

The bank clearances yesterday were \$2,000.

The Imperial mill will resume operation today.

A marriage license has been issued to Emil Helmet and Hedy Olson.

A meeting of the Class Stewart will be held this evening to transact special business.

A case of typhoid fever at 1022 East Fourth street has been reported to the health office.

The Alliance party is pushing T. C. Holmboe for the municipal judgeship of West Duluth.

John W. Curtis secured a divorce today before Judge Stearns from his wife Catherine on the ground of adultery.

The advance sale of seats for the university glee club concert on Thursday evening, opened at the box office at Temple Opera yesterday morning.

A joint meeting of Willis A. Norman post, the Woman's Relief corps and Sons of Veterans will be held this evening at the G. A. R. post in Hayes' block.

A. S. Wilson, chief of Class Stewart, yesterday paid over to the widow of J. N. McLeod \$2,000, the amount of her husband's insurance in the order of the North Star Class.

Messrs. Hartley, Warner and Craig, the committee on the incline railway, are meeting with some encouragement from parties who are anxious to have the company resume operations.

Henry Truelson has already taken a place in the office of the board of public works, and yesterday afternoon was occupying a chair with as much ease and grace as if he had been there all his life.

Judge Stearns entered judgment for plaintiff yesterday in the case of the city vs. St. Paul and Duluth Railroad company for the purpose of obtaining possession of Fifth avenue west to the dock line.

Three plain drunks and one drunk and disorderly were before his honor yesterday morning. Harry Stetson, Jas. McLaughlin and Harry Leddy got ten days each. F. Anderson paid a fine of \$15.

Hugh Allen, of this city, was married the other day at Kinross, Canada, to Miss Sarah Ballantine, a daughter of Alderman Ballantine of that place. Mr. Allen returns home this week, the bride coming here on the opening of navigation.

The Duluth Security company, which filed articles on Monday, is not a company organized to do a general real estate business as stated. Instead, they will carry on a general mortgage and brokerage business, buying and selling mortgages on real estate.

Articles were filed by the Hart shoe company with the register yesterday. The first board of directors consists of H. H. Barrett, J. J. Atkins, K. W. Brown, J. A. Hutchart, and J. J. Bright. Frank Barrett is president, J. A. Hutchart, vice-president, K. W. Brown, secretary and treasurer.

Judge Stearns decided yesterday in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Caroline Holmgren vs. August Peter et al. The action was to set aside a contract of sale of lands made in 1882, on which defendants had been in default nearly seven years. The answer of the defendants sought specific performance.

The following banks have made application to the court to be declared city depositories: State Bank of Duluth, Security Bank, National Bank of Commerce, and American Loan and Trust Co. All agree to pay 3 per cent on daily balances and to furnish bonds for twice the amount with which they are intrusted.

Benny Karon was before his honor yesterday afternoon, charged with cruelty to animals. Benny was in purple and blue lines, for he was to be married directly after the trial. To save time, he changed his original plea to guilty and was fined \$10. Al Karon, who was charged with the same offense, was released.

An interesting and spirited debate took place in the rooms of the Thistle club Monday evening on the question "Is the United States benefited by protection?" The affirmative was upheld by Mr. Thomas Clark and the negative by Mr. Angus Wilson. After a thorough discussion on the many and principal merits of the question, a vote was cast, resulting in a majority for the free traders.

Many complaints are heard of the dog nuisance. A young lady almost fainted on Superior street by the furious barking of a cur and a valuable cutter rope was destroyed by another the same afternoon. The suggestion is made that a dog catcher should be appointed to put an end to the existence of some of the large number of curs that scot around the city to the danger of life and property.