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Celery, Cucumbers, Ripe Tomatoes, Lettuce, Radishes, Cauliflower.

Our Dry Roasted Coffee are perfection. Prices begin at 10c lb.

Hoffman House, lb. 30c

New York Cider Per gallon 15c

Pure Lard Per pound 7c

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Northern grown Sweet Corn, 8c can; 95c dozen.

Good Marrowfat Peas, 8c can; 95c dozen.

Full Packed Tomatoes, 3-lb. cans, 5c; 10 to 15, 10c.

5 lbs. Yellow Peaches 15c

8 lbs. Apricots 18c

California Prunes, lb. 3c

Good Evaporated Apples, lb. 10c

Good Evaporated Peaches, lb. 9c

Good Evaporated Ring Apples, lb. 8c

Good Evaporated Apples, lb. 10c

Bleached Sultana Raisins, lb. 10c

Good Cooking Raisins, lb. 8c

Good Bulk Mince Meat, lb. 10c

Very finest Mince meat made, Bavaria brand, per lb. 17c

Absolutely pure Wisconsin Buckwheat, 10-lb sack 33c

H. O. Vigor, 15c pack for 100c

Quart bottle Tomato Catsup for 12 1/2c

Butter

Fresh Sweet Dairy Butter, 5-lb jar \$1.00

Fresh Sweet Table Creamery Butter, per lb. 25c

Cape Cod Cranberries, qt. 7c

Bakery Specials

Home-made Bread, loaf 3c

Sponge Drop Cakes, doz. 20c

Strawberry Tarts, doz. 20c

Honey Squares, doz. 20c

Cookies, doz. 20c

Mince Pies, each 12c

Peach and Blueberry Pies, each 12c

Meat Market

Choice Pork Chops 16c

Choice Pork Loin Roast 19c

Choice Pork Sausage 10c

Choice Pork Shoulders 8c

Choice Sirloin Steak 11c

Choice Round Steak 10c

Choice Pot Roast 12c

Choice Rib Boiling Beef 4c

Choice Leg of Lamb 12 1/2c

Choice Lamb Stew 6c

Choice Lamb Chops 10c

Choice S&F Pork 10c

No. 1 Ham 12c

Water

Greenwood-Ingledew

Pure Spring Water, put up in nice clean bottles, only 5 cents per gallon, for either Natural or Distilled or with Pure Ice, and the use of a good clean water cooler, two gallons daily—\$1.75 per month. This is the cheapest and best "Health Insurance" to get.

The Greenwood-Ingledew Co. 318 Hennepin Ave. Both phones 222. Country orders solicited. Write for prices.

RUPTURE

The truss you have don't hold your rupture. It keeps slipping out and down. Look out you will stopper or make a miss step, catch and strangle it, and then you will die quickly. Come and see us or write.

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PRIVATE POST CARDS

Instructions Relating to Them Issued at Postoffice.

Persons desiring to mail "private post cards" are notified that instructions issued at the Minneapolis postoffice, that 1-cent postage stamp can be used for such cards, and the message on the card may be either written or printed, when the dimensions of the card do not exceed 3 1/2 by 5 1/2 inches or are not less than 1 1/2 by 4 1/2 inches, and when the quality of the postcard is substantially that of the government postcard and weighs about six pounds three ounces for 1000 cards. Only on the cards so described may the words "Post Card" be stamped or printed. Other cards may be mailed, but not as private postcards.

Best Shoe Bargains in the City at the Nickel Plate Clearance Sale.

GLOAKS, SUITS, SKIRTS AND FURS AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE....

Before taking inventory we must close out our entire winter stock. Price is no object with us. We must sell.

Attend this sale and you will find the opportunity of your life to buy high class goods at such low prices.

Ladies' Long Coats in Military Style, All tailored and the best Kersey and Zibeline goods, formerly sold for \$30 and \$35. For \$14.50

Ladies' 30-inch tight fitting Coats, Military Capes, trimmed with metal buttons; best goods and all satin lined; regular price \$16. \$8.98

Ladies' Fur Coats, formerly sold for \$30 and \$35— \$16.50

Fur Scarfs cut to half of former prices.

Ladies' \$35, \$30 and \$25 Suits. For this sale. \$11.98

Ladies' Dress and Walking Skirts, all the newest styles, all tailored, formerly sold at \$10, \$12 and \$15. For this sale. \$5.98

As we said above, price is no object; so, if you visit us during this sale you will find bargains that are too numerous to mention.

THE FASHION, 522 Nicollet Av.

CITY NEWS.

TOWN TALK

Take your dinner to-morrow at Francis Cafe, 233 Hennepin. Dinner 11:30 to 3:30 o'clock.

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William Downs post and corps will hold a joint installation of officers next Monday evening and all friends are invited.

Minneapolis lodge No. 19, A. F. and A. M., will hold its annual installation of officers this evening. Refreshments will be served after the ceremony.

Deposits made in the Participation Department of the Minnesota Loan and Trust Co., 213 Nic. ave., on or before the 5th of any month draw interest from the 1st.

W. B. Chandler, agent of the Soo line, has bought the Pawkes residence at 1513 Culhoun place. The price was \$6,000 and the sale was negotiated by H. E. Ladd.

Have your year Journal World Almanac for 1904? The best almanac and encyclopedia of useful information yet published. Journal counter 25 cents copy. By mail, 35 cents.

The annual roll call of Bethlehem Presbyterian church, Twenty-sixth street and Pleasant avenue, will be held to-morrow evening. Refreshments will be served and a social time will be one of the important parts of the program.

Negotiations are pending between the county commissioners and the city council for the main-entrance to the municipal building. The marble-sellers can not work in the cold and as the latter board is anxious to have the work on the entrance expedited, it is obliged to supply a warm place for the workmen.

The local Swiss society, Grueti Verein, met at Seibel's hall and elected the following officers: Leroy Nigels, president; A. Zimmerman, vice president; J. H. Strasser, secretary; H. Steidler, financial secretary; C. Guggisberg, treasurer; F. Knobel, secretary of the choir; C. Pletscher, librarian; C. Scherg, L. Hauser and E. Karlen, federal committee.

Professor H. H. Powers, president of the Bureau of University Extension, will be passing through here on his way to Little Falls to deliver a course of lectures. Several Minneapolis people went aboard last summer with the bureau's educational parties and they have arranged for a lecture by Professor Powers in the afternoon of that day at the Y. W. C. A. It will be one of the paintings of the Sistine chapel with stereopticon illustrations.

Fitted and Guaranteed. School Shoes and Overshoes, way below cost, at our annual sale. Dayton's.

WILL ASK FOR \$2,500

Minneapolis Committee on St. Louis Exhibit Ready for Work.

Having completed their general plans and preliminary arrangements, the twin city world's fair committee now wants money. At a meeting of the Minneapolis members yesterday, it was decided to ask the city council to set apart \$2,500 for the uses of the committee. Alderman Michael Gerber was elected secretary, and Alderman Frank L. Schoonmaker was made treasurer.

At the suggestion of Professor F. L. McVey, \$200 was set aside for the purchase of photographs of Minneapolis buildings and scenes. It is Dr. McVey's idea to secure about 200 of the Jacoby pictures, many of which are now of historical value and all of them of interest. These photographs will largely be arranged so as to show the progress and development of the city.

Dr. McVey made a partial report on his visit to the statistics of the city and will endeavor to complete it for the next meeting on Friday afternoon.

Go with the crowd to Thomas' Linen and Underwear sale. To continue all this week.

BRYANT POST INSTALLATION

Governor Van Sant Assisted by Comrade Longfellow Induct the New Officers.

A joint installation of the post and the corps officers of James Bryant post No. 119, G. A. R., was held last night. Governor Van Sant, assisted by Comrade High Longfellow, acting officer of the post, installed officers as follows: Commander, Henry S. Goff; senior vice commander, R. W. Baird; junior vice commander, R. W. Grahg; quartermaster, L. A. Kelley; officer of the day, C. H. Mero; officer of the guard, B. M. Hicks; delegates to state encampment, R. H. Martin and S. E. Chandler; alternates, J. M. Allen and C. H. Woodruff; trustees, R. H. Martin and Leroy Cole and L. Longfellow. The following officers were appointed: Adjutant, John F. Perry; sergeant major, L. E. Bennett; quartermaster sergeant, J. H. Nichols.

After the ceremony an entertainment followed a speech by Mustering Officer Van Sant and the recitation of a poem by Commander Goff.

MOTHERLESS TWINS DIE

Bodies Lie Unclaimed for a Week and Are Then Buried.

The bodies of the baby boy twins, that lay unclaimed in an undertaker's store in St. Paul for nearly a week, were buried yesterday.

The babies were left at the Catholic orphan's home by a stylishly dressed woman who paid their board for a week. The children declined for lack of the mother's care and died after a few days. The woman has not been seen since that time.

SIX SPITTERS ARE CONVICTED

FOUR PLEAD GUILTY AND ARE FINED \$5 EACH.

Two Who Are Tried Are Convicted, but Escape Fines Because They Were Nonresidents—Health Department After Spitters—Conditions Improve on Street Cars.

Six men with as many different excuses were arraigned in police court this morning charged with spitting on the sidewalk. They were R. J. Haughey, J. H. Hayes, Chas. Hopkins, W. B. Crawford and W. B. Doly and Thomas Jewell.

Jewell and Doly pleaded not guilty and were tried. The other four pleaded guilty and were fined \$5 each. The two tried were found guilty, but the fine was remitted because they were nonresidents and could not secure bail to keep them from staying in jail all night.

Only one of the spitters admitted that he was chewing tobacco. To the others who offered their own version of the laws and their physical conditions as an excuse, Judge Dickinson said that it made no difference what they were chewing, that they were charged with spitting.

All of the arrests were the result of a crusade against spitters, instituted by the health department. The town is well patrolled by inspectors. The scare given by publication of the crusade prevented any arrests being made on the street cars and conductors say that conditions have improved.

The men were laborers and most of them were arrested while hanging around saloons. Three of them had cheap lodging-house ways and took the matter as a joke. The other three told Judge Dickinson that they knew better and were ashamed of their actions. One tall, slender man, who is a familiar sight on Washington avenue, pleaded guilty. The police say he has a record for a conviction on a charge of spitting.

The two men who most resented the arrest were the men who were allowed to go with their attorney, claimed to be in the theatrical business, also they live in one of the cheapest lodging-houses in town. The elder of the two slouched into the courtroom with the insolent air of an injured innocent, and his testimony could scarcely be understood because his mouth was filled with gum, which he refused to throw away even when he took the witness stand.

The crusaders say that nearly all of the objectionable spitting is done by men who hang around saloons, and they intend to show no partiality in making arrests.

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SALOON MAN IN A TRAP

ADMITS IN CASE AGAINST ANOTHER MAN THAT HE WAS SELLING LIQUOR WITHOUT A LICENSE.

Joseph McGregor, proprietor of a saloon at 104 Hennepin avenue, walked into a trap in police court this morning. He was charged with complaining witness against C. E. Miller, charged with attempting to obtain goods under false pretenses by the use of a forged check.

McGregor accused Miller of writing a check on the Northwestern National bank for \$20, and tendering it in payment for drinks valued at 15 cents. McGregor did not accept the check, but had Miller arrested on a warrant.

Miller pleaded guilty to the charge, but Judge Dickinson refused to accept his plea, and ordered it reversed. The court then took McGregor's testimony in which he admitted that his license was revoked some time since. At this statement the court ordered Miller's case continued until Friday and had McGregor arrested on a charge of selling liquor without a license. He entered a plea of guilty and his case was also set for Friday.

After the cases were continued Miller told the court that McGregor had filled out the bogus check and he (Miller) had signed it. He thought he had to plead guilty because he was a party to the act.

Both McGregor and Miller were locked up pending the payment of \$100 bail.

McGregor's license was revoked last spring and another taken out for the same place by Lou Brown. Brown, however, has not personally superintended the place, leaving it in the hands of McGregor. The city ordinance requires that the man securing a license make an affidavit to the effect that he will personally attend to the business. It is on this fact that the state will argue its case.

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PRODUCE EXCHANGE YEAR

Big Figures Are Reported to the Annual Meeting.

The Minneapolis Produce exchange held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon at 2:30. The report was very satisfactory, the secretary reporting 16,800 cases of eggs, 8,248 boxes of cheese and 252,180 pounds of butter being sold in the year on the floor. The following officers were elected to serve during 1904:

President, C. A. Castle; first vice president, W. H. Carr; second vice president, B. F. Conners.

Directors—S. G. Palmer, R. A. Gamble, E. E. Merrill, A. M. Dyrde, D. W. Longfellow, W. H. Samels.

Board of Arbitration—F. G. Jordan, A. M. Hillman, S. G. Palmer, W. W. Bradley.

Board of Appeals—L. Longfellow, R. A. Gamble, A. N. Bearman, Frederick Johnson.

The board of directors meets Friday to elect secretary and treasurer. W. B. McCormack and C. L. Stacy, who have held these offices for the past eight years, will undoubtedly be re-elected.

SCHOOL SHOES AND OVERSHOES.

Annual sale now on. Every pair fitted and guaranteed. Dayton Dry Goods Co.

A FORESTRY EXPERIMENT

Pine and Spruce to Be Planted by the State

The state forestry board will make a nursery out of an acre plot on the Pillsbury reserve next spring. It will be sowed with pine and spruce seeds, in rows eight inches apart, and will be covered with screens made of lath or of brush hung from posts. They will be tended carefully till two years old, when they will be transplanted, either in another nursery or in the cut-over land which is to be re-forested.

Men's \$3.50 Shoes, \$2.85. \$3.50 Enamel winter shoes cut to \$2.85. Our annual clearance sale—Nickel Plate.

FIGHT ON LOW THEATERS CASTLE'S PLACE NOT FOR McCARDY

IT RECEIVES SUPPORT OF ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE IN MEMORIAL TO CITY COUNCIL.

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Get a Saving Bank.

The State Institution for Savings, 517 First avenue S., has just received another shipment of its little steel savings banks and will give them away, on application, to those who call for them.

STEAL, BUT DON'T STRIKE

LACKED RELIGIOUS SPIRIT

HOTEL MEN THINK KLEPTOMANIACS ARE NOT TO BE DISCHARGED IN BUSY SEASON.

When a competent hotel waitress is suffering from kleptomania, it may be cheaper to let her steal than strike. Kleptomania is a disease, and the hotel dining-room, so busy was she all day long she added only two towels and a bit of toilet soap to the borrowed curios that swelled her trunk. Her only other crime was forming her collection, "but she wasn't taking diamonds or sealinks, and we couldn't be too hard to please while guests were waiting for the second table."

Saturday morning, however, the girl's error became more obvious. Yet it was not exactly stealing, thought by the manager, when he inspected her souvenirs in dismissing her, he agreed to save her from arrest, but told her where bad girls go even if the age is 24. Then, after one good cry, she snidly laid in a row upon the floor:

Four towels.

Seven fragments of soap.

One scrubbing brush, half worn.

One pair of bicycle knickerbockers.

One baseball catcher's mitt.

Dayton's Annual White Sale Now in full blast. See ad, page 3.

ASSETS EXCEED LIABILITIES

Good Word for Creditors of Lundeen-Richards Company.

Favorable prospect for the creditors are indicated by the schedule of two bankrupt concerns closely affiliated—the Lundeen-Richards company and the Red Lake Lumber company. These schedules, filed yesterday afternoon in the United States district court, declare that the liabilities of the Lundeen-Richards company are \$239,992 and the assets \$411,523. The liabilities of the Red Lake Lumber company are \$187,831 and the assets \$194,959. Of the Lundeen-Richards liabilities, \$77,300 represents notes, \$3,544 salaries due, \$17,175 for high grade shoes, \$1,000 for wholesale firms and \$18,824 bills due subcontractors. Of the transportation company liabilities, \$100,000 is the amount of a first mortgage, \$36,900 is a secured debt, \$1,000 is a bill for freight, and \$9,524 is due the same bank on another note.

Thomas' Linen Sale continues three days longer. The best of lines at the most favorable prices.

A MAIN ON THE BRIDGE

New Structure on North Side Will Help Water Distribution.

City Engineer Andrew Tinker has been directed by the council committee on waterworks to prepare plans and estimates of cost for carrying a water main across the river on the new bridge at city-second street. The submerged main at this point has broken several times and as it costs about \$500 every time for repairs, it is becoming very expensive. Mr. Tinker's plan is to build a merged main is the most economical and satisfactory, and says that there is no reason why they could not be so laid as to withstand the forces that are causing the breaks.

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TWO MORE WHO ESCAPED

Minneapolis Nurse and Her Sister Were in Chicago Theater.

Two more twin city residents are now known to have escaped from the locked theater fire—Miss Barness, a Minneapolis nurse, and her sister, Dr. Nellie Barness of St. Paul.

The two ladies left the theater as soon as they caught a glimpse of the burning scenery. The last thing on the stage that they remember is seeing one of the double oiled gas lamps in a faint, while other companions continued to sing the somewhat plaintive chorus, "In the Pale Moonlight." Although the Misses Barness were among the first persons out of the theater, they were pushed away the street by the terrified crowd behind them.

LABORERS MEET TO-NIGHT

An Important Discussion Is Expected on Present Conditions.

It is possible that some adjustment may yet be reached in the arbitration plan between the builders and the building laborers which has expired by limitation. The contractors at their meeting yesterday continued their committee. Messrs. C. F. Haglin, W. A. Elliott and N. W. Nelson, indicating that they were still willing to arbitrate, using the five men already chosen, or three of the five men. This attitude will be reported to the laborers to-night at their annual meeting in Alexander's hall. The fact that little work is on hand will have some effect on the laborers. It is believed. The general tendency toward arbitration through the country, which is on a rapid increase, is expected to have some effect also on the deliberations of the to-night. The contractors, in continuing their committee, made no reference to the bricklayers who struck last summer thru sympathy.

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AMUSEMENTS

METROPOLITAN L. N. SCOTT, Manager. Tonight's 9 p. m. Matinee Saturday, 2 p. m. KLAU & ERLANGERS Stupendous Production of Gen. Lew Wallace's

BEN-HUR

A MIGHTY PLAY 350 Persons in the Production—350 Jan. 10-11-12-13. "The Isle of Spice"

BIJOU Tonight 8:15

The Big Melodramatic Success. "LIGHTHOUSE BY THE SEA" A play filled with intensity of action. Next Week.....MASON AND MASON.

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LYCEUM MATINEE Thursday A BIG SHOW.

GRAUSTARK

DICK FERRIS and GRACE HAYWARD in A grand scenic production of the excellent play Next Week.....FABIO ROMANI

DEWEY THEATRE

Matinee Daily Evenings at 8:15 Priced: Another Big Show "THE BRIGADIERS" 10c 20c 30c 50c Ladies' Matinee Fridays....."THE CRACKERJACKS."

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