

THE CITY.

Republican Meeting.

A meeting of the Third Ward Republican club will be held at No. 199 West Fourth street on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, July 29. It is desired that there be a very general turnout of members.

Stamps Not Required.

The Canadian boat lines doing business at Duluth have abandoned the use of the revenue stamps on their bills of lading. Under a ruling of the commissioner the stamps are not required.

St. Paul & Duluth Excursion.

The St. Paul & Duluth road is selling excursion tickets from Minneapolis to Port Arthur and return, via Duluth and the steamer United Empire, for next Saturday. The rate is \$3, including meals and berth.

A. O. H. Picnic Today.

Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will hold its annual picnic today at O-at-ka beach. The members will meet at the hall this morning and at once repair to the beach where they will spend a day of enjoyment.

One Case Begets Another.

M. J. Foran, the man that L. P. Kalish was accused of assaulting a few days ago, was before Judge Gearhart yesterday morning charged with using indecent language. L. P. Kalish was the complainant and the case is the outcome of the previous one.

Z. H. Austin Gets Letter.

Nominee John Lind of the People's party has written a letter to Z. H. Austin, chairman of the late convention of the party, saying that he accepts all the responsibilities of the nomination, and speaks of the very hopeful correspondence from all parts of the state.

More Excursions Desired.

City Clerk Cheagle yesterday, as directed by the council, communicated with all the different traffic managers of roads entering Duluth, regarding their running frequent excursions to the city during the summer months. The jobbers' union is also interesting itself in this matter.

Fortuniate After All.

A year old boy named Percy Sheehan, residing at 100 East Second street, fell from the top of the retaining wall on Chester Creek to the ground below, a distance of 25 feet, last Tuesday night. He luckily escaped with several bad bruises, and was reported as doing well last night.

More Affidavits.

Counter affidavits by D. G. Cash and C. H. Shaw, on the part of the defending wall in the case of Frank L. Doyle against the McCord Lumber company and W. L. McCord were filed yesterday in United States court. The hearing on the motion for a new trial comes on today before Judge Lochren.

Pavilion Last Night.

Matt Kusell's Pavilion show drew another big crowd last night. The vaudeville entertainment is proving a drawing card at this resort, and the refined character of the performances affords an opportunity for an evening's pleasure for not only individuals but families. A new fire bill will be put on next week.

James O. Smith Low Bidder.

There were three bids received by the log salvage company for the collection of the beached logs on the bay and lake between Two Harbors on the north shore, and the mouth of Cranberry river on the south shore, and the St. Louis river. The lowest bid was received from James O. Smith of Duluth. The contract has not been awarded yet, however.

Births and Deaths.

The following births were reported at the health office yesterday: A daughter to Martha and Joseph Beemer, 92 London road; a daughter to Carrie and Homer Craig, 129 First avenue west. The death of the infant son of Robert and Elizabeth Twaddle and the infant son of Robert and Louise Peterson, were reported, at 230 Pittsburg street, were reported.

Estate Seeks Missing Heir.

The police received a letter from a Minneapolis attorney yesterday inquiring for Mrs. Catherine Feldman, nee Dasch, whose whereabouts are desired in order that she may receive a share of her parents' estate, who are reported to have died in Casson, Minn. The last heard of Mrs. Feldman by her relatives was eight years ago, when she was at Two Harbors.

Applications for Referee.

Judge Lochren has received two Duluth applications. It is said, for appointments as referees under the national bankruptcy law. The applicants named are Col. A. A. Harris and Henry F. Greene. Petitions for voluntary bankruptcy may be filed Aug. 1, but petitions for involuntary bankruptcy cannot be filed before Nov. 1. All United States courts are courts of bankruptcy.

Judge Ensign Works Evenings.

Judge Ensign will hold a session of the district court this evening, tomorrow evening and Saturday night for the purpose of hearing applications for second papers. There are probably many persons who desire to take second papers, but who cannot spare the time to go before the court in the daytime, and for the accommodation of these Judge Ensign has decided to hold court on the last three evenings of this week.

Wonder How It is Done.

Many Duluth people have noticed with some surprise a small but very fine flag waving in the office of Capt. John Flynn of the Lake Michigan & Lake Superior Transportation company in the Layreum building. They wonder where the current air comes from to keep the flag in motion. An electric motor is used for the purpose. When peace is declared, Capt. Flynn will turn on a full current and make the flag crack like a whip.

Civil Service Examination.

A civil service examination is in progress at the federal building, of which A. Grabarkiewicz is secretary and E. M. La-

ker is chairman. The examination is for clerks qualified as stenographers, typewriter operators and land office book-keeping; clerks with a knowledge of land law and a general knowledge of the system of public land surveying; applicants qualified as land surveyors and competent as draftsmen. There are four applicants taking the examination.

Commissioners Return.

The special train bearing the members of the state railroad and warehouse commissioners, the attorneys in the ore rate case and two or three engineers arrived back in Duluth last evening after an inspection of the road, mines and shops of both the Duluth & Iron Range and the Duluth, Missabe & Northern systems. The members of the party say that it was an interesting and instructive trip. The weather was pleasant but very warm. The ore rate hearing will be resumed at 10 a. m. today.

Discredited Story.

According to the Marquette Mining Journal an offer of the ore rate service by the United States army, is in Duluth for the purpose of purchasing square timber for the construction of a dock at Santiago. The officer's name is given as Mr. Russell. It is not generally

known in Duluth lumber circles if such a person is here on any such errand. The story is discredited by half a dozen lumbermen. A Duluth lumberman says if the government contemplates dock construction at Santiago it will probably get its timber in the south.

Clerks Close Sunday Stores.

A member of the Retail Clerks' association said yesterday that the organization proposed to prosecute all cases that come under its supervision regarding selling goods on Sunday. He said that the clerks' association asks short working hours of their employers but could not expect their requests to be granted if a few stores persisted in selling goods at all times. He also said that while the association could not compel certain stores to close up before 12 o'clock week days, there was a law against Sunday, and it was proposed to use it.

Land Decisions.

The local officials of the government land office have rendered a decision in the case of Joseph Cote against Peter Rousseau, for himself and minor child. The case involves Indian allotments for lands in sections 13 and 14 in 6-21. It is recommended that the allotment be cancelled, and that the land be held open for the first qualified applicant.

A Washington dispatch says that Secretary Bliss has reversed the land office decision in the case of Julius H. Tuttle against Fred O. Sibley, from the Duluth land district. Sibley's homestead application is held for rejection and Tuttle will be allowed to perfect his entry.

Democratic Committee.

J. D. Sullivan of St. Cloud has announced the new Democratic Sixth district congressional committee as follows: At large—T. T. Hudson, Duluth; Dr. J. A. Ingalls, Sauk Center; H. C. Stevens, Brainerd; W. G. Graham, Long Prairie; and C. H. Cunningham, Surgeon Lake. By counties—C. D. Green, Anoka; J. B. Galerneault, Aitkin; J. H. Koop, Brainerd; H. H. Mansur, Elk River; W. S. Huntington, Annandale; H. H. Hawkins, Thomson; Theodore Hollister, Duluth; E. F. Shaw, Little Falls; A. A. Paine, Bemidji; Christ Murphy, Grand Marais; Louis Rose, Two Harbors; James Delaney, Hubbard; J. A. Montgomery, Waadena; Charles W. Kent, Milleca; William P. Bremer, St. Cloud; J. S. Teichert, Long Prairie; H. J. Heath, Pine City; John Reils, Swan River; C. A. Huack, Duell; C. C. Kelly, Ellis.

Old Cars Demolished.

Five old cars were demolished and an engine ditched in a wreck in the Iron Range yard at Two Harbors yesterday morning. The second section of an ore train collided heavily with the rear end

of the first section. Engineer S. G. Frankenburger of the runaway train had some trouble with the air brakes but they appeared to be working all right as he whistled for the switch leading to the yard. Soon after that the air gave out and the train gathered speed in spite of all that could be done. None of the trainmen were injured. They jumped from sections when they saw the danger to which they were exposed. President Gooding had learned no particulars of the accident last evening. He had merely heard that the collision had occurred and that none of the employees were injured.

Capt. McDougall's Proposition.

President Smith and Alderman Sang, representing the board of public works and waterworks committee, met Capt. McDougall last evening, who made a proposition to make a new pipe in place of the broken one at the pump-house in Lakewood. The pipe that Capt. McDougall proposes to make is of steel, five-eighths of an inch thick, and its pressure-resisting capacity is 250 pounds to an inch. The pipe can be made and put in place very shortly. It will be a saving in time, and will not be as expensive as the old pipe. It is probable that the pipe will be manufactured according to plans of Capt. McDougall. By having the above pipe made by Capt. McDougall, everything can be put in readiness to make the connection with the new plant in a very short time.

Unlucky Criticism.

In view of the fact that Congressman Page Morris has for a number of weeks

J. L. WASHBURN TO NEW YORK.

Goes to Assist in Closing Gas and Water Deal.

No word has been received from the mayor or city attorney regarding the transacting of business with Mr. Untermyer at New York. The opinion has been expressed around the city hall that possibly some trouble had been met with in closing up the deal. J. L. Washburn left last night for Minneapolis, whence he will go to New York and assist in the business transactions concerning the transferring of the plant. When asked if any dispute had arisen regarding the closing of the deal he said that there had not as far as he knew, but that there were a number of details in connection with closing the deal that it takes time to settle. Mr. Washburn said that he expected that the deal would be closed before Monday next.

been at the bedside of his mother in her final illness, the slurring remarks that have been printed by some of the country papers in the Sixth district and reproduced in the Evening Herald are considered very bad taste by some of the friends of Judge Morris, and probably this is true of others that do not profess to be his friend politically. Speaking of the matter last evening, a gentleman said: "There were two of these objectionable clippings published by the Herald in its issue today. I presume the country papers are ignorant of the fact that Judge Morris has been at the bedside of his dying mother for weeks, but the Herald is not. People here too have been disgusted. The Herald had better quit talking about the Spaniards and their uncivilized tactics."

Summer Evening Dancing Party.

A very pleasant and enjoyable affair took place at the pavilion at Lester park Tuesday evening. A dancing party was given by Adolph Freimuth and M. Zander in honor of Miss Schram of Milwaukee, Miss Hirschman of St. Paul, Miss Jacobs of New York and Mr. and Mrs. David Abels of St. Cloud, Minn. Among the number that took part were Mr. and Mrs. Abels of St. Cloud, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. E. Freimuth, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sattler, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. R. Knojanker, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sattler, Mr. and Mrs. Summerfield, Mr. and Mrs. Will Abrahamson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Klein, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Levin, Mrs. Lewis of Champlain, Ills., Mr. and Mrs. P. Fuller, Miss Schram, Miss Hirschman, Miss Jacobs, Miss Sattler, Freimuth, Miss Mayne Schwartz, Miss Little Abrahamson, Miss Rosa Freimuth, Moritz Abels of St. Cloud, Mrs. Summerfield of St. Paul, Mr. Fischer of Chicago, Dan Gross of Chicago, Sam Loeb, M. Zander, Adolph Freimuth, Hugo Hirschman and Morris Freimuth.