

# WYMA

## A Lesson in Grocery Economy.

Here are a few of the prices we are naming on a standard, first quality goods. Everything in the store at the same money-saving prices.

- Evaporated Japanese, great 5c
- Plums Fancy Evaporated, 7c
- Peaches Good California, 3 1/2c
- Prunes Fancy, 5-lb. 60c
- Preserved Pears 15c
- Hominy 10c
- Lamp Chimneys No. 2 Aurora, 4c
- Best Sauer Kraut 10c

## Eggs Eggs

Special lot of extra fine eggs.

- Tomatoes Extra standard, regular 7c
- Our Potatoes are the best. Full 20c
- "Healthful" 20c
- "Healthful Flour" 30c
- Graham Flour 25c
- Corn 70c
- The "Queen" Blend 15c
- "Robal" Blend 22c
- "Hoffman House" 30c

## Tea! Tea!

- Minarda 60c
- Alerino 60c
- Oolong 35c

## Butter

Sweet dairy butter, in jars, 16c, 18c, 20c lb.

## EWING IS WELL KNOWN

His Christian Science Lecture Promises to Be Well Attended. Judge William G. Ewing of Chicago will deliver a free lecture on Christian Science at the Lyceum theater Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

## IRON AND WIRE FENCES, BANK AND OFFICE RAILINGS, Window Guards, IRON STAIRS, etc.

Write us your wants and we will send Catalog. FLOUR CITY ORNAMENTAL IRON WORKS, Dept. Z, 107 3rd Street S., Minneapolis, Minn.

The Oldest Manufacturers of MOTOR VEHICLES in the Northwest. \$750 to \$2500. SEND FOR CATALOGUE. Republic Motor Vehicle Co., Nicollet Island Power Bldg., Minneapolis.

## VEG-E-TON

Our New Anesthetic for Preventing Pain. While we make a specialty of Crown and Bridge Work, we also give particular attention to the restoration of decayed and sunken teeth by our artistic construction and arrangement of artificial teeth.

## EYES

Examined Free. BEST Artificial Eyes. OPTICIAN, 409 Nicollet

# THE CITY

## TOWN TALK

Sweet peas, 10c, 8c, 5c ounce, fifty varieties. Miss White, 818 Nicollet.

Money on hand to loan at lowest rates. Title Insurance and Trust company.

The Minneapolis branch of the Railway Postal Clerks' Association will hold its annual meeting on the evening of April 17 in this city.

W. F. Fox, general superintendent of the long distance service of the Northwestern Telephone system, is recovering from his recent light stroke of paralysis.

Subscribe for all magazines, papers, etc., and get your binding done at the Century News Store, 3 Third street S., near Hennepin avenue.

The faculty of the college of homeopathic medicine and surgery will have an informal dinner at the Guaranty building restaurant in honor of the 146th anniversary of Bahme's birthday, April 10, at 8 o'clock p. m.

James Clark walked off the railroad bridge at Second street and the city street and fell a distance of twenty feet to the tracks below. He sustained many minor bruises.

A dog, suffering from hydrophobia, created great excitement in the vicinity of Fourth and Sixth streets yesterday. The animal was killed by Patrolman King before any one had been bitten.

The eighteenth annual ball of Company B, first infantry, N. G. S. M., has been postponed until Tuesday evening, April 23. The short notice given for inspection made it impossible to have the ball on the original date.

At the meeting of the Lowry Hill Association, held at Commercial Club last evening, the following officers were elected: H. B. Walle, president; Fred G. James, vice president; W. H. Chase, secretary; John L. Tracy, treasurer; and a committee, H. V. Jones, J. M. Moir and Dr. W. A. Hall.

The announcement that the Northwestern building now occupied by the Appleton Manufacturing company does not imply that the purchasers will take possession at once. The Appleton people have a lease which has about a year to run.

The seventeenth annual meeting of the Portland Venue Improvement Association was held last evening. George W. Wakefield, treasurer, reported \$24,722 expended last year. The election of officers and committees resulted as follows: Thomas Downs, president; George W. Wakefield, secretary and treasurer; directors, William B. Tuttle, T. A. Johnson, S. H. Tomlinson, vice president; S. M. Yale, E. R. Shepard, Dr. W. E. Leonard, A. M. D.

## THE WEATHER

Minnesota and Wisconsin—Fair to-night and Wednesday; brisk north to northeast winds. Iowa—Fair to-night; followed by showery weather Wednesday; west wind; brisk easterly winds. North Dakota—Threatening with rain to-night and possibly in south portion Wednesday; easterly winds. South Dakota—Threatening to-night and Wednesday; with showers, brisk easterly winds. Montana—Fair to-night and Wednesday; variable winds.

## Weather Conditions.

In a narrow strip extending from Texas northward into North Dakota there is cloudy and rainy weather this morning; elsewhere the weather is generally clear. The temperature changes during the past twenty-four hours have been slight in all parts of the country. The pressure is high in the central valley region, the highest barometer readings being in the vicinity of Lake Winnipeg. The low pressure area noticed in Texas yesterday is evidently losing its energy.

## Minimum Temperatures.

Upper Mississippi Valley	32
Minneapolis	32
Davenport	36
La Crosse	40
St. Louis	40
Lake Region	22
Buffalo	22
Port Arthur	22
Detroit	36
Sault Ste. Marie	30
Marquette	36
Scranaba	32
Milwaukee	32
Chicago	32
Duluth	32
Houghton	24
Northwest Territory	34
Winnipeg	32
Qu'Appelle	34
Missouri Valley	44
Omaha	44
Kansas City	44
Huron	40
Moorehead	44
Bismarck	40
Williamston	42
Ohio Valley	46
Knoxville	42
Pittsburg	36
Cincinnati	36
Atlantic	40
New York	40
Washington	42
Charleston	50
Jacksonville	54
Gulf States	54
Montgomery	48
New Orleans	58
Shreveport	58
Galveston	56
Rocky Mountain Slope	22
Hayden	22
Helen	22
Helena	22
Modena	20
North Platte	22
Denver	34
Jodge City	42
Okla. City	42
El Paso	40
Abilene	40
Santa Fe	42
Pacific Coast	30
Spokane	30
Portland	34
Winnemucca	14
San Francisco	34
Los Angeles	44

## FEARS ANOTHER KIDNAPPING.

Frank M. Arne is taking steps to ward off another attempt to kidnap his son Raymond, who has been the subject of much litigation between mother and father. The lad is now at Shattuck military school.

## NICKEL PLATE

307 NICOLLET AVE.

## Ladies' Special

\$2.00 Boots

6 new styles, with kid or patent tips, handsome new shapes, fine vici kid uppers, made especially long wearing and neat looking. You'll pay \$2.50 anywhere else for as good. These are extra for

## 49 POUNDS BEST MINNESOTA PATENT FLOUR FOR 87c

We make this price for a few days, as we desire to get everyone interested and to try our flour. There is no better flour in the market for \$1.15, that you will pay 15 cents per pound elsewhere. If you are needing anything in the grocery line, come and see us. Our low prices, we will sell them 15 pounds you good corn at 6 cents per can. Call and see us; it will pay you. Anything at all in the grocery line that you may need, we can do you good on.

T. W. ROBERTS' SUPPLY HOUSE, 717 Nicollet St., Minneapolis

# A TEMPTING OFFER

## Retail Grocers' National Executive Committee Considering

A PURE FOOD EDUCATION PLAN. Pres't P. G. Hanson and Fred Lorenz of Minneapolis Are in Attendance.

P. G. Hanson, president of the National Retail Grocers' association, after his recent meeting with President Perky of the National Food company in Niagara Falls, called a meeting of the executive committee of the association for April 8 at the same place. Mr. Perky summed up President Hanson's visit to confer with him in regard to the obtaining of funds to promote the work of the associations. He raised his contribution of \$1,000 to \$5,000, and at the same time made a proposition to Mr. Hanson which seemed worthy of immediate action by the executive committee. It was this:

Mr. Perky proposes to educate fifty men free of charge at his new school, to be established at Niagara Falls, after the plan has been adopted by the associations. He proposed that when the course is completed, these men will be sent about the country to communicate their knowledge of pure foods to the grocers, and in this way it is expected that the people will be reached and that the use of natural or pure foods will be spread.

Mr. Perky, who is a "crank" on the subject, thinks that he can reach the public in this manner more effectively than through the medium of the national pure food congress at Washington.

Mr. Perky a few years ago was a lawyer in Denver who was compelled to study the matter of diet on account of the impairment of his own health. He evolved a food which has come into public favor so generally during the last few years.

Mr. Perky especially decries the use of white flour, which he says is called for to aid in the building up of teeth and bones.

The following telegram from New York gives a report of the executive meeting:

The Niagara Meeting. New York, April 9.—A special meeting of the executive committee of the National Association of Retail Grocers of the United States has just been held in Niagara Falls, says a special to the Tribune from Buffalo. Matters of national importance, because of their bearing on the food of the United States, were discussed, but the conclusions and decisions reached will be kept secret for several days.

The meeting was held on the invitation of Henry D. Perky, president of the National Food company, and those present were: P. G. Hanson, Minneapolis, president; William Gray, Brooklyn, vice-president; E. G. Ashery, Toledo, secretary; Charles Pfeiffer, St. Louis, secretary; Charles Pfeiffer, St. Louis, national organizer; J. E. Williams, South Bend, Ind.; A. G. Barker, Providence, R. I.; W. G. Donnellan, Denver; John Sokel, Chicago; Charles R. Lott, Chicago; W. H. Cook, Springfield, Ohio; J. W. Nash, Quincy, Mass.; F. N. Barnes, Weston, W. Va.; Fred Lorenz, Minneapolis; George A. Sherer, Perth, Ill.; Albert Kaiser, Philadelphia; L. W. Callahan, New York; W. E. Sullivan, St. Joseph; H. J. Rice, Huron, S. D.; W. A. Yates, Kansas City; C. M. Griffin, West Superior, Wis.; B. F. Kraabel, Hope, N. D.; E. D. Donohue, St. Paul; Charles G. Lam, Buffalo; J. G. Pomeroy, Cleveland; R. H. Heustler, Buffalo; Edward Marks, Detroit; Mayor M. B. Butler, Chicago; Charles H. Greene and B. L. Herrick, Niagara Falls; and A. M. Deegan, Clyde, N. Y.

Secretary Charles Pfeiffer, in his report to the meeting, stating that it related to the upbuilding and growth of the organization. Mr. Perky spoke. A committee was appointed to consider a resolution made by the members of the line, and report later on it. This committee includes Messrs. Hansen, Scherer, Callahan, Ashley, Pfeiffer, Kaiser and Lam.

A dinner was given by Mr. Perky and the party started for Worcester in the afternoon in a special car. They will arrive in Worcester this morning and will inspect a school for domestic science, founded by Mr. Perky. Then they will go to Boston, leaving there Wednesday evening.

## FALSE EVIDENCE

Causes Innocent Man to Spend Six Years in Prison.

The state board of pardons spent a weary afternoon yesterday, listening to applications for pardon. One of the cases was granted out of forty-three cases heard. This was in the case of A. C. Richardson, sent up from Pipestone county, Dec. 28, 1895, for an alleged assault on a young girl. He was sentenced for nine years and three months, but is now out on parole. The trial judge and prosecuting attorney believe that the evidence against Richardson was manufactured and that the arrangements for his pardon were made by the board of pardons. In twenty cases pardons were denied, eight were taken under advisement, ten continued, and three sentences commuted. The latter cases were John Pinger, sent to the reform school from Ramsey county in 1899 for assault in the first degree; George Casady, sent from Hennepin county in 1899 for grand larceny; and Thomas Shepard, sent from Hennepin county for seven years and a half for grand larceny.

## TIMID CAPITAL

It Prefers "Bonds" to Certificates of Indebtedness.

"Certificates of indebtedness" do not have as tempting a sound as "bonds," and apparently are not as saleable nor do they command as high a premium. This has been discovered in relation to the bill passed by the legislature authorizing Minneapolis to raise \$186,000 for completing a portion of the new city hall. The means were to be provided for by the sale of bonds, but the introduction of the bill by the legislature in relation to the securities and Governor Van Sant has been prevailed upon to request the senate to permit the introduction of a bill changing the name of certificates of indebtedness to "bonds." It is estimated that the city will gain about \$3,000 in premium by this change.

## MINNESOTA LETTER CARRIERS

They Are Agitating the Plan of Organizing.

Minnesota letter carriers are agitating the organization of a state association. Matters of interest come up every month which could be better handled by a state association than by a local one. The national convention will meet in September at Chattanooga and the mail carriers of Minnesota men wish to be able to take part in the deliberations. A general meeting will be called in Minneapolis on September 10. The plan is to have the Minnesota carriers wish to secure the 1902 convention and is backed by Duluth and St. Paul carriers.

## THE PRICE TOO LOW

Mme. Carreno Threatened to Cancel St. Paul Engagement.

Mme. Carreno, who is advertised to play in the people's church, St. Paul, at 50 cents per seat, started the St. Paul managers yesterday by wiring from Mankato, where she played at \$1.50 and \$2 per seat, that she "simply would not play" at such a ridiculously low price as that announced to the St. Paul public. Things looked dark but Mme. Carreno, "to spare her manager's trouble," subsequently consented to play and the piano recital scheduled for tomorrow evening will be given.

## No Need to Hurry to Catch Eastern Minnesota Railway Night Trains for Duluth and Superior.

The Eastern Minnesota Railway, being the shortest line Minneapolis to Duluth and Superior, their morning train does not leave Minneapolis until 9:20 a. m. This is the fastest train connecting Minneapolis and the Head of the Lakes, and the only morning train equipped with Buffet Parlor Observation Cars.

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## SPECTACLES

Worth \$8.00 for \$5.00. Finest on earth. No cheap job glasses to injure your sight. All eyes examined by my special method. Ostrom, The Specialist, 329 Nicollet Av., Upstairs, Room 5.

# AN IMPOSSIBLE TRUST

## LOCAL DEPARTMENT STORE MEN

They Say That a Department Store Trust is an Impossibility.

The story in the telegraph dispatches of the floating of a department store trust is not credited in the city. One of the large store managers said this morning that if John Claflin wanted to form such a trust he would not have to seek the aid of Pierpont Morgan to float it. Said he: "Morgan could float anything, I believe, even a government. I think this story was gotten up by the east to fill space. You would be surprised if you knew what a large business Claflin already controls in the United States. He would have to seek the aid of no one in the east to float such a trust. The store man said that anyone who got up a department store trust for selling purposes would cut his own throat. The purpose of department stores is to sell cheap, but as far as selling prices are concerned it is impossible. Some of the stores, he said, are in buying syndicates, such as the Scotch Syndicate Trading company in Chicago, and that obtaining jobbers' prices when purchasing goods. It is impossible, however, to establish a department store trust to dictate prices because it is not feasible to get all the goods made, and consequently the matter of competition by outsiders cannot be controlled.

Another manager said that if there is anything in the story he believed that it was a matter local to New York and Brooklyn. He had heard nothing of the proposed combination except through the papers. He had noticed that only a few of the Claflin stores were mentioned, just those in Greater New York with the exception of the Bauend store of Baltimore, while as a matter of fact he had an interest in stores of nearly all the large cities.

## M. R. DUPUY IS A BAD ONE

CONFESES TO THEFT AND ARSON

He is Finally Routed Up in Columbus, O.—Wants to Be Tried Here.

A dispatch from Columbus, Ohio, tells of the arrest in that city of "D. M. Dupuy," who is charged with the real name of M. R. Dupuy of Minneapolis, and that he is wanted here for embezzlement and arson. He says that he was employed by Fletcher Brothers of the City Elevator company, and that he embezzled \$300 from them and escaped. He was later returned, stole some \$100 worth of goods and fired the building.

It appears that Fletcher Brothers have long thought that Dupuy was the man that had caused them so much trouble. Last night H. E. Fletcher was informed of the arrest and confession by the Columbus authorities. County Attorney Nease has the matter in charge and will bring it before the grand jury, now in session. Dupuy says that he prefers prosecution in Minnesota, but there is some doubt whether the Ohio authorities will turn him over to this state.

After the fire he says he was aided by his parents in escaping. They were respectable and wealthy and urged him to flee as he did not disgrace them. From Minneapolis he came to Dayton, Ohio, and thence to Dayton, where he had a Pinkerton badge made and forged the name of the Pinkerton agency to a certificate that he was a member of the Pinkerton force. He came to Columbus, where, according to the report, he had been tending to cheat stenographers by pretending to demand a fee from applicants for work.

Dupuy's story is confirmed locally. The fire occurred at 311 Third avenue N., on the night of Dec. 14, 1899, and the total loss was \$15,000. It was plain that the fire was of incendiary origin, and that Dupuy had been in the building at the time. It is the opinion that Dupuy was the cause of the fire as well as their money loss. Dupuy had done time at the St. Cloud reformatory. It is believed that he set fire to the building in a rage at not finding any money in the safe.

## A FREE CAMP

To Be Furnished Visiting Guardsmen at Buffalo Expo.

Charles J. Wolf, major in charge of the bureau at Buffalo, has written the Northwestern Guardsman of this city that the exposition company will maintain a young men's camp at Buffalo, N. Y., to accommodate 200 men. No charge will be made for its use, but occupants must furnish their own blankets and subsistence. Satisfactory rates can be secured from restaurants in the grounds. The camp will be used for cooking. As a return for these courtesies it is expected that the military companies will give free exhibitions in the grounds. The guardsmen of the Northwestern Guardsmen are to be invited to the camp. Bands in uniform will be admitted free. Organizations using the camp will pay one general admission fee. The use of the camp will be limited to six days for one organization. A large camp will also be established outside of the grounds.

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# HEAVY LAND SALES

## Northern Minnesota Lands Are in Great Demand.

AN ADVANCE OF 100 PER CENT. Prices Are Going Up Rapidly—Good Demand in North and South Dakota.

With a satisfactory crop land men are certain that this will be the biggest year for land sales in the history of the north-west. Last year produced a very creditable record, but under ordinary crop conditions 1901 will increase it materially. The sales made during the spring months are far in advance of those made during the same season of any previous year.

For the past eight weeks there has been a big movement from Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska to the northern part of this state. The lands of the Red River valley, Wadena, Morrison, Becker, Cass, Crow, Aitkin and Itaska counties have been selling fast. Aitkin county has been in especially good demand. Several large sales have been made to syndicates that intend to promote immigration from the south within the next year.

Northern Lands in Demand. L. B. Arnold, who has charge of the Rock Island lands in northern Minnesota, disposed of 20,000 acres in small lots last year. At least 95 per cent of these were sold to actual settlers. These people have been coming to Minnesota this spring to begin work on their new farms. Mr. Arnold believes that under favorable conditions there will be a big increase in the sale of lands in the northern part of the state and especially to the man who intends to farm them himself. In addition to that prices have greatly increased on these lands, many of which were being passed by an undesirable two years ago. Instead of \$2 per acre the purchaser has been forced to pay \$5 and \$6, and in some cases \$8 per acre.

W. D. Washburn, Jr., operates largely in northern Minnesota. His sales this spring have cleaned up his list in Wadena and Morrison counties. In the last sixty days his sales to settlers alone have amounted to 10,000 acres. He has that faith in the future activity of the land market that he lately added 12,000 acres to his holdings in Cass and Crow Wing counties, which he purchased from B. Nelson of the Nelson-Frost company.

## REPAIRS

I can repair a broken plate and make it as good as new. Old teeth can be made over at a small cost. Many fillings need patching. DR. LENOX, Sympatico Arcade.

## "Good Bread, Good Butter, Good Coffee."

THE GRILL 308-310 First Av. S.

## NEW RAMSEY JAIL SITE.

The Ramsey county board of county commissioners are of the unanimous opinion that the city should procure a new jail site, and they will proceed at once to try to arrange for an abandonment of the present plans to build on the city hall site.

## THE WASHBURN ROAD.

Senator Washburn has closed a contract with Frank Jackson of Hastings, Minn., to grade the road from the city to the railroad extension from Wilton to Washburn in North Dakota. The road will be ready for the transportation of the crop this fall. This has served to increase the demand for farms in the western part of the road and, incidentally, all through the western part of the state. Senator Washburn sells to actual settlers only. During the past sixty days he has disposed of 10,000 acres to the people who are going into western North Dakota to make it their home. He looks for a big demand this fall.

The Northern Pacific lands west of the Missouri river are on the market. The company evidently intends to make a clean up of its land interests in North Dakota. Its holdings are now almost entirely west of the Missouri river, and it is expected that the next year will see a large amount of this land purchased by ranchmen if it is not all taken in one chunk. The rancher in the western part of the Dakotas has been forced for the first time to secure his grazing lands by purchase. In years past he has used vacant government or state lands for this purpose, but the greatly increased demand for land has made that a thing of the past. The homestead law "kicks" into every other section of the settler has blocked the rancher in securing a single tract of several sections at a time when the land can be purchased cheaply. The Bad Lands in Eastern Montana and Western Dakota are good for stock raising only and it is considered that they will be in demand for that purpose before many more years.

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