

ST. PAUL.

A WEEKS RECORD IN MINNEAPOLIS-TA'S CAPITAL.

The Statute City and Statute City Folk—Newly Items of Social, Religious and General Matters Among the People, Botted Down.

Squelch the scorchers, is the slogan. Roberson's Grocery Cor., Sibley and Spruce. Telephone 539. You will make no mistake if you go to Hotel de Mink for your meals.

Go and hear the special music at Pilgrim Baptist church tomorrow night. The Appeal is on sale at John Charlesons barber shop, Robert street between Fifth and Sixth.

Mr. H. F. McFarland the "20 Century man" after an absence of several months is again in the city. Mrs. D. E. Talbot and daughter who have been upon the sick list for several days are convalescing.

Miss Emma Robson of Chicago, a niece of Mrs. S. B. Jones will spend Easter in St. Paul, the guest of her aunt. Choral celebration of the Holy Eucharist every 1st Sunday in the month at St. Philip's Mission 8:00 a. m.

Look out for the May Party to be given by the Stewardesses of St. James church. Date and place will be given later. Mr. A. Davenport of Hastings, and Mrs. Hattie Francis, of this city were quietly married Thursday morning by Rev. S. B. Jones.

Any one wishing to rent the house now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Francis would do well to see them in reference to the matter. Rev. B. E. Hill has been called to the pastorate of Pilgrim Baptist he took charge of the work with the spirit of a true worker.

Messrs W. T. Francis and John Charleson desire the public to know that they were not the scorchers who were arrested a few days ago. You may get an excellent meal for meal for ten cents at Carriers Restaurant Young Mens Social Club Hall 371 Jackson street, upstairs.

The Bicycle for the contest for the Union Masonic Hall fund can be seen in the window at No. 92-98 West 7th street, Windsor Cycle Co. Miss Maggie Irving, a teacher in the public schools of Jonesboro, Tenn., a graduate of Fisk University is a guest of Mrs. E. P. Wade, No. 277 Colburne.

Madam E. J. Allen has removed her Hair Parlors to 207 Washburn Bldg., where she will be pleased to meet all of her old customers as well as new ones. Dr. Shepherd of Charlottesville N. C. is in the city and will assist Rev. B. E. Hill in special meetings at Pilgrim Baptist church. Meetings begin next week April 19th.

The friends of Mrs. Mary Mink will be pleased to know that the second amputation of her limb was successfully performed last Monday and she is getting on very nicely. FOR SALE, new and second hand clothing and organs on easy terms. Also hair-dressing and shampooing on short notice. Call on or address Mrs. E. J. Allen 553 Sibley Street.

Don't forget that the Hotel de Mink, 307 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. Miss Emma Porter has opened a studio for music, painting and fancy work at her residence No. 463 Robert St. and is prepared to take a number of pupils. Terms reasonable.

Gentlemen wishing anything in the tonorial line will find first class artists and accommodations at the Palace Barber shop 377 Robert street. Baths open Sunday: J. H. Charleston Prop. The services of Mrs. M. Holt have been secured as collector for THE APPEAL and she will call upon delinquent subscribers, and it is hoped they will be prepared to make payments when she calls.

Mr. Richard Cousby has purchased the barber shop formerly conducted by Mr. Link Overalls on Minnesota street between Fifth and Sixth streets and will be pleased to have both old and new customers call. Use "Cream of Oil", for the hair and scalp. It promotes the growth and keeps the scalp in a healthy condition. Try it, 50 cents per bottle. Call on or address Mrs. H. A. Kirtley 955 Woodbridge Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

Because you put an ad. in a paper once upon a time and it didn't pay, don't be eternally sore. Maybe you didn't use the right medium or maybe you didn't say the right thing, or maybe you didn't say it the right way. You can't plant a pumpkin seed and raise a waterbush. The Young Men's Social Club, 308 Jackson street is booming and the rooms are crowded with members all the time. Messrs. W. T. Johnson, Archie, Scott, and Jerry Allen may be found there at all times to attend to the wants of all comers. It is a very pleasant place for the young men and the older ones too, for that matter to spend their leisure hours.

The case in the District Court against Dillingham & Pettis for the recovery of a heater and boiler was decided against them Wednesday, the jury rendering a verdict for the value of the goods at \$12, and damages at \$3, although the court instructed to find for the defendant. The end is not yet, however, as argument will be had before Judge Lewis today, to set aside the verdict of the jury. Prof. W. L. Hall and Wm. Thompson who are enroute from Grand Forks, N. D., to Washington, D. C., and return on foot, called on THE APPEAL Wednesday. They are both lusty young fellows and are confident of making the trip. Hall



A VIBRATOR THRASHING MACHINE.

claims to be the champion Afro American long distance walker of the world. They left for Chicago Thursday morning. They must walk railroad tracks the entire distance. There are very few places of amusement and recreation for the young men in our city but one of the most popular is the Columbia Club No. 382 Robert street. Here maybe found at all times Messrs Burnett and Thompson, the managers, who know just how to cater to the wants of their guests. Here, too, may one meet the young men of the city who know how to give visitors a good time. Call, visitors are always welcome.

Albert Johnson, who is a window washer by profession, was arrested Monday charged with larceny. It is claimed that Johnson stole a hat and a cane from his roommates, W. H. Elbert and W. H. Elbert and W. H. Patterson. Elbert and Patterson say they have supported Johnson during the winter when he could get no work, and that he has repaid them by stealing their property. Johnson said he only took the things to use and would have returned them. The judge gave him 30 days just the same.

All the children who were in the "McKinley Inauguration" entertainment in March—which so pleased the people, that they wished it repeated—will be erged, and a lot more, in the entertainment on Monday May 3, at Market Hall, (entrance on Wabasha), on which occasion the "May Pole Party" and a "McKinley Reception" will be given under the management of Mrs. T. E. Franklin. All the necessary accessories will be used to make this entertainment eclipse the former one. The entertainment will be under the auspices of the stewardesses of St. James A. M. E. Church with Mrs. James Banister as chairman. Admission 15 cents.

ROBERSON'S EASTER DINNERS.

If you Don't Know What to Have for Your Easter Dinner. Here are two menus for Easter dinner: Decorations white and gold, daffodils and Easter lillies. Purses of carrots. Sauterne. Planked shad. Cucumber Champagne. Crown of spring lamb, mint sauce. New potatoes. Green peas. Winter cream salad, with stuffed eggs. French dressing. Cheese straws. Orange ice in orange baskets. Orange straws tied with white ribbon. Fancy cake. Creme-de-menthe. Crackers. Cheese. Coffee.

Easter dinner in red and white. Decorations red roses and Easter lillies Oyster cocktail. Tomato bisque. Claret. Soft shell crabs. Champagne. Spring chicken. Broiled new potatoes. Radishes. Cauliflower. Grape fruit and lettuce salad. French dressing. Cheese crackers. Meringues, shape of eggs. filled with ice cream. Candied cherries. Apricotine. Crackers. Cheese. Coffee. Roberson the grocer, is able to provide everything from the sunny South in the way of fresh vegetables. Tomatoes, cucumbers, green peas, string beans, new potatoes, asparagus, cauliflower, lettuce, etc. —Cor. Sibley and Spruce.

EASTER SERVICES

At St. Peter Clavers Church—Choir Assisted by a Full Orchestra. Solemn High Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 o'clock at St. Peter Clavers church corner of Farrington and Aurora Avenues, with Father John Andrews the pastor as celebrant assisted by Father John Walsh. The music for this service has been prepared with great care and pains, and in solemnity and beauty will not be surpassed by any in St. Paul. The choir, which consists of twenty artists, all Afro-Americans, will be assisted by a full orchestra under the direction of Prof. Peppin. The following is the musical program: Regina Coeli, Solo Mrs. Julius Pitts Chorus Lambiott, Vivaldi Aquas, J. Godfrey, Fred Toby, Kyrie, Solo Mrs. M. Allen French Jr., Chorus, Solo Bass, Mr. C. M. Miller; Chorus St. Clair, Gloria, Solo Mrs. Era Jackson, Chorus St. Clair, Vocal Creator, Bass Solo and Quartet, H. Millard, Credo, Soloist, Miss Jackson, Mr. Jas. Harris, Cantata Donna Quillette, Chorus St. Clair, Soloist, Miss Hattie Shepherd, Crafone, Sanctus, Chorus St. Clair, Benedictus, Chorus St. Clair, Tenor Solo, Mr. C. Jackson, Chorus St. Clair, Agnus Dei, Bass Solo, Mr. Allen French Jr., Chorus, Soprano, Regina Coeli, Miss Mammie Dover, Mesdames T. J. Irwin, J. Godfrey, Fred Toby, Ato, Mrs. W. T. Francis, Tenors, Messrs. W. T. Francis, Jackson, Basses, Messrs. French, Harris and Miller, Miss Emma Porter, Organist, Mr. Claude Jackson, Director.

The Rev. Father Andrews will tender an Easter Festival to the children in the afternoon and all children attending will receive an Easter Memento. The Rev. Father has concluded to extend an invitation to every child in the city who wishes to come and partake of the festival.

ORDER OF EASTER SERVICES.

At Pilgrim Baptist Church, All Star Choir. Finest in The Northwest. 11:00 a. m., Easter Sermon by Pastor, Soprano Solo, Myrtle Washington; 3:00 p. m. Special Sermon to the Masons of the city, by Dr. A. Shepard, an eloquent divine visiting here. Special appropriate music by choir; Solo numbers, 7:45 p. m. Grand Sacred Concert. See excellent program below. The event of the day. PROGRAM. Opening Anthem, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," Chorus. Scripture Reading, "Christ is Risen," and Prayer, Mr. J. H. Hickman. Pastor. Sextet, "My Shepherd," Messrs. D. Dennis, Hickman, Messrs. Walker, Howard, Francis, Bass Solo, "Fear Ye not Oh Israel," Mr. J. H. Hickman. Mr. J. H. Hickman. Oratorio Cantata, "Come Unto Me," Messrs. Kellum and Hickman, Mesdames Francis and Reynolds. Tenor Solo, Mr. J. H. Hickman. Anthem, "Come See the Place Where Jesus Lay," Chorus. Soloist, Miss Dennis, Mrs. Reynolds. Mixed Quartet, "Come Holy Spirit," Messrs. Kellum and Hickman, Messrs. Hickman and Mason. Tenor Solo, Mr. J. H. Hickman. Reading, Miss Mamie Wickman. Duet, Messrs. Dennis, Hickman, Mixed Quartet, "Abide With Me," Miss Anderson, and Mrs. Francis, Messrs. Jackson and Miller. Mr. J. H. Hickman. Soprano Solo, "Adore and Be Still," Miss Kellum Anthem, "Christ Our Passover"—Danks, Chorus Solo by Mr. Walker, Mrs. Francis, Miss Kellum. Offertory, Anthem, "Oh Come Let Us Sing Unto the Lord," Chorus. Solo by Miss Dodd.

THE PRODIGAL FATHER.

At The Bijou Opera House, Minneapolis. "The Prodigal Father" will be the attraction at the Bijou next week. The piece was constructed for laughing purposes only, and it fulfills its mission. The plot centers on the escapades of Stanley Dodge, who misses his ship to Africa, through flirting with an actress. His son becomes prodigal, marries the actress, and a regular mixup results. The complications are of the most amusing kind and the fun is intense from start to finish. To properly interpret a farce-comedy requires the services of competent artists, for the success of such a play depends largely on the introduction of novelties. The company presenting "The Prodigal Father" has been carefully chosen and the many songs, medleys, and dances are rendered in such a style as to call forth enthusiastic applause. The company will be a competent one, and includes Miss Majorie Fair, Rose Melville, Lynn Melcher, Charles Boyle, and Jeannette Ardelle. Manager Litt announces for the pleasure of the patrons of the Bijou an important change in the usual program for the summer season and has decided to present high class vaudeville entertainment, beginning week of April 18th and continuing as long as there is a demand for this kind of entertainment. The people who will appear will be changed weekly, thus giving constant variety to the bill. In strength of character, cleverness and ability to retain, it will eclipse any performance of the kind ever seen outside of the great Music Halls of New York City. It will be a positive novelty in this city.

VAUDEVILLE AT THE GRAND.

The summer season of vaudeville at the Grand will open next Sunday and is

NORTHWESTERN MANASSAH CLUB

Gives Its Inaugural Entertainment in Grand Style.

One of the largest social functions of the season, and one which was somewhat unique in its way, took place at Lucas Hall, corner of Margaret and Forrest Sts Thursday night. It was the inaugural soiree of the Northwestern Manassah Club which numbers upward of a hundred members. The officers of the club are: Henry Davis, president; C. W. Clarkson, secretary; James Thompson, treasurer. The committee on invitations and arrangements was as follows: Steve Baldwin, C. B. Yast, R. Moore. The hall is a very large and magnificent one furnishing ample room for the members of the club and its guests to the number of seventy five or more who glided over its waxed floor to the sweet music furnished by Masons Orchestra or sat on the raised platforms which ran along the entire length of the hall on both sides and played cards or partook of the substantial refreshments, both solid and fluid, which were furnished ad libitum. The ladies present wore as a rule very handsomely gowned and a large number of the gentlemen were in full evening dress. Minneapolis was very largely represented, the Minneapolis contingent being the guests of the evening. It was a scene such as cannot be witnessed West of Chicago, here one could see about hundred gentlemen, all Afro-Americans, and upwards of seventy-five handsome ladies all Anglo-Saxons mingling socially together as they did on this occasion, with mutual pleasure. There were only two Afro-American ladies present Thursday night and one of these accompanied her mother who is a Caucasian. There was one Mexican lady present who like the rest rejoiced in an Afro-American husband as it is one of the requisites of membership that husband and wife must be of different nationalities. The club moves in a little world of its own and invites those they see fit to join them in their social pleasures and if the soiree of Thursday night is a criterion they treat their guests royally. It was only when the musicians refused to furnish any more "extrax" that the jolly crowd reluctantly left the hall.

EASTER CELEBRATION.

At St. James A. M. E. Church, Corner Jay and Fuller Streets, St. Paul, Minn. Rev. S. B. Jones, Pastor.

PROGRAM.

- MORNING, 10:30. 1. Organ Voluntary. 2. Invocation. 3. Anthem by Choir "Christ is Risen," Beirly. 4. Solo, "Fear not, Ye Seek Jesus," Shelly. Mrs. R. De Deo. 5. Scripture Lesson. 6. Solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," Shelly. Mrs. W. Joyce. 7. Sermon. 8. Solo, (base) "Easter Song," Dungee Prof. J. W. Luca. 9. Easter Offering. 10. Ordinance of baptism. 11. Benediction. 12. Hymn, Congregational. 13. Invocation. 14. Anthem, (by Choir) "Joyful Easter Tide." 15. Scripture Lesson. 16. Anthem, (by Choir) "Christ is Risen," Beirly. 17. Reading, Selected. Miss Bessie Mills. 18. Ladies Quartette, "He Comes in Triumph." Mrs. S. B. Jones, Mrs. J. McClain, Mrs. D. Evans, Mrs. W. H. Hampton. 19. Reading, Selected. Miss Cora Bell. 20. Duet, "Songs of Praises the Angels Sing." Mrs. R. De Deo, Mrs. W. Marshall. 21. Solo, "Easter Song," Rees. 22. Anthem, (by Choir) "Angels Roll the Rock Away." Herbert. 23. Solo, (base) "O Heart Bowed Down, Arise." Herbert. 24. Duet, "We offer thee Fair Flowers," Herbert. Miss D. Evans, Miss Cora Bell. 25. Easter Offering. Benediction. Prof. J. W. Luca, Musical Director, Mrs. W. H. Stanton, Organist; Mrs. Mand Webber, Leader Soprano. The church will be appropriately decorated with flowers and birds. The Easter exercises by the Sunday School at St. James A. M. E. church, Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, will far excel anything in that part. Every member of the church should encourage the children by giving their presence.

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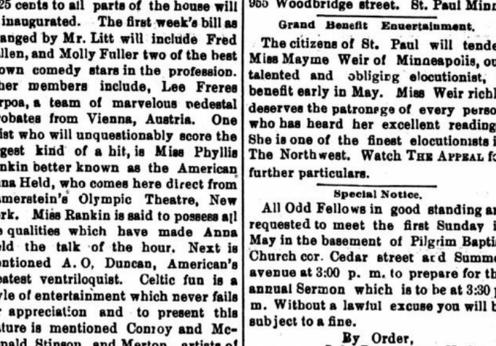
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"A Little Advice." JUST A WORD. Our store policy is based on letting you be your own judge as to the goods you need. Nobody is pestered to buy, and no arbitrary rules govern your choosing when you do buy—it's our great pleasure to help you. NOW TO HELP YOU! First—be thoughtful—good Clothing Judgment, at this season, says "Don't wait to buy until you have to;" if we ever meant it, we do now, for your sake and ours. The number of those special suits at \$10.00 we have sold since April 1st is phenomenal. Trade has taken the bit in its teeth and we can't stop it. Paying express on 400 suits last Monday says so. Four tailors working until 10 p. m. every day says so. Don't wait until Saturday to pick out your Easter Suit. Give the tailors a chance, select to-day or to-morrow. We want them perfect. We want to put the finishing touches to them, the haircloth in the front and shoulders, that make them precisely as the best tailors'. We want to do that, but we cannot at a moment's notice. ADVICE NO. 2—"Don't pay price and a half when one price is enough." These ten dollar suits are better than any \$15 suits we ever saw or sold at the beginning of a new season. Same identical fabrics in neighboring windows marked \$15 bears witness to the fact. So there's no guesswork about these suits. They are \$15 suits. There isn't anything about them that isn't as it ought to be—perfect fitting, perfect trimming, perfect sewing, and the swell fabrics usually put in tailors' \$30 suits—the only thing not up to standard is the price— \$10.00 We've done our part. Don't keep your faith on a strain. Don't be thoughtless, select to-day and have a perfect fitting and elegant suit for Easter, and we'll all be happy. L. G. HOFFMANN & CO., Ryan Block, 7th and Robert Sts. Hoffmann's Corner.

"Cream of Oil."

A genuine hair grower and beautifier. For the hair and scalp it has no equal. It is a purely vegetable compound and is just what you need. It will do just what is claimed for it. Ladies may have their hair shampooed and treated at their homes on short notice and very cheap. This "cream" has been made and used for eight years and it works like magic. Price per bottle 50 cent. Hair treated by the month and cream furnished for \$1.00. Call on or address Mrs. H. A. Kirtley, 955 Woodbridge street, St. Paul, Minn. Grand Benefit Entertainment. The citizens of St. Paul will tender Miss Mayme Weir of Minneapolis, our talented and obliging eleconianist, a benefit early in May. Miss Weir richly deserves the patronage of every person who has heard her excellent readings. She is one of the finest eleconianists in the Northwest. Watch THE APPEAL for further particulars. Special Notice. All Odd Fellows in good standing are requested to meet the first Sunday in May in the basement of Pilgrim Baptist Church cor. Cedar street and Summit avenue at 3:00 p. m. to prepare for the annual Sermon which is to be at 3:30 p. m. Without a lawful excuse you will be subject to a fine. By Order. J. E. DILLINGHAM, N. G. THOS. R. HICKMAN, P. S. 10c DINNER 10c. A Good square Substantial Dinner for ten Cents. The Young Men's Social Club has made a new departure. The managers have been furnishing amusement for the gentlemen who visit the club, they now propose to furnish something more substantial and for a sum within the reach of all. You can't see how they can do this but they do give a fine dinner for ten cents. The culinary department is under the management of well known and capable chefs.

IN LUCK.



Lloyd—I hear Mr. Brown's wife has left his bed and board. B. Boyd—Well, he's fortunate. When my wife went from me she didn't leave anything.

MINNEAPOLIS.

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.

Mr Childs Collins left the city last week for Montana.

Look out for the entertainment to be given by the Mandolin Club.

The Dramatic club is arranging for another entertainment soon after Easter.

The Wayman Literary meets every Tuesday evening in the St. James A. M. E. Church.

The Cosmopolitan Barber shop is a half a block from all the leading boarding houses.

Mr. J. Rimond is now located at Green's Barber shop, 203 Washington Ave., South.

THE APPEAL is for sale every Saturday at Columbia Barber Shop 208 Washington Ave., South.

Mrs. Mamie Allen lost a gold watch last week. A reward of five dollars is offered for return of same.

Mite Missionary Society meet every Sunday and Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Higgins.

The Oriental Mandolin Club meet every Tuesday and Friday evenings at 511 Washington Ave., South.

THE APPEAL is on sale every Saturday at the Palace Tonsorial shop, 200 Washington Ave. So.; Fullman House, 408 1st Ave. So.; Hotel de Temple, 414 2d Ave. So.

Mr. J. W. Green the well known proprietor of one of the popular barber shops has recuperated from his ill health and is now on the road for the summer.

Mr. Edward White is now collecting for THE APPEAL. He is around paying his respects to all who are indebted to the paper. Oblige us by endeavoring to make his call a favorable one.

When in Minneapolis you will find no better place to get board and lodging than Hotel de Temple, No. 414 Second Avenue South. The accommodations are first class in every particular, and at prices which are very reasonable.

Don't fail to visit De Leo's Barber Shop the best equipped and largest in the city, corner of Washington and Second avenues south under Washington Bank. Porcelain bath tub, shower bath. First class work guaranteed.

"The Pullman" 408 First Ave., South is the most elegant furnished boarding house in the city. Under the management of Mrs. Ada Nichols it is now one of the most desirable places in the city to stop. Table board and rooms cannot be excelled.

Try Madam Dooley's great French Pomade, it promotes the growth and is the latest and most valuable preparation for straightening and beautifying the hair. Price 35 cents per jar. Madam Dooley's Hair Dressing Parlors 708 Hennepin Ave. Agents wanted.

Mrs. Phillip F. Hale will resume instructing her pupils on Piano-forte and would like to have her former scholars to take up their studies again at low prices to meet the hard times. Price 35 cents per lesson. Call at residence No. 814 18th avenue South.

Massey and Bowen, two well known young men of the city have opened the Cosmopolitan Tonsorial Parlors at 122 Fourth street South. It is the most central located shop in the city. First class work guaranteed. New and old patrons solicited. Don't fail to give them a call.

An enjoyable entertainment was given by the Stewardesses of St. Peter's A. M. E. church last Monday and Tuesday evenings. The Frederick Douglass Club rendered the program on Monday evening and the Mite Missionary Society assisted by the Eastern Quartette on Tuesday evening.

Keep in mind the Grand Easter entertainment on Monday April 19th. Don't forget the date. Remember that Messrs Anderson, Burch, Tyler and Givens have no superiors as entertainers. "There are others but these are about the warm est." It will be like all the other affairs which these gentlemen have been connected, the best.

A Grand Easter Entertainment is looked for the Monday after Easter at Plummer Post Hall by the Pleasure Seekers. Messrs Burch, Anderson, Shelby, Tyler and Will Givens are the active members. It is destined to be the equal of the famous "Big 4" balls which the public have enjoyed in the past. Everything will be of the best and for the enjoyment of all. See next weeks issue for further particulars.

The Flour City Club has a neatly fitted up club of rooms for those who enjoy club life. They are located on the second floor of 325 Hennepin Avenue With the well known general and experienced J. E. Stewart manager and Wm. M. Smith secretary. This resort no doubt will be the Mecca for all clubmen. These rooms are arranged and fitted with all accommodations for the pleasure of the patrons. A better place can not be found in the city to pass away the leisure hours.

You are cordially invited to attend Easter services at Bethesda tomorrow Read the following program: Morning at 11 o'clock sermon by Rev. Chas. B. Brown afternoon at 3 p m sermon by Rev. Riley of First Baptist church, subject, "Baptism also Baptizing", a short program in the evening at 8 p m. Sermon by Rev. Brown, Choir Mesdames Wheaton, Smith and Lillard; Messrs Thornton and Lillard. Addresses by Messrs Morris and Gould.

Messrs Massey and Bowen Proprietors of the Cosmopolitan Barber Shop 122 Fourth street South, will shortly put in a line of bath tubs which is all that is necessary to complete this beautiful little shop. It is the most centrally located place of business of its kind in the city. These two gentlemen deserve much credit for their selection of this



Chollis—What's the matter, old fellow; forgotten your cigarrette? Chaplin—Aw, damned awkward, old chap! With these howdy widing boots on I can't wot my trousers up at the bottom. Don't be know.