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CLEARING DECKS FOR ACTION

St. Louis County Legislative Delegation Wants to Know Public's Wants.

Not only are the wants of the city of Duluth to be considered by the local delegation in the Minnesota legislature but all of St. Louis county is to receive special attention. In addition to sending a communication to the Duluth city council asking for suggestions on legislation wanted by the city at the coming session, the delegation addressed a similar letter to the county attorney and the board of county commissioners, asking that they prepare what they want of the 1911 session and furnish each representative and senator with a copy of the desired measures before January 1.

The legislature will convene at St. Paul on Tuesday, Jan. 3 and the recently elected members are grooming themselves preparatory to taking an active part in the session. While certain of them are believed to have in mind some special acts which they will favor and possibly introduce they have not yet prepared any outlines and are not in a position as yet to make any announcement of what they will do at St. Paul.

PLAN TO RAISE MILLION ON SEALS

National Anti-Tuberculosis Society Working For Big Stake.

A million for tuberculosis work is what the national society is working for this year in the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals. Every state in the union is enrolled in the line of workers, and the million may not seem such an impossibility when it is known that last year the receipts for the year before were doubled. This is the fourth season that the American public has been asked to contribute to this cause.

Duluth people are more or less familiar with the work that has been done in the city with the funds raised last year. The visiting nurse employed by the society, Mrs. Florence Lee, has 150 cases under her direct supervision. There is need and opportunity for the work of another nurse. If the funds permit, that nurse will be engaged next year. The postoffice booth for the sale of the Christmas seals has been established in the corridor, and will be maintained until after the holidays.

Y.M.C.A. URGES 'HEALTH LEAGUE'

But There'll Be No Organization Unless Ten Thousand Join.

"TO SPREAD GOSPEL OF HEALTHFUL LIVING"

Physical Director Wegener Enlisting Duluth Members of Association in Movement.

To spread the gospel of healthful living is the object of a proposed organization of national or international scope that is to be organized in connection with the Young Men's Christian Association and the local branch of which is now being recruited at the Duluth association building. It is to be known as the Y. M. C. A. Health league and there will be no organization unless 10,000 members are secured, a membership which it is hoped to secure before the first of January.

While the plan originated with the physical department of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A. and will be affiliated with it, it will be by no means limited to that and in fact one of the attainments hoped for is the dissemination of health information and interest in right living far beyond Y. M. C. A. circles. It is merely planned to make use of the excellent and far-scattered equipment and organization of the Y. M. C. A. for this purpose.

The league will have two chief objects: health education and health service. Membership fees of \$1 a year will entitle members to a number of standard books on health matters, printed matter and health pamphlets to be issued regularly by the league.

On the service side there will be departments of personal hygiene, sex hygiene, child hygiene, sleep hygiene, recreation and play grounds, swimming and life saving, public hygiene, and health information. In all of these departments systematic campaigns will be conducted and literature and lantern slides sent out from headquarters.

"There is no battle so worthy of warring as the battle against ill-health, inefficiency and physical degeneration," say the promoters. "A high death rate in any community means a high sickness rate and these mean a high degree of poverty, of inefficiency and of immortality."

A. B. Wegener, physical director at the local association, is enlisting the league members in this city.

ROAD WILL SEEK CAPITAL TO BUILD

Moorhead, Leech Lake and Duluth Directors Vote To So Act.

The Moorhead, Leech Lake & Duluth railroad, which proposes to build practically an air line from Fargo to Duluth, is endeavoring to finance the proposition and go ahead with the work.

W. J. Bodkin of Fargo is president of the corporation, which was organized 15 years ago, and the organization has been kept legally intact since, though the members have not recently tried very hard to interest capital.

At the annual meeting of stockholders just held, it was resolved to make a new effort. They believe that eastern capital can be obtained; and, if not, that the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road is likely to look with favor on the enterprise. The people of Fargo and Moorhead have a proper appreciation of the advantages of better railroad communication with the Head of the Lakes.

The Milwaukee road could use this proposed air line between Duluth and Fargo to excellent advantage. Its road in North Dakota terminates there, and the proposed new line would enable it to have practically a monopoly on the business from the Twin Ports in a large territory of western Minnesota and North and South Dakota.

The proposed railroad has a right-of-way through the White Earth Indian reservation, where there is a district 36 miles square of the finest land in the state, and much of which will be developed by the whites as a result of mixed bloods selling their allotments.

Duluth people fully expect to see the Moorhead, Leech Lake & Duluth road built one of these days. The company is capitalized for \$5,000,000, and the line of survey does not encounter very much heavy grading construction.

NEXT YEAR'S CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN DULUTH

Stranger Thinks Noonday Gathering at Hotel Holland Cafe the Convention of the Northern Minnesota Development Association.

Noon day gossip in the Holland all last week was almost entirely devoted to the big convention of the Northern Minnesota Development association. A stranger who dropped in for luncheon one day became so interested in the plans as discussed by those about him that he believed the large gathering in the dining room was the convention itself. He afterward excused his mistake with the remark that Duluth business men seemed so well versed in the subject and so enthusiastic and optimistic that they should have made most excellent delegates to such a convention.

A superior street merchant told him that he would find as large a number lunching in the Holland every day.

"We cannot leave business long enough," he said, "so we naturally gather in congenial little groups here at the Holland where we are sure of a most appetizing luncheon. It is one of the most delightful features of our business life."

LOOKING FORWARD

If young people could see two years ahead and compare their standing now with what it would be then, probably they take heart at the **DULUTH BUSINESS UNCERTAINTY** none would hesitate to enter the college immediately. All you need is to have the determination and make the start and you will win out just as others have done. Location, 118, 120 Fourth Avenue West, Christie Building.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO HOLD MEETING TODAY

The regular meeting of the board of county commissioners will be held today but there is comparatively little business in sight, aside from the usual routine, to be attended to except the fixing of the amount of the bonds of the county auditor and the register of titles. By the increase in population as indicated by the federal census of the county, the bonds of the sheriff will be automatically increased to \$25,000 and those of the treasurer to \$250,000. The auditor and register of titles furnish the only instances where the amount is regulated by the board.

This will probably not be the last meeting of the commissioners for the year as it is customary to call a meeting the last of December to end up the year's work and this will undoubtedly be done this year as usual.

FINE OF \$100 FOR TAMPERING WITH AUTO

Albert Kiley, found guilty yesterday afternoon of tampering with an automobile, was fined \$100 and costs with the option of 60 days in jail. Kiley some time in September took a car from A. M. Russell's garage without the consent of the owner. The car was damaged and a warrant was issued for Kiley's arrest. It was not until a few days ago, however, that he was seen and the warrant served.

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APPORTIONMENT OF COUNTY FUNDS

Auditor Halden Announces Division of \$1,673,572—State Gets \$304,216.18.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY GETS \$308,738.24 AS ITS SHARE

Duluth To Receive \$152,024.95; Virginia \$84,541.23; Eveleth \$15,843.23.

By the November apportionment of county funds, made yesterday by County Auditor Halden, a total of \$1,673,572—\$124,239.30 more than last year at the same time—is distributed to the state and to the various cities, villages, towns and school districts of St. Louis county. Last year the amount apportioned in the settlement was \$1,549,282.70.

Of the amount distributed this year the state of Minnesota gets \$504,216.18 and the county of St. Louis is given \$308,738.24. This latter amount is subdivided among various county funds. The revenue fund gets \$106,868.92; to the poor commissioners is given \$16,274.95; for county roads \$66,102.33 is set aside; for the payment of court house bonds there is \$51,844.41; for the care and control of the court house, \$11,769.05; for sanatoria, \$8,217.97, and to the interest and sinking fund accounts, \$46,031.66 is added.

Among the cities and villages \$495,483.24 is distributed, the city of Duluth being given \$152,024.95. This latter amount is divided as follows: Bond interest, \$26,093.58; sinking fund, \$10,270.29; fire department, \$27,960.30; board of public works, \$31,457.96; water fund, \$16,330.16; light fund, \$8,521.56; health fund, \$2,698.34; printing and supplies, \$359.58; park fund, \$3,739.25; library, \$3,478.19; water and light plant, \$4,260.77; permanent improvements, \$9,139.68; police pensions, \$694.74; street assessment fund, \$6,420.55.

The cities which share in the apportionment are Ely, \$13,050.43; Eveleth, \$15,843.23; Tower, \$235.46; Virginia, \$84,541.23. The villages which receive \$2,000 or over are Aurora, \$2,307.42; Biwabik, \$7,098.50; Buhl, \$17,286.67; Chisholm, \$84,906.93; Hibbing, \$36,814.78; Mountain Iron, \$11,830.78.

The townships of the county have \$89,865.11 divided among them. Those receiving more than \$1,000 are Biwabik, \$6,882.88; Buyck, \$2,205.79; Breitung, \$1,112.65; Duluth, \$1,094.87; Fayal, \$2,820.20; Great Scott, \$9,597.14; Missabe Mountain, \$14,665.31; Morse, \$1,052.08; Nichols, \$5,872.78; Stuntz, \$20,084.23; White, \$8,366.37.

Nearly half a million dollars is distributed among the various school districts, the figure being \$475,269.23. Of this amount the independent district of Duluth is given \$135,087.42, divided as follows: General fund, \$65,092.13; building fund, \$46,581.74; interest and sinking fund, \$14,719.04; local mill, \$8,694.51.

There are ten districts outside the city of Duluth which receive by the apportionment more than \$2,000 each. They are: No. 9 at Tower, \$4,447.23; No. 12 at Ely, \$22,700.11; No. 13 at White, \$34,835.52; No. 18 at Missabe Mountain, \$21,949.96; No. 22 at Virginia, \$48,158.16; No. 24 at Biwabik, \$18,706.49; No. 27 at Hibbing, \$72,505.64; No. 35 at Buhl, \$13,941.04; No. 39 at Eveleth, \$25,855.35; No. 40 at Chisholm, \$37,649.54.

AGITATION FOR SALE OF DANISH WEST INDIES HAS AGAIN COMMENCED

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 6.—The agitation for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States has been renewed by the islanders and today the government received an address in which petitioners asked that negotiations to that end be opened. The cabinet, however, is not likely to take the initiative in the matter because the ministers are not particularly opposed to such a sale, their opponents in the Rikstag probably will be able to defeat the proposal and the government is taking no chances of a rebuff.

Queen Louise, who is greatly interested in the islands, where she has inaugurated many philanthropies, is a keen opponent of any project involving their loss to the kingdom.

Hear the new singing and instrumental trio at the Holland.

MAN WHO RAN STREETS WITHOUT CLOTHES DEAD

Jacob Lindbeck died at St. Luke's hospital yesterday morning of typhoid fever. Lindbeck was brought to the hospital some ten days ago from Two Harbors. He was at that time in a delirium and though his hands were tied he succeeded in breaking the bonds. He then threw an ice bag at a nurse who attempted to quiet him and leaped through a window, minus his clothing. He was pursued for some distance before he could be caught by hospital attendants and returned to the hospital.

INCIPIENT BLAZE OVER DYE ESTABLISHMENT

A blaze in the rooms over the Northwestern Dye works gave the fire department a run at 7 o'clock last night. Damage amounting to about \$25 was done to the floor. The fire started from an overheated chimney setting fire to the floor through which it passed. The rooms over the dye works are at present unoccupied.

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CUMMINS TO PROPOSE REVISION OF CERTAIN TARIFF LAW SCHEDULES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Senator Cummins of Iowa will introduce a resolution in the senate tomorrow designed to help in the revision of certain schedules of the tariff law. The proposed rule will permit the taking up of a elastic schedule for revision without rendering the balance of the law open to amendment. One objection to efforts to amend certain parts of the tariff has been the fact that all parts of the bill would be subject to change if any schedule were taken up. Senator Cummins will also introduce a resolution limiting to 60 days the time a bill may be held in a committee of the senate. The resolution provides that after that time the bill may be called up on the floor as though the committee had reported it back.