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8c doz for sweet corn.

8c each for egg plant.

3c each for oyster plant.

30c peck for crabapples.

30c basket for Elberta peaches.

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5c quart for navy beans.

20c lb for good creamery butter.

12c lb for full cream cheese.

15c for 10-lb sack yellow corn meal.

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## Bakery.

Bread 16-ounce loaf, sweet and wholesome... 4c

Jelly Rolls Each... 7c

Fancy Potato Chips pound (8c)

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Sirloin steak... 12 1/2 @ 15c

Best round steak... 10c

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Pork chops... 10c

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## THE Milwaukee Road.

ALMOST twenty years ago the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway began lighting its trains by electricity, and to-day it has the most perfectly lighted trains in the world. Three trains daily from the Twin Cities have complete electric plants furnishing electric light, electric fans for sleeping cars, dining cars and parlor cars.

The Day Express gives a ride of 150 miles along the bank of the Father of Waters, and crossing the river at La Crosse the train traverses the State of Wisconsin for 200 miles, through the beautiful Summer Resorts—Sparta, Kilbourn, Oconomowoc, Nashotah, Hartland, Pewaukee, and Milwaukee, reaching Chicago at 9:25 P. M.

The Night Express leaves the Twin Cities in the early evening, arriving in Chicago at 7:00 A. M. in time for all eastbound trains. The Pioneer Limited, famous the world over as the finest train on earth, leaves the Twin Cities later in the evening, arriving in Chicago at 9:30 A. M. There is no train in the world with equipment equaling that of the Pioneer Limited.

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# THE CITY

## TOWN TALK

This Title Insurance and Trust Company pays 2 per cent on deposits subject to check. 10,000 fine Boston Ferns, cut flowers, raffia for basketwork, at Mendota hall, 57 5th st. S. Every teamster can have a pair of ty blankets for 75 cents a pair by calling at Journal subscription counter.

Members of Hennepin Council, Knights of Columbus, are requested to attend the funeral of James Finnegan at 9 a. m. to-morrow at Immaculate Conception church.

The Rathskeller Cafe—if you take your luncheon down town at noon, you might just as well go to a good place. Our table d'hôte dinner will please you; only 50c per plate. Lally's 312 First avenue S. second floor.

Joseph Black and John Maroney were arraigned in police court this morning charged with the larceny of a hat valued at \$3 from John Toller. They were found guilty and sentenced to sixty days in the workhouse.

Alex Stacey of Larimore, N. D., has written to the police asking them to aid in locating his brother, John W. Stacey, who formerly clerked in a retail store in this city. He says that the distribution of a large sum of money depends on the finding of the man.

The board of education yesterday instructed the building committee to purchase six lots near the Lyndale school at a cost of \$1,200, to improve the site and to build the property. A motion recommending the erection of an eight-room building in North Minneapolis, on Madison property, was tabled because there was not a full attendance. Several sets of textbooks were ordered.

## THE WEATHER

### The Predictions.

Minnesota—Possibly showers this afternoon; generally fair to-night and Thursday; variable winds. For Upper Michigan—Partly cloudy to-night and Thursday, variable winds, heavy rain on Friday. Generally fair to-night and Thursday except possibly local thunder storms, variable winds. North and south Dakota and Montana—Generally fair to-night and Thursday; variable winds.

## SPRINKLED TOO LONG

An Industrious Grass Farmer Fined by the Water Department.

Early in the spring, when there was much prominent grass in the time of cleaning up the city and getting lawns in shape to please the visitors who were coming, W. Houlliston, of 1615 Harmon place, made up his mind to do his part. Mr. Houlliston's lawn is opposite the First Baptist church and stands on a smallish lot terraced down to the street. The lawn was not particularly prominent to start with, but Mr. Houlliston had a good garden hose, a firm determination and a good, black soil to work with and as the weeks went by his lawn grew and he threw like a green bay tree. Flower beds were laid out and carefully tended, and as many of the nearby places are rented properties with no lawns, the Houlliston home stood out in relief.

One night Mr. Houlliston was out giving his grass a drink when a strange pedestrian seemed to evince more than a passing interest in the work. He watched the busy householder for some minutes as the hose was judiciously turned this way and that and then, with a casual glance at his watch, he disappeared in the gathering shades of night. Next day Mr. Houlliston received notice that a fine of \$1 had been assessed against him by the water department for using his hose after sprinkling hours.

Nothing daunted by this incident, however, Mr. Houlliston has kept up his good work to to-day notified the Commercial club that he was a candidate for one of the lawn prizes.

**COWS DIE AT STATE FARM.**  
No new cases of cerebrospinal meningitis have appeared among the cattle at the state experimental farm. Nine head were lost some time ago and Professor Shaw does not believe that any more will be affected. It is a germ disease and contagious but does not appear to be particularly virulent. The disease is, however, believed to be on the increase in Minnesota.

**H. H. Roelofs & Co. Use 'Union Label'**  
All Hats—Hoffman's Toggery Shop.

## LOST RIVER DITCH.

Governor Van Sant and Secretary of State Hanson have inspected the Lost River ditch in Beltrami county. They found it complete and in good working order, and warrants for the work will be approved. The ditch is rapidly draining a large swamp, which will be reclaimed for cultivation. Next week the drainage board will inspect five other new ditches in the Red river valley.

Read the business opportunities offered on the Journal Want Page to-day. You certainly should find something that will net you a handsome profit.

Are free from all crude and irritating matter. Concentrated medicine only. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Very small; very easy to take; no pain; no griping; no purging. Try them.

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CURES the cause of the Headache, so that the pain does not recur. It improves appetite, perfects digestion and nutrition, induces restful sleep, and strengthens the entire system, increasing capacity for labor.

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# OUR NATIONAL SIN POWERS ON RECORD

It Is the Craze for Wealth Says Says Henry Watterson.

## LECTURE ON MONEY AND MORALS

The Money Evil and the Devil of Partisan Politics Two Dangers.

Henry Watterson, Kentucky's grand old orator, biter of presidents, breaker of political idols, spoke to a Minneapolis audience last night at the exposition building. Many went away from his lecture wondering what the real Watterson, the change editor of national reputation, or the good humored optimist whom they heard last night, excusing them, the follies, and with the calm of a Socratic sage discussing the vanities and cares of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches.

Mr. Watterson had found his subject, either himself, or by direction of his local managers, and he talked of "Money and Morals." On this fruitful theme he hung a series of original Wattersonian observations, brimful of practical philosophy. The city was that interested in national reputation, and a price almost prohibitive for a popular lecture were responsible for an audience that was almost lost in the vast exposition hall. There were not over 500 present, and it was evident that Mr. Watterson was not inspired to the extent of his possibilities.

The ground theme of the lecture was the well worn thought, that the modern craze for wealth is one that cannot be satisfied, and cannot bring happiness, that wealth is only a relative thing, and that true success lies in being happy, contented with one's own work and worldly goods. This craving for money Mr. Watterson pointed out as a danger to the nation, and a danger to the individual.

This view, in his long experience, he has himself attained, and he presented it to his hearers in a way altogether new and attractive.

Mr. Watterson showed how the overweening desire for money hardened men's hearts, and how through misfortune it led them to dishonesty and disaster. Even when attained, wealth does not bring happiness, for in time men's aspirations change. For the man who aspires to the status of a statesman he knew, who for twenty years strove in vain for the presidency, and when as an old man he had lost his desire for it, he was nominated and elected.

"Success in life," he said, "is happiness, and happiness is creation of the mind and heart, not of the stomach and pocket book."

**Not Real Dangers.**

Other threatened dangers Mr. Watterson set aside. They would be solved by time. Municipal corruption, the race question, all would work themselves out. "Neither do I fear imperialism," he said, "nor any of the other complications arising from our war with Spain. In my own day I have seen the republic outlast the irrepressible conflict, have seen the constitution weather the storm, and have seen a century hand them over to their opponents without a protest. The man who has seen these things is not going to lose any sleep over what is going on down here."

"However, as a result of making money the social standard, honorable poverty has become a thing of the past. We are ready to forgive the sins of the rich, and forget how they got their money. Our young men turn from honorable public careers to business, and the country makes more money. They cannot afford to go to congress. Our twin dangers are the 'money devil,' and the devil of partisan politics. We are now on the ascending scale, and our moral sense is being quenched, but we must learn that the golden rule is the whole secret and mystery of human happiness.

"We are a great, homogeneous people, but if we do not go to get closer together. The man from New England should go south, lop off some of his rough, curly hair, and get strictly in the sunshine. The southern man should learn that his patriotism is sheer folly, and should send his boys north to learn how much better they do some things up here."

"I have been in every state and territory of this land, and I have yet to learn one in which I have not seen something to make me proud of my country."

## A LUCKY RABBIT'S FOOT

It Certainly Proved a Mascot for Mrs. Reuillard.

Passengers on the train wrecked near Neenah who arrived in Minneapolis yesterday afternoon gave interesting descriptions of the thrilling experience through which they passed. That no one was fatally injured is considered remarkable.

Among those who escaped injury was Mrs. A. E. Reuillard of 819 W Twenty-sixth street, who was slightly injured. She was returning from a ten days' trip to Chicago. Mrs. Reuillard jokingly insisted yesterday that all that saved her life was a rabbit's foot which she always carries with her on railway trips. She had a premonition upon retiring that an accident was imminent, and was prepared for the shock. She had been asleep for not over five minutes when the coach toppled over and she was thrown across the aisle into the opposite berth upon Mrs. Agnew of Waukesha, Wis. all of the coaches left the track, the engine alone remaining upon the rails. The passengers took the accident philosophically and even laughed over their misfortunes when it was discovered that no one was fatally hurt.

**E. W. Grove.**

This name must appear on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets, the remedy that cures a cold in one day. 25 cents.

# "HO!" TO LITTLE IDA

He Wanted to Abolish the 8-Hour Police Shifts.

## TOLD HOLMES 'T WAS RIGHT THING

But Said He Didn't Dare to Re-instate the Ten-Hour System.

Whatever may have been his sentiments on Monday evening regarding eight-hour shifts for police, Alderman Powers was already on record as favoring a return to the old ten-hour system. Mr. Powers attended a meeting of the Eight-Hour League Monday evening and made a talk about the recent change in police hours. He intimated broadly that he had recently advised Acting Mayor Jones not to abolish the eight-hour system and that he was pained somewhat to observe that Mayor Jones had gone ahead to re-instate a system that worked a hardship on the men.

The acting mayor's comment on the structures of the aldermanic majority apartment published in The Journal of yesterday. To-day Alderman C. B. Holmes tells an incident which sheds an interesting light on Alderman Powers' declaration of Monday night. It happened some after Mr. Powers had assumed the duties of acting mayor before the return of Alderman Jones.

"It was at the city hall," said Alderman Holmes, "and I dropped into police headquarters to have a word with Captain Getchell. Alderman Powers was in the superintendent's office and I congratulated him on making certain changes which would insure that all the plain clothes men and captains earned their salaries."

"There's just one more thing I would like to do," Mr. Powers said, "and that is to have that done, but I don't dare do it."

"What is that?" I asked.

"Put the patrolmen back on ten-hour shifts," said Mr. Powers.

"You can imagine that when I read in the papers that Powers had condemned his own system, published in The Journal, I was considerably surprised."

This conversation took place less than a month ago.

## New Candidates in Field.

The new candidates in the field as shown by the records of the county auditor's office are as follows: John P. O'Reilly, 714 Fifth street NE, representative of Thirty-eighth district, republican; Theodore Koehn, 2402 Twenty-sixth avenue S, Alderman Twelfth ward, republican.

## PHILHARMONIC'S PLANS

Two Oratorios and Mixed Concert—Josephine Jacoby Coming.

The plans of the Philharmonic club for the season are taking shape and preliminary arrangements will be sent to the members in a few days. Two of the regular concerts will be oratorios and the third a mixed concert. One of the oratorios will be "The Death of Beethoven," which the prima donna contralto, Josephine Jacoby, has been engaged at large expense. The club has tried repeatedly to secure this famous singer, but she has never before traveled so far west, her popularity in the east making it unnecessary for her to accept engagements in Washington city and other cities.

The demand for a repetition of "Messiah" has been so strong that the club will give this grand oratorio on Christmas night. It is probable that the concert will be given in Wesley church, as they were last year.

## ROAD FOOTS THE BILLS

Street Paving Being Done by Wisconsin Central.

Considerable paving is being done by the Wisconsin Central railway in the city. The work is being done at the foot of First avenue N. The work takes in First and Second avenues N from First street to the Wisconsin Central property, and includes the extra concrete depot between First and Second avenues. The work is first-class, being done under the constant inspection of City Engineer Sublette. A six-inch concrete foundation is being laid and over this is being laid a layer of asphalt. The improvement will cost several thousand dollars. The road is footing all the bills. Such things have happened before in the city, but they have been rare enough to call for special mention and subdued murmurs of surprise.

## SCIENTISTS COMING HOME

They Have Been Chasing Wild Game Out West.

Professor Conway Macmillan, of the U. of M., and his company of scientific investigators have finished their season's work on the Pacific coast and today's dispatches tell of their arrival by steamer at Victoria, B. C. There are twenty-five in the party. This is the second season of the sea side station at Port Renfrew, on the straits of San Juan de Fuca, and much original work has been done on botany, biology and ecology. It was the expectation of Professor Macmillan to bring back some handsome specimens of salt water algae to be added to the state university's botanic collection or for use in exchanges with other institutions.

## C. F. PAGE UNDER ARREST

Charged With Getting Commissions on Fictitious Insurance Applications.

C. F. Page was brought to this city yesterday from Pine Island, Minn., by Deputy Sheriff Loth, and is now in the county jail awaiting trial on charges of embezzlement. Page is accused of securing \$2,000 in commissions on fictitious insurance applications.

It is said that Page told the officers of an insurance company that the crops were excellent around Pine Island and that the farmers were prosperous. He, therefore, induced the company to allow him to write much more insurance than is usually carried on risks of the character and obtained large commissions on alleged bogus applications.

"Hot" Gets the "Youman's Hat."

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## UNIFORMITY SOUGHT

In Assessment Books and Blanks of the State.

C. T. Johnson, public examiner, is holding a conference with county auditors and treasurers, with a view to agreeing on a uniform system of assessment books, blanks and notices. The meeting is pursuant to action taken at the last meeting of the State Association of Auditors and Treasurers.

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Too Old to do anything; the time between is very short. Capitalize it by a policy in the Penn Mutual Life. S. A. Stockwell, Gen. Agt., Andrus Building.

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# "HO!" TO LITTLE IDA

Capt. J. L. Fiske Tells How Idaho Received Its Name.

## IDA WAS HIS BABY DAUGHTER

She Was the First Youngster in the New Territory Christened for Her.

Leader of the first three pioneering expeditions to cross the western plains in search of homes or gold, Captain James L. Fiske, now a resident at the Minnesota Soldiers' Home, told yesterday how the state of Idaho received its name.

"It was in 1866," said Captain Fiske, "on the third of three expeditions I led. There were 240 of us, and among them were my wife and daughter Ida, who was just 3 years old. A baby was a rarity in that country then, and the settlers who had gone out on previous expeditions decided to give the new territory the baby's name. The last syllable, 'ho,' is the Indian word for greeting, and was added partly as a delicate attention to the Indians who, on our first expedition, corraled us and finally drove us back."

"How long did it take us to cross? From the soldiers' home, but yesterday from the Indians the life was a pleasant one, and we didn't care how long it lasted. We had wagon loads of provisions and had our own flour and our own meat. Meat never got by-blow out there. We would hang out great pieces, half a foot long, and in a few days it was dried through and ready to eat. I had a pack of F. L. McKusick, adjutant of the soldiers' home, who accompanied Captain Fiske on his last expedition, said that even as the Indians were the buffalo when they stampeded. Then the little band of men, with the women in the middle, would form into a triangle and fire continually at the maddened herd, until they had divided it into two sections, but for hours it was necessary to his hearers and see that the animals did not mingle again in one herd."

"When a herd of buffalo started to run nothing could stop it," said Mr. McKusick. "Thousands would plunge into the Missouri river, and the hundreds who escaped drowning or trampling would rush out of the water only to keep up their heaving fight to get to the shore."

Captain Fiske was one of the chief men on the staff of the Montana Herald, forty years ago, and established its circulation by his hearty recommendation to every cabin where there was a possibility of collecting enough gold dust to pay for a year's subscription.

## New Fall Hats, Furnishings Goods.

Arriving Daily—Hoffman's Toggery Shop.

## LABOR DAY PROCLAMATION

Gov. Van Sant Recommends That Labor Cease for the Day.

Governor Van Sant's Labor Day proclamation was issued yesterday. It reads as follows:

Whereas, the legislature of the state of Minnesota designated the first Monday in September of each year as Labor Day, and it is essential that the same should be fittingly observed; therefore, I, as governor of said state, do hereby recommend and urge that on Monday, Sept. 1, 1902, all labor throughout the state cease, and that employers and employees co-operate with one another to carry out the spirit and intent of the law. Mutual advantage suggests that confidence and regard for the rights of one another should be established among those who toil and those who employ labor, and it is hence desirable that meetings occur on said day where wise counsel can be had of matters involving the rights of all, and that plans be formulated for peaceful and helpful relations between labor and capital. Let all our people upon said day rest from their usual vocations, and by fitting and appropriate observance give due recognition to the dignity of labor.

## Harper's Ferry, the Gate to the Shenandoah Valley

Where the three states of Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland come together; where the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers unite; where the towering steep of the Blue Ridge end abruptly, frowning upon the heights of Maryland and Bolivar Heights in West Virginia, lies the quaint historic town of Harper's Ferry. John Brown baptized it in blood in 1859, when he captured the town and the U. S. arsenal and made his final and fatal stand in the engine-house (known afterwards as John Brown's fort), alongside the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. A plain shaft, simply inscribed, now marks the location. Again in 1861, grim visage war seized the village and held it tight in its grasp for nearly four years. The deeds that were done and the tales that are told concerning Harper's Ferry fill volumes.

The heights at Harper's Ferry guarded the Shenandoah valley. It was a most important strategic point, and when some great campaign was planned by either army. From Harper's Ferry the Shenandoah division of the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. extends southward to Charlestown, Winchester, Harrisonburg and Lexington. Battlegrounds surround the village in all directions.

# TRAVELING OUTFITS

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For one day, Thursday, we will place on sale our entire line of Trunks, Bags, Suit Cases, Telescopes, Pocketbooks, Bags, Toilet Cases and Shaving Sets.

100 EXTRA HEAVY TELESCOPES, Best Quality Leather Bound, Lined Lined, Leather Cases. 12-INCH SIZE; regularly \$1.25, Thursday... 75c  
22-INCH SIZE; regularly \$1.50, Thursday... 1.00  
24-INCH SIZE; regularly \$1.75, Thursday... 1.25  
26-INCH SIZE; regularly \$1.75, Thursday... 1.25

In the lot about 100 VERY STYLISH GENUINE ALLIGATOR BAGS, full leather lined, brass trimmed 12-INCH and 14-INCH BAGS, regularly \$4 and \$5.50, choice... \$3  
15-INCH and 16-INCH BAGS, regularly \$5 and \$5.50, choice... \$4  
100 SOLE LEATHER CLUB BAGS, Lined Lined, Nickel Trimmings, 12-INCH SIZE; regularly \$2, Thursday... \$1.39  
14-INCH SIZE; regularly \$2.50, Thursday... 1.85  
16-INCH SIZE; regularly \$2.50, Thursday... 1.85

AN ASSORTED LOT OF PURSES, CHATELAINES and WRIST BAGS, both plain and trimmed, regular price up to \$1, choice Thursday... 25c

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