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Pail Syrup Best Honey Drips, each.....48c
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Marrowfat Peas A good one, doz. 95c; can 8c
Corn Packed in Minnesota, doz., 72c; can.....6c
Strawberry Preserves Pure fruit and cane sugar—full pint bottles—each.....20c
Apricots Bright California evaporated, lb.....10c
Bishop Jellies Pure fruit jellies—assorted flavors, one dozen cans in box; box.....$1.10
California Navel Oranges Packed in half boxes; extra fancy fruit. Box.....$2.00
New Asparagus Large bunch.....10c
Strawberries Fresh fancy Southern Berries: pint boxes 10c Quart boxes..20c
Fancy Firm Apples bu. box $1.65
Young Onions Bunch.....2c

Cranberries, quart	8c
Summer Squash, each	5c
Carrots, per peck	10c
Red Onions, peck	35c
Rutabagas, peck	10c
California Lemons, doz	10c
Cocoanuts, each	3c

Water cress, spinach, parsley, new carrots, mint, oyster plant, leaf lettuce, head lettuce, cucumbers, new peas, new potatoes, pie plant, new turnips, radishes, fresh tomatoes, wax beans, crisp celery.

Cal. Prunes, extra large, lb	8c
Evaporated Peaches, bright, lb	9c
New Persian Dates, lb	5c
Evaporated Apples, lb	10c
Yellow Corn Meal, 10-lb bag	15c
Baked Beans, 3-lb can	9c
Pure Buckwheat, 10 lbs	25c
Pure Kettle Rendered Lard, lb	11c
Matches, one dozen boxes	9c
Pancake Flour, full 2-lb pkg., each	8c
Pears, pt. jars	12½c
Pears, qt. jars	20c
Pears, ½-gal jars	30c

Bakery Department.

Fresh Doughnuts, doz	7c
Newly Made Bread, loaf	3c
Just Baked Almond Slices, doz	7c
Delicious Whipped Cream Puffs, doz.	25c

Toothsome Dainties.

Assorted Taffy, made in our window, lb	10c
Turkish Nougat, with nut meats, lb.	20c
Butercups, al nut centers, lb	18c
Salted peanuts, lb	12c

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Hoffman House Coffee just from our blue flame gas roaster unmatchably fragrant, a 45c value at, per lb.....30c
Robal Blend A delightful rich flavor that is a true 35c value, lb.....22c
Teas Of our own direct importing, a hundred and fifty different kinds are here. Prices begin at, per lb.....35c

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Fresh dressed ducks. 1902 Spring Lamb.	
Fresh dressed chickens	15c
Choice shoulder steak	11c
Choice round steak	12½@14c
Choice hamburger	8c
Choice rib roast rolled	12½c
Choice pot roast	9-10c
Choice chuck roast	8-9c
Choice small leg of lamb	15c
Choice pork chops	12c
Choice pork loins and roast	11c
Choice pork shoulders	10c
Armour's No. 1 hams	12½c
Armour's Helmet Bacon	12½c
California hams	9c

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THE CITY

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"Healing and Indwelling" will be the subject for the noonday Bible reading by J. R. McLaren, at 309 Nicollet avenue, on Saturday.

Wanted—Lady's saddle horse for about six weeks. Will pay good price and guarantee very best of care and use. Address 1674, Journal.

Alfred Johnson was given $15 or fifteen days in the municipal court this morning for assault and battery. The complainant was Joe Finney, who met defeat on Washington avenue.

The Flake Jubilee singers, four gentlemen and five ladies of color, will sing at Plymouth church Sunday evening. Their sweet and mellow voices are said to be the perfection of melodious harmony.

Alderman Pete McCoy of the ninth ward, was in the municipal court this morning, with his 15-year-old son, John, who was charged with boarding a moving train. The boy was fined $2 or two days.

Hubert Bown & Co. are closing out at auction and private sale valuable stock manufacturers sample pieces of furniture of all kinds. Bric-a-brac, rugs, antiques, etc. Sales daily at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

The case against W. H. Vallone and Chew Sam, charged with disorderly conduct, was continued this morning until April 16 at 9 o'clock. Vallone is the picket for the cooks' union who was set upon by the Chinaman for the alleged pulling of a customer away from the latter's restaurant on Hennepin avenue.

The increase in membership of Clan Gordon, the local branch of the Order of Scottish Clans, has made it necessary to secure larger quarters than Richmond hall, at Eighth and Nicollet, where the organization has been meeting. The clan has rented the Rawlin's Post hall in the Masonic Temple.

"Mike" Kennedy, the genial and popular member of the central station detail of police, Wednesday completed his nineteenth year on the department. For several years Kennedy walked the Milwaukee depot beat, later the Fifth street district, and for several years he was detailed at the union depot. He is now stationed with the central patrol wagon.

John A. Gunderson of Winona, secretary of the Northwestern Photographers' association, has written Secretary Wallace G. Nye of the Commercial Club, telling him that Sept. 2-5 have been selected as the dates for holding the annual convention. The club will provide a place of meeting, and it is thought the convention will bring 300 visitors to Minneapolis.

A farewell reception by the members of St. Charles church to Rev. Father Arctander, who leaves for a tour of the world, will be given Monday evening in the assembly-rooms of the church. Father Arctander will visit his aged mother in Norway and intends to return the middle of August. He will then join a missionary band for special work in Minnesota. All friends of Father Arctander are invited to attend the reception.

The Central Prohibition club will join with the Riverside I. O. G. T. next Monday evening in Simonson's hall, Washington avenue S and Cedar, and will give the following program: J. W. Lansing, famous prohibition songs; Miss Lizzie Cole, address of welcome to the club; W. G. Calderwood, response; Rev. A. A. Graves, address, "The Paramount Issue in American Politics"; F. E. Faulkingham, a cornet solo. Refreshments will be served.

THE WEATHER

Minnesota and Iowa—Generally fair to-night and Saturday; colder to-night; brisk westerly winds. Upper Michigan—Partly cloudy with showers this afternoon and probably to-night; Saturday, fair; colder to-night and in extreme east portion Saturday; brisk and high west to northwest winds. Wisconsin—Fair to-night and Saturday; slightly colder in west portion to-night; fresh and probably brisk westerly winds. North Dakota—Fair to-night and probably Saturday; slightly cooler in east portion to-night; warmer in west portion Saturday; variable winds. South Dakota—Generally fair to-night and Saturday; warmer Saturday; variable winds. Montana—Generally fair to-night; partly cloudy Saturday; slowly rising temperature; variable winds, mostly easterly.

For Minneapolis and vicinity: Fair to-night and Saturday; colder to-night.

Weather Conditions.

There is an area of decidedly low pressure north of Lake Superior, which probably moved across the country from New Mexico since yesterday morning, with increasing energy; this is being followed by a high pressure area which now extends from north of Montana to Oklahoma. Rain has fallen during the past twenty-four hours from central western Minnesota to the Lake Superior region, in the Ohio valley and lower lake region and in Kansas, Oklahoma and northwestern Texas, and rain was still falling this morning at Abilene, Duluth, Houghton and Cincinnati. It is warmer than it was yesterday in the Atlantic and Pacific coast states; elsewhere there has been little change in temperature.

—T. S. Outram,
Section Director.

Minimum Temperatures.

Minimum temperature for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. to-day:

Minneapolis	36	Davenport	34
St. Louis	48	Detroit	40
Milwaukee	42	Chicago	42
Duluth	24	Winnipeg	34
Kansas City	40	Omaha	36
Huron	30	Moorhead	34
Bismarck	28	Pierre	32
Memphis	56	Pittsburg	42
Cincinnati	42	Boston	38
New York	42	Washington	42
Charleston	52	New Orleans	60
Galveston	66	Helena	26
Miles City	24	Denver	32
Oklahoma	42	Santa Fe	40
Spokane	28	Portland	34
San Francisco	48	Los Angeles	48

"POETS OF THE CHILDREN"

Dr. Burton's Lecture Closing Stanley Hall Courses.

To-night the last lecture of the Stanley Hall Lyceum courses will be given at Stanley hall by Dr. Richard Burton. His lecture, "The Poets of the Children," illusted by readings from Longfellow, Whittier, Stevenson, Dickinson, Patmore, Riley and others, is a favorite of the lecturer and one that has been received with favor wherever given. Judging from the audiences at preceding lecture-recitals of this course, the attractiveness of the subject chosen, and the fact that Minneapolis admirers of Dr. Burton will probably not have an opportunity of hearing him again for a year at least this opportunity will be taken by many.

At Professor Woodbridge's closing lecture last Friday night, Miss Evers made announcement of her lecture plans for next year. The chief course embraces a set of twelve lectures upon social and economic themes to be given by men from the leading universities of our country. Announcement of this course will be made more in detail by Miss Evers to-night, and in the Stanley Hall catalogue and the daily papers in due season. The course following, as it does, courses by Professor Zueblin, Dr. George E. Vincent and Dr. John Graham Brooks, and given by men who have studied the subject from different view-points—one of them a man who left his professor's chair to live the life of a workingman, with workingmen for a season—cannot fail to be of great interest to thinking people here.

FOUND A BABY ON HIS PORCH.

On the porch of the home of Gustav F. March, 1207 Fauquier street, St. Paul, yesterday morning, was found a bundle containing a large, well-cared-for baby boy, probably about four days old. The child was wrapped in a neat white blanket and was welldressed, but there were no marks of identification. The babe was quietly nursing a bottle. He was cared for yesterday at the March home and last night was taken to the city hospital.

INJURED BY A SWINGING GATE.

Earl W. Goodrich, aged 22, employed by Field, Crosby & Co., live stock commission merchants in South St. Paul was knocked down and seriously injured by a gate which blew against him. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where his condition is pronounced critical. His home is at Durand, Wis., where his father is a stockman.

CAKE WALK TO-NIGHT, THE DEWEY.

A CENSUS OF GERMS

Dr. Corbett Looks For Bacteria in the Postoffice.

FINDS 7,000 TO THE CUBIC YARD

Tests Will Also Be Made in Schools and Other Public Buildings.

In every cubic yard of air breathed by employes of the main working-room of the Minneapolis postoffice, there are approximately 7,000 bacteria of various sorts. A large proportion of these are so-called pathogenic germs, those that may be injurious to the human system under certain circumstances. Dr. J. F. Corbett, city bacteriologist, made the count and will vouch for its correctness.

This is the first of a series of investigations of the air conditions in various of the large buildings, public and private, in Minneapolis, inaugurated by the health department. It is quite a new thing in the United States, and has never before been attempted in Minneapolis. In some of the European cities, elaborate investigations have been made along this line, with the result of a distinct improvement in the conditions surrounding working men where gathered in considerable numbers and in the hospitals and other public buildings.

Dr. Corbett began with the postoffice from the fact that it is a place where many men are employed, and also because complaints have frequently been made by employes of a woeful lack of ventilation in the building.

In getting at the figures as to the number of bacteria floating in a cubic yard of atmosphere, the health department savant had first to catch his bacteria, then to develop them in an incubator and, finally, with the aid of the microscope, count them. The first process was made easy through the use of an ingenious combination of water bottles connected by tubes. As the water passed out of the bottle the air came in and was there securely held awaiting the next process. The air was taken from the main working-room on the first floor while the operation of sorting mail, etc., was in progress and the conditions generally as near the normal as possible.

It was about three weeks ago that Dr. Corbett obtained the air and he has since been occupied in developing the germs and making his calculations. He finished his task this morning.

So far as he has gone in the work it has but little practical value from the lack of comparative statistics on the subject. Eventually other investigations will be made, to include the courthouse, city hall, public library, city hospital, the schools, and probably some of the big office buildings and other places where men are congregated.

In the opinion of Dr. Corbett air containing 7,000 germs of all sorts to the cubic yard is not an ideal atmosphere for workingmen. It should be materially better, but so far as he knows at present, the conditions in other buildings in Minneapolis in this regard may be no better and possibly are a good deal worse. The only comparative statistics at hand come from Paris, where the health department has made pretty thorough investigations of the germ conditions in the hospitals, schools, etc. The air of one of the Paris parks was found to contain but 71 bacteria to the cubic meter, approximately the same as a cubic ward. One of the public laboratories showed 550, and two of the large public hospitals, neither thoroughly modern, 6,300 and 11,000, respectively. In schoolrooms devoid of ventilation, the number of bacteria varied from 1,500 to 3,000,000 per cubic meter.

GREW OUT OF MALICE

CASE AGAINST SANFORD SMALL

Mr. Small's Statement of His Recent Arrest and Trial in Chicago.

Sanford Small of Minneapolis, whose arrest on a charge of grand larceny and subsequent acquittal in Chicago were recently reported, returned to Minneapolis this morning. Mr. Small declares that he was the victim of malicious prosecution and a deliberate attempt at blackmail. The charge was trumped up, as the outcome of another case which has kept Mr. Small in Chicago since October. The purpose of the prosecution was so apparent that the grand larceny case was promptly thrown out of court.

Mr. Small was specifically charged with the theft of bonds and mortgages, valued at $16,000, from John S. Anderson of Chicago. Said Mr. Small:

The fact of the matter is that I borrowed $5,000 through Anderson, and gave him the bonds and mortgages as collateral security. I gave my promissory note for thirty days, and in twenty-five days called on Anderson and, meeting my obligation, took up my note. At the same time Anderson made an assignment of the notes and mortgages to me in writing. After this he had the nerve, at the instigation of certain men of influence, to charge me with the theft of my own property. Of course the case had no standing in court. Its only aim was to prejudice the court against me and have the judgment already rendered set aside in my case against R. G. Peters, a prominent Michgan lumberman.

I had brought suit against Peters to recover $150,000 on an unfulfilled contract. Anderson acted as an agent for Peters and the same mortgages and securities figured in both cases. I secured judgment for $37,000 and interest for three years, which brought the total up to $39,700. They figured that my arrest would persuade me not to force payment on the judgment, but they missed their guess entirely. My position was highly commended by every court in Chicago before which I appeared and the other parties to the case were condemned on very point. The lands in dispute are located in Alabama.

GAVE HER THE HOUSE

The B., C. R. & N. Road Helps a Poor Widow.

The Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern Railway company, in acquiring property for its Minneapolis terminals, purchased lots 7 and 8, block 104, from the board of the Home for Children and Aged Women. On this property was a fair-sized house rented by a poor, industrious widow with a family to support. Mrs. H. G. Harrison, an officer of this board, who was very much interested in the welfare of this poor woman, addressed a letter to the company requesting that this house be given to the present occupant, setting forth in appropriate terms the honest poverty of the widow. Mrs. Harrison received a prompt reply from Special Agent Brown that the widow could have the house and move it at any time and if the house was not moved before the lot was needed for railway purposes, ample notice would be given for its removal.

WILNOTTEN'S ROMANCE

He Hastens to England to Squelch a Rival.

In response to a message of love sent him from Stroud, England, Samuel J. Wilnotten, who has been employed for several years in the St. Paul foundry, sailed this morning from Montreal for Liverpool. Wilnotten came to Minnesota to make a home for an English girl to whom he had been engaged. However, his wages were small and he staid on year after year apparently no nearer the culmination of his desire than when he had set out from home. Recently he received a letter from his sweetheart saying: "I am engaged. I cannot promise but perhaps if you were here the old feeling would come back to me."

This message determined Wilnotten to leave for home immediately. He bought his ticket, steerage, and sailed this morning, with barely enough money to carry him to his destination. His appropriation for expenses between St. Paul and Montreal, in addition to transportation charges was just $1, while he intends to get along on the steamer with $2 more.

CAN LOAD FLOUR TO LIMIT

Minneapolis Millers Demonstrate That Export Flour Is Entitled to Better Rates.

Minneapolis millers have demonstrated to the satisfaction of railway traffic managers that flour for export can be loaded to the full capacity of the cars as well as wheat. This effectually disposes of a contention long made by traffic men, in opposing the request of the millers for as low a rate on export flour as is given on wheat for export. Traffic men have firmly believed and maintained that the net revenue derived by the roads from a carload of export flour was not so great as that from a carload of export wheat, and for that reason flour was not entitled to the same rate. In this reasoning the point has been made that wheat for export could be loaded to the full capacity of the car and flour for export could not; that the bulky nature of a package of flour was responsible for the necessity of charging a higher rate, as it could not be packed in a car in quantities large enough to entitle it to a concession as compared with wheat.

The millers gained a big point in their campaign of education among the traffic men when they established the fact that flour for export should be placed in a class by itself. Export flour is packed in strong jute bags, which will pack close when loaded in a car. Flour for domestic consumption goes principally in barrels, which cannot be loaded to the capacity of the car. The traffic men in this particular have charged flour for export with the troubles in loading connected with domestic flour. In considering the relative rate between wheat for export and flour for export domestic flour, with its space consuming package, should have no place in the discussion.

The car shown in the cut has a marked capacity of 80,000 pounds. It was loaded at the mills of the Washburn-Crosby company as any other car of flour for export. There were 101,640 pounds in the car when it was first billed out. This equals 518 barrels, or the output of an entire day for some of the best country mills, and nearly two days' work for the average country mill. This not only equals the marked capacity of the car, but goes it over 25 per cent better. The railway company was forced to order the car back to the mill for a trimming down to the marked capacity, fearing that the trucks could not carry the weight.

In spite of the contention of the traffic managers, it is learned that the mills generally have been loading cars for export, whenever necessary, to the full capacity. Within a comparatively short period one of the local mills sent out 185 cars all loaded to the marked capacity, or above it. The millers are ready to meet all of the objections of the traffic men in this particular if an inducement is made by placing the rate of flour for export on a parity with wheat for export. They can load to the full capacity of the car and furnish the big shipments when desired.

BACK FROM HILLS

Commander-in-Chief Torrance Talks of Recent Trip.

HILLS COUNTRY UNDERVALUED

Minneapolis People, He Says, Do Not Appreciate Its Importance.

Commander-in-Chief Eli Torrance of the Grand Army of the Republic returned this morning from a trip to Hot Springs, S. D., where he went to look over the site for a new branch of the National Soldiers' Home which it is proposed to establish there. Judge Torrance is enthusiastic over the Black Hills region, and says Minnesotans do not appreciate its importance. Said he:

They have a great country out there, a country that is bound to develop wonderfully. Minneapolis ought to have a direct line of railroad to the Black Hills. The possibilities for trade are great and yet in order to get to my destination I had to go by way of Omaha. That, of course, means that the twin cities can hope to do no business with people in the hills unless a shorter route is built.

The Hot Springs, of course, are a summer resort; and yet the weather was most pleasant while I was there. For some reason or other the storms which occasionally do much damage in other parts of the state always pass the Springs by. I had a private car, and in fact the trip was one of the pleasantest I ever had in my life.

The temperature of the springs themselves ranges from 90 to 100 degrees. The state soldiers home is located there, and I met every man in it. The location could not be improved upon. When I think of the wonderful resources of the country and realize that Minneapolis has no way of reaching there without going around Robin Hood's barn I feel that the matter is one that demands immediate attention.

Minister Wu Matter.

Speaking of the letter addressed to Minister Wu, in his absence, the commander said:

To say that I was surprised to learn of the action taken by the Trades and Labor Council, with regard to the contemplated visit of Minister Wu to this city, would be to put it very mildly indeed.

The invitation extended him by John A. Rawlins post had no political significance, nor would Minister Wu's presence in this city have any possible influence on bearing upon local or national questions involving our relations with the Chinese people. The official relation which he sustains at the present time as the representative of the oldest and most populous government on earth, entitles him to the respect of all classes of our citizens, and I regret that one of our labor organizations of Minneapolis has felt called upon to offend him.

When Senator Nelson and I called upon Minister Wu at Washington some time ago and intimated that an invitation would shortly be extended to him to visit Minneapolis, he said that his official duties at Washington were of such a character as to make it difficult to fix a date while congress was in session, but that he would be greatly pleased to visit the northwest and verify what he had heard concerning its growth and meet the sturdy and enterprising people who had accomplished such wonders in so short a time.

Whether he will come or not I am unable to say, but if he does not we will miss a rare treat, for he is a very interesting and eloquent man. I am sure his presence in our city would not help his countrymen a particle as against our own people.

Will Visit West Point.

Commander Torrance has decided to accept the invitation to be present at the centennial celebration of the United States Military academy at West Point, to be held June 11. An elaborate program has been arranged for the celebration. Both President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Root will deliver addresses. The president will be received on his arrival at the Point, with all military honors and will personally review the cadets. He will then attend a reception to be given in his honor, following which he will lunch with the officers and visiting dignataries in mess hall. In the evening a banquet will be held, and the graduating exercises proper will take place on the morning of June 12. Mrs. Torrance and Miss Torrance will accompany the commander.

Custom Made Suits at $10.

It's a fact that we will sell to-day and Saturday the tailors' $18 and $20 spring suits at $10. The Misfit Clothing House Parlors, 241 Nicollet Avenue.

RAILROAD RUBMLES

RAILWAY TO NOME

Rival Alaskan Companies Said to Have Pooled the Project.

Special to The Journal.

Tacoma, Wash., April 11.—Announcement is made by George S. Canfield of Minneapolis and Nome that rival companies organized to build separate lines of railroad across Seward peninsula from Illamnia bay or Cook inlet are taking steps to pool their interests and capital with the object of pushing work on one railroad line this summer from both ends.

Canfield was organizer of the Alaska & Siberia company, which spent some money in surveying between the Pukon river and Kaltag last year and the previous summer. He says that when he left New York several days ago the work of combining the various companies interested was well under way. He believes the consolidated companes will build 500 miles of railroad from Illamnia bay to Kaltag, and thence across Yukon and Tundra to Nome.

LUMBERMEN ALERT

Meeting in Chicago May Change the Freight Rates.

Minneapolis lumbermen are interested in the action of the northern freight committee representing the Minneapolis-Chicago lines, in Chicago to-day. The question of withdrawing the eight-cent rate on Minneapolis lumber shipments to Chicago is being discussed. The report has been circulated that the rate would be restored to the old tariff, 13 cents, on April 14. This is based on the belief that to-day's meeting will result in a compromise between the roads.

Railroads Cited to Appear.

In keeping with the resolution adopted Wednesday, the state railway commission has cited the twenty-five railway lines doing business in the state to appear at the hearing on passenger rates, April 22. The commission will investigate the reasonableness of the present rates and the justice in a reduction from 3 cents to 2½ cents per mile.

Dinner for Joseph L. Blake.

Joseph L. Blake, the new assistant general freight agent of the Minneapolis & St. Louis, was the guest at a dinner at the Commercial Club last night. It was given by his friends among the traffic men. The hosts were George T. Huey, L. C. Raines, R. P. McCune, John A. Parker, M. E. Trumer, George Sawyer, F. A. Hawley, H. A. Kimball, C. A. Clawson, H. M. Weston, Thomas Miles, D. M. Dennison, C. P. Eastman, C. E. Mumford, W. C. Marshall and John F. Schurch.

W. D. Wheeler, Div. Eng.

W. D. Wheeler, of the Minneapolis & St. Louis, formerly assistant engineer, with headquarters at Minneapolis, has been appointed division engineer, his new duties to commence at once.

Preparing for Work.

Special to The Journal.

Menominee, Mich., April 11.—The Wisconsin & Michigan Railway company will soon commence the work of extending its line north of Faithorn Junction. Albert Bell is now getting the boarding train ready for use on the extension, where over 200 men will be employed this summer. The intention is to complete the line to Norway by next fall, including the laying of the rails, bridges, etc. A big bridge will be built over the Sturgeon river. In the spring of 1903 the Wisconsin & Michigan will be in shape to haul ore from the Menominee range mines to Peshtigo harbor, where it will be transferred to car ferries.

TO BURN A MORTGAGE

First Swedish Baptists Will Have a Fire To-night.

At the First Swedish Baptist church this evening a mortgage will be burned. In the fall the last of the church debt was cleared off and this evening the ceremony of reducing to ashes the burden as represented by the cancelled instrument will take place. A musical and social program has been provided.

When the time comes for applying the torch, the chairman of the board of trustees, J. A. Nelson, will come to the platform bearing the paper on a salver. The members of the board will hold the mortgage while the pastor, Rev. Olof Bodien, who has been mainly instrumental in raising the debt, will fire it. The oldest deacon in the church, P. Olson Earl, the undertaker, will be asked to take care of the ashes.

From the First Swedish Baptist church have gone out three new churches as the needs of the different sections of the city required them. They are the Norwegian-Danish Baptist, the Elim Swedish or Second Baptist, and Bethel Baptist at Twenty-fifth street and Twenty-ninth avenue S. The members of these churches have been invited to attend the services to-night.

CAKE WALK TO-NIGHT, THE DEWEY.

Your Credit is Good at the New England.

For Saturday Only. *Bicycle Dept. 5th st. & 1st av. S.*

LAST SATURDAY WE ADVERTISED 50 "CRAWFORD" REGULAR $35 BICYCLES AT $19.75. We sold every one of them. We expected to have fifty more to offer on Saturday of this week, but we have received only 25, and the factory advises us they will not have another one to ship. The railroad promises delivery of these wheels by 8 o'clock Saturday morning. We make the announcement of the sale, therefore, with the possible contingency that the wheels may not arrive in time, but we have every reason to believe they will be here.

THIS IS THE 1901 MODEL STANDARD "CRAWFORD" WHEEL, fitted with "M. & W." tires, enameled in either black or maroon, and is regularly $35. The price will be again for Saturday $19.75
Cash or $5 down and $1 per week.

TO HELP OUT THE SITUATION AND AVOID DISAPPOINTING ANY ONE, WE WILL ALSO SELL ON SATURDAY 25 1902 MODEL "CRESCENT" OR "DAY" WHEELS, up-to-date in every particular, two styles, $25 and $35—on the same terms of $5 down and $1 per week.

ALSO ON SATURDAY, ELECTRO GAS LAMPS; regularly $2.50 .....$1.48
BEST FOOT PUMPS, regularly 50 cents; Saturday.....30c
HAND PUMPS, regularly 15 cents; Saturday 8c
"HARTFORD" REPAIR KITS; regularly 15 cents; Saturday 8c
"THIEMS" FLEXIBLE TOE CLIPS; regularly 35c; Saturday 23c
DRESS GUARD LACING; regularly 15 cents; Saturday 8c

U. S. DROP FORGED WRENCHES, regularly 15c; Saturday 9c
GRAPHITE, regularly 5c; Saturday, 3c
BOTTLE OIL, regularly, 5c; Saturday 3c
ELECTRIC TOUCH BELLS, regularly 65 cents; Saturday 39c
DITTO; regularly 50 cents; Saturday 31c
ELECTRIC STROKE BELLS; regularly 40 cents; Saturday 25c
SINGLE STROKE BELLS, regularly 25 cents; Saturday 13c
"COLUMBIA" TIRES, regularly $1.25; Saturday $1.10
"TIP TOP" TIRES; regularly $1.75; Saturday $1.19

Saturday's China Dept. Specials

200 ASSORTED CUSPIDORS, five shapes and decorations, generous in size; regularly 15c; Saturday 10c

JAPANESE NAPKINS.

50,000 LARGE SIZE DECORATED JAPANESE NAPKINS; regularly 15c; Saturday, per hundred 10c

CREPE PAPER.

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COURT NEWS

A GENEROUS RECEIVER

Leaves $1,500 of His Fees in the Estate.

John L. Smith has filed his final report as receiver for the Hennepin County Catholic Building and Loan association. The remarkable feature about the report is the statement that he has presented the estate $1,500 allowed him by the court as part of his fees. He was allowed $9,600 by the court for services since 1896 and took $4,800 in real estate $3,300 in cash, leaving the remainder in the estate. The creditors who had refused to take real estate in settlement of their claims received about 10 per cent in dividends. There is now $1.45 left in the receiver's hands.

A $1,300 BOARD BILL

Hennepin County's Claim Against Other Counties for Jail Boarders.

Since re-entering the county's employ, John P. Blichfeldt, formerly bookkeeper in the sheriff's office, has been checking over the books kept by Mr. Megaarden and has discovered that Hennepin county has coming to it over $1,300 for the board of outside prisoners, which Mr. Megaarden was unable to collect. The items are as follows: Mille Lacs county, $520.88; Wright county, $195.89; Pope county, $90.47; Beltrami county, $29.96; Sherburne county, $15.26; Anoka county, $10.92.

In addition to this the city of Minneapolis owes the county $534.11. All these items have been contracted since January, 1899.

The information supplied by Mr. Blichfeldt is very valuable to the county as there is no reason to suppose that these amounts will not be collected. The county commissioners are inclined to commend Mr. Blichfeldt for his work which he was able to do from having access to the books and being familiar with them.

Suing to Recover on Hay.

Special to The Journal.

Henry J. Gjertsen returned last evening from Bemidji, Minn., where he has been engaged for the past ten days in the trial of the case of Krist Larson against the Clearwater Logging company. Several farmers located on the tract of land known as "big meadows" in Beltrami county have brought suit against the logging company to recover the value of the hay crop said to have been destroyed last year in the log drive. The jury failed to agree in the test case, and the fifteen cases were all continued to the September term. Mr. Gjertsen says that the fight will be renewed.

Work of Divorce Court.

In the divorce court yesterday Judge Elliott was busy separating mismated couples. Decrees for divorce were granted in the following suits: May S. Hubbard against Charles E. Hubbard; Gustave Radtke against Anna Radtke; Lena Olmschaid against John Olmschaid; Virginia Hulbert against Sheridan D. Hulbert; Emma L. Post against Orange D. Post; Rose Carey against Charles C. Carey.

Asks Partition of Property.

As a sequel to the Gilson divorce case, tried at the last term of court, Alice K. Gilson now brings suit against Rufus K. Gilson for a partition of the real estate. She demands that she be declared the owner of the homestead on Portland avenue, with $1,000 damages for being ejected by her husband, and she also asks for the appointment of a referee to partition other real estate worth about $36,000.

NO CLUE TO ROBBERS

$900 Stolen From a Store at Spaulding, Mich.

Special to The Journal.

Menominee, Mich., April 11.—Robbers broke into the store of Nick Peterson at Spaulding last night, blew open the safe and secured $900. No clue has yet been found.

PRESIDENT BACK IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, April 11.—President Roosevelt arrived here at 7:30 this morning.

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