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MISS HOFFNER

the expert corsetiere, will remain with us but three days more. Ladies who have not already improved the opportunity to consult her should do so at once. She explains the superior qualities of the

La Marguerite

our new and stylish corset, but ladies interested in corsets of any kind will find her talks very entertaining and instructive, and she can tell you a whole lot that you do not know about corsets.

VOTING COUPON.

The Journal will take 40 of its most popular subscribers to St. Louis' World's Fair, pay all their expenses and give them the trip of their lives. Get in the race and be one of the "Fortunate Forty."

MINNESOTA, NORTH AND SOUTH DAKOTA, IOWA, WISCONSIN AND NORTHERN MICHIGAN are divided into 40 districts, according to counties. Each district is entitled to one prize winner to go on The Journal's great trip. The subscriber who gets the largest vote in each district is that district's winner. Enter your own name and get in the race—you stand as good a chance to win as anybody. Or, if you have a friend working for a prize, give him your subscription and help his vote. List of contestants, with their votes, printed every Wednesday and Saturday.

WHAT VOTES COUNT—Each coupon counts one vote. Each cent paid on subscriptions counts one vote, with a special credit for one year's subscription in advance of 1,000 votes.

If you want detailed information about the contest and suggestions how to push your vote, write to The Journal's Circulation Manager and it will be a pleasure to assist you in any way.

Journal's Popular World's Fair Voting Contest.

This Coupon good for ONE VOTE if sent to the Circulation Manager, The Journal, Minneapolis, before March 30, 1904.

ONE VOTE FOR

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I wish to contest for one of the 40 free trips to World's Fair, St. Louis, offered by The Minneapolis Journal.

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State..... County.....

Fill out the above yourself and have two well-known people in your county fill out the following. Mailed before April 1 to World's Fair Editor, The Journal, Minneapolis, Minn.

We know the above person to be of good character and standing.

Name..... Address.....
Name..... Address.....

PASSOVER IS NEAR
Ancient Feast of Jews Will Begin Next Tuesday.

The feast of the Passover, the most important festival in the Jewish calendar, will begin next Tuesday. The preparations for celebrating the anniversary of the delivery from Egyptian bondage are already in progress among the faithful and every family of the Jewish faith is laying in a supply of matzoss, the bread baked without leaven, prepared according to traditional rules.

GRAND WIFE
The Kind Worth Having.

A well-known lady of Carthage, Mo., says: "Although I do not drink tea or coffee myself I have had a most interesting experience in my family for about a year ago my husband began to fail in health. He would get so very nervous at times he would have to give up his work and come home. His eyes were falling him and the doctor became alarmed—was afraid he was going to lose his sight. He also got very yellow in complexion, at times his blood ran cold, from nervous chills the doctor said.

CRITICISED GRANT'S PLAN
Veterans of Rawlins Post Discuss Wilderness Campaign.

Criticism of General Grant's management of the union forces during the battle of the Wilderness followed upon the reading of a paper on the battle, by General L. A. Grant, before the John A. Rawlins post, G. A. R., in Masonic Temple, last night.

HAGUE IS PRESIDENT
Master Plumbers of State Choose Minneapolis Man Their Head.

J. L. Hague of Minneapolis was elected president of the Minnesota Master Plumbers' association at the annual meeting of the organization, held yesterday at the Reardon hotel, St. Paul. C. J. Maraud of Minneapolis was chosen secretary; J. E. Holt of St. Paul, first vice president; J. V. Cunningham of Winona, second vice president, and S. A. Hill of St. Paul, treasurer. The following delegates were elected to attend the national convention at St. Louis next fall: J. E. Holt of St. Paul and O. A. Blomgren of Minneapolis, with J. J. Dwyer of St. Paul and A. J. Cobson of Minneapolis alternates.

VICTORY FOR SOPHS
Win First and Second Places in Peavey Contest.

Sophomores won in the freshman-sophomore oratorical contest for the Peavey prizes, held at the university chapel last night. Theodore Christianson and Magnus Aysgar, sophomores, captured the first and second prizes, and Lyle Hamlin, a freshman, was the winner of third prize. The program was as follows: Algernon Colburn, "The Negro Problem"; J. M. Swartz, "Municipal Government"; Magnus Aysgar, "The Mission of the Labor Union"; Lyle Hamlin, "The Monroe Doctrine"; Theodore Christianson, "Individualism"; F. A. Frye, "The Problem of Cities."

CROWDS OF SETTLERS
Pass Thru City on Their Way Westward.

Yesterday and to-day were strenuous for the transcontinental lines. Settlers from the Mississippi valley passed west over the lines on settlers and horsepackers rates. The Northern Pacific took thirty men to Edgeley, N. D., who will investigate that section of the state. The settlers who passed thru town to-day were from distant points.

RAILROAD NOTES
At the annual election of the stockholders of the Pennsylvania and North Western, the latter was re-elected directors for four years. The number of shares was 4,011,225, with 68.18 per cent of the capital stock entitled to vote.

THE WILDER ESTATE
Inventory Filed Lists of Property Aggregating \$1,239,569.

From the inventory and appraisal filed in the Ramsey county probate court this is learned the value of the estate left by the late Fanny S. Wilder amounts to \$1,239,569. Of this sum \$360,744 is in real estate and \$878,825 in personal property including stocks, bonds and other large investments.

RAILROADS.
MOHLER TO GO TO OMAHA OFFICE

HEAD OF THE O. R. & N. IS TO BE TRANSFERRED.

Big Changes in Division and Management of the Harriman Lines Are Reported from Salt Lake—Oregon Short Line Jurisdiction to Be Extended.

Salt Lake, March 23.—The Herald to-day gives another and the following version of railroad changes in the west. It says: "All the portion of the Central Pacific railroad between Reno and Ogden, and all of the Union Pacific between Green River and Ogden is to be added to the Oregon Short Line. Announcement to this effect will probably be made to-day or to-morrow, unless there is a sudden change of plans.

Several official changes will take place simultaneously. General Manager W. H. Bancroft of the Union Pacific and Oregon Short line will remain his headquarters in Salt Lake, having charge of the Oregon Short line. It is understood that General Manager F. E. Calvin of the Short line will go to Portland, to take charge of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company. A. L. Mohler, now president of that company, is slated for a position in Omaha on the Union Pacific. H. Markham, now general manager of the Texas lines of the Southern Pacific system is to be general manager of the entire system. All are to be under the jurisdiction of Julius Kretschmitt, reporting to him as director of transportation of the Harriman lines."

R. I.'S COAST AMBITION

San Diego Interests Said to Be Cultivating It.

Chicago, March 23.—Reports indicate that the Rock Island is to extend to the coast. This is shown by surveys which portend a new extension from either Benson or Douglas, on the line of the El Paso & Northeastern road, to San Diego. The proposed line, says the news comes that the promoters of the local enterprise seeking for a direct outlet to the east from that city are working in the interest of the Rock Island.

NEVER OFFERED IT

Czar Hasn't Asked Whyte to Run Trans-Siberian.

Special to The Journal. Winnipeg, Man., March 23.—A dispatch received from Montreal last night stated that William Whyte of Winnipeg, second vice president of the Canadian Pacific railway, had been offered the management of the Trans-Siberian railway by the Russian government. On being asked if there was any truth in the statement, Mr. Whyte said that there was not any foundation for anything like it. The whole story was a fabrication. He had never been offered any position with the Russian government about the matter.

FRIENDS DROPPED IN
Professor Ottedal's Birth Anniversary Brings Many Pleasant Greetings.

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Try These Shoes
Dr. Reed's Cushion Sole shoes are a protection against the wet; the feet will be dry and comfortable without rubbers

Donaldson's

The Spring Catalog
Send in Your name on a post-card and get our beautiful book of spring fashions—the reliable guide to style and economy.

Easter Attire Moderately Priced

You Should Come Thursday and take first choice of a half-a-dozen new collections of suits, skirts and coats. All the best for the money, like all you buy here, and some are very rare bargains; for example—

New Shoes

Women's Shoes in several new styles; one of them—patent kid, foxed, button boot; dull kangaroo tops; medium weight welted soles, and 1 1/2-inch Cuban heel, new opera last with high arched instep, all sizes and widths, Thursday..... **\$3.50**

Girls' Shoes of black kid, lace and button; heavy soles for school wear and light soles for dress, sizes 11 to 2, at..... **\$1.50**

Boys' Shoes of patent leather, vici kid and velour calf, lace; light and heavy weights—for all occasions; one of the best made for style and service; sizes 12 to 9 1/2, at..... **\$2.00**

Shirt Waists

Black Lawn shirt waist, tailor-fashioned, eight wide tucks in front and back—a good \$2 waist Thursday at..... **\$1.48**

Maids' Aprons

White Lawn aprons for maids, with bib and hem; trimmed with hemstitching, at..... **25c**



New Tailored Suits

Eton and Blouse Suits of cheviot and solid color Venetian cloth; carefully tailored, tastefully trimmed; gored skirts, in walking and round lengths; navy, black and brown; suits of generous value at \$15.00, yours Thursday at **\$11.75.**

New Tailored Suits of fancy menswear materials in black and colors; Eton and blouse styles; well tailored and nicely trimmed; skirts made on the newer models; one of our notable productions at **\$15.**

Here's the Greatest Group in the City—250 suits, and not many of a kind, as remarkable in value as in variety and style—Eaton, blouse and jacket styles, broad and instep lengths; made of fancy imported suitings, chevots, broadcloths; in the collection are about a hundred sample suits from the line of one of our best makers—his latest out-put, all sizes, and run in worth up to \$45; all ready for you Thursday at **\$25.**

Shirt Waist Dresses

Shirt Waist Dresses of taffeta silk, foulard silk, pongee silk, lawn and imported cotton fabrics in fancy effects; they are sample dresses and have been mussed in the handling; they are samples of dresses that sell at \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$22.50; for buying them as early as this they are yours at **\$10.**

New Instep Length Skirts

New Model Walking Skirts—Seventy-five skirts we had made to our order from goods bought by us under low price; made of all-wool homespun; in medium gray, tan and blue; trimmed over hips with Van Dyke tucks; killed at bottom; perfectly tailored; skirts worth \$7.50. Thursday at **\$5.00.**

Traveling Coats—Rain Coats

More New Silk Long Coats and also another shipment of those Raincoats that caught your fancy so quickly; the same good styles and materials, at **\$12.50 \$14.50 \$16.50 and \$19.50.**

More New Wash Fabrics

Our Wash Goods Business is pitched to the summer key—we never did so much at this time of the year. We are pleasing all who look to us for the fabrics.

Lorraine Barege is brand new—looks like silk, sells for the price of fine cotton; comes in stripes and checks—is fine and sheer **40c.**

Dress Gingham, Prints, Challis and Cambrics at **5c.**

Here's a Windfall for You—500 pieces, about 25,000 yards, of dress Gingham, fancy Prints, Challis and shirting Cambrics, in every color effect you want—and all you want as long as it is here; on special tables for Thursday, at... **5c**

New Shirt Waist Suitings—A lot of late weaves just in; new stripes, new checks, new figures; new homespun; great variety—**25c.**

Black Mistral Cloth of crisp and wiry quality; 45 inches wide; \$1.00 value, Thursday at **59c.**

Black Venetian Cloth—All wool—a deep, rich black; fine for tailored suits; 48 inches wide; Thursday at **\$1.00.**

Fancy Mohairs in blue, black and brown mixtures—the latest for shirt waist dresses 42 inches wide, at **75c.**

Voiles, Chevots and Granite Cloth in all the wanted shades; 38 and 42 inches wide; on the bargain tables for Thursday at **39c.**

CITY NEWS.
CITY HONORED IN STRAUSS' VISIT

"SUCCESSOR OF WAGNER" TO BE SEEN HERE.

His Tour of America Dominates in Importance the Whole Concert Season—In His Wife Dr. Strauss Has a Sympathetic Interpreter of His Songs.

of the future; the man whom not alone Germany, but the musical world at large idolizes—the apostle of a new tone philosophy. At the time approaches when Minneapolis people are to have an opportunity of hearing the famous composer in a recital of his own works the importance of the event in a musical sense grows rapidly.

The musical personality of Dr. Strauss has been made tolerably familiar to Minneapolis concert goers thru his compositions, notably his songs and the "Enoch Arden" music, which latter will be given at the coming recital.

Dr. Strauss' position among musicians is unique. He is but 40 years old, yet his compositions now number more than 600 and represent a growth from music, simple and clear in construction like that of Mozart, to a scientific abstruseness which exceeds that of Wagner himself.

The development of the Strauss genius ultimately drove its possessor to the highest form of musical composition known to-day, the "symphonic poem," or as it is sometimes called the "symphonic poem." In this he renounced his bondage to the accepted classicism and flung his stand-

ard to the free untrammelled breezes of his new musical thought.

In his Minneapolis recital next month a group of the finest of the Strauss songs will be interpreted by Mme. Pauline Strauss de Anna, the celebrated wife of the famous composer and conductor, who is an exceedingly artistic singer, and who brings to her interpretation of her husband's songs a rarely sympathetic intelligence. Indeed the Strauss recitals throughout the east have attracted crowds of the musical and cultured and have inspired the keenest and most exhaustive comment from the musical critics of the leading papers. The presentation of "Enoch Arden" will also contribute to the intense interest which the Strauss engagement is exciting.

The coming of Dr. Strauss to Minneapolis will be the first visit of an eminent composer for many years, and it is an honor greatly to be appreciated. His musical genius is so catholic in character that it covers almost the entire field of musical composition—songs, tone poems, overtures, operas, and the end is not yet.

It costs New York five times as much as it does London to maintain parks and recreation grounds.

TESTIMONY WHICH CARRIES CONVICTION

It is not wholly what I say but what the people say who have been cured by my new discovery, Paw-Paw, which should exert the most convincing power on the sick and suffering. From every quarter of the country, every state, county, city and town come letters from the people telling the glad story of cure. Dyspepsia and all other stomach troubles are being driven out. Nervousness and sleeplessness are being cured and through the purification of the blood which Paw-Paw brings about, Catarrh, Rheumatism and all other blood diseases are surely being eradicated.

HERE IS PROOF—READ IT.

John Hancock, Washington, D. C., Brother of the late Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock, says: "I do not hesitate to pronounce your Paw-Paw the best cure for dyspepsia and the best stomach tonic extant. My wife and myself have both proved this to our perfect satisfaction."

Charles R. Disharoon, Mayor of Salisbury, Md., says: "I have been taking your Paw-Paw for stomach trouble and a general run-down condition and have received incalculable benefit. I cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers from stomach disorders."

Dr. Frank P. Murtha, a New York physician of great prominence, says: "I cannot speak too highly of Munyon's Paw-Paw as a remedy which I successfully use and prescribe. I consider it nature's own remedy for all stomach and nerve ailments."

D. A. Catford, a leading Philadelphia Chemist, says: "Less than two bottles of your Paw-Paw cured me of a severe case of Gastritis, since which time I have analyzed the preparation and find it a combination of curatives and sedatives second to none."

Dr. Thomas C. Carter, Washington, D. C., one of the distinguished physicians in attendance on the late Senator Hanna, says: "I have used and am now using Munyon's Paw-Paw and find it a most effective Pepsin tonic. I successfully prescribe it in cases of severe nervousness, indigestion and stomach trouble."

Mr. James O. Watkins, a well-known Wall street broker, doing business at 25 Broad st., N. Y., says: "I have used Munyon's Paw-Paw for Indigestion, Nervousness and Sleeplessness with most beneficial results. My health began to improve at once, and now, after using Paw-Paw for less than a week, I am cured. I sleep better than I have for years. I gladly endorse Munyon's Paw-Paw for the benefit of other sufferers and advise all people who are afflicted with Dyspepsia, Nervousness or Sleeplessness to give this remedy a trial."

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Not by paralyzing the nerves and glands, like opium, morphine, cocaine, and other dangerous drugs, but by increasing the natural functions.

This action is obtained as a result of modern discoveries in medicine, making it possible to relieve pain without bad after-effects.

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PROPOSALS WHITE EARTH AGENCY.
White Earth, Minn., March 4, 1904.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the United States Indian Agent, White Earth Agency, Minnesota, until twelve (12) o'clock noon, Central time, March 20, 1904, for the sale of five million (5,000,000) feet more or less, White and Neungis, Indian Reservation, being cut on the White Earth Diminished Reservation. These logs are banded and being cut at the following places on said reservation, to-wit:

2,800,000 feet of logs, more or less, at Elbow and Little Benduigi Lakes.

1,400,000 feet of logs, more or less, at Round Bay.

400,000 feet of logs, more or less, at Clearwater Falls, Bagley, Minn.

600,000 feet of logs, more or less, at Great Northern railway tracks, Elbow, Minn.

5,000,000 Bidders will not state in their bids the price proposed to be paid for White and Norway Pine separately, but the price per cord for the entire lot for logs at each or any of the above landings.

The sealed bids will be opened on the 25th day of March, immediately after 12 o'clock m., of said date, Central time, 1904, by the undersigned and Joseph R. Farr, general superintendent of logging, in the presence of bidders, which bids shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, accompanied by a certified check payable to Simon M. Nichols, United States Indian Agent, for 20 per cent of the amount bid, members of the undersigned or before the 15th day of April, 1904, and before any logs are removed from the landing. If any successful bidder or bidders fail or refuse to pay the remainder of the purchase money on or before April 11, 1904, the certified check of 20 per cent of the amount of the bid, deposited as evidence of good faith, will be forfeited to the use of the United States.

The scale now being made by the government scalers must govern in the sale of the logs, and prospective bidders may, by applying to the undersigned, ascertain the amount and total of each kind of logs at the various landings. Prospective bidders may also compare their cost scale with the government scale on file in the Indian Agent's office.

The right to reject any or all bids, or any part of any bid, is reserved.

For further information apply to the undersigned.

U. S. Indian Agent.

