

SAINT PAUL.

The Doings of a Week in the Metropolitan of the North Star State.

The Satisfactory City and Satisfactory City Folks. Items of Social, Religious and General Matters Among the People.

To Rent—Furnished or unfurnished rooms 641 Sibley.

Spring neck wear just in at J. C. Bailes, 404 Jackson street.

Full line fine hats, all the latest style at J. C. Bailes' 404 Jackson street.

Mrs. T. H. Griswold has been quite ill for the past week but is improving.

Mrs. T. J. Irvin of Chicago is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fogg.

Furnished Rooms for single gentlemen, or man and wife, at 71 W. Seventh street.

The APPEAL is for sale at the "Little Ryan Barber shop" corner of 6th and Robert.

Mrs. Chas. Robinson and sister Mrs. Reid are visiting friends in St. Louis and Tennessee.

Mrs. Florence Sommers of Frankfort, Ky., is the guest of Mrs. S. M. Rose, No. 593 Broadway.

Elegant neckwear, new colors and shapes, at J. C. Bailes' 404 Jackson street. See them.

Mr. W. A. Reid with a crew of Colored men takes charge of the Clifton Hotel dining room, Monday.

Items of news for THE APPEAL may be left at Columbus Waldon's barber shop, No. 106 East Fifth street.

Try J. C. Bailes, No. 404 Jackson street, when you wish anything in first class Gents' Furnishings.

White and colored shirts, Wilson Bros. shirts open front and back, at J. C. Bailes', 404 Jackson street.

DRESS MAKING, plain and fancy sewing, cutting and fitting done by Mrs. Maggie Morris, 71 W. Seventh street.

A good way to get a start in the world is to open an account with the St. Paul Savings Bank cor. Fifth and Jackson.

Are you among those who have not paid their subscriptions to THE APPEAL? The office is at 76 East Fifth street. Call.

There are some choice rooms for single gentlemen at Hotel de Mink, with or without board. Terms very reasonable.

FURNISHED ROOMS, for single gentlemen only, from \$4 per month up, Mrs. Mary Canada No. 388 Minnesota street.

Look out for the grand entertainment to be given by Minnesota Lodge No. 113, A. F. and A. M., about the fourth week in June.

Do you wish to borrow some money? Then go to the Minnesota Loan Co., No. 117 E. 4th street in the German American Bank Building.

WANTED—A smart, lively girl not over 16 years of age, to learn the printers trade. Call at THE APPEAL office between 11 and 12 o'clock Monday.

Young men save your money and buy a home. The money you waste on cigars, liquor, and other frivolities, if saved, will make you comfortable in old age.

Mrs. E. C. Robinson who has been a resident of St. Paul for a number of years left Tuesday for Chicago to join her husband where they will reside in the future.

Don't forget that the Hotel de Mink, corner 4th and St. Peter sts. is the best place in town for first class board and lodging. Try the Sunday dinners and be happy. Only 25 cents.

Gentlemen wishing anything done in the tonsorial line will find S. C. Waldon's No. 106 E. Fifth street, the place to be accommodated in first class style. Baths open on Sundays.

The Savings Bank of St. Paul corner of Jackson and Fifth streets pays 5 per cent interest on savings deposits. Deposits over \$1,000.00. JOHN S. PRINCE, Pres., EDWARD J. MEIER, Cashier.

Mr. K. J. Johnson left this week for Chicago, to join his wife who was induced by some officious people to desert him but who is as anxious to be taken back as she was to get away.

Anything in the line of printing, from a visiting card to a three-sheet poster, can be done by THE APPEAL with neatness and dispatch, at low rates. Call at the office No. 76 East 5th street.

George Thatchers Minstrels combined with Rich and Harris' Comedy Company in their great farce comedy success "Tuxedo" will begin an engagement of four nights and matinee at the Metropolitan Sunday night.

Mr. D. E. Beasley wishes to announce that he will from this date on make the best cabinet photographs for \$2 per dozen. He has a nice gallery on the N. E. corner of 7th and Minnesota, entrance on Minnesota street. Call and examine specimens.

The National Savings, Loan and Building Association guarantees 6 to 8 per cent interest on its shares of monthly installment and fully paid-up stock. All loans made being first mortgage on real estate. Send for prospectus. Office, 48 East Fourth street.

Memorial Day, Monday will be fittingly observed. The services will be conducted at the cemetery, the chief orator of the day being Hon. Stewart L. Woodford. Mr. Woodford is one of the country's most gifted orators and is well worth hearing.

MRS. HOLT'S ELECTRIC HAIR OIL will cause the most stubborn or bad hair to grow long, soft and glossy. Call on or address Mrs. Holt, 205 Sherburne avenue. Price 50 cents per bottle. Try it. It never fails. Can be obtained at Mrs. T. H. Lyles hair store 87 E. 7th st.

Minnesota Lodge 113 on last Tuesday conferred the Master Masons degree on Messrs. Daniel Roy, J. T. Jackson, George Duckett, Rolly Beavd, Harry Stansberry, Howard Williams, G. S. Tabor. The grand master of the jurisdiction, J. H. Bellam will pay a visit to the lodge on June 7.

There will be a lot of visitors in St. Paul during the session of the National Republican Convention and all persons who will be prepared to accommodate them should let the fact be known through the columns of THE APPEAL. Persons desiring such notices will please call at the office Nos. 76-78 East Fifth street.

There are only a few places of business in St. Paul, owned and operated by Colored people; but these few do not get the patronage of the Colored people as they should. Why not spend your money with Colored people, if you can possibly find any who can furnish what you wish. Help one another, and in so doing, you help yourself.

There seems to have been method in the madness of Mr. James D. Shreeves in leaving St. Paul for Chicago last week. He was attracted thither by the charming Miss Ida Matthews who had gone before him, and—*as Pittacus Green, in Hazel Kirk, says: "You may not believe it, but it is never-the-less a fact"*—the twin have been made bone of one bone, and flesh of one flesh. Some Mrs. Grandies may think they were *o'erying* to marry, but one's marriage is a matter with which no one but the parties to the match should have anything to do, and, yet, nothing seems to be more decidedly public property. The friends of the young couple extend congratulations, wishing that their lives may be long and happy and that their troubles may be little ones.

The Young People under the direction of Miss Lulu Griswold will give a musical and literary entertainment at Pilgrim Baptist Church Thursday evening June 9. Among those who will assist are: Mesdames William Smith, T. J. Irvin, M. Crosby, Misses Fannie Burke, Fannie D'od, Malinda Fogg, Matel Berry, Nellie Griswold, Edna Buck, Drucilla Dunjee, Lizzie Roach, Messrs. John W. Luca, Charles Martin, Charles Farr and Willie Francis. Miss Drucilla Dunjee the talented young elocutionist of Minneapolis will render some of her best selections, she is always a favorite with St. Paul people and does great credit to herself. Miss Edna Buck is an elocutionist of remarkable ability her powers are second to none. Don't fail to hear her.

A BANQUET.

In Eastern Star Circles.

The members of St. Paul Chapter No. 12 O. E. S. met at the hall Tuesday afternoon the occasion being the farewell meeting at which their W. M., Mrs. Florence L. Williams would preside.

After the general order of business was transacted the ladies were treated to a surprise by Mrs. Williams in the nature of a sumptuous dinner served in the refreshment rooms. Covers were laid for sixteen and at each plate was an elegant white rose with the Worthy Matron's card attached by a delicate white ribbon. After discussing the viands Rev. L. H. Reynolds was installed as Toast Master. The following sentiments were proposed and met with such eloquent responses as would have turned the average masculine after-dinner talker green with envy.

"Past Pleasures" Miss Mae Louisa Wilkins. "Present Prospects," Mrs. B. M. Lazenberry. "Future Possibilities" Mrs. T. E. Franklin. "Our Departing Friend," Rev. L. H. Reynolds. "The Friends I Leave Behind," Mrs. F. L. Williams.

The following ladies and gentlemen were present: Mesdames F. L. Williams, C. F. Wilkins, T. E. Franklin, J. F. Green, M. E. Henderson, L. D. Duncan, C. H. Wilson, E. J. Houston, D. M. Mann, T. Charleston, R. Roberts, R. F. Reynolds, B. M. Lazenberry, Miss Mae L. Wilkins and Messrs. L. H. Reynolds and G. W. Patterson.

The last soiree of the Invincibles given at Twin City Hall, Tuesday evening, attracted another large crowd of St. Paul people and a fair representation from the Flour City who were loud in their praises of the pleasant occasion. This was to be the last soiree of the present season, but on request of a large number of the subscribers it was decided to give a supplementary soiree on Thursday evening, June 9, while the National Convention is in session. This will positively be the last entertainment of the present season so it is intended to make it a rouser. There will be an exhibition drill by the company and a musical and literary program, copy of which will appear in the next issue of THE APPEAL. The management promises to make this entertainment surpass any thing yet undertaken by the organization. And as this is to be an extra occasion the subscribers will please bear in mind that the tax will be 50 cents for gentlemen subscribers and their friends, ladies the usual fee. The exercises will begin at 8:30; at the close of which, dancing will be indulged in until 2 o'clock.

A Grand Feast.

The Stewardesses and others of Mt. Zion A. M. E. Mission, West St. Paul, are preparing to give a grand Feast of First Fruits, Wednesday evening June 8, 1892. Lookout for it and govern yourselves accordingly.

St. James A. M. E. Church.

Hear Dr. Steward at 11:00 a. m. Sunday. The pastor preaches at night.

Dr. Steward lectures Monday night, subject: "The Person of Color." Everybody ought to hear him. Orator, philosopher, author, chaplain U. S. Army. Special service Tuesday, May 31st, preaching, praying, music.

Capital City Band.

One of the big things of Convention week will be the grand concert by the Capital City Band of Washington, D. C. One at Turner Hall, St. Paul, Monday evening June 6, and the other at Morgan Post Hall, Minneapolis, Wednesday June 8. This band comes very highly recommended and will doubtless furnish a treat to those who attend their concert. After the concert dancing will be indulged in by those who wish to Admission 25 cents reserved seats 50 cts.

Pence Opera House.

Ida Seddons Female Mastodons the famous burlesque organization is doing a big business at the Pence and deservedly, so far the entertainment is one of the strongest ever seen here, they close their stay here Saturday May 28. Commencing Sunday May 29. The celebrated Vital Sparks Burlesque Company will be at the Pence for one week. This Co., is one that includes the very pick of burlesque and the profession and their performance is calculated to please the most critical and their bevy of pretty girls are selected from the cream of the regular organizations visiting the largest Eastern cities the past season consequently a tip top first class performance is assured. Their Burlesque called "Little Faust" is 20 minutes of continue smiles. Seats are now on sale at Box office from 9:30 A. M. to 9:30 P. M. Come early.

FASTING AND PRAYER.

The Afro-Americans of St. Paul to Observe Next Tuesday.

With Meetings at Each of Their Churches at 11:00 A. M., A Joint Meeting at Pilgrim Church at 2:00 P. M., and a Memorial at Turner Hall at 8 P. M.

The Afro-Americans of St. Paul in compliance with the address of the St. Louis committee will observe next Tuesday May 31 as a day of fasting and prayer with the hope, that Almighty God will so work upon the hearts of the American Nation that the murderous lynchings to which we are subjected may cease from land. The committee of Arrangements met at Pilgrim Baptist Church last Monday at which Rev. L. C. Sheafe was selected to preside at the Turner Hall meeting Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock at which the exercises will consist of the following:

Singing, "God Speed the Right" Audience. Invocation..... Rev. L. H. Reynolds. Introductory..... Rev. L. C. Sheafe. Paper..... F. L. McGhee. "The Negro a Power in his Own Behalf" Singing, "The Choice" James Russell Lowell. Presenting Resolutions..... J. Q. Adams. Singing, "Battle Hymn of the Republic" Julia Ward Howe.

Paper, "The Negro and His Critics" W. A. Hazel. Singing (Time) "America" Rosa Hazard Hazel. Benediction..... Rev. J. C. Anderson.

Special services will be held at each of the churches at 11:00 A. M., a joint service will be held at Pilgrim Baptist Church at 2:00 P. M., and the Memorial service at Turner Hall in the evening at 8:00 sharp. It is urged that a proper observance of the entire day be made by the whole people, and especially it is requested that they be present at the joint meeting in the afternoon and the Memorial meeting at night.

Enter into the Victors.

Better buy a new carpet. The stock of S. E. Olson & Co., is the place to get it. Choice patterns in all-wool grain carpets. Special price this week 55c. per yard.

Grand Opera House.

Hallen and Hart, two of the most successful of all those who have devoted their talents purely to farce comedy, will present their new version of the famous skit, "Later On" at the Grand next week.

The company numbers twenty-two people, all of whom are active members, and who can sing, dance and entertain. The costumes are new and attractive in design, and the girls who form the chorus have been chosen with a fine regard to looks as well as voice, and nearly, if not quite all the music, songs and dances are original.

Unless all the signs fall and there is no logic in preceding events, the Grand will have all it can do next week to house the multitude of admiring patrons, which invariably attends the performance of "Later On."

Bar and Table Glass Ware.

We are now in shape to furnish hotels restaurants and families at lower prices than ever. S. E. Olson & Co.

His Explanation Was Satisfactory.

A Hebrew wholesale firm in New York, whose knowledge of "cent per cent was more profound than that of the exemplar of this country, sent a "Drummer" on a trip west.

"My barder and me, we lookin' at your expense akound. We notice you got s'leeping car fare St. Paul to Minneapolis two dollars and railroad fare between dose same points only thirty cents, how is dot. We was wonderin'."

For a moment the drummer was staggered, but he came to the front boldly. "I told you how dot was, now I remember me. Ven I was in St. Paul der was the biggest railroad war I ever did see. I got me a dicket for thirty cents, and I give the firm the benefit of the cut rate. Dot sleeping car dere is never any reduction on dem. Dot Pullman, he got a cinch, you know."

Said the boss: "Dots right, my man, dots right. The firm always expects the benefit of all cut rates."

Drummer: "Und while ve was speaking of dot country, I just want to say, dot Minneapolis and St. Louis Rv., is der boss road. Vy, I sell me more goods on dot road, der best trains, der best towns, und der best country is on dot road, und if you want pleasure or business, you find it on dot road every time. Und don't forget it to see Charley Pratt, he is der 'Drummers' friend."

Announcement Extraordinary.

Grand Reception in honor of the visitors to the Northwest, Friday evening June 10th. Under the management of Mrs. T. H. Lyles assisted by Mrs. L. H. Reynolds and a committee of fifty ladies. Full particulars next week.

A Splendid Offer.

For three dollars we will send you THE APPEAL for one year and one copy of "The Afro-American Press" (just out) retail price of book alone \$2. Address THE APPEAL 325 Dearborn street, Chicago.

MINNEAPOLIS.

A Record of the Doings in and About the Great "Flour City."

Matters Social, Religious and General Which Have Happened and are to Happen Among the People of the City on the Falls.

Sheeting Sale.

At S. E. Olson & Co., bleached and unbleached from the yard wide to the 2 1/2 yard wide goods, 5c. to 25c. per yard.

Have you paid for the paper you are now reading?

Mrs. J. C. Reid expects to take a trip South for the benefit of her health.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brady has been quite sick but is much better this week.

Mr. Jasper Gibbs expects to feed 6,000 people per day at his three places, during the National Republican Convention.

Mr. Geo. Roper who has for several months been an officer at the West Hotel, has resigned and accepted his former position with the "Soo" road.

Prof. Levi Spencer has gone on a flying trip to Montreal, Canada, on special business. He will return in a few days.

Mr. John Goodbar and Miss Carrie Young were quietly married at Hudson, Wis., last Sunday. They have returned to Minneapolis.

Mr. Arthur Edwards has been recently elected as M. G. of St. Anthony Lodge No. 2877 G. U. I. O. F. We wish Mr. Mr. Edwards success.

Many strangers have already arrived in our city for the convention. We expect to have 600 or 700 Colored visitors during the great convention.

Mrs. M. J. Patton, 87 7th street South, is doing a very large business, and extends an invitation to all strangers coming to the city, to visit her house, which is one of the best in the Northwest.

Our best families will open their houses for comers to the convention. At least five or six-hundred Colored delegates and visitors will be in our city during the sitting of the convention.

There will be a religious service at St. Peter A. M. E. Church Tuesday May 31st at 3:00 P. M. Everybody invited to attend and join in prayer to Almighty God for the deliverance of our brothers in the South.

Bethesda Baptist Church has had magnificent steaks put up in front of the church and the front graded which makes the church looks beautiful from the outside. The ladies Dorcas Society are paying for the grading.

The Glass Block and S. E. Olson have the largest Colored trade of any dry goods houses in the city. We believe these two houses more richly deserve our trade than any other because they are the most liberal to us in every way.

Boutell Bros., corner Washington avenue South and 2nd avenue, is the place in the city to get bargains in all kinds of stoves, furniture carpets and crockery. All goods on easy instalments. These gentlemen are affable and pleasant to all.

A first class boarding and lodging house 317 6th ave. S., Mrs. Mattie Brown proprietor. First class in every way, it is one of the best houses of the kind for our people in the North West. The rooms are large and newly furnished.

Mrs. C. H. Hamilton has moved into the large building No. 316 Sixth avenue South which she has fitted up for boarders and lodgers. She has ten nice sleeping rooms and will furnish board for those who so desire. Terms reasonable. Give her a call.

Messrs. Hamilton & Tyler, the genial and wide awake proprietors of the Twin Cities Palace Saloon No. 223 Third street S., are refitting, painting and papering their place beautifully, preparatory to the convention. It's a cold day when they get left; and, its safe to say, their place will be headquarters for the boys.

The concert at the Bloomington Ave. Baptist Church last Monday evening was a great success, about 1,000 people were present. Prof. Lucas, of St. Paul, sang two pieces which were received with great applause. The Choral Union never had a more splendid ovation. The Magnolia Quartet, Mrs. Wm. Smith and Miss Drucilla Dunjee, never rendered their pa better.

Rev. T. G. Steward, D. D., Chaplain of the 25th Intly. U. S. A., will preach at St. Peter A. M. E. Church Sunday May 26. The Afro-American militia will attend in full uniform and the sermon will be especially addressed to them. Dr. Steward is one of the most eminent divines in the A. M. E. Church, besides being one of the only two Afro-American chaplains of the U. S. Army. Don't fail to hear him.

Hon. Frederick Douglass, John R. Lynch, B. K. Bruce, N. W. Cuney, P. H. Carson, P. B. S. Pinchback, James Hill, J. W. Lyons Prof. R. R. Wright, Judge M. W. Gibbs, and a number of the most prominent Afro-Americans in the United States will be present at the Republican National Convention, making it the most interesting meeting to every Colored man. We hope every thing may be done to make it pleasant for the prominent men while in our city by our people.

Convention Near at Hand.

Big sale of lace curtains at S. E. Olson & Co., for the next ten days. Five thousand pairs in the several lots varying in price from 75c. to \$7 per pair.

Decorate for the Convention.

Two thousand pieces just arrived yesterday for S. E. Olson & Co. Plain red, white and blue in stripes and stars and stripes. Cotton bunnings. Get our prices before going elsewhere.

Sale of Rugs.

Go to S. E. Olson & Co's. Special sale all this week of Smyrna Rugs. 60c goods at 38c; \$2 25 goods at \$1 47; \$3 00 goods at \$1 72; \$4 50 goods at 2 98; \$5 50 goods at \$3 95. Sizes range from sixteen inches to six feet. New and choice designs.

GRAND MAY FESTIVAL.

And Crowning of the May Queen at Labor Temple Monday Eve., May 30. Benefit of St. James Church Minneapolis.

One of the most elaborate entertainments Minneapolis has witnessed, will take place at Labor Temple, corner of Fourth street and Eighth ave. South, Monday evening May 30, proceeds for the benefit of St. James A. M. E. Church. The occasion will be a grand May Festival and crowning of the May Queen, and also two soprano and two contralto solo contests, the contestants to appear in full dress. The exercises will be of a very interesting nature, as may be seen from the following:

PROGRAM: 1. Instrumental solo..... Miss Nellie Brady. 2. Profundo Basso..... Rev. D. A. Graham, Rev. J. C. Anderson, Mrs. Ollie Marshall, Mrs. F. De Leo. 3. Recitation, "Decoration Day" Mrs. M. Wain Mr. George Lillard. 4. "Toll on Deep Ocean" 5. Violin and Piano selection..... Mr. C. Brown and Mrs. O. Marshall. 6. Soprano Contest: "May Blossoms" Mrs. Jane Sloman Torrey, Mrs. F. De Leo. "Carina May" Mrs. Jane Sloman Torrey, Mrs. F. SHIPMAN. 7. Contralto Contest: "On the Rolling Wave" Mrs. O. MARSHALL. "Tempest of the Heart" Mrs. FANNIE BURKE. 8. Violin and Piano selection..... Mr. W. R. Morris, Miss Nellie Brady. 9. Duet..... "Oh, that two were Maying" (Words from Saluts tragedy) Mrs. O. Marshall and Mrs. F. De Leo. 10. Crowning of the May Queen..... Chorus "Now is the Month of May," Company. The exercises will begin promptly at eight o'clock.

ADMISSION 15 CENTS. Committee { Mrs. F. De Leo. of Mrs. O. MARSHALL. Management { Mrs. M. WAIN.

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YERXA.

If you are going to pay cash for your groceries you should buy of a house that will give you the benefit of spot cash dealing. Many retailers of groceries complain that we furnish the customer with goods as low or lower than the dealer can buy of the jobbers. Here are a few sample prices:

Strictly fresh eggs, per dozen..... 12c 3-lb can of fine green grape plums, can 12c 3-lb can of fine egg plums, can..... 12c 3-lb can of fine grapes, can..... 12c These goods are actually worth 22 cents a can.

3-lb cans really choice tomatoes..... 8c 2-lb cans good sweet corn..... 8c 2-lb cans good string beans..... 6c 2-lb cans Marrowfat peas..... 8c 2-lb cans preserved blackberries..... 10c 3-lb cans pineapple..... 15c 10-lb bag finest buckwheat..... 22c Peek Freem biscuit, can..... 12c Yerxa pastry flour, small 40c, large 75c Picnic hams, lb..... 9c Fine new dates, lb..... 5c Lenox soap, lb..... 3c Yerxa's corner, 33 lbs for..... \$1.00 Finest dried blackberries, lb..... 5c Fancy Alden apples, lb..... 10c Dried grapes, lb..... 5c Gallon cans apples..... 25c Gallon cans pears..... 55c Fine old Rio, equals anybody's, 25c lb, for..... 20c Golden Rio coffee..... 25c Our matches broken Java..... 23c Good broken Java..... 20c Fine Java and Mocha, lb..... 33c Good Japan tea sittings, lb..... 15c A line of all kinds of tea that we know to be pure and good for 25 cents. Extra teas, all kinds, for 35 cents. The best basket fired Japan in town only 50 cents. Oolong, English Breakfast and India, Hyson, Gunpowder and Ceylon teas, all grades and prices.

CIGAR DEPARTMENT.

We have as fine a line of cigars as you ever saw in any country, prices from 2 cents each up to the finest imported cigars.

We are selling out a line of fine imported cigars usually sold 3 for 50 cents. In this sale they will go for 8 cents each.

We will make you cigars to order of the finest material that money can buy. Try one of our fresh made pure Havana cigars, 6 cents each, YERXA Bros & Co.

Duluth, Minn.

Wanted—A first-class Colored barber. Address, H. E. Johnson, 110 East 6th street, Duluth, Minn.

Mrs. Cora H. Robinson arrived in this city on Thursday the 19th, and is heartily welcomed in our midst. We sincerely hope that she will make her stay in our city permanently.

Wanted—Immediately one good snare drummer one E flat and two B flat clarinet players for Harris' Military Band. Steady employment. Address, Prof. S. H. P. Bell, P. O. Box 920 Duluth, Minn.

Miss Cora H. Robinson of St. Johns, Michigan, has accepted a position in the Minnesota Domestic Employment office. Mrs. Robinson has the entire charge of the above office, and anyone desiring employment as cooks or general household in private families, can secure them at any and at all times by addressing the Minnesota Domestic Employment Office 19 West Superior street, Duluth, Minn. We are exclusive agents for the best families in the city.

Grand mass meeting of Colored citizens of Duluth and Superior, was held on Monday last, to make arrangements for the National Memorial service, to be held May 31st. There were 25 gentlemen and 12 ladies from Duluth and a gentleman and 5 ladies from Superior, appointed on the committee of the whole. The chairman C. W. Dorsey, appointed six committees viz: Address, press, hall, reception, arrangements and music. Chairman: Address committee, R. H. Blackstone, Duluth; press committee, H. J. Shelton, Duluth; hall committee, J. N. Richey, Duluth; arrangement committee, B. A. Lewis, Duluth; reception committee, F. Johnson Superior; music, C. A. Hughes, Duluth.

METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE.

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