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TWO DAYS WELL SPENT.

Western Editor Reduces Sight-Seeing to a System.

Managed to See More of the National Capitol in Twenty-Four Hours Than Most Visitors See in a Week.

(Special Washington Letter.)

One of the veteran editors of the west came to Washington recently, and, although he had but two days to spare, he managed to see a great deal of the national capital in that time. Thousands of people traveling from east to west annually stop over here for a day or two, and can of course carry away with them only faint recollections of a city of trees and asphalt pavements. The itinerary of the editor is therefore one which every body coming here on a flying trip might better know about and keep for future reference.

The visitor was wise enough to engage apartments at a hotel before coming here. He knew that when congress is in session all of the hotels are crowded. You may judge from that little bit of forethought that he is somewhat methodical, and inclined to make preparations for coming events.

It was early Tuesday morning when the editor arrived here, and he went at once to the hotel, where he had breakfast. He then went down Pennsylvania avenue on a cable car, which went clear around the capitol grounds, and took him to the new congressional library building. He spent two hours there, viewing with wonderment and amazement the splendors of that magnificent building; an edifice which is now conceded to be, without exception, the most splendid building in the world. He then walked across the grand plaza to the east front of the capitol building, and entered the senate wing beneath the great marble staircase. Ordinarily a stranger would have climbed the stairs, but it is a physical task which is not necessary. The entrance beneath the staircase leads through a spacious corridor to an elevator which quickly lifts the people to the main floor, or to the gallery floor of the building. Our visiting editor first walked about the senate floor, and went to the east front, where he saw the bronze doors, containing numerous allegorical representations in bas relief. Then he went to the gallery, and was admitted to the reserved gallery because he held a ticket of admission which had been sent to him with the compliments of one of the senators from his state—the senator having learned that the editor was coming to Washington about that time.

It was just five minutes of 12 noon, when the visitor took his seat and began to study the architectural effects of the great legislative chamber. He observed in the niches along the wall the marble busts of the ex-vice presidents of the republic. They are all there, including one of Adlai E. Stevenson, whose term of office only expired last March.

At 12 o'clock he saw Vice President Hobart enter the senate chamber, accompanied by Rev. Dr. Milburn, the celebrated blind chaplain of the senate. He heard the vice president's gavel

After an hour spent in the senate chamber, the visitor went over to the rotunda, which is the central part of the capitol, and there he met Kennedy, the king of the guides. He is a gentleman of education, refinement and most pleasing manners. He knows the capitol building, from foundation stones to the top of the dome. He led the visitor to stately hall, the room formerly used by the house of representatives. There he showed the marvelous natural eidos of the place. It would make a book to write it all in detail.

In the rotunda the guide pointed out the magnificent fresco work encircling the inner part of the dome, and he also called attention to the lamentable fact that some of those paintings have been ruined, because of the negligence of the house of representatives. There was in a leaky condition, and the paintings are smeared and completely destroyed.

Next came a visit to the hall of the house of representatives. There was no session, so the guide took his visitor on to the floor of the house, and point-



JUST TELL THEM THAT YOU SAW

ed out all points of interest. The visitor ascended the dais, and for a few moments sat in the speaker's chair; the chair which is occupied by Tom Reed, the mighty man from Maine, who holds the house in the hollow of his hands.

The speaker's lobby was then visited, and there, upon the walls along the lengthy corridor, the portraits of all the past speakers of the house of representatives were seen. This completed the trip over the main floor of the capitol building, and the visiting editor took the cars, went down the hill, and around to the botanical gardens, where he saw some of nature's marvels.

One of the most interesting things there seems to be the palm trees, of various families, which do as fine weaving as spiders, or skilled human workmen. The palms grow in sections, and they are so weak that they would droop to the ground. But as each leaf is put forth, little coils of vegetable thread are wound round and around, so that when the tree reaches the height of from two feet to 30 feet it presents the appearance of having been wound about by human hands. That was the most striking thing in the botanical gardens, but there were many other wonderful things seen there in the course of half an hour.

The next day was Wednesday. The first thing done was to take the electric cars, go careering across the celebrated Long bridge, and stop at Arlington national cemetery. There is the former home of Gen. Robert E. Lee, and around about it skilled landscapers and gardeners have beautified the last resting places of 12,000 union soldiers. There are monuments to generals, colonels, captains, lieutenants, and also to private soldiers. In front of the old mansion, overlooking the national capital, is a splendid monument of Gen. Phil Sheridan, with his likeness in bronze. It took nearly all morning to see Arlington, and then return to the hotel.

In the afternoon there was a trip to the bureau of engraving and printing, the place where all our paper money and all of our postage stamps are printed. It is a wonderful workshop, but everything is so barred off that it is difficult to see much of the workings of the bureau. The workmen and the money are all barred off, and the place is barred out, because there are millions upon millions of dollars in money right there all the time.

At three o'clock in the afternoon, the president gave a public reception, and our editorial brother went there. It was a great sight. He was surrounded by the east room, and there were about 300 people waiting an opportunity to shake hands with the president. It was 15 minutes after three o'clock when the president appeared, and took his place at the door leading out into the corridor. The crowd filed past him, one at a time, in single file, and he took the hand of each caller, bowed and passed him on to the hall. It was all over in ten minutes, and the president went back to his private duties. But he saw one way to his associates as he takes up his pen to write. This is the head of the house of William B. Ewing. Very few people, comparatively speaking, ever have an opportunity to see one of our presidents, much less to see him face to face, and clasp his hand.

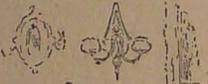
SMITH D. PIV. Frequent visiting of the hale majestic course, not thick.

Overdoing It.
Undertaker (to assistant)—Politeness is commendable, but even a good thing can be overdone, James. There are times when a courtesy is better omitted than given.

Assistant—When, sir?
Undertaker—In such cases, for instance, as that of Mrs. Leftover, who came in just now to pay the bill for her third husband's funeral. You were polite in asking her to call again, but a trifle over-zealous, James—just a trifle—Puck.

The Hammeck.
Although it's all the rage just now, in getting in the hammeck, you find, unless you know just how, you're apt to take a tumble.
—Democrat's Magazine.

UNWELCOME NEWS.



Bride (who has eloped)—Here is a telegram from papa.

Bridegroom (anxiously)—What does he say?

Bride—All is forgiven, but don't come back—Collier's Weekly.

Ever Thus.
There is no rose without a thorn. No joy without a sorrow. The pants that creases now adorn will be baggy-tweed to-morrow.
—Cleveland Leader.



A QUESTION OF GEAR.

WHAT WE MAY COME TO IN ANOTHER YEAR.

In a Boarding House.
Mrs. Fitzhugh—I see by the papers that the price of leeches has gone up. These leeches are simply robbers.
Mr. Fitzhugh (cynically)—There is one thing that can be said in favor of the leechman. If he has any left over he doesn't warm it up for breakfast.
—Tammany Times.

Served His Usefulness.
Patent Medicine Man—You mustn't print that testimonial any more.
Country Editor—I thought it was a trump card for you. Why, that man is one of our most prominent citizens.
Patent Medicine Man—But he has just died.—N. Y. World.

An Egghead.
He—What is a crank?
She—Why, a person with one idea.
—Would you call me a crank?
—Why, no; I never gave you credit for having one idea.—Yonkers Statesman.

She Was a Tailor.
"That's speaking likeness of your first wife."
"I suppose the artist couldn't help it and I had him paint it in the most correct colors, too."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Few Enthusiasts.
"There are a great many successful people in Chicago."
"Yes, even the girls don't have any trouble in keeping on their feet."—Town Topics.

Authentic Information.
"Julius has got the latest baby that ever lived," said Mr. Jabbs.
"Who told you so?" asked Mrs. Jabbs, surprised.
"Dad's old."—Tit-Bits.

Prosperous Times.
"How's business?" asked Cawker of the druggist.
"Excellent!" He was compounding a great many dyspepsia prescriptions.
"How do you account for so many cases of dyspepsia?"
"There are two reasons for it. A great many brides have gone to house-keeping lately and a new cooking school has opened just around the corner."—Harlem Life.

A Liberal Physician.
"You have appendicitis," said the physician, after a thorough examination, "and I shall have to operate upon you."
"But what will you charge?" asked the patient, who was a poor man.
"As for that, I have known you a long time and you have been a good customer. So I'll make a cut rate for you."—N. Y. World.

Understood His Business.
Author—I have sent my essay on "Marriage a Failure" to the Light House Magazine.
"Friend—Great Scott, man! The editor of the Light House Magazine will never accept that! He was married not over a week ago!"
Author—No matter. My article is there, but it will be a year or two before it is read.—Yellow Kid Magazine.

A Reference of Opinion.
The policeman said to the cyclist, who was riding on the path:
"Look here, young man, you can't ride there."
To which the young man replied:
"Can't, eh? Well, you just watch me."
Whereupon the young man rode out of sight.—Fun.

A Picture Himself.
Blotbs—Why have you stopped getting shaved at Bayrum's tonsorial parlors? I haven't seen you there lately.
Slobbs—He doesn't keep the comic papers on file now, and I like to look at something funny while being shaved.
Blotbs—But hasn't he a big mirror opposite each chair?—N. Y. World.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.
CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Special Session.
A resolution was reported in the senate on the 14th for the ratification of the Hawaiian annexation treaty and another authorizing the president to interfere in the case of the schooner Commodore prisoners who are imprisoned in Cuba. A resolution to prevent the disposal of the government line on the Cuban Pacific railway under the terms of an alleged agreement was also introduced. In the house Mr. Simpson (Kan.) introduced a resolution directing the speaker to appoint a committee of five to investigate the sugar trust.

Pacific railway affairs occupied the attention of the senate on the 15th. A joint resolution was passed authorizing the invitation of France to participate in the Exposition of 1904. In the house Mr. Lorimer (Ill.) introduced a bill to appropriate \$50,000 for a monument to Lincoln in the city of Washington.

The session of the senate on the 16th was brief and uneventful. A bill was passed to give the consent of congress to a compact entered into between South Dakota and Nebraska respecting the boundary between said states. The house agreed to the partial conference report on the general education bill and concurred in the senate amendment fixing the limit of cost of former plate at \$500.

Senator Morgan (Ala.) occupied most of the time in the senate on the 17th in support of a resolution relating to the construction of a new Pacific coast line. The nomination of Terrence V. Powderly, of Pennsylvania, as commissioner general of immigration was received from the president. In the house no business was transacted.

DOMESTIC.

Charles Brown, who on May 14 last murdered Mrs. Colstone, was hanged at Deedswood, S. D.

Two large reservoirs in the Fishkill mountains near Fishkill, N. Y., burst their walls and flooded the Dutchess valley, doing great damage to property and causing the death of probably a dozen persons.

A Heyday committed suicide at Aoshan, F. M., while on trial for forgery.

Gov. F. M. Drake, of Iowa, was quite seriously injured by a fall on the steps of the capitol in Des Moines.

The prospect for a settlement of the great miners' strike by arbitration was brighter than at any time since the strike began.

The Furniture Dealers' National association at its final session at Grand Rapids, Mich., elected A. J. Conroy, of Cincinnati, president.

The Central bank, the largest building in Pueblo, Colo., was burned, the loss being \$200,000.

President McKinley has issued an order suspending the operation of ex-President Cleveland's order consolidating the pension agencies of the country and reducing their number to nine from 15.

The Cheyenne Indians were again making trouble for the white people near the reservation in Montana.

Leonard J. Crawford, of Newport, Ky., was elected president of the National Republican league at the annual meeting in Detroit.

The Nebraska national bank of York, Neb., closed its doors with liabilities of \$50,000.

Frank Simard, Joseph Lavoie and George Terrien were drowned at Manchester, N. H., by the upsetting of a boat.

John Chubb and Robert Hatfield were killed and six other men were badly injured in a railway wreck near West Alton, Ill.

A treasury statement says that the excess of exports over imports during the last fiscal year was \$267,037,156, being \$20,000,000 over any previous year.

A new counterfeited one hundred dollar certificate of the series of 1901, check letter D, has been discovered in Washington.

The seventh international convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America began in Chattanooga, Tenn. Anthony Williams (Iowa) addressed and encouraged and murdered Miss Hens Williams, an 18-year-old white girl, was shot and then burned by a mob at West Point, Tenn.

Fire in San Francisco destroyed the manufactory and warehouse of the Charles M. Yates company, the loss being \$120,000.

A landslide in the mountains near Lincoln, Vt., ruined several fine farms. The trans-Mississippi congress met at Salt Lake City, Utah, and delegates present from every state and territory west of the Mississippi river.

Santa Fe railway officials report that there will be a yield of 60,000,000 bushels of wheat in Kansas.

A statue of Father Marquette was unveiled at Marquette, Mich., his anniversary day.

An order has been issued forbidding the sale of liquor in the restaurants of the Maine Central railroad.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ending July 10 aggregated \$1,032,470,114, against \$1,070,867,327 the previous week. The increase compared with the corresponding week of 1899 was 78.

John Bridges, Charles Sweeney and I. Montgomery, young boys, were killed by the cars near Austin, Tex. In a collision with a train at the depot of St. Louis, fatally wounded Willie M. Wadsworth in a Chicago saloon and then killed himself.

In session at Chattanooga, Tenn., the Baptist Young People's union selected as president John H. Chapman, of Chicago.

The trans-Mississippi congress in session at Salt Lake City adopted resolutions favoring the annexation of Hawaii, the construction of the Nicaragua canal, recognition of Cuba as a nation, and the free coinage of silver.

Ernest H. Taylor and Will H. Tolbert, of Los Angeles, Cal., started on a tour of the world, to be made in 18 months.

The Empire state express on the New York Central railroad went from Syracuse to Hartford, Conn., in 243 minutes, beating all previous records.

The fruit crop of Missouri this year is estimated to be worth over \$200,000,000.

Throughout the country every feature of the business outlook was said to be encouraging.

The senate legislation in Washington does not precede is given to the report that the Spanish and Japanese governments have entered into an alliance against the United States.

For the second time Charles W. Spalding, ex-treasurer of the University of Illinois, was found by a jury in Chicago not guilty of embezzling endowment bonds of the institution.

The town of Red Bluff, Cal., a dozen residences were burned and cattle ran down by a forest fire, the loss being over \$100,000.

During the last fiscal year 1,620 immigrants entered this country through San Francisco. The immigration in 1899 was 1,411.

The republican conferees on the tariff bill finished their work.

Three reports of great gold discoveries in Alaska, but none of them could be substantiated at Seattle, Wash., and hundreds of persons were leaving for the new gold fields.

The amount of treasure brought down from the Klondyke by the steamer Portland is now placed at \$1,000,000. The amount is reported to be placed in the ship's safe, but the miners secreted their dust in blankets and baggage, which were taken carelessly about the ship.

The jury in the case against George D. Wagner, for the murder of the Spicer family at Winona, Minn., was sent to court after having been 60 hours, and reported that they were unable to come to an agreement and were discharged.

C. R. McIntosh, governor of the Northwest Territory, in which is included the Klondyke territory, is in Seattle. The governor freely ascribed to the truthfulness of the stories of the richness of the new diggings. He said that Klondyke and its tributaries yielded over \$5,000,000 in gold last winter.

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John A. Greighton was held up at the site of his home in Omaha, Neb., and robbed of a valuable watch and considerable money. His brother, who answered his cries for help, was also robbed.

THE MINERS' STRIKE.

Secretary Sherman's letter to Lord Salisbury on the Behring sea regulations has raised a storm of indignation in the London press.

Juan Adams and his brother, who murdered Alberto Mondragon, were killed shot at Ciudad Porfirio, Mexico.

H. Ten Eyck, the American ornamental seal racer on the Thames at River, England.

Frank Butler, the Australian bush murderer, who was captured in San Francisco, was executed in Sidney, N. S. W. He confessed to having committed four murders.

Tewfik Pasha, the foreign minister, invited the ambassadors that the Sultan had agreed in the principle of the demands of the powers and was prepared to accept their views on the peace conditions.

Herr Ancker, the armament ascended in his balloon, at Spitzbergen for his proposed trip to the north pole.

At the annual meeting in Toronto, O., of the Epworth league Indianapolis, Ind., was chosen as the place of meeting next year.

LATER.

An United States mail car was broken into at Wilmar, Minn., during the temporary absence of the mail clerk about the 20th, by a vote of 19 to 11, and all the contents were completely looted. The thieves evidently worked in the dark, for they did not discover the registered mail.

Gov. Taylor of Tennessee, has appointed Hon. Thomas B. Turley as United States senator to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Isham G. Harris.

The conference report on the tariff bill was adopted shortly after midnight on the 20th, by a vote of 115 to 117, and at the same time went to the senate for action there. This comprises all previous records. The result was accomplished after 12 hours of continuous debate. But two speeches were made by the republicans, one by Mr. Dingley in opening the debate and one by Mr. Payne, of New York, in closing.

Judge Flak, at Grand Forks, N. D., decided that August Normand, already under conviction for the murder of Andrew Hellestad, could not be tried again, and he will be taken at once to the penitentiary to serve a life sentence.

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MARKETS.
Minneapolis, July 20.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 70 to 75c; No. 2, 65 to 70c; No. 3, 55 to 60c; No. 4, 45 to 50c; No. 5, 35 to 40c; No. 6, 25 to 30c; No. 7, 15 to 20c; No. 8, 10 to 15c; No. 9, 5 to 10c; No. 10, 5 to 10c; No. 11, 5 to 10c; No. 12, 5 to 10c; No. 13, 5 to 10c; No. 14, 5 to 10c; No. 15, 5 to 10c; No. 16, 5 to 10c; No. 17, 5 to 10c; No. 18, 5 to 10c; No. 19, 5 to 10c; No. 20, 5 to 10c; No. 21, 5 to 10c; No. 22, 5 to 10c; No. 23, 5 to 10c; No. 24, 5 to 10c; No. 25, 5 to 10c; No. 26, 5 to 10c; No. 27, 5 to 10c; No. 28, 5 to 10c; No. 29, 5 to 10c; No. 30, 5 to 10c; No. 31, 5 to 10c; No. 32, 5 to 10c; No. 33, 5 to 10c; No. 34, 5 to 10c; No. 35, 5 to 10c; No. 36, 5 to 10c; No. 37, 5 to 10c; No. 38, 5 to 10c; No. 39, 5 to 10c; No. 40, 5 to 10c; No. 41, 5 to 10c; No. 42, 5 to 10c; No. 43, 5 to 10c; No. 44, 5 to 10c; No. 45, 5 to 10c; No. 46, 5 to 10c; No. 47, 5 to 10c; No. 48, 5 to 10c; No. 49, 5 to 10c; No. 50, 5 to 10c; No. 51, 5 to 10c; No. 52, 5 to 10c; No. 53, 5 to 10c; No. 54, 5 to 10c; 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HAD VOTES TO SPARE.

Conference Report on the Tariff Bill Passes the House.

Adopted by a Vote of 185 to 118—The Act Expected to Yield a Revenue of \$225,000,000 in the Schedules.

Washington, July 20.—The conference report on the tariff bill was adopted by a vote of 185 to 118 and at noon today the report will go to the senate for its consideration.

Every republican in the house was present for the report. The democrats, with five exceptions, voted against the report. The exceptions were Shively (Tex.), Brossard (La.), Meyer (La.), Davey (La.), Kieberg (Tex.). The populists and silverites were absent.

Expected to Yield \$225,000,000. As to the question of revenue to be raised by the bill, Mr. Dingley, in his speech, pointed out the difficulty resulting from the tariff on raw materials.

Mr. Dingley's Report. Washington, July 20.—The tariff bill was pushed through the conference stage Monday after two hours' discussion before the full conference.

Monday morning. At the outset the democratic members of the committee were met with the statement that it would merely consume time to offer amendments to the report.

The tariff bill is to become operative immediately. It is signed by the president. The sugar paragraph in the bill is expected to yield a revenue of \$225,000,000.

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MINNESOTA STATE NEWS

Interesting Experiments.

A number of interesting experiments in soil, moisture and temperature are being conducted on the southern prairie. Electrodes are sunk in the ground and the current passing through them is dependent on the amount of moisture in the soil.

Will Test the Law.

Jacob Schmitt, the oldest and one of the best known barbers of Winona, is taking out a license for any board to examine him as to his ability as a tonorial artist.

Burglars.

While Hummel, Hamilton & Co's circus was giving a performance in Owatonna, two burglars entered the circus house in the northern part of the city. They secured considerable property and made their exit.

Sentence Commuted.

The act of pardon commuted the sentence of Louis Kellihan, from hanging to life imprisonment, for murder committed in the Sherburne county robbery.

Spiking the Tank.

Corporation Attorney Markham has begun an action against the German bank of St. Paul and the assets on its bond as a depository for city funds.

Assaulted by the Navy.

Lieutenant Commander J. M. Hawley, assigned to the U. S. battleship, the United States Navy, have arrived in Duluth and will open a temporary recruiting station.

Free List.

The free list—the free list as it passed through the senate—has been passed by the house. The senate has passed a bill providing for a full drawback of duty on goods exported to the United States.

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THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Young People of the Methodist Church.

Toronto, Ont., July 16.—Delegates to the convention of the Epworth League oversaw this city Thursday. The delegates from the various churches have given a general body appearance to the opening meetings.

High Mark in Trade Is Reached During the Year.

Washington, July 16.—The monthly statement of the exports and imports of the United States, as reported by the department of statistics, makes the remarkable showing that never before in the history of the country have the exports and imports reached the high mark.

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Marvelous Feats of the Modern Methods of Pushing.

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KEEP IT OUT OF POLITICS.

The discussion growing out of the application of the Younger brothers for a pardon has brought forth some suggestions and imputations unworthy of the sources from which they emanated. For instance, the Minneapolis Journal, on the day the application was submitted to the board of pardons, in summing up the probable fate of the application said that Governor Clough and Attorney General Childs were each serving their last term and would probably vote for the pardon, while Chief Justice Start, who is serving his first term on the supreme bench, would probably vote against the application.

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ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

At the annual school meeting that was called for Saturday evening last, R. H. Blankenship was chosen moderator, and the clerk, Peter Knudsen, took his seat. John F. Stone was elected director for two years. It was decided to hold nine months school the coming year, the same as last year. The clerk and treasurer read their reports, which show that the district went in the hole for a little over \$300, which is not a very bright outlook for the future. Director Stone said that the board had hired the same number of teachers that they did last year; two gentlemen and three ladies; two gentlemen have charge of the two upper rooms. The following amounts were voted for the different running expenses of the district: Teachers' wages, \$2,000; repairs on school houses and furniture, \$100; fuel, \$150; the item for school furniture was dispensed with, as it was thought that we could get along without any more new furniture during the next year; text books, maps, globes, etc., \$75; on motion the item for books for the library was dismissed, \$100 was then voted for the purchase of text books; on motion the following items were dismissed: The repair of out houses and the purchase of school house site. A tax of \$30 was then levied to pay rent of school room; \$1,500 be levied for paying bonds; \$400 for interest on bonds, and \$200 more to pay insurance for three years. On motion it was decided to allow the treasurer the sum allowed by law, which is 2 per cent. of all moneys he draws orders for. On motion it was decided to pay the clerk the amount allowed him by law. On motion the meeting adjourned to meet the 30th day of June, 1898.

It is the oldest medical institution in the state. The number of students enrolled this year, the first year of its union with Hamline University, was 103, an increase of about sixty-five per cent over the previous year. This college has a well deserved reputation for teaching its students practical medicine and for equipping them unusually well for actual work. The faculty are a body of Christian men and the moral tone of the school is excellent. Members of the college have access to the hospitals, and full clinics are held in each of the Twin Cities. For a catalogue or fuller information, address the president or registrar at Hamline, Minn., or Leo M. Crafts, M. D., Minneapolis, Minn.

Among the most potent factors which have gone to build up the great northwest stands without a peer the Northwest Magazine, published in St. Paul by Mr. E. V. Smalley. The country newspaper has done its full share within its sphere, but the Northwest Magazine has a field all its own, and fills it. From its wider field and broader view it covers the whole northwest. Within its covers the people of Puget Sound and the Mississippi basin, and the advantages and enterprises of each are impartially set forth. Beautifully printed in the best style known to the art, profusely illustrated with gems from the pencil and camera, edited so carefully that each number outlives its predecessor in the beauty of its work picturing, the publication is what it professes to be—a charming magazine of western art, life, literature and industry.

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DEADLY LAW.

Three young men have gone from this place to the harvest fields of North Dakota. Probably more will leave for the same place next week. The father of the Seymour brothers arrived here on Tuesday morning from his home in Lake Preston, S. D. The boys and girls—in fact, nearly everybody, including most of the ladies—are out picking raspberries these days.

BROOK PARK.

Mrs. O. J. Woodbeck is very ill with lung fever. The Seymour brothers moved the family into the upper story of their store building last Monday. The father of the Seymour brothers arrived here on Tuesday morning from his home in Lake Preston, S. D.

WILLOW RIVER.

High water! Mrs. Grider has returned home from a visit to her mother. Our bridges have all gone out and the farmers cannot get to town. The dance Saturday night was a success socially, everybody reporting a good time. H. S. Akin was forced to move out of his house, and suffered the loss of most of his stuff by high water. C. H. Atwood came up on the limited yesterday, and was very much pleased with the way the mill was running. They are now making over time. Dr. Watkins has returned from Wisconsin, where he has been visiting his parents and enjoying a vacation. He reports crops as looking well where he was.

COMMUNICATED.

STURGEON LAKE, July 21, '97. EDITOR PIONEER.—There was a meeting held at Sturgeon Lake Saturday last to devise means for the relief of flood and cyclone sufferers. After organizing it was resolved that considering the large number of unfortunate, and the extent of damage received, that it was the sense of the meeting that outside aid should be asked in their behalf. It was further resolved that a committee be appointed to take such action as they thought best to bring the matter before the people, and to solicit such aid as the charity disposed should see fit to extend. G. H. Cunningham, Frank Chmielewski, county commissioner, and Frank Pukrop, postmaster, were selected as such committee. Said committee find that there are some twenty families who suffered a total loss of crops; ten families, in addition to crops, a total or partial loss of buildings; an additional ten families suffer a partial loss of crops, the partial loss in most cases being the hay crop. Barring the loss of buildings, the loss of hay is most severe, as there is practically no surplus in this section to draw from, and hay to winter the stock must be shipped in. Any donations of hay and grain, potatoes, etc., will be of as much benefit as money. Some money is needed to purchase lumber for those who lost buildings. Those wishing to aid can leave donations at the office of the three Pine County papers, the Pioneer, Enterprise and Courier, or send direct to G. H. Cunningham, treasurer, at Sturgeon Lake, who will acknowledge receipt through above papers. By order of Committee. G. H. CUNNINGHAM, Secy. and Treas.

Order to Show Cause on Filing Petition of Guardian to Mortgage Real Estate. State of Minnesota, In County of Pine, In Probate Court, Special Term, July 21, 1897. In the matter of the guardianship of John Christian and Joseph Mary Heider, On reading and filing the petition of Christian Heider, guardian of the persons, named John Christian and Joseph Mary Heider, asking for the amount of personal estate that has come into his hands, the disposition thereof, and the improvement which are necessary for the propagation of said real estate, and a description of the tract of land of said ward which it is proposed to mortgage, and praying that issue be granted to mortgage the tract of land so described.

And it appearing by said petition, that the personal estate of said John Christian and Joseph Mary Heider, the said wards, is insufficient to pay for any improvements which are necessary for the preservation of said real estate, and the improvement which are necessary for the propagation of said real estate, It is therefore ordered, that all persons interested in said estate appear before the court on Saturday the 14th day of August, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the probate office in the court house in the village of Pine City, in said county, Pine and there to show cause if any there be, why license should not be granted to said Christian Heider, guardian, to mortgage the said real estate of said ward for the purpose of obtaining funds for the payment and making of such necessary improvements.

And it is further ordered, that this order shall be published in each issue, for three consecutive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Pine County Pioneer, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Pine City, in said county. Dated at Pine City, the 21st day of July A. D. 1897. By the Court, E. VEENHOVEN, Judge of Probate.

First publication June 25, 97-7. Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale. Default has been made in the payment of \$2 with interest due as first installment of interest on that certain mortgage, with date July 25th, 1897, and was made by Simon Johnson and Mary Johnson, his wife, as mortgagors, to Helene C. Kahn as mortgagee, and which mortgage was recorded August 20th, 1896 at 10 o'clock a. m., in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pine County, Minnesota, in book 27 of Mortgages, page 287.

The said mortgagors agreed that in case of default in any of the conditions or covenants therein contained on the part of such mortgagors to be performed, and in case of the expiration of each year or day that the mortgage may consider the entire debt due and payable, and the mortgagee at the date hereof exercises such option, and the said mortgagee also the sum of \$25 as attorney's fees, which the mortgagors covenanted and agreed to pay in case foreclosure of the said mortgage. The said mortgage was mortgaged the following described land, situated in Pine County, Minnesota, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section 14 of section 14, township thirty-eight (38) north of Range twenty-one (21) west and containing eighty (80) acres, more or less, according to the United States government survey thereof, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative and the foreclosure action or proceeding has been instituted in law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage.

By virtue of said power of sale the premises therein and above described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front door of the Court House, in Pine City, Minnesota, on Monday, August 16th 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to pay the amount then due on the mortgage debt, and the attorney's fees thereon, and the disbursements to be incurred in this foreclosure. Dated at Pine City, Minn. HELENE C. KAHN, Mortgagee. CHARLES BECHHOFFER, Attorney for Mortgagee. St. Paul, Minnesota.

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