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- Snappy tan and shiny leather Oxfords on our new Potay and Putter lasts, pair..... **\$3.50**
- Little Gents' tan and patent leather and fine velour calf Oxfords ties, pair..... **\$1.75**
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Stylish patent kid and patent calf Oxfords and button, pair..... **\$3.50**  
Ask for our Gopher Shoes, Gopher Oxfords, all styles, all leathers..... **\$3.50**

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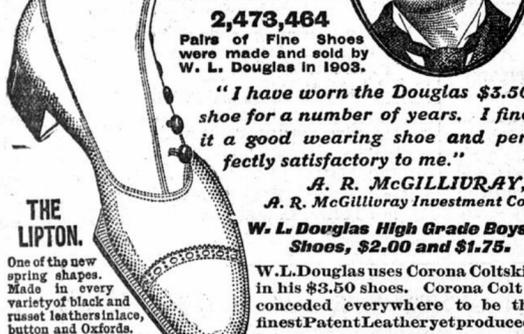


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Have no corrosive zinc and galvanized from linings. They are health refrigerators. Do you consider money in preference to health? Do you think a corrosive lined box a safe place in which to place your family's food? If not, stop using the dangerous, disease lurking refrigerator. We have a full line of HERRICK'S in plain white enamel on our floors, at all prices—be sure and see the Herick Sanitary Refrigerator before you buy.  
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Absolutely Cure BILIOUSNESS, SICK HEADACHE, FURD LIVER, TORPED TONGUE, INDIGESTION, CONSTIPATION, DIZZINESS, SALLOW SKIN.

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Genuine Wrapper Printed on RED PAPER BLACK LETTERS Look for the Signature *Asa Wood*

Small Pill, Small Price, Small Dose.

## In Labor's Field. DUBRUL'S TALK DRAWS ATTENTION

MOST STRIKES' FAULT OF EMPLOYERS, HE SAYS.

Speech Before Manufacturers Somewhat of a Surprise—Local Men Disposed to Agree with Him—Comment of Charles E. Burch of the Machinists' Union.

The press report of the proceedings of the convention of the National Association of Manufacturers, in session at Pittsburgh, Pa., this week, containing portions of the speech of E. P. DuBrul, commissioner of the Cincinnati branch of the association, has attracted attention locally. Mr. DuBrul is reported as having said that "80 per cent of the strikes in this country are the fault of the employer. Every time there is a strike, it is either caused by idleness in the plants or the rottenness of their management."

Among the craftsmen in the metal trade in Minneapolis many who know Mr. DuBrul, and by these he has always been regarded as at all times on the side of the bosses. "A hard man to get along with" was the way one member of the local Machinists' union put it. After being actively identified with the National Metal Trades' association in the conduct of numerous controversies between employers and employees in various parts of the country for a period of two years, DuBrul is regarded by the metal trades workers as speaking from actual experience. His utterances are taken to mean that the National Metal Trades' association of E. P. DuBrul, the men are not wholly to blame for strikes, and that in future a policy of conciliation will be followed which will meet the needs of the employer and unnecessary labor conflicts.

Charles E. Burch, twin city business agent of the Machinists' union and an organizer for the International Association of Machinists, comments upon Mr. DuBrul's remarks as follows: It is with much pleasure I note the fact that the business agent of the national metal trades has made up his mind at last that the greater part of the trouble between capital and labor is caused by the employer. Mr. DuBrul has in two years' experience in the field now, and no doubt clearly understands the position he has taken. Any well-read manager cannot help but admit that firms which may have been forced to treat with their employees at some time have found to their entire satisfaction that it was a good business proposition after all, and would not return to the old way of dealing with their men individually from their own choice. They now begin to realize that thru the organization men are better educated, more capable and that help is extended more freely to the workmen, all of which tends to increase the output of the employer.

## ST. PAUL WANTS IT Would Like to Have Presidency of State Federation.

Among those mentioned as prospective candidates for the presidency of the State Federation of Labor none is better or more favorably known to the members of organized labor thru out the state than Charles E. James of St. Paul. Mr. James is a member of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union, and is twin city business agent for the organization in the Minneapolis city in 1886 and has lived in Minneapolis or St. Paul almost continuously. He represented Boot and Shoe Workers' local, No. 204, in the Minneapolis central labor body for three years. After working in this city for four years he removed to St. Paul, where he continued his interest in the cause of organized labor. He was elected president of the Trades Assembly there and being elected president of that organization twice. Mr. James has served two terms as chairman of the Federation council, the executive committee of the State Federation of Labor, and has taken a deep interest in the welfare of the state body and organized labor generally. In union label work Mr.

## A RELIABLE MEDICINE

A Reporter of The Journal Interviews Voegel Bros. Drug Company.

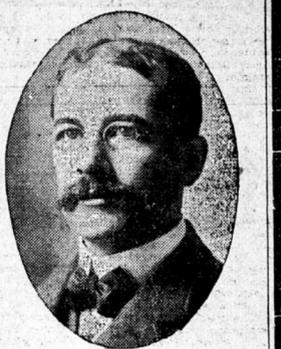
The Interview of Interest to Every Person in Minneapolis.

So many patent medicines and advertised cures are now offered to the public that our readers should be glad to know the opinion of men who have spent years in handling them, and profit by their advice. Said Mr. Voegel of Voegel Bros. Drug company: "After having sold drugs and all kinds of makes of medicines for so many years, naturally we have learned something about them, their value, and power to cure. There is no one medicine that will cure everything, but this we do know that if the people of Minneapolis only realized the wonderful curative and strength-creating power of Vinol, they would not have clerks enough in our store to put up the orders for it."

Continued Mr. Voegel: "You see, Vinol is not a patent medicine, and it actually does cure every one of the fifty odd medicinal curatives taken from fresh cods' livers with other vitalizing ingredients. It contains no poisonous drugs or masking ingredients you know just what you are taking. Vinol has wonderful life-giving properties; it tones up and invigorates every organ of the body to do its work, and we know it will make rich, red blood, build up the depleted system and create strength."

When I tell you that we have never sold in our store such a valuable remedy as Vinol for the following ailments, and that if it fails to accomplish what we say it will, we will refund your money, will show our faith in its wonderful curative and vitalizing powers. "It will build up run-down, tired, debilitated people. It will make the weak and sickly strong and well. It will make flesh for thin people. It will increase the appetite. It will cure nervousness, irritability and sleeplessness. It will cure stomach troubles, dyspepsia and indigestion. It will make rich, red blood. It will make weak, puny ailing children strong and robust. It is the greatest strengthener and body-builder in the world for old people. It is a great strengthener for weak women. It is a boon to nursing mothers. It will positively cure chronic coughs and colds. It cures bronchitis. It makes weak lungs strong and is of untold value in consumption and all wasting diseases. For the convalescent it has no equal as a strength-maker. "We cannot make a stronger statement and can only ask such people in Minneapolis to try Vinol on our guarantee." Voegel Bros. Drug Company, corner Hennepin and Washington avenues and corner Seventh street and Nicollet avenue.

James has been most active, and his work in this connection has taken him all over Minnesota. He served one term as president of the St. Paul Union Label League. As a member of the organization committee of the St. Paul Trades Assembly Mr. James assisted in the organization of the several unions. Mr. James is a member of the general executive board of the International Boot and Shoe Workers' union, and his counsel has been sought by the officials of that organization several times. He is regarded as one of the most conservative and brainiest men in the labor movement in Minnesota to-day, and will go into the New Ulm convention with a strong following from St. Paul and towns in the state at large. He was a candidate for president of the federation at the Little Falls convention. The Boot and Shoe Workers' organization has added fully 30,000 new members in five years and paid into the national treasury last year over \$295,000. Sick and death benefits to the amount of \$150,000 were paid to members.



CHARLES E. JAMES, St. Paul's Candidate for Presidency of State Federation of Labor.

## BLUE LABEL LEAGUE. All Is in Readiness for the State Convention.

The executive board of the State Blue Label League met in St. Paul and completed arrangements for the convention of the league, to be held in that city Sunday, May 12. Every cigar makers' union in the state will be represented, and upon the completion of the delegates will proceed to New Ulm to attend the session of the State Federation. Several changes in the league constitution are contemplated, and one of these is for the locating of the secretary of the organization in Minneapolis or St. Paul, where he will be more accessible to the general membership. F. E. Hoffman, state label agitator, is making a trip thru the southern part of Minnesota, in behalf of the cigar makers' label, and will return in time for the meeting in St. Paul. A souvenir card case, bearing the blue label, will be distributed over the state.

## TRADES ASSEMBLY Delegates to State Federation Elected Wednesday Night.

The regular meeting of the Trades Assembly Wednesday evening was largely attended. The principal business of the evening was the election of delegates to the convention of the State Federation of Labor at New Ulm Friday, May 12. The chairman of the Minneapolis assembly, president of the association, was elected by a unanimous vote, the other labor body of St. Paul, Hugh Jennings, L. Lund and John Durker. Alternates were also elected. Delegates from the Woman's Union Labor League reported that an entertainment under the auspices of the league would be given in A. O. U. W. hall, 15-17 Seventh street, on Wednesday evening, to which all union men and women are invited. An interesting program of music, recitations and addresses will be presented. The Labor Day committee reported that the excursion on the Fourth of July would be up the St. Croix river and lake.

## WILL ARBITRATE Longshoremen and Lake Carriers Come to Terms.

The second conference between representatives of the Longshoremen's Union and the Lake Superior Lumber Carriers' association, in Duluth last week, resulted in a settlement of all points at issue except the question of wages. There is a difference of 2 1/2 cents an hour between the managers and the men, and after a fruitless effort to bring the matter to a close, it was decided to leave the matter to arbitration. Edward Hines of Chicago, chairman of the conference, will appear on the arbitration board, and President D. J. Keefe, president of the International association, will appear for the workers. The men returned to work, and if the arbitration board decides upon an increase over the prevailing rate of pay they will receive the difference. The conference was marked for harmony and good feeling, both sides showing a disposition to be fair.

## Iron Molders' Scale. Controversy between the Iron Molders' Union and the local employers, which has been settled temporarily, has been referred to the officials of the National Association and the National Molders' Union for adjustment.

While it is hoped on all sides that a permanent agreement will be arrived at, such an outcome is by no means certain, and it is not unlikely that, in the event of failure to agree, the strike which was inaugurated last month may be renewed. The men say the employers want the union to waive certain rights with reference to handy men and floor men which the union cannot comply with. A decision is expected about the first of next month.

## Garment Workers Plan Fight. The organized clothing cutters and tailors have decided to hold the National Manufacturers' Association responsible for the war being waged against local unions of the United Garment Workers of America in Philadelphia and Rochester, N. Y., and steps are being taken to oppose the open-shop policy which is being put in effect in those cities in the clothing industry. The assistance of the American Federation of Labor has been enlisted and the campaign will be started by mass meetings in New York city, which will be attended by Samuel Gompers and the leading lights in the labor movement.

## Packers and Nailers Elect. Delegates to the convention to be held at Cedar Rapids next month are: Arthur Ogg, William Mitchell, G. H. Torgerson and George P. Darth. The dues of the union have been raised to 50 cents a month. Delegates to the State Federation of Labor convention will be elected at next Sunday's meeting.

## The Flour Loaders' Union has elected D. Curran and Fortman to the state federation convention.

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The man who wants summer comfort will wear Tan Oxfords.

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| Coats for little tots, ages 2 to 6 years: \$6.75, \$6.50 Coats, \$3.95. | Girls' Coats, 6 to 14 years: \$10.00, \$7.50, \$6.50 Coats, \$3.95. |
| \$16.50, \$10.50, \$7.50 Coats \$5.00.                                  | \$12.50, \$11.50, \$10.00 Coats, \$5.00.                            |
| \$15.00, \$13.50, \$10.00 Coats, \$6.75.                                | \$20.00, \$15.00, \$11.50 Coats, \$7.50.                            |

## Women's Jackets

Remarkable Clearance—about fifty odd Coats—They go for a song,

For Instance—\$35.00 White Canvas, silk lined Coat at \$12.50.—\$85.00 three-quarter Pongee Novelty Coat at \$35.00.—\$65.00 dressy black half-fitting Taffeta Coat at \$25.00.—\$30.00 white Taffeta Coat at \$9.50.—Two \$35.00 Black, fitted Cravenettes, size 36, for \$13.50—and other equally good values.

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in your pipe you get the same delightfully sweet smoke you enjoy in a cigar of high quality. Black Rose clippings is the same tobacco as goes into Black Rose Cigars.

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(Organized in 1903.) J. T. Dargan, president; Robert H. Burch, secretary. Attorney to accept service in Minnesota: Insurance Commissioner. Cash capital, \$102,294.13, NOV. 15, 1903.

Premiums other than perpetuities.....	\$100,337.97
Rents and interest.....	5,821.53
From all other sources.....	9,435.77
Total income.....	\$115,595.24
DISBURSMENTS IN 1903.....	\$14,336.00
Amount paid for losses.....	36,801.87
Commissions and brokers.....	2,000.00
Salaries and fees of officers and agents and employees.....	21,233.41
Taxes, fees and rents.....	5,063.12
All other disbursements.....	10,971.08
Total disbursements.....	\$88,500.48
Excess of income over disbursements.....	27,094.76
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1903.....	\$19,740.99
Mortgage loans.....	9,044.50
Collateral loans.....	200,450.00
Bonds and stocks owned.....	75,277.13
Cash in office and in bank.....	1,851.95
Accrued interest and rents.....	80,308.02
From all other sources.....	8,980,278.00
Total admitted assets.....	\$890,612.51
Assets not admitted, (\$27,307.41).....	
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1903.....	\$4,611.00
Unpaid losses and claims.....	\$4,611.00
Reinsurance reserve.....	84,610.50
Capital stock paid up.....	162,294.00
Total liabilities, including capital.....	\$251,515.50
Net surplus.....	1,850,097.01
Assets less liabilities.....	\$1,850,097.01
Fire risks written during the year.....	\$14,062,804.00
Premiums received thereon.....	230,190.00
Net amount in force at end of the year.....	9,380,278.00

STATE OF MINNESOTA. Department of Insurance. Whereas, The Atlanta-Birmingham Fire Insurance Company, a corporation organized under the laws of Alabama, has fully complied with the provisions of the laws of this state relative to the admission and authorization of insurance companies of its class. Now, therefore, I, the undersigned, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby empower and authorize the said above-named company to transact its appropriate business of fire insurance in the state of Minnesota, according to the laws thereof, until the thirty-first day of January, A. D. 1905, unless said authority be revoked or otherwise legally terminated prior thereto. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at St. Paul this 16th day of May, A. D. 1904. E. L. DEARTH, Insurance Commissioner.