

IN ST. PAUL

W. L. AMES DIES.—William L. Ames, who fought in both the army and the navy in the civil war, died last night at his home, 1637 Stillwater avenue, St. Paul, following an apoplectic stroke. He had lived in St. Paul sixty years and was a well known citizen. He served in the legislature in 1891 and was a member of the board of public works in 1899-1900. Mr. Ames was born in Franklin Furnace, N. J., Jan. 16, 1846. He went to St. Paul in 1850 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Ames. He received an appointment to Annapolis in 1859, and when the war broke out served as midshipman. One of his fellow officers was Admiral Robley D. Evans. Mr. Ames remained a year in the navy and then returned to St. Paul, enlisting in a volunteer organization to fight the Sioux in 1862-68. He is survived by Mrs. Ames, a brother, Herbert Ames of Gray Cloud Island, and a sister, Amelia H. Ames of Boston.