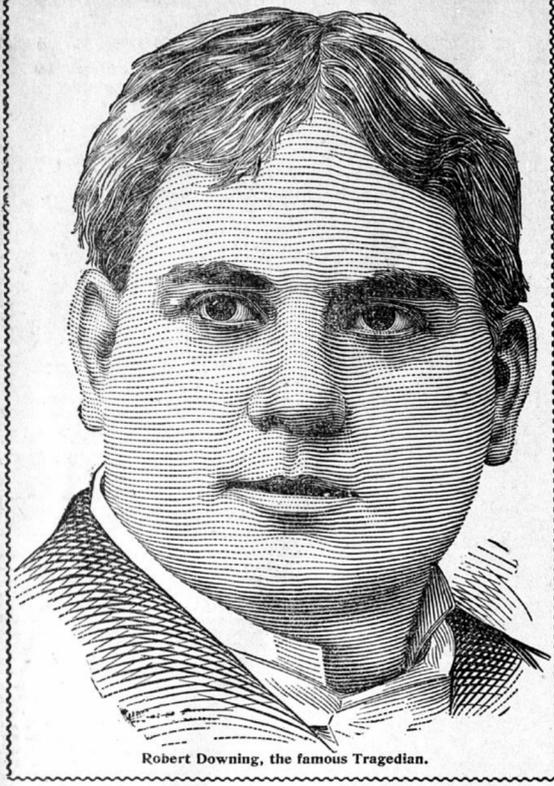


SYSTEMIC GATARRH

SO LITTLE UNDERSTOOD

Claims Many Thousands. A Tragedian's Thanks to Pe-ru-na



Robert Downing, the famous Tragedian.

In speaking of Peruna, Robert Downing, the famous tragedian, says: "I find Peruna a preventative against all sudden summer ills that swoop upon one in changing climates and water. It is the finest traveling companion and safeguard against malarial influences. You may notice that persons in poor health always find the heat most intolerable; this I avoid by using Peruna. I know by the thermometer that the weather is hot, yet I have felt the heat less this summer than ever. The cooling action of Peruna on the mucous membrane makes it invaluable to actors and singers, as it does away with that tendency to sudden hoarseness so apt to overtake one on emerging from a hot dressing room to a draughty stage."

"To sum it up, Peruna has done me more good than any tonic I have ever taken."—Robert Downing.

Mr. Hartman was the first physician in the United States to accurately describe systemic catarrh. His remedy Peruna, the only systemic catarrh remedy yet devised, is now known all over the civilized world. A person having used it once can never be persuaded to be without it when in need of such a remedy.

Write for a copy of Dr. Hartman's latest book entitled "Summer Catarrh." Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.

RAILROADS.

CHICAGO MPLS. RATE WAR IS ON

MILWAUKEE ROAD ANNOUNCES A DEEP CUT.

Says It Is All Due to Rates Announced by Another Line—Cut Is Made for Convention of Women's Catholic Order of Forerresters in St. Paul.

Chicago, May 5.—Demoralization exists in the passenger rates between Chicago, the twin cities and the northwest. Notice was given by the Milwaukee road yesterday that a rate of \$3 for the round trip would be made for the convention of the Women's Catholic Order of Forerresters this week in St. Paul. It is expected that the situation will be further complicated by another road in cutting the \$3 rate unless one of the warring factions of the Forerresters secures an injunction restraining the holding of the convention. The reason given by the Milwaukee from the cheap rate is a \$10 rate offered by another road for which no explanation was given.

The northwest situation is further complicated by a notice that the Wisconsin Central would put in a basing rate of \$10 for the round trip from Chicago to Yellowstone park and about twenty-five other points in the northwest. This caused a conference to be held yesterday, in which J. C. Pond, general passenger agent, explained that another line had practically given this fare by announcing a rate of \$36 from the twin cities and \$46 from Chicago to the Yellowstone park and return. An effort to induce the Wisconsin Central to take out the rate failed.

PIONEER LIMITED TO ST. LOUIS

Milwaukee Road May Establish Fine Fair Service.

READY TO BUILD ROADS

Railroad Contractors Waiting to Begin Operations at Thief River.

Mexican Central Election.

New York Sun Special Service. Boston, May 5.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mexican Central railway held here the action of the directors in amending the by-laws of the company to conform with Massachusetts statutes providing for the division of directors into classes according to tenure of office was ratified. The directors under this act were divided into five classes. The terms of three, Charles E. Perkins of Burlington, Iowa; John J. Mitchell of Chicago, and John J. Piper of New York, had expired in May, 1903, and they were re-elected. A report to the stockholders showed that as a result of the year's operation the company failed to earn the fixed charges and taxes by about \$500,000 in gold.

New A. G. P. A. Arrives.

Arthur B. Smith, the new assistant general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific, reached St. Paul yesterday from his former headquarters at Yellowstone park.

Santa Fe Shops Operate.

The Santa Fe announces the resumption of work by machinists from Chicago to the coast. In most cases, the officials state, a full complement of men is at work in each shop.

Commissions for Ticket Men.

Minneapolis railroad ticket agents will be allowed commissions by the White Pass & Yukon. It is hoped by the stampers that this will result in a return by other roads to the commission basis.

PRESS CLUB'S BOOK

Will Be Ready for Distribution at Tomorrow's Show.

The book of the Press Club of Minneapolis will be off the press to-day. Each holder of a ticket to the matinee performance at the Metropolitan theater to-morrow afternoon will be entitled to a copy, which will make the price of attendance very low. The book was originally intended to contain about ninety pages, but contributions were so numerous that it grew to a volume of 166 pages and the cost ran up until each copy will represent, to the club, an outlay of 48 cents.

The book is illustrated by the cartoonists and artists of Minneapolis and contains portraits of the members of the club, public officers and celebrated workers in literary and newspaper fields who were formerly residents of Minneapolis. The contents have a wide variety of striking originality, the writers being absolutely unhampered in their choice of subject and method of handling. As a result there is a wide variety of topics handled and they are handled in some instances without gloves.

There is a strong indication that the "standing room only" sign will be hung out early in the afternoon to-morrow at the benefit matinee at the Metropolitan. It is rarely that such an array of talent is offered at a benefit performance. Every theatrical organization now playing in Minneapolis has contributed from its galaxy of stars and the program will be diversified sufficiently to amuse the most bored theater goer at the close of a busy season. It will be a high class variety show with stars and artists who have never been in the ranks of vaudeville and whom it would cost thousands of dollars to present if undertaken in a regular way by a theatrical promoter. The Journal Newsboys' band will fill all gaps between the acts.

See Stockwell soon—That life insurance—The Penn Mutual, Andrus bldg.

Soo Line Homeseekers' Rate

To the Kootenay District First and third Tuesdays in May, 1904. Ticket Office, 119 Third street S.

To St. Louis World's Fair.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis is the only road with a World's Fair station. Direct to the gates in eighteen hours. Excursion tickets on sale. J. G. Rickel, City Ticket Agent, No. 1 Washington avenue S., Minneapolis.

Photos... A 9x14 or 16x20 inch enlargement free with \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Cabinet Mantellos.

MONEYBAK Silks... Best black silks made. Pure dye; guaranteed. We have the sole agency.

The Greatest Sale of **Furniture, Half Price** ever offered the residents of the Twin Cities and vicinity.

Bought at Half Wholesale Prices and being sold at **Half Regular Retail Prices**

Powers THE SHORT HOUR STORE
NICOLLET AVE.—FIRST AVE SO.—FIFTH ST

Our May Sale of **Muslin Underwear...** Continues. A most timely sale giving you an unexpected opportunity to save on summer undergarments. **Prices Greatly Reduced.**

Sale of White Cotton Dress Fabrics

Nicollet Avenue Thru to First Avenue South, and Wash Goods Aisle.

At Prices Never Before Quoted in the Twin Cities.

A stock of White Goods larger than the combined stocks of any three stores in Minneapolis or St. Paul. A stock so immense that to make a suitable display it is necessary to utilize bargain squares and aisle tables beginning in the Arcade on Nicollet Avenue thru the broad aisle to First Avenue So... 350 feet... and in the regular Wash Goods and White Goods Aisles—making **The Largest and Most Comprehensive Showing of New White Goods Ever Made in the Northwest.** White Goods for every purpose. White Goods of every desirable kind. Every new weave shown. You'll find what you want here.



Graduation and Confirmation Dresses...

This sale offers an excellent opportunity to buy the materials for Graduation and Confirmation Dresses. Mothers will find rare values in White Goods for baby's dresses, as well as in Novelty Suitings and Waistings for themselves.

The Values Quoted Seem Almost Impossible. They must be seen to be fully appreciated.

This Enormous Stock with full assortments of all kinds contains **Enough for All. Sale Begins Promptly at 8:30 Friday Morning, May 6.**

India Linons, French Lawns, Persian Lawns...

- 30-inch White India Linons; the best goods manufactured for the money; have the right finish, are sheer and fine. The regular 15c quality, yard... 10c. The regular 20c quality, yard... 13c. The regular 25c quality, yard... 15c.
- 45-inch Persian Lawns. The regular 25c quality, yard... 15c. The regular 30c quality, yard... 20c. The regular 35c quality, yard... 23c. The regular 40c quality, yard... 26c. The regular 45c quality, yard... 30c. The regular 50c quality, yard... 35c.
- 40-inch All White Lawns; fine, sheer qualities. The regular 17c quality, yard... 12c. The regular 20c quality, yard... 13c. The regular 25c quality, yard... 15c.
- 45-inch French Lawns for graduating gowns... The regular 25c quality, yard... 15c. The regular 30c quality, yard... 20c. The regular 35c quality, yard... 23c. The regular 40c quality, yard... 26c. The regular 45c quality, yard... 30c. The regular 50c quality, yard... 35c.

- ### White Novelty Suitings and Waistings in all This Season's Newest Styles...
- White Fancy Mercerized Striped Madras, soft finished, jacquard effects. A 20c value, sale price, yard... 15c.
 - White Fancy Mercerized Striped Lawn, a fine sheer fabric in a variety of styles. A 20c value, sale price, yard... 12 1/2c.
 - White Madras, fine, soft finished raised mercerized stripe with lace striped effect. A 25c value, sale price, yard... 15c.
 - White Striped Oxford Suitings, soft finished durable material. A 20c value, sale price, yard... 12 1/2c.
 - White Figured Pique Suiting, small effects. A 20c value, sale price, yard... 12 1/2c.
 - White Soft Finished Madras Suitings with raised pique stripe. A 25c value, sale price, yard... 15c.
 - White Fancy Mercerized Madras, wide and narrow stripes, a fine quality, 30c value, sale price, yard... 20c.
 - White Fancy Poplin Suitings with embroidered mercerized stripes, splendid variety of styles. A 35c value, sale price, yard... 25c.
 - White Fancy Mercerized Marseilles Suitings in a variety of designs. A 35c value, sale price, yard... 25c.
 - White Fancy Oxford Suitings, all mercerized; a beautiful lustrous material in stripes only. A 50c value, sale price, yard... 35c.
 - White Fancy Warp Weft Pique, soft finished with embroidered mercerized stripes. 50c value, sale price, yard... 35c.
 - White Mercerized Basket Cloth in large and small effects. A 65c value, sale price, yard... 40c.
 - White Fancy Striped Madras, soft finished quality. A 15c value, sale price, yard... 10c.
 - White Poplin with embroidered mercerized dots. A 35c value, sale price, yard... 19c.
 - White Full Mercerized Vesting in checked designs. 75c value, sale price, yard... 40c.
 - White Open Work Mattee, Fancy Vestings and Figured Pique; 65c and 75c values, sale price, yard... 45c.
 - White Brocaded Marseilles in floral and striped effects. 50c value, sale price, yard... 35c.

ASTONISHING CURE OF MALIGNANT CANCER

That Specialist O'Keefe of St. Paul has an absolute cure for external cancer in any stage, there is no doubt whatever. The cure is so radical in every case that it makes no difference what caused it, what the age of the afflicted one may be, or how long the cancer has stood, he guarantees an absolutely painless cure without the knife.

Here is the statement of an old gentleman whose word would be taken by all who know him without him stating it.

"I was a resident of New Elm, Minn., for nearly 35 years, up to a few years ago, when I removed to Hertha, Minn.

"I suffered terribly for a year and four months with a cancer in and around a large portion of my left eye. The cancer grew fast and was malignant, spreading over my left cheek and eating away a portion of the left side of my nose. The cancer continued to spread and I ate into the bone of the forehead, also eating into the bone of the nose, poisoning my blood so that tumors broke out on the face, there being a large one on the left side of my cheek near the ear. All treatment seemed to have no effect in checking the progress of the disease. I consulted with a number of doctors, but found no relief.

"At my family's wish I decided to visit Specialist O'Keefe of St. Paul.

"On Jan. 14, 1904, accompanied by my two sons, I went to St. Paul and consulted Specialist O'Keefe. My sons were satisfied that he could cure me, as they had interviewed some of his cured patients. On Jan. 17, three days later, I commenced Specialist O'Keefe's treatment. On Feb. 15, 1904, less than one month, he removed the cancer entirely. The wounds are healed and I am satisfactorily and perfectly cured.

"I am in my seventy-fourth year.

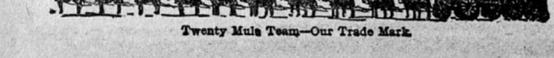
"Signed by VALENTINE ORTH, Ernest S. Carr, Frank Martin, Bessie D. Beards, Notary Public, Ramsey Co., Minn.



BORAXOLOGY

Happiness is largely a home-made affair. When you lighten labor in housework you lighten the heart. A box of BORAX represents just so much nerve force and energy saved. Not to mention an added degree of cleanliness that you couldn't get with soap and water alone. You'll be astonished to see how much easier and quicker you can wash things by adding a little Borax to the water. Be sure you get pure BORAX. Ask for 20-MULE-TEAM BRAND. At drug and grocery stores. 1/4, 1/2 and 1-lb. packages.

The famous "AMERICAN GIRL" PICTURES FREE to purchasers of "20-Mule-Team Borax." At stores or sent for BOX TOP and 4c. in stamps. Pacific Coast Borax Co., New York, Chicago, San Francisco.



Twenty Mule Team—Our Trade Mark.

Savers of Trading Stamps, READ!

Friday, May 6, with cash purchases only we will give **Double Amount Green Trading Stamps** in all departments

except Restaurant, Soda Fountain, Patent Medicines, Hair Goods, Eastman Kodak Co.'s goods, and on advertised white goods.

Groceries Included in this special stamp offer Friday.

GRAND MEADOW, MINN.—M. F. Baker of Brown, Minn., has been elected superintendent of all the place of Professor George E. Keenan. Professor Keenan goes to Appleton, Minn.

SHAKOPEE, MINN.—The body of Miss Lizzie Baur, who with Miss Lizzie Thielep of this place was drowned in the Minnesota river, has been sent to her home in Eden Valley.

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION

CURES BACKACHE NERVOUSNESS HEADACHE AND FEMALE WEAKNESS

NORTH COAST LIMITED

Electric Lighted—Observation Cars to Portland, Ore., via Butte, Spokane, Seattle, Tacoma. Pacific Express. Fargo, Helena, Butte, Spokane, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland. Fargo and Leach Lake Local. St. Cloud, Little Falls, Brainerd, Walker, Bemidji, Fargo. Dakota and Manitoba Express. Ferris Falls, Wapato, Moorhead, Fargo, Jamestown, Duluth, Crookston, Crookston, Grand Forks, Graton, Winnipeg.

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10:45 am	1:50 pm
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8:35 pm	6:50 pm

"Duluth Short Line" 7:15 am to 7:00 pm
"Duluth and Superior" 10:30 am to 7:00 pm

NORTH-WESTERN LINE

C. S. T. P. M. & O. R. Y.

Ticket Office, 609 Nicollet.	Phone, 240, Marine.
Ex. Sunday, Others Daily.	Leave, Arrive.
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison.	7:50 am 10:20 pm
Chicago—East Mall.	8:00 am 10:10 am
North-Western Limited.	8:00 am 7:55 pm
Duluth, Superior, Ashland.	9:35 am 9:35 pm
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Elmore, Algona, Des Moines.	7:10 am 8:10 pm
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New Ulm, Tracy, Watertown.	8:00 am 8:10 pm
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Omaha Limited.	7:30 pm 8:10 am
Sioux City, Omaha, Kan. Cy.	8:30 pm 8:10 am

THE GREAT NORTHERN

UNION STATION.

Office, 300 N. W. Ave. Phones—Main 880, T. C. 1728

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