

ST. PAUL

A WEEKS RECORD IN MINNESOTA

The Sainly City and Sainly City Folks—Neway Items of Social, Religious and General Matters Among the People, Held of Down.

Blind Boone, the Wonder, will be at Pilgrim Baptist Church Next Wednesday evening, March 4. Mr. J. Alex Ross of Buffalo, N. Y., is in the city.

Mr. M. C. Dudley of Chicago was in the city this week. Mrs. Elizabeth Baister is progressing nicely at the hospital.

Mr. J. F. Coquire of Grand Forks is in the city visiting friends.

Mr. J. H. Vincent, who has been sick for some time, is improving.

"I haven't paid \$5.00 for a hat since I began wearing the Gordon and I buy the best."

Dr. J. E. Porter has moved his residence from Carroll street to 569 Iglehart street.

Furnished room to rent at 165 E. Seventh street. Apply at room 12, second floor.

April 15th is the date of the swell party to be given at Litt's Hall by the "Social Five."

Sunday services at Pilgrim Church, usual hours. Rev. M. W. Withers of Minneapolis will officiate.

Mrs. Howard Williams, of 728 Wells street, last week presented her husband a brand new baby boy.

The members of the Blind Boone Company are stopping at Mrs. F. D. Parker's, corner Farrington and Fuller.

Lent began Wednesday and those who observe it have 37 more days of penance, before they proceed to make up for lost time.

The Men's Sunday Club will meet at Pilgrim Baptist Church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock p. m. Public cordially invited.

Those wishing hair work of any kind done at reasonable rates should call on Mrs. E. J. Allen, room 12, No. 165 E. 7th street.

The Blind Boone Concert Company will shortly appear in concert at Pilgrim Baptist Church. Look out for further announcement.

The owl car ordinance has been passed by the council and we will shortly have an hourly service after 10 o'clock until 6:00 a. m.

Miss Mary L. Harwell has associated with Miss B. M. Foley, in hair-dressing, manicuring and facial treatments, in the Chamber of Commerce building.

Deposits made on or before March 31 at the State Savings Bank, corner of Fourth and Minnesota streets, will be entitled to four months' interest July 1.

The most popular place for people who take their meals down town is John Godfrey's, No. 562 Wabasha street. Everything neat, clean and well cooked.

Is your hair straight? If not, send 50 cents to Ozonized Ox Marrow Co., 76 Wabasha avenue, Chicago, Ill., for a bottle of Ozonized Ox Marrow and you can easily straighten it.

Gentlemen wishing nice furnished rooms, with all conveniences, by the week or month, at reasonable rates, should apply at the Benton House, 228 West Third street, up stairs.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—Nicely furnished rooms for rent by the day, week or month, at No. 50 West Ninth street, between St. Peter and Exchange streets. Transients accommodated.

A little three and a half year old boy named Creon Wilson died suddenly at 50 West Tenth street last Friday night. Coroner Miller held an inquest Saturday and declared that death was due to pneumonia.

If you wish a good shave, hair cut or shampoo call at Richard Cousby's neat shop, No. 374 1/2 Minnesota street. First-class workmen only. Satisfaction guaranteed. Music for all occasions furnished on short notice.

Della Brown was before Judge Hine Tuesday in the Municipal Court and was held to the grand jury. She was charged with holding up one J. C. Anderson at Eighth and Robert streets one night last week and robbing him of \$17.

For good home cooking go to the Metropolitan restaurant, No. 378 Minnesota street. First-class meals at all hours. Regular meals 20 cents. Meals to order at moderate prices. Mrs. Lou McLaughlin proprietor.

Shoes mended while you wait at Jarvis', 83 East Fourth street. Half soles, 50 and 75 cents. Prices reasonable for all kinds of repairing. Remember if they can be mended, Jarvis can do it on short notice. Jarvis, 83 E. 4th st.

If you continue to spend all you make, you'll be poor all your life. Every one should have a savings account. Accounts opened of \$1 and upward at the State Savings Bank, Germania Life Building, Fourth and Minnesota streets.

The Elks Show at the Metropolitan Opera House next Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights will be the best they ever gave. There will be 125 performers and the specialties on this occasion will surpass anything ever seen in the city.

FOR SALE.—Half interest in the Elk Express Co. may be purchased by the proper person. Parties who may desire to get an interest in a good paying business will call at the office, No. 63 East Sixth street, G. D. Charleston, Prop.

Elk Express, G. D. Charleston, prop., packing and shipping; hauling of all kinds; coal and wood in large or small quantities. When you wish anything in his line give him a call. Telephone, Main 1920—J. I. Office 63 East Sixth street.

Those of our patrons who desire to have matter published must get the same in this office not later than Thursday afternoon, otherwise it may be crowded out. No notice will be taken of any communication that is not signed by the author.

Mrs. William Matthews, of 623 East Minnehaha, will leave tomorrow evening for Chicago for the purpose of visiting her husband and mother, Mrs. Laura Myers. She will be gone about

The Plymouth HATS 1903-Spring Styles-1903



At \$3—Plymouth registered and Standish Hats, new wide brim effects in Soft Hats. Derbies in new and nobby shapes, including copies of the Knox blocks.

At \$2—Pilgrim Hats, both Derby and Soft Hats—all the new popular shapes—the best hats ever offered at this popular price. Wide or medium brims, high or low crowns. You will be more than satisfied with the style and quality of these hats.

7th & Robert Sts.

a month. She will also visit Des Moines before her return.

Dr. John E. Porter, physician and surgeon, office suite 410 Bradley building, Fifth street, opposite court house. Office hours: 10:00 a. m. to 12:00 m., 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. Telephone, Main: 1738-J1. Residence, 569 Iglehart street. Telephone, Dale: 589-J2.

Mr. J. S. Mills, who formerly had a lunch wagon at the corner of Sixth and Jackson, has opened a "Sandwich Room" at 444 Robert street, between Seventh and Eighth, opposite the Golden Rule. When you wish a nice lunch give him a call. Open day and night.

SAFE DEPOSIT AND STORAGE vaults.—We invite your inspection. It costs little to place your papers, cash securities and valuables in absolute safety. Boxes in our vaults can be had for \$4.00 per year. Store your boxes, trunks, etc., with us. St. Paul Trust Co., 138 Endicott Arcade.

The reason why you should buy your coal, wood, flour, feed, hay, etc., from C. W. STAEBLE, Rice and Carroll streets, is because you can get prompt delivery, best goods, full measure. Fuel of all kinds, and sawd and split wood in large or small quantities. Everything at the right price. Both telephones 1446.

Visitors to the city, and residents also, who wish to get first class meals should call at John Godfrey's, No. 562 Wabasha street, between Tenth street and College avenue. Board and rooms by the day, week or month at reasonable rates. Best meals in the city. Regular meals 25 cents. Sunday dinners from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m. a special.

FINED ANYWAY.—Irma Moore was before Judge Hine in the police court Thursday on a charge of taking \$100 from A. B. Snow in a house on Hill street. Snow missed the money and accused the girl, but he found the money in his pockets when he reached the central police station. Miss Moore was fined \$25 and ordered to leave the city.

Among the petitioners that appeared before the board of abatement Saturday was Samuel Rumpke who had a tax of \$12.40 assessed against him. He was asked what was his grievance? He opened a bundle as he said: "I want to ask you whether you think this property is worth \$400 and if any of it looks like a piano." As he spoke he exposed a pair of patent leather pumps, a razor, a shaving mug, a suit of underwear, an old coat and a hat. Rumpke stated to the board that the things which he exhibited and those he wore were all he had to his name, excepting a few pictures in his room. He said that he had never owned a piano. His tax was abated.

The Star theater will next week present to its patrons the acknowledged leaders of the burlesque world, Rice and Barton and their Big Gaiety Spectacular Extravaganza Co., the funniest show on earth. Those who immanus never laughed before and laughter itself will hold its sides and roar. The greatest success ever known, "Brown Among the Daisies" or "Raiding the Tenderloin," majestic in magnificence, mighty in magnitude, matchless in merit. The Gaiety Girls are full satisfaction. The comedians are a budget of fun and the whole is an aggregation of style, beauty, talent, merit, etc. that cannot be equalled. Don't miss it.

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The program consisted largely of Boone's own compositions which he executed with much skill. His imitations on the piano of the fife and drum, banjo, music box, Scottish bagpipe, the country fiddler and the incoming train were much enjoyed by the younger members of the audience. Another enjoyable number was the Marshfield Tornado, a descriptive selection composed by Boone just after the tornado at Marshfield, Mont., where he resided. Mr. Boone was assisted by Miss Emma Smith, soprano, and Miss Marguerite Ward, contralto.

The price of admission to the concert at Pilgrim Church has been reduced to 25 cents so as to give as many as possible an opportunity to hear this great wonder. The church should be crowded.

The National Afro-American Council The Afro-American Council was called into being by the necessities of the people, and its mission is to ameliorate in so far as it can intelligently, wisely and practically do so, the deplorable political and industrial position of a large portion of our brethren, in the South especially, who are living in a shadow of a condition which they did not create and from which they would gladly emerge if encouraged by the Afro-Americans of the North, who enjoy larger civil and political rights than their brethren of the South.

It is the aim and hope of the Afro-American Council, which is neither circumscribed by religious, social or political tests as a condition to the membership therein, to incorporate all existing social, religious, political and benevolent organizations into the body of its membership without interfering with the constitutions, rules or by-laws of said organizations, except in so far as they may be willing to be guided in their future course by the

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Oxygen is Life's Necessity. Without Oxygen man dies, but when the blood is well fed with oxygen man lives in the full enjoyment of health.

Life should be a constant physical revolution. Oxygen is a feeder of living tissues.

Disease and sickness arise from lack of vitality, which is due to lack of oxygen in the blood. OXYDONOR animates and thus reverses this degeneration, opens the way for the whole organism to drink freely of oxygen, through the pores of the skin and membranes, and sets in operation an energizing, arresting, vital force, which speedily overcomes disease.

One OXYDONOR will serve the family. It cures while you rest, and its results are equally efficacious for the infant and grandchild.

The following testimonial, one of many hundreds, testifies as to the efficiency of the Oxydonor:

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 28, 1903. Dr. C. S. Wilson:

I take great pleasure in notifying you that I have given the Oxydonor a thorough test lately, when my wife was sick with La Grippe, Bronchitis, and a touch of Pneumonia. It was a severe attack, accompanied by high fever, and I must confess that I had some doubts about the outcome. But to my surprise the Oxydonor worked like magic; I had to use it in ice for 35 hours, but it conquered the disease. Applying the Oxydonor two more nights perfected the cure.

Yours very gratefully, JOSEPH SIEP, 925 E. 6th St.

Anyone wishing to investigate further in regard to the Oxydonor, should call on or communicate with Dr. C. S. Wilson, 611 N. Y. Life Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.

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Soldiers' Addresses Wanted. Henry N. Copp, attorney-at-law, Washington, D. C., wants the addresses of below named Afro-American soldiers, who served in the Civil War; if dead, their heirs. Information will be paid for.

John W. Dent, 3rd Cavalry; Jerry Smith, 3rd Artillery; Daniel Banks, Albert Bates, Peter Broddy, Paton Gies, Anderson Hoffman, George Nally, George Nickols, William Robbins, Joseph Roney, Rowan Samuels, and Willis Stone, 6th Cavalry; George Bibb, Charles Cantwell, Jesse Darnell, Louis Darbey, John Gault, Frank McFarland, John Price, Dennis Roberts, and Washington Smith; 13th Artillery; Charles Browne, George W. Harmon and Simon Smith, 11th Infantry; Huston Balless, William Brodwell, Henry Clay, and Elias Smith, 27th Infantry; Edward Washington, and John C. Louis, 28th Infantry; William A. Bates, George Cooper, Henry Crouch, Henry Harrison, Patrick Henry, and George Sizemore, 43rd Infantry; Granville Elliott, Matthew Felts, David Hunt, Albert Jackson, William King, Peter Tandy, and William Wain, 5th Infantry; Roger Edwards, 10th Infantry; Moses Able, Moses Ballard, Harrison Butler, Robert Burdette, John A. Cecil, Simon Cook, David Wilmot, Moses Etherton, Squire Garrison, Henry Hamilton, John W. Hopkins, Jerry Morris, Grandison Smith, Beverly Taylor and George Washington, 123rd Infantry; Timothy Filan and Patrick McCormick, 135th Infantry.

Ministers of the gospel and secretaries of lodges, and others interested, may help worthy families by giving public announcement of the above list and posting it in conspicuous places.

"Yon Yonson." At Grand Opera House, St. Paul.

"Yon Yonson," which will be seen at the Grand Opera House next week, is a play which is one of the most familiar and one of the best liked of all comedy dramas. "Yon Yonson" is now in its eleventh year of uninterrupted success. The play possesses in itself, a very strong dramatic interest, as it is filled with situations which are both humorous and sentimental. The character of Yon Yonson itself represents in a faithful manner a quiet simple minded inoffensive Swede, who in his

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