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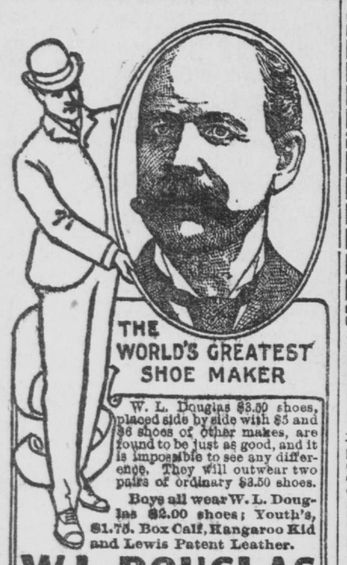

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Subscription Lists Rapidly Filling Up—Subscribers Select Their Seats Next Monday.

The brilliant course of lectures known as the New Century lectures begins in Plymouth church auditorium, Friday evening, Dec. 13. Madame Sarah Grand opens the course with a dissertation on "Mere Man."

It must be remembered that the Seton-Thompson lectures were only preliminary. Because those lectures have already been given some persons have gained the impression that course seats have already been sold and that many of the best seats have been taken. As a matter of fact, no reservations have yet been made. The board is clean and will be until Monday, Dec. 9. Subscriptions are rapidly coming in at the Metropolitan Music store. Subscribers will have the first choice of seats. This choice will be made on the day above mentioned. All persons desiring to have the privilege of selecting seats on that day should either send in their subscriptions at once by mail or register them at the Metropolitan Music store. All that is necessary is to notify the management how many course tickets are desired and at what price. No money is to be paid until the seats are selected next Monday.

A strong characteristic of the New Century lectures is their happy variety. First, there is Madame Sarah Grand, with a lecture on a topic of advanced, and, perhaps, overdone civilization, "Mere Man," by a woman who is a typical product of that civilization. The New York Times found when she appeared in that city on this, her first, tour of America, that she was not the new woman type some people may have expected. She was dressed in a princess gown, her hair was coiled prettily and becomingly on top of her head after the English fashion, and "she made one discredit her assertion that some English women cut their hair and array themselves in unbecoming garments so as to detract as much as possible from their personal charms. Every word was enunciated clearly and distinctly in a charmingly modulated voice." From this it appears that Americans are confirming the reputation as a lecturer already earned in England by the author of "The Heavenly Twins," "Ideala," "The Tenor and the Boy," "Our Manifold Nature," "Beth Book," and "Babs the Impossible."

Next this varied course offers Burton Holmes, the unsurpassed travel lecturer, in two of his artistically and richly illustrated lectures on two of the most interesting subjects of the day, "The Trans-Siberian Railway" and "The City of Peking."

Then it comes back from the Orient and gives us a lecture on "The Actor and the Stage," by one of the greatest living actresses, now retired on account of poor health, Miss Clara Morris. Miss Morris can act. Everybody knows that; she can write. Many people know that. And she can deliver a charming and successful lecture—as many people in Minneapolis soon will know.

From American Miss Morris the course skips across to France, so to speak, and adds Max O'Rell to its list, and so he comes to deliver his lecture on "Peculiar People I Have Met." Everybody has read Max O'Rell, but to read Max O'Rell is not to hear him. The first is good, the latter is better.

Returning to America and dropping the witty O'Rell for the eloquent Henry Watterson the course offers a thoroughly American lecture in Mr. Watterson's "Uncle Sam Afloat," illustrated by the career of John Paul Jones, the founder of the American navy.

Then comes another change, when the name of Dr. Henry Van Dyke, professor of English literature in Princeton University, is reached. This distinguished scholar, pleasing writer and man of letters will discuss "Moral Law in Art."

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SUCCESSFUL AMERICANS

A Minneapolis Group to Appear in the January Magazine.

D. Edward O'Briend, the president, and the representatives of the "Successful American," have just concluded their work of collecting for publication in the January issue of that magazine sketches of a number of Minneapolis representative men. The "Successful American" is published by a number of New York newspaper men and is the only biographical magazine in the world. It is now in its third year of success and has demonstrated its extreme worth and usefulness. As a work of reference it is invaluable and finds a place in every newspaper office in the country where its contents are made great use of. As an educational work as well as one of reference it is prized by the libraries of the United States to which it is sent gratuitously. The scope of the "Successful American" is national and as those represented in its pages are only men of the truly representative class it has a real value far ahead of the majority of biographical works.

THE MYSTERY OF GRASLOV
—Begins Saturday.

SORES AND ULCERS.

Sores and Ulcers never become chronic unless the blood is in poor condition—is sluggish, weak and unable to throw off the poisons that accumulate in it. The system must be relieved of the unhealthy matter through the sore, and great danger to life would follow should it heal before the blood has been made pure and healthy and all impurities eliminated from the system. S.S.S. begins the cure by first cleansing and invigorating the blood, building up the general health and removing from the system all morbid, effete matter. **A CONSTANT DRAIN UPON THE SYSTEM.** When this has been accomplished the discharge gradually ceases, and the sore or ulcer heals. It is the tendency of these old indolent sores to grow worse and worse, and eventually to destroy the bones. Local applications, while soothing and to some extent alleviate pain, cannot reach the seat of the trouble. S. S. S. does, and no matter how apparently hopeless your condition, even though your constitution has broken down, it will bring relief when nothing else can. It supplies the rich, pure blood necessary to heal the sore and nourish the debilitated, diseased body.

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SSS is the only purely vegetable blood purifier known—contains no poisonous minerals to ruin the digestion and add to, rather than relieve your sufferings. If your flesh does not heal readily when scratched, bruised or cut, your blood is in bad condition, and any ordinary sore is apt to become chronic.

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Only an Advertisement

Every word is store news well worth reading. Many women miss rare bargains because they won't listen or refuse to believe. TRUE, there are exaggerations in some advertisements now-a-days, but all stores must not be listed in one catalogue—there are many exceptions. Investigate these for Thursday.

Fine Furs

Astrakhan Jackets, very fine curl, our own make **$35**

Near Seal Jackets, best quality, Skinner's satin lining **$37.50**

Krimmer Jackets, extra good value, worth to $60.00 ..... **$45**

Needle Work and Art Department.

Best Feather Pillows.

29c quality, 16x16, each 19c
35c quality, 18x18, each 29c
49c quality, 20x20, each 40c
65c quality, 22x22, each 53c
75c quality, 24x24, each 65c
89c quality, 26x26, each 75c

Pillow Tops, Large assortment, Floral and Holly designs. Special **25c**

Notions

Large assortment of combs, worth to 25c, on sale Thursday at **10c**

Dress Binding—Plain velvet and corduroy, all shades, special, a yard **3c**

Why pay 25c for paper patterns when you can buy just as good styles at **10c**

Women's Underwear

19c For women's Egyptian cotton Union suits and vests and pants, always sold for 25c and 29c.

39c For women's heavy, fleece lined vests and pants, silk trimmed, always sold for 50c and 65c.

79c For regular $1.25 qualities, women's all wool, natural gray, vests and pants, silk trimmed.

$1.39 For heavy, ribbed, wool, combination suits, Oneita style, silk trimmed, the kind you have been paying $2.00 for.

Muslins

36 in. heavy Unbleached Muslin, regular 6c quality, on sale Thursday, a yard **4½c**

45 in. Pillow Case Muslin; full bleached, soft finish, 16c quality for, a yard **11c**

Millinery Second Floor

Great Reduction Sale Millinery for Thursday.

Hats worth $5.00, on sale at $2.50
Hats worth $8.00, on sale at $4.75

Dress Goods and Silks

For Thursday Special Selling, the Dress Goods and Silk section. Your choice of Black Velvet, every day $1.00 quality—24-in. rich, lustrous, all silk Crepe de Chine, leading shades, regular $1.00 value—50-in. all wool, $1.35 quality, Camel Hair Zebelines, black only—$1.25 Venetians and Broadcloths, leading shades, all in one big bargain lot for Thursday only, a yard **78c**

Laces

New, dainty Laces for handkerchief trimmings, including French Valenciennes and Mechlins. Special for Thursday, a yard ..... 25c, 19c, 15c and **8c**

Choice assortment of very latest effects in heavy Laces, such as Venetians, Escurials, Serpentine Galloons, Point de Anglai, Point de Venice, etc. For Thursday, a yard ..... 39c and **25c**

Candy Dept.

Delightful confections and fancy chocolates, nut tops, 25c qualities, Thursday, per pound **19c**

Blankets

Finest all-wool, gray, white and scarlet, Blankets; regular $6.50 qualities. On sale Thursday, each .. **4.98**

Gloves

Latest importations, women's fine French Kid Gloves, 3-clasp and Paris point stitching, black, white, brown, mode and gray, every pair fitted and warranted, special for Thusday, pair **$1.25**

Women's and children's all-wool golf and Scotch Gloves, a pair **25c**

Women's fleece-lined Mocha Mittens, worth $1, special Thursday, pair **69c**

Handkerchiefs

Women's pure linen initial and hemstitched embroidered handkerchiefs, values up to 23c—on sale Thursday **15c**

Women's all linen, plain hemstitched handkerchiefs, on sale at **10c**

Big assortment of men's all linen initial handkerchiefs—Special for Thursday. each **25c**

Shoes

Women's felt Nullifiers, fur trimmed, choice assortment of colors, values up to $1.75. On special sale for Thursday, a pair, $1.29 and **98c**

300 pairs children's shoes, sizes 5 to 8, good, serviceable shoes, regular 75c kind. On sale at, a pair **49c**

Corset Dept. Second Floor

"Warner's Surprise," "H. & W" and Loretta Corsets; black, white, pink, and blue; straight front, perfect models, usually sold at 79c; on special sale, Thursday, each **49c**

Furniture Dept.

Rockers—Oak or Mahogany, polished finish, rodded arm, cobbler seat; regular $3.50, special **$1.98**

Stand—Oak or Mahogany, top 14x14, round or square; regular $1.00, special **49c**

Druggist Sundries

Assortment Talcum Powders, including Mennen's, a box **12c**

AN ANTI-SPITTING LAW

MINNE HAS ONE AFTER ALL

No Attempt Has Ever Been Made to Enforce It—What It Provides.

Health Commissioner Hall has made a discovery in the matter of the spitting nuisance. He finds upon investigation that there really is an ordinance in Minneapolis bearing upon the subject. The ordinance was passed in the closing days of the 1898 city council and has occupied an obscure corner in the council proceedings since then. There are very few who are even aware of its existence, and no move was ever made to enforce it. The ordinance makes it a misdemeanor to spit or throw tobacco quids or cigar stubs on the sidewalks or in the hallways of public buildings and prescribes a fine of $5 for its violation.

The fact that there is such an ordinance in no way changes Health Commissioner Hall's opinion that it is impracticable to enforce regulations along this line at present.

TAX LIST BOOKS

Where Ramsey County Beats Hennepin Badly, on Economy.

Hennepin county pays $12.82 a book for 78 tax list books.

Ramsey county pays $8.78 a book for 33 tax list books.

The Hennepin books and the Ramsey books are substantially the same, being made up according to forms approved by the state auditor, except that the Ramsey books average twenty pages more per book than the Hennepin books.

These facts, however, did not appear in the trial Monday of the "tax list book" case before Judge Pond, which case was tried without a jury and resulted in a verdict for the Great Western Printing company, whose bill for $1,000 for 78 books had been challenged.

The comparison made above as to the greater economy in the purchase of printing supplies in Ramsey county could not be brought into the case before the court but the public is entitled to them. The evidence in this trial was largely in the nature of expert testimony and the weight of evidence seemed to be on the side of the plaintiff printing company, leaving the court no alternative but to approve the bill. Great difficulty is encountered, as may readily be understood, in inducing experts to testify on the side of the county in such cases, but although the taxpayers' appeal was unsuccessful in this instance the publicity given to the facts may result in some advantage to the taxpayers in the future. There will be more tax books to buy and with the facts set out above the county commissioners will have a chance to secure such supplies at lower rates than have been paid heretofore.

COURSES FOR DEGREES

The Medical Faculty Will Suggest Some Changes.

One of the propositions which the board of regents will consider at their meeting next week is that of the faculties of the colleges of medicine asking that the degrees of bachelor of science and doctor of medicine be conferred upon candidates completing six years' work in arts, science and medicine. Heretofore seven years' work has been required. The work required for the degree of B. S., as now proposed, is two years academic and two years medicine. Upon the completion of the course in medicine, the degree of doctor of medicine is to be conferred.

A sacred concert, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. will be given by the University band in chapel Sunday, Dec. 8. The band will be assisted by Miss Harriet Wales, soloist, and B. A. Rose, violin soloist.

FELL IN WITH A STRANGER

A Lake Amelia Dairyman Loses His Money and Coat.

John Bandholz, a dairyman living near Lake Amelia, facing a revolver in the hands of a thug near Foster's pavilion, Minnehaha park, last night, handed $25 in cash and a coon skin coat valued at $20 to the stranger, who escaped. Bandholz left the Minnehaha car at the end of the line and started to walk home. The stranger met him and they walked along together. In a secluded spot near the pavilion the highwayman thrust a revolver in the dairyman's face and relieved him of his money and coat. Bandholz followed the fellow back to the car and found him there quietly waiting for it to start. He did not care to tackle him alone, being unarmed, and hurried off to the residence of a park policeman. When he returned the robber had fled. The police were notified.

A man's wife should always be the same, especially to her husband, but if she is weak and nervous, and uses Carter's Iron Pills, she cannot be, for they make her feel like a different person, so they all say, and their husbands say so, too.

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RAILROAD RUMBLES

LIVE STOCK SHIPPERS

They Complain of Rates and Facilities to Twin Cities.

Members of Minnesota's railroad and warehouse commission are in Chicago conferring with the traffic managers of railroads in southern Minnesota. Complaints from shippers say shippers cannot ship live stock to South St. Paul, as rates and facilities are much better for shipping to Sioux City and Chicago. The purpose of the conference is to secure an adjustment of live stock rates, so as not to work against Minnesota packing interests.

Milwaukee Lines Next.

Special to The Journal.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Dec. 4.—The members of the state board of railroad commissioners will depart on the 16th inst. for their annual inspection of the lines of the Milwaukee road. The work of inspecting North-Western lines was completed a few days ago. The people of several towns on the Great Northern between South Shore and Huron have filed petitions with the commission, asking for better passenger service. The commission will within a few days fix dates for the hearings in the various cases.

New Worthington-S. City Train.

Special to The Journal.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 4.—Two weeks ago, ex-County Surveyor Frank E. Wade, of O'Brien county, had to wait at Alton for the Omaha passenger train leaving Sioux City at 11:05 p. m. He immediately began circulating a petition at Sheldon for a new train, and afterwards asked the help of the Sioux City Commercial Club. Hundreds of names were secured here. As a result, it is announced that a new train will be run from Worthington, Minn., to Sioux City, in the morning and back at night, beginning Dec. 9.

Ore Shipments in 1901.

Total shipments of iron ore over the Duluth, Missabe & Northern for the year 1901 were 3,437,955 tons. Last year they were 3,388,985 tons, a difference in favor of last year of 451,000 tons.

The Duluth & Iron Range railroad has not made up its figures for the year, but the total shipments will be in the neighborhood of 5,020,000 tons. Last year's shipments were, approximately, 4,007,000 tons.

The Eastern Minnesota figures are also not yet made up, but the total will be, approximately 2,300,000 tons, as compared with 1,530,000 tons a year ago.

Railroad Notes.

The North-Western line announced yesterday that two new trains would immediately be placed in service between Worthington and Sioux City.

The lake and rail season was brought to a close yesterday when the last boat carrying packet freights left the head of the lakes for Buffalo. Lake insurance will expire on Thursday at noon. Everything has been cleaned up by the railroads doing business at the head of the lakes, and they end a splendid season's business.

Two hundred Scandinavian-Americans will leave Minneapolis to-night for the old country. This is the annual holiday movement toward the Scandinavian peninsula. The party will travel by special train over the Wisconsin Central and the Wabash. They will arrive in Boston and board a Cunard steamship Friday night. Most of the excursionists will be gone from two to four months. The party is in charge of A. E. Johnson, of this city. One-half of the number comes from Minneapolis and the remainder from other points in the northwest.

A burn, scratch, cut or trifling sore, neglected, may result in blood poisoning. Satin-Skin Cream magically heals, makes healthy satin-skin. 25c.

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