Pacific Coast. Providing for sale of land for direct taxes in insurrectionary States. To make free of duty, machinery for manufacture of plate glass. Providing for the Speaker to sign used for billing cotton. To regulate collection of tax on silver bullion. Relating to postoffices reported a resolution directing said committee to inquire into the expediency of establishing telegraphic postal system. Memorializing on cession reported back the bill of appropriation for improvement of Red River of the North. Committee on Territories reported back the bill for the admission of Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington Territories, and the bill was introduced defining boundary lines between Indian Territory and Kansas. Adjourned.

Senate, Jan. 25.—Resolution submitted in favor of finding legislation to permit our citizens to buy ships and engage in the foreign carrying trade, and for the repeal of such as American ships. Bill introduced in relation to the salaries of judges of U. S. courts. Logan renewed his motion to postpone the order of the calendar, and take up the Grant retirement bill. Rejected. Bill to pay additional expenses of the Indian census was passed. Consideration was resumed of the Indian land-in-severalty bill. Without action the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned.

House, Jan. 25.—The bill providing for the deficiency of $162,000 in the appropriation for the interest on the 3-65 loan on the District of Columbia passed. Also the bill appropriating $30,000 for a monument commemorative of the battle at Saratoga. Mr. King gave notice that he would call the House day next call up for action the resolution on the subject of the Chinese treaty, which he moved into the committee of the whole on the post. Committee rose, and reported the bill to the House, when it passed. Mr. Spear, from the committee on elections, reported the resolution on the contested election case of Yeates against Martin, the contestee from the third of North Carolina. It declares Yeats entitled to the seat. The report with the minority report, was ordered printed. House adjourned.

Senate, Jan. 26.—Senator Ingalls offered the following: That the Senate be ready to receive the House of Representatives on the joint resolution for the 22d inst., at 12 m., for the purpose of being present at the ceremonies incident to the inauguration for President and Vice President of the United States for two persons be appointed tellers, and that the Senate will take a ballot of the votes for President and Vice President of the United States in the hall of the House, that it may be delivered to the President of the Senate, who shall announce the votes, which shall be entered in the journals, and it it shall appear that the votes have been made constitutionally, such entry on the journals shall be deemed a sufficient compliance with the law. Resolution laid over. The Indian land-in-severalty bill was taken up and discussed. Without action thereon the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned.

House, Jan. 26.—Committee on foreign affairs reported adversely the bill authorizing the president to negotiate for lands for colonization purposes. Committee on Cockrell called up the resolution proposing a joint rule for counting the electoral votes, and after some time spent in vain to arrive at a determination, Mr. Bickwell demanded the previous question. Morgan stated the question of motion. Mr. Conger raised the question of consideration. Mr. Cox moved to lay the motion 110 in favor of taking up the electoral resolution. Long wrangle followed upon the question of consideration and without action the House adjourned.

## A Narrow View.

There is a Judge in Galveston whose head is as bald as that of the American eagle. A little boy, living near him, has got it into his head that lack of hair is inseparably connected with the title of Judge, consequently he thinks every man whose head is densely covered with hair, called, and was addressed as "Judge." Last Sunday, the little fellow said to his father, "You can't be Judge. Can't fool me."

"Why am I no Judge?"

"Cause you have got a parted wide enough," was the guileless reply.—*Galveston News.*

"There's no place like home," remarked Mr. Hooper, looking at a motto, and he hastily added, "I am glad there is."

## THE EDITORIAL COUNCIL.

*Proceedings of the Editorial Council of Minnesota.*

[Official Record.]

Pursuant to call, the Minnesota Editorial Fraternity met in council at St. Paul, on Jan. 26, in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, at that body having kindly tendered the use of the chamber for that purpose, the following members were present:

W. J. Whipple, Winona Herald.
J. A. Leonard, Rochester Post.
W. J. Hartley, Brainerd Tribune.
H. P. Hall, St. Paul Globe.
W. A. Hotchkiss, St. Paul Pioneer Republican.
C. B. Keeper, Brainerd Tribune.
D. Beaudry, St. Paul Type Foundry.
H. H. Hall, St. Paul Globe.
W. C. Whiteman, Hawkes Herald.
H. A. Castle, journeyman at large.
A. Dewey, Fishers Landing Bulletin.
A. B. Benson, Swedish Newspaper Union.
F. Driscoll, St. Paul Dispatch.
R. R. Watson, St. Paul Dispatch.
J. S. Mattson, Stacy Times.
F. M. Gore, Benton, Gove & Co., type founders.
J. K. Arnold, secretary.
C. H. Bunn, Volksblatt, St. Paul.
F. Belfoy, Minn. Ledger, Litchfield.
H. E. Newton, Minnesota Farmer, Minneapolis.
Ben Northup, Leader, Lake City.
G. A. Ferguson, Times, Lake City.
J. A. Sigler, Bulletin, Wabasha.
J. H. Jennison, Republican, Red Wing.
R. W. Gilfillan, Globe, St. Paul.
Maj. T. M. Newson, at large.
W. B. Dean, Pioneer, St. Paul.
Frank Matchett, Jordan Advocate.

The meeting was called to order by first vice president R. C. Mitchell, of the Duluth Tribune, in the absence of the illness of President Geo. C. Chamberlain.

The secretary, J. K. Arnold, presented his report, which was accepted and placed on file. It was also the report of Treasurer Beaudry.

The death of W. J. McMastigo, of the Lake City *Leader*, was announced, and a committee consisting of Messrs. Arnold, Beaudry and Castle was appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the sense of the association on the memory of the dead journalist, as follows:

*Resolved*, That the death of W. J. McMasters, of the Lake City *Leader*, our associate, has deprived the editorial fraternity of one of the most shining lights, a man true to his own honor, a man, Christian, and all that words can imply towards nobility of character. A loss, a void, not only to our fraternity, but to community in which he lived, but a loss to the State with whose history and best interests he has been identified for the past twenty years. Among us he was universally esteemed, not alone for his public service, but for his generous, kind and high sense of character and honor.

*Resolved*, That the secretary be instructed to present a copy of these resolutions to the widow of our deceased friend.

*Resolved*, That our recording secretary be instructed to prepare for publication an obituary notice.

Sympathetic and feeling remarks in eulogy were made by Messrs. Leonard, Castle, and H. P. Hall, and the resolution adopted.

The question of postal changes that have taken place in the character of local papers and the manner of editing them rendered exchanges between local papers useless—and should not the system of exchange be discontinued," brought out an animated discussion, during which several prominent members of the profession gave voice to their views.

Capt. Leonard advocated the abolition of exchanges. His first idea was to gather local news in his own and neighborhood, but only papers needed are those of immediate vicinity, which he reads and their read, or also relay, upon daily papers from St. Paul, Chicago and New York. The daily paper furnishes the country editor with matter he can be gotten in their exchanges.

Capt. Leonard's views were with Mr. Leonard on the ground that it was the function of the country press to discuss current topics as well as publish the news. He said in the case they needed to have exchanges. The country press should discuss current topics as suit their own views and do not give a fair view of the subject, which is unfair to readers.

Major Hotchkiss thought the country editor should be strictly of important a position as the metropolitan press. The metropolitan press does not, as a rule, represent the popular will, being controlled by corporations, more than the popular interests. The country paper stands between the corporations and the people. He should be ashamed to say that he was echoing simply the sentiments of the Metropolitan press. The country editor should have the ability to handle topics as well as the metropolitan editor.

Mr. Belfoy, of the Litchfield *News-Ledger*, thought the Minneapolis and other the country papers in a false position. If it was carried to its logical sequence he would have to head one column with the Minneapolis *Pioneer Press*," another "the ideas of the GLOBE." Add another, if he should write with blank counts would be headed "the ideas of the editor." If he had any blank column in his paper he would head it "the ideas of the Minneapolis Tribune." He believed the country papers controlled the metropolitan press instead of vice versa.

Capt. Leonard said he agreed with all that Mr. Belfoy said except what Capt. Castle uttered. He said he was prepared to agree with him on any topic. He thought the speakers had overlooked the fact that he had stated that the object of taking the metropolitan papers was to get the news and not to get editorials. The fact that the country papers lacked much ability and are able to discuss the current topics of the day, he thought was the best evidence of the correctness of his position.

Gen. Newson said he thought were chiefly valuable for the local news they supplied, but even that reached them quicker through the daily papers than the weekly country papers. There are some editors who pour themselves out on their paper, and it was time to see how foolish they can be on the wrong side. News, however, is the most valuable, of value, and hence they never steal editorials from the daily papers. The tendency of both daily and weekly papers was to give more space to local news. He was sorry for it, because he had faith in a point never to agree with him on anything. Gen. Newson said he was prepared to agree with Mr. Belfoy.

Mr. Hotchkiss offered a resolution in effect "that the Legislature now in session be recommended to pass a law fixing the maximum rate of interest in Minnesota at not more than 7 per cent. per annum," and warmly advocated its adoption. The resolution was not done.

Resolutions were offered tendering the thanks of the association to the St. Paul Chamber of Commerce for the use of their rooms for the meeting, and to the members of the House of Representatives for the kindly offer of the assembly Hall for the meeting of the association in session.

Maj. T. M. Newson, at the evening session, delivered a very able and interesting address, on the rise, progress and influence of the newspaper, and the influence of the press, which was received with great applause and pronounced valuable data and important information. The address was warmly received by the large and appreciative audience gathered from the most beautiful and cultured of St. Paul's citizens.

The following are the officers of the association for the ensuing year:

President, H. P. Hall, St. Paul Globe.
First Vice President, R. C. Mitchell, Duluth Tribune; second Vice President, W. J. Whipple, Winona Herald.
Recording Secretary—M. C. Russell, Brainerd Tribune.
Corresponding Secretary, F. Williams, St. Paul.
Treasurer—D. Beaudry, St. Paul Type Foundry.
Executive Committee—F. Driscoll, R. A. Castle and G. B. Newson.

The president was directed to call the next meeting of the association at his discretion during the month of February, 1880, at which time it is earnestly hoped more of its members will be present.

## MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE.

*(Twenty-Second Session.)*

Senate, Jan 20.

Bills were introduced: To amend general statutes of 1878 relating to exemptions. To amend general statutes relating to homestead exemptions. To amend laws of 1876 on formation of corporations. To aid Minneapolis & St. Cloud R. R. Co. Bills passed to incorporate towns of Spencer and Ortonville. Went into committee of the whole and considered the following bills: Relating to punishment of crime. Chapter in fourth degree. Relating to bounties for killing wolves. Relating to the pleading department of deaf and dumb asylum. Committee rose and reported. Passed bill relating to logs and lumber, and bill relating to rights judgments. Adjourned.

House, Jan. 20.

Bills introduced: To establish rates of railroad fares and freights. Relating to license. To amend common school laws. To appoint coroners physicians for the poor. To amend statutes relating to selection of petit jurors. To authorize Big Stone county to issue bonds to the amount of 5,000 to pay its debt. Relative to security in cases of judgment by default. To amend statutes relative to pleadings in all civil cases. To amend statutes relative to the boards of equalization. Went into committee of the whole on the calender, and recommended the passage of a large number of bills. Committee then rose, reported, and House adjourned.

Senate, Jan. 21.

Bills introduced: To amend special school laws. To punish cruelty to dumb animals by postponed the bill for constitutional amendment relative to the same. Bill to amend laws. Passed the bill relating to punishment of manslaughter. Went into committee of the whole and considered Senator Whitney's new bill. Committee rose and reported back the bill, which was referred to a special committee for amendment. A number of local bills were passed upon. Certain committees of conference were appointed. Adjourned until Monday evening.

House, Jan. 21.

Bills introduced: To amend statutes relating to corporations. To amend laws for assessing real estate. Relating to salary of district judges. To authorize each town in Ottertail county to support its own poor. To introduce moral and social science as part of public school instruction. Several minor and local bills were passed. Bills were passed. House adjourned until Monday evening.

Senate, Jan. 24.

Bills introduced: To amend general laws restraining cattle from running at large. Relating to costs and disbursements in criminal actions. To prevent double assessment upon encumbered real estate. To amend general statutes relating to hours of labor. To makes ten hours a day's work in absence of special contract. Certain local bills were passed. Adjourned.

House, Jan. 24.

Bills introduced: Relating to taxation of railroad companies. To amend statutes relating to offences against chastity, morality and decency. To protect local bills. After passing three local bills, the House adjourned.

House, Jan. 25.

Bills introduced: To amend law relating to administrator's, executor's, or guardian's sales of real estate. To amend law on emigration. To amend law relating to assessment and collection of taxes. To change the place of trial of Scott county, from Jordan to Shakopee. To amend laws relating to compensation and fees of officers in a joint county. Memorializing Congress to appropriate money for improvement of navigation on Red River. Bills passed: To provide for a bridge between Floyd Lake and Pelican Lake. Relating to Fergus county. To appropriate $15,000 for repairs of normal school at Mankato. Committee of the whole considered bills in the afternoon the House considered a large the joint resolution asking Congress for appropriation for the improvement of the Mississippi. Resolution passed. Adjourned.

Senate, Jan. 25.

Bills introduced: To amend general statutes relating to claims for construction of the Red River Pacific railroad lines. To appropriate $1,000 to build bridge in Ottertail county. To amend general statutes relating to dilling of claims for homestead. To amend statutes relating to attachments. Passed the House resolution for the appointment of two committees on reapportionment—one on the authority of the congressional reapportionment and the other on legislative reapportionment. Senate went into executive session and confirmed nomination of Mr. Burt as superintendent of public instruction. Nomination rejected. In the executive session the following nominations by the governor were received: Surveyor general of logs and lumber in the second district of Minnesota, John S. Proctor, of Washington county, was appointed. Surveyor general of logs and lumber in the second district of the State of Minnesota, George A. Knowlton, of St. louis county, reappointed. State inspector of oils, James E. Hoffman, of Ramsey county, reappointed. Commissioner, W. H. H. Taylor, of Hennepin county, reappointed. Commissioner of agriculture, Gideon E. Reed, of Ramsey county, reappointed. Commissioner of the State Board of State Reform School, Wm. F. Murray, of Ramsey county, reappointed. All the appointments were confirmed except that of Mr. Burt, which was referred to the committee on State prison. Senate adjourned.

Senate, Jan. 26.

Bills introduced: To repeal general statutes granting swamp lands to Soldiers' Orphans' Home. To appropriate $100 for three years to the Minnesota Academy of Natural Sciences. By the committee on agriculture, a joint resolution for relief of settlers on homesteads by extending the time. Memorial to Congress for the appropriation of $1,000,000 for the improvement of the Mississippi River. A joint memorial was adopted for the improvement of navigation on the Red River of the North. Bills passed: Amending statutes relating to larceny from the dead. Senate went into committee of the whole, considered minor bills, and then adjourned.

House, Jan. 26.

Bills introduced: To repeal special laws of 1878. To appropriate $200 to the State Reformatory. Relating to the maximum rate of interest in Minnesota at not more than 7 per cent. per annum," and warmly advocated its adoption. The resolution was not done.

Resolutions were offered tendering the thanks of the association to the St. Paul Chamber of Commerce for the use of their rooms for the meeting, and to the members of the House of Representatives for the kindly offer of the assembly Hall for the meeting of the association in session.

Maj. T. M. Newson, at the evening session, delivered a very able and interesting address, on the rise, progress and influence of the newspaper, and the influence of the press, which was received with great applause and pronounced valuable data and important information. The address was warmly received by the large and appreciative audience gathered from the most beautiful and cultured of St. Paul's citizens.

The following are the officers of the association for the ensuing year:

President, H. P. Hall, St. Paul Globe.
First Vice President, R. C. Mitchell, Duluth Tribune; second Vice President, W. J. Whipple, Winona Herald.
Recording Secretary—M. C. Russell, Brainerd Tribune.
Corresponding Secretary, F. Williams, St. Paul.

The grossest natural curiosity in the country is an architect who does business in Detroit. A man said to him some time ago: "I Drew me out a plan for a residence; I am willing to pay $2000 if they suit." The plans were drawn and the house built. The plans were such that $1000 was enough. The architect charged the cost at $12,000, and it measured up to the plans. The man refused to pay the balance, but it forces were attached and the house was finished, in spite.

## THE WOULD THEN THE BIRD-WALK.

Did you ever stand in the crowded street,
In the place of the city flags,
And lie in the throng of a fairy fleet
In their quietly musical brags?
As the surging crowd go to and fro
Its a pleasant sight, I ween,
To mark the figures that come and go
In the ever-changing scene.

Here the publican walks with the sinner proud,
And the saint with the gallant coat,
And there walks in the motley crowd
With Lucretia, the daughter of Lot,
And the daughter of toil, with her fresh young
And pure as her spotless fame,
Keeps step with the sinful woman who makes her mart
In the harms of sin and shame.

How lightly the gaily dressed courtezan
In the middle of the city's City!
As freshly pure as the daisies that grass
That grows on her native hills.
And the beggar, too, with his hungry eye
And his lean, wan face and crutch,
Gives a blessing the same to the passer-by,
And he gives him little or much.

When time has beaten the world's fation,
And his dusky armor dight
Is treasured in museums for curious
The stores of the silent night.
How many of the silver shell be quietly fed
And sing to slumbers sweet,
While many go to a sleepless bed
And never a crumb to eat.

And I wonder if when the hours are joyfully by,
How little we stop to heed
Our brothers and sisters' sharpening cry
In their woe and bitter need?
Yet with a smile the angels sigh
This world of ours we'd call.
If the broader part in the Father taught
Was felt by each for all.

Yet a few short years and this motley throng
Will all have passed by,
And the rich and the poor and the old and the
young
Will be mouldering in clay,
And lips that are red and lips that mean
Shall in silence alike be sealed,
And some will be under a stately stone
And some in the potter's field.

But the sun will be shining just as bright,
And as of the silver moon,
And just such a crowd will be here to-night
And pass as now they do soon,
And men will be wicked and women will sin
As ever since Adam's fall,
With the same old world to labor in,
And the same God over all.

## THE HOME DOCTOR.

A REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM.—Four ounces of saltpeter in one pint of alcohol; shake well, and bathe the parts affected; wetting red flannel with it, lay it on. It does not cure, but takes away the redness, reduces the swelling, and relieves the torment and agony.

RED IODIDE OINTMENT.—This is the most useful ointment for the cure of splints, spavins, ringbones and hardened tumors. It is made as follows: Vin iodide of mercury, one drachm; lard, half an ounce; mix well and apply once in five days. If used oftener it will cause the hair to fall off and not grow again.

TREATMENT OF WOUNDS.—It is recommended to treat inflamed wounds by smoking them with burning woolen cloth, carry minutes in the smoke of wool; it is said, will take the pain out of the worst wound, and if repeated once or twice will allay the worst case of inflammation arising from a wound. This remedy is certainly very simple, and within the reach of every one.

HOT SAND A GOOD BED-FELLOW.—The comfort which a hot-water bag, or even a hot brick, may afford a person on retiring, chilled, is very great, and, beyond this, the use of some such warmth-producing appliance is useful as a bedtime beverage, and a restorative; but one of the most convenient articles to be used as a bed-warmer and yet a sickroom is a sand bag. Get sand clean, fine sand, dry it thoroughly in a kettle on the stove, make a bag about eight inches square of flannel, fill it with the dry sand, sew the opening carefully together, and cover the bag with cotton or linen cloth. This will prevent the sand from sifting out, and will also enable you to heat the bag quickly by placing it in the oven or on the top of the stove. After once using this you will never again attempt to warm the feet or hands of a sick person with a bottle of water or a brick. The sand holds the heat a long time, and the bag can be tucked up to the back without hurting the invalid. It is a good plan to make two or three of the bags and keep them ready for use.

THE FEET.—The odor of pure perspiration is not unpleasant, as may be proved in clean and healthy babes. When, however, the other eliminating organs—those that strain the waste matter from the blood—do not duly perform their functions, their work is attempted by the skin. Then a disagreeable odor is generally given to the perspiration. Even in these cases, the odor is produced mainly after the perspiration has been absorbed by the clothing. This last fact is generally true of the bad odor which is associated with the excessive perspiration of the feet of some people. Dr. George Thin, of England, has been investigating the matter, and has communicated the results of his experiments to the Royal Society. The perspiration of the body is generally slightly acid. That in the soles of the stockings and boots he found to be alkaline. In this there is a rapid development of a fungus, bacteria (microscopic vegetations) characterized by a fetid smell (*bacterium fœtidum*). The fluid in the soles of the stockings and of the boots examined by the doctor was found to teem with them. Thus the odor is supposed in some cases to be due, not directly to the perspiration as it comes from the feet, but to its subsequent putrefaction. The afflicted will be glad to learn that this odor can be wholly destroyed by boracic acid—the acid of borax. The stockings should be changed twice a day. When taken off, they should be placed for some hours in a jar containing a solution of the acid. They are again fit for use after drying. To prevent the odor from getting into the boots, cork soles should be worn, and placed at night in the jar and dried the next day. Washing the tender and sore parts of the feet with the acid will relieve the accompanying feeling of heat and pain.

### Postal Frauds.

When heavy postage was in existence, various methods were employed in cheating the revenue. Persons leaving home for travel were importuned by friends to carry letters with them to other friends. An idea prevailed that, if letters were carried unsealed, there was no infraction of the law. This was a popular error. A newspaper was often sent by post in an envelope; inside the latter a long epistle was often written to friends, who generally milk. When this was dry the writing could not be seen. By holding the paper to the fire the writing came out in a sepia color, and the law was broken. This petty trick was discovered by the postoffice authorities, and parties were threatened with prosecution; but, as the receivers protested that they did not know who the senders were, it was almost impossible to obtain a conviction. Other senders, in place of writing in milk on the covers of newspapers, made slight dots in ordinary ink under such printed letters as suited their purpose for conveying intelligence. This was troublesome for both senders and receiver, and it was used only for brief messages. The postal tax prepaid most heavily on the poor, but the ingenious poor found means to evade it. For instance, a son or daughter in town dispatched a letter to parents in the country, who were too poor to pay the postage. The parents declined to take such letters in, which they had a legal right to do. Returned to the general postoffice, the letter, on being opened, was found to be a blank sheet of paper. The fact is the parents and children had agreed to send these blank sheets as indications that all was well with the sender; the receiver got that much of news and had nothing to pay for it. The letter was never taken unless a particular mark was on the cover, which intimated that something of importance was to be read within. Heavy postage made long letters. As the receivers paid the postage, they naturally expected their money's worth. Often a sheet of foolscap was crossed and recrossed, and not a hair's-breadth of the paper was left without its line.

### Waking the Wrong Passenger.

A good story is told of that gallant Irish soldier, Gen. Bligh, of Sepoy fame. While holding the commission of Captain in a dashing mounted regiment, he was on a trip of pleasure, with his wife, in the North of England, and having come one day to a remote village, where the larder of which was well-nigh empty, he ordered all the host had on hand in the shape of game, to be served up for his dinner, after which he joined his wife in an upper room.

While the dinner was preparing the meal for his guest a party of sporting gentlemen of the country entered the inn and called for refreshment. The landlord was sorry to inform them that all his larder contained of food had been bespoken by a gentleman who was at that moment waiting in stairs, with his wife, to have it served.

Who was the gentleman?

The host could not tell them that he was an Irishman, and that he seemed to be a very quiet, good-natured and harmless body. (This Captain was travelling in citizen's clothes.)

"An Irish gentleman! A potato with pepper and salt!" was the answer for him. Go up and tell him so."

But Boniface preferred not to do so.

"Then," cried one of the party—a squire of the neighborhood who more money than sense—"take this watch up to the gentleman and ask him if he'll send us word what's the time o' day, for we can't tell."

It was a habit in that section, when one would intimate to another that he didn't have much faith in his good sense or judgment, to show him a watch and ask him to tell what's the time o'clock.

The host, himself fond of fun, and feeling assured that the last callers would get the worst of it, took the watch—a very valuable gold repeater—and went up stairs and did the errand. Bligh took the watch and looked at it.

"By my life! it's a beauty. Tell the gentlemen I'll turn down presently, and shall take pleasure in acquainting them to them the mystery o' time-telling by the watch. And I'll fetch the watch with me."

The host returned with the answer, and shortly afterward carried up his guest's dinner. The Captain, after a little time, furious with the landlord for having left his watch behind; but he finally cooled off and, having called for a gallon of beer, he sat down with his friends to wait.

After he had finished his meal, Capt. Bligh opened his portmanteau and took out two great horse-pistols, and placing them under his arm, he took the watch in his hand and went down into the bar-room, where the sporting gentry still waited.

"Ah, gentlemen, I give you a good day. And now, who is the man that wants the time 'o day? I shall be delighted to enlighten him."

They didn't like the looks of the man at all. He carried the soldier in his very look; and, in fact, there was a good deal of the tiger manifested.

"Come, come, gentlemen—I am Capt. Bligh, at your service. A short time since the landlord brought to me this watch, accompanied by a message which I have come to answer as such a message richly deserves!" And he significantly tapped his finger upon the pistols. "Now, whose is the watch? Is it yours, sir?" to the squire himself.—

The squire denied the ownership promptly. All the watches in the world would not have tempted him to expose his life to the terrible Irish Captain, whose fame was known to him.

Bligh then applied to the next man; and then, to the next; and so on, to the last; and all denied the ownership.

"I am happy to find, gentlemen, that I have made a mistake. You will pardon me, I am sure. I thought the owner of this watch was present."

He then put the watch into his pocket; slipped the pistols into the pocket of his blouse; turned to the bar, and settled his bill; then bowed the company good evening, after which he joined his wife on the porch; at the door of which his carriage was in waiting.

Captain, afterward General, Bligh kept the watch to the day of his death, often telling the story of its capture, when he left it by will to his brother, the well-known Dean of Elphin.

### Duck Hunting With a Club.

A colored man by the name of Ike Simpson was seen standing on a street corner, leaning on an immense club.

"What's yer doing dar, Ike?" asked Sam Smith, another darky.

"I'm out fuck hunting," responded Simpson.

"What sorter ducks?"

"Wild ducks, oh course."

"And spozin' wild ducks was to light about heah, what would you kill 'em wid?"

"Wid dis here club," said Ike, swinging it over his head in a most alarming manner.

"Well, you is de biggest fool on Galveston island, sure," said Sam Smith.

"Not much I ain't. I'de gwine to take in de most distinguished duck dat lights on dis corner. I'll bet you a tosh-dollar hat I capsizes noah den a dozen wild ducks on dis heah corner wid dis heah short-range club." And once more he swung the club to the great discomfort of Sam Smith.

The bet was taken and now Ike spoils a fine new hat. When asked how he managed to get the ducks, he explained:

"You knows dat old nigrah Noyes, what libe down on de island? Well, he borrowed a new saddle wiff $10 from me befoah de wah, and he hain't never fetched it back yet. I heard he was in town wid a wagon-load of ducks for sale, so I jess laid foah dem on de corner wid a club, and you bet I korrected de whole amount, wid interest to date, in ducks. I has cleared much dem $25 off dem ducks already."—*Galveston News.*

NO MATTER how poor people are, nearly every one can afford a large number of horses—one for clothes and the other for wood.

## FACTS FOR THE CURIOUS.

THE great city of London requires a yearly supply of 20,000,000 gallons of milk.

THE life of a submarine telegraph cable is shown by experience to be from ten to twelve years. If a cable breaks in deep water after it is ten years old, it cannot be raised for repairs, as it will break of its own weight—a fatal difficulty, and the cable there seems to be no practicable remedy.

In 1830 Marshal Soult brought a parrot named Jacko to the French war office, where it was regularly fed for years. He served under eighteen different Ministers, but was always a staunch royalist. Through every change of administration Jacko cried, "Vive le roi!" but would never say without painful effort, "Vive l'Empereur!" He died on the anniversary of the death of Napoleon I., in 1870.

THE greatest amount of cold ever known to be endured by a human creature took Lieut. Schwatka's party in search of information about Sir John Franklin's party. They went over the mountains in sleds, and journeyed about 3,000 miles. On Jan. 3, 1850, the thermometer sunk 103 deg. below the freezing point. The highest temperature that day was 69 deg. below freezing point. Five twenty-seven days, the temperature was 92 deg. below the freezing point.

WHEN rivers are much warmer than the air, they give rise to fogs, because a rapid evaporation from the warm water pours more water into the atmosphere than it can hold suspended in an invisible state, and consequently the surplus vapor is condensed and forms the colder air through which it rises. These are the conditions of atmosphere when no actual fog is apparent, but haze or mistiness prevails, and what are called dry fogs, or sometimes blight. In some cases they are clearly due to smoke, as, for instance, the smoke of burning prairies, which may extend over vast distances.

THE following calculation as to the total number of existing botanical species has been made by Dr. Muller, of Berlin: Of the 200,000 species in our books about 130,000 species, and, if we suppose that 30,000 (in round numbers) belong to countries in Europe and North America, where there are hardly any species, but some cryptogams to be discovered, the remainder, or 100,000, representing exotic plants, more or less tropical and southern, we may double the latter for new species, giving 200,000 for these southern regions, and altogether 230,000 for the whole globe, with the exception of countries still quite unknown botanically. Adding only 20,000 for the latter, we reach a minimum sum of 250,000 species of plants.

Most people remember the terrible railway accident in which Dickens himself and his proof-sheets escaped, while gentlemen "lifted down presently, and there was a gentleman and lady just landed in England after their return from India. The lady said to her husband: "I see the great wave rolling on; it is close to us," and then the crash came, and she was a corpse. The husband was unhurt, and, at a later time, explained his wife's strange words. Ever since that night she had feared she had been haunted in sleep by the dream of the vast silvery wave, and always as it was about to break on her she had wakened in terror. This was the phenomenon which she recognized immediately before the accident which caused her death.

### The Catacombs of Paris.

The vast catacombs by which a large portion of the city of Paris are undermined are well known. It was a tradition until the year 1774, when some alarming accidents aroused the attention of the Government. The old quarries were then surveyed and plans of them taken, and the result was the frightful discovery that the churches, nunneries and most of the southern part of Paris was undermined, and in great danger of sinking into the pit beneath. A special commission was appointed, and on the very day at most a house in one of the streets sunk ninety-one feet below the level of its courtyard. The pillars which had been left by the quarrymen, in their blind operations, without any regularity, were in many places too weak for the enormous weight above, and in most places had themselves been underminded, or perhaps partly stood upon ground which had previously been hollowed. The aqueduct of Arcueil passed over this treacherous ground, and it already suffered some shocks, and, if the quarries had continued to be neglected, an accident of some magnitude, which happened to this watercourse, which would have cut off its supply from the fountains of Paris, and have filled the reservoirs with water. Repairs were forthwith commenced and promptly completed, and a portion of the old quarries was drained, and the bones and bones of the dead. This took place in April, 1786; the remains of the dead were removed, and the quarries were covered with a pall, and followed by priests chanting the service of the dead. When they reached the catacombs the bones were shot down a well, and the rattling and echoing which they made in their fall were an impressive and sound ever heard by human ears. This the limestone quarries that had supplied the materials for building the superb monuments, palaces and houses of Paris became huge charnel-houses, which they now remain. Calculations differ as to the number of bones deposited in the catacombs, but it is certain that they contain the remains of at least 3,000,000 of human beings.—*Harper's Young People.*

### For Evening Gatherings.

A list of amusing forfeits, which will make the company laugh and not offend the person called upon to pay them, are herewith given:

1. Put a newspaper upon the floor in such a way that two persons can easily stand upon it and not be able to touch each other with their hands. By putting the paper in the doorway, one half it side and the other half outside of the room, and closing the door upon it, the two persons can easily stand upon it and still be beyond each other's reach.

2. To go out of a door without legs and come in with six. Not very difficult to do if one thinks to bring along a hair on the occasion.

3. To act the dumb servant. The person who has the forfeit to pay must act out the answers to the questions put by the master of the ceremonies, as "How do you make bread?" "How do you make soap?" etc. This forfeit issues much merriment if proper questions are put.

4. Put one hand where the other cannot touch it. This can be got out of the difficulty by putting one hand on the elbow of the other arm.

5. To open a door by the door so that one cannot jump over it. May be done by putting it close to the wall of the room.

6. Put a question that no one can answer with a "no." This is not hard if one thinks to ask, "What does y-e-s spell?"

7. Push a chair through a finger ring. This forfeit is made by putting the ring on the finger and then pushing it with any other object will do as well—with the finger.

8. Put yourself through a keyhole. This was a great puzzle to us for a while, but when a piece of paper was taken with the word "yourself" written upon it, and pushed through the hole, it was all clear.

### What Is Nickel?

Since the convenient 5-cent coin which is common talk is called "a nickel" has come into general circulation, the question above is asked either mentally or orally hundreds of times every day, and but few get an intelligent answer. In China and India, a white copper, called pack tong, has long been known and has been extensively used both there and in Europe for counterfeiting silver coin. About the year 1700 a peculiar ore was discovered in the hopper region of Saxony which had the appearance of being very rich, but in smelting it yielded no copper, and the miners called it kupfernickel—false copper. In 1754 Cronstadt announced the discovery of a new metal in kupfer-nickel, to which he gave the name of nickel. It was in combination with arsenic from which he could relieve it only in parts. The alloy of nickel and arsenic which he obtained was white, brittle and very hard, and had a melting point nearly as high as cast-iron. It was not until 1823 that pure nickel was obtained by analysis of German silver, which had for a number of years been produced at Suhl in Saxony. Its composition was ascertained to be copper 10 parts, zinc 5, nickel 4. If more nickel be used the alloy is as white as silver and susceptible of a very high polish, but becomes too brittle and hard to be hammered and rolled, and can be worked only by casting. Pure nickel is a white metal which tarnishes slightly in the air. Unlike silver, it is not acted on by the vapor of sulphur, and even the strong mineral acids attack it but slightly. Nickel has the hardness of iron, and, like it, has strong magnetic properties, but cannot be welded, and is soldered with difficulty. Pure nickel has heretofore been used chiefly for plating, for which purpose its hardness and power to resist atmospheric influences admirably adapt it. Within the last year the French have succeeded in rolling the metal into plates, from which spoons and other table furniture may be pressed. Nickel bronze, which consists of equal parts of copper and nickel, with a little tin, may be cast into very delicate forms, and is susceptible of a high polish. Mines of nickel are worked in Chatham, Ct., and Lancaster, Pa., and it is said to be found at Mine Le Motte, Mo., and at various points in Colorado and New Mexico, where but little attention is paid to it. It is extensively mined in Saxony and in Sweden, but the late discovery of a new ore (a silicate of nickel) in New Caledonia will probably suspend the use of the arsenical ores, and yet reduce the metal into common use. Switzerland coined nickel cents in 1856, and eight years later coined the 5-cent piece. Belgium adopted nickel coinage in 1860 and Germany in 1873. England has lately coined pennies for Jamaica, but at home she and France adhere to the clumsy copper small change.

### Man in America.

Prof. Fowler, in a lecture upon the anatomy of man, before the Royal College of Surgeons, London, discussed the question of his origin on the American continent. He says:

"Till recently, opinions on the early peopling of America had been divided between the views that the inhabitants of this continent were a distinct indigenous people, and therefore not related to those of any other land; and that they were descended from an Asiatic people who, in comparatively recent times, passed into America by way of Behring strait, and from ancient graves lately over the whole continent. These theories have had to undergo considerable modifications in consequence of the discovery of the great antiquity of the human race in America as well as in the Old World. The proof of this antiquity is found in the high and independent state of civilization which had been attained by the Mexicans and Peruvians at the time of the Spanish conquest, and the evidence that that civilization had been preceded by several other stages of culture, following in succession through a great stretch of time. The antiquity of this quasi-historical period is, however, entirely thrown into the shade by the evidence now accumulating from various parts of North and South America, that man existed on the American continent, and under much the same condition of life, using precisely similar weapons and tools, as in Europe during the pleistocene or quaternary period, and perhaps even farther back in time. Recent paleontological investigations show that an immense number of forms of terrestrial animals, that were formerly supposed to be peculiar to the Old World, are abundant in the New. Taking all circumstances into consideration, it is quite as likely that Asiatic man may have been derived from America as the reverse, or both have had their source in a common center, in some region of the earth now covered with sea."

### Wretched, Indeed.

Are those whom a confirmed tendency to illousness, subjects to the various and changeful symptoms indicative of live complaint. Nausea, sick headache, constipation, furred tongue, an unpleasant breath, dull or hasty temper, a feeling of lassitude, languor and gloom, impurity of the blood and loss of appetite. Liver is a cause of the miseries of dyspepsia, it is one of the most common of maladies. There are many, many people for the disease, and all its unpleasant manifestations. It is the concurrent testimony of the public and professional testimony that Dr. Henley's Celery Bitters is a medicine which achieves results speedily fair, thorough and lasting. Besides rectifying liver disorder, it invigorates the stomach, corrects bowels and bladder complaints, and hastens the convalescence of those recovering from enfeebling diseases. Moreover it is the grand specific for fever and ague.

A CHILD seeing a bill on a telegraph post—"Oh, mamma, look! A message has fallen off the line."


[Daily Fort Wayne Sentinel.]

Mr. S. H. Joseph, Agent Emerson's Minstrels, remarks: "I can with truth speak from experience; and in saying St. Jacobs Oil acts in a marvelous manner on the joints I partly express my good opinion of it.

How to distinguish a wealthy man—By the Crosses in his face.

Those Saucy Girls.—"This is the way a Vassar girl tells a lady: Girls I heard a funny thing the other day. I was just too funny. I'll remember how it came about, but one of my girls said to Prof. Mitchell—Oh, dear, I can't remember just what I said, but Prof. Mitchell's answer was just too funny for any use. I forget just exactly what I said, but it was too good for any thing!"

[Manchester, (Mich.) Enterprise.]

Messrs. Hausauer & Kingsley, Druggists, manufacture, say: We handle St. Jacob's Oil with abundant success, as it has given excellent satisfaction to our customers.

"I KNOW all men by these presents," read an old bachelor lawyer, aloud. "Why don't they put in women, too?" asked his lady client. "Because," said the old fogy, "if one woman knows it, all women know it."

### Facts That We Know.

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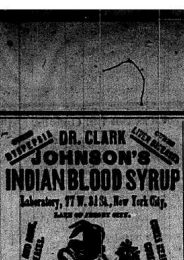


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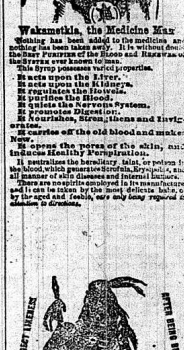


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| 12.00 m | 12.30 pm | 4.40 pm | 5.10 pm |
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By virtue of an execution, issued out of the District Court for the Seventh Judicial District in and for the County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota, upon a judgment issued and docketed in said Court on the ninth day of December A. D. 1880, in a certain action wherein Erastus Cree is plaintiff, and M. B Anderson is defendant, in favor of said plaintiff, and against said defendant, for the sum of one hundred and thirty-five dollars ($135), have on the 23d day of December A. D. 1880, levied upon all the right, title and interest of the said M. B. Anderson to the following described real estate, viz: Lots numbered one (1) and two (2) in block No. one hundred and ninety-one (191) in the first addition to the town of Brainerd according to the recorded plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Crow Wing county Minnesota.

And will sell the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution and costs, at the front door of the jail in the town of Brainerd in said State aforesaid, on Monday the seventh day of February A. D. 1881 at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

Dated Dec. 23d, A. D. 1880.
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And will sell the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution and costs, at the front door of the county jail in the town of Brainerd in the county and State aforesaid, on Tuesday the first day February A. D. 1881 at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

Dated December 4th A. D. 1880.
P. MEYER,
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| le. 6.55 p m. | Glyndon, | le. 7.30 p m. | |
| le. 7.30 a m. | | le. 6.55 p m. | |
| le. 7.16 p m. | Moorhead, | le. 7.04 p m. | |
| le. 9.00 a m. | | le. 5.20 p m. | |
| ar. 7.50 p m. | Fargo, | le. 7.00 p m. | |
| ar. 10.05 a m. | | le. 6.35 p m. | |

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| le. 11.40 a m. | Valley City | ar. 6.40 p m. | |
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Register.

STATE OF MINNESOTA—DISTRICT Court—11th Judicial District—County of Crow Wing.

Louisa J. Jones, Plaintiff,
against
Edwin P. Jones, Defendant.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named Defendant:

You, Edwin P. Jones, are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint in this action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Complaint on the subscriber, at his office in Brainerd, Minn., within thirty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

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