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CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

Owing to the delay in getting our building all completed, and the immense quantity of goods to be handled, checked, marked and placed, we found it impossible to open when we expected. We say without fear of contradiction, when we throw open our doors St. Paul will have one of the handsomest and most complete retail stores in the world. Due notice will be given of our Opening Day, when we invite you to pass judgment on our efforts.

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IT will pay you to examine the quantity, quality and prices of Meats and facilities for keeping same in a clean and healthy condition at

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DURING FAIR WEEK ONLY

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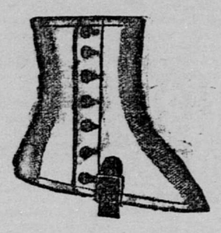

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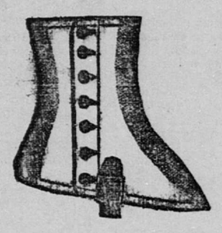

All Kinds of Fancy Overgaiters and Leggings Made to Order.

20% DISCOUNT OR 1-5 OFF

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Mail Orders Filled on Day Received.——Discount Allowed on Cash Sales Only.

Our Custom Department is the Largest and Most Complete Establishment in the Northwest.

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We are prepared to make all kinds of Theatrical and Costumers' Footwear.

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The Largest Manufacturers in the World of

FINE TAILOR-MADE CLOTHING

OUR

Third Annual Opening

With the Grandest and Most Complete Display of

FALL AND WINTER

CLOTHING, HATS and FURNISHINGS

Never before in the History of our Business have our strenuous efforts been so fruitfully rewarded as this Fall. We can gratify the most critical.

SEE US FOR NEWEST STYLES IN

Men's Box Overcoats.	Youths' Double-Breasted Overcoats.
Men's Half-Box Overcoats.	Youths' Cutaway Suits.
Men's Body-Fitting Overcoats.	Youths' Single and Double-Breasted Sack Suits.
Men's Prince Albert Suits.	Boys' 3-Piece Short-Pant Suits.
Men's Cutaway Suits.	Boys' 2-Piece Short-Pant Dress Suits.
Men's Single-Breasted Sack Suits.	Boys' 2-Piece Short-Pant School Suits.
Men's Double-Breasted Sack Suits	
Youths' Box Overcoats.	

These goods are direct from our own factory, thus saving you the middleman's profit.

BROWNING, KING & CO.

Seventh and Robert Streets, St. Paul, Minn.

FOR LABOR'S OUTING.

The Complete Arrangement for the Workmen's Celebration To-Morrow.

Great Bicycle Meet to Be the Feature of the First Fair Day.

Programme for the Dual City Parade and the Race Entries.

Prizes and Programme for the Illumination and Street Display.

To-morrow has been designated by the labor organizations throughout the United States as Labor day. The observance of the day in St. Paul, judging from the extensive preparations made, will conduce to make it a memorable occasion. Mayor Smith has issued a proclamation recommending the observance of the day as a holiday, and that the city and county offices be closed. The trades and labor assembly has appealed to the manufacturers, merchants and all employers favorable to organized labor to close their establishments from 8:30 a. m to 11:30 a. m., and to allow their employes to join in the industrial parade. Various organizations of tradesmen have responded with unanimity to the request of the trades and labor assembly to participate in the parade, and the procession will be a most creditable one. The marching will be enlivened by the music of half a dozen of the best cornet bands in the city. Several of the organizations have ordered new banners for the occasion, and many of them will wear novel costumes.

After the Rice park meeting there will be a picnic, with athletic sports and dancing, at Banholzer's park. The official programme has been prepared, and 25,000 copies of it have been distributed in circular form. It is as follows:

Educational Exercises at Rice Park—Address of welcome by E. C. Ives, president of Trades and Labor assembly; address of the day, "Progress of Labor Reforms," by Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts; music by Seibert's Great Western band.

OFFICERS OF THE DAY.

Marshals—Chief marshal, Otto Johnson; assistant, Louis Nash.

Trades and Labor Assembly—Retail Clerks' Union No. 2, C. F. Lusk; typographical union, J. H. Wilson; moulders' union, P. S. O'Connell; painters and decorators, A. Seibert; bakers' union, Charles Holz; pressmen and feeders, P. J. Maloney, S. J. O'Rourke, Harry Martindale as aid; plasterers' union, Patrick Quinn; tin, sheetiron and cornicewokers, J. Churchill; boilermakers' union, C. J. Allen; cigarmakers' union, Stephen Deitz; carpenters and joiners, E. M. Allen; horseshoers' union, Louis Simons; Boot and Shoemakers, 2832, K. of L., Morehouse, aids Otto Hill and F. A. Twiss; K. of L. assemblies; waiters' union, R. A. Rainey; bricklayers' union, John Davis; tailors' union, A. M. Jacobson; barbers' union, C. Clifton.

PROGRAMME OF SPORTS.

Game Base Ball—Typographical Union vs. Retail Clerks' Union No. 2, R. C. N. P. A.

Sports—Running high jump; ladies' egg spoon race; tug of war (scratch team); one hundred yard foot race; pipe race; ladies' race, fifty yards and return; fat men's race, each contestant to weigh not less than 200 pounds; hop skip and jump; three legged race.

Prizes for the foregoing events will be announced on the grounds.

Intending competitors will be expected to show their membership cards, with dues paid up to date.

All organizations will be in line at 8:30. Procession will move at 9 sharp.

FIRST DIVISION

Will form on Cedar and Exchange, facing South.
Detail of Police.
Chief Marshal.
First Regiment Band.
Trades and Labor Assembly.
Clerks' Union, No. 2, R. C. N. P. A.

SECOND DIVISION

Will form on Cedar in the rear of First Division.
Danz Military Band.
Typographical Union No. 30.
Moulders' Union,
Painters and Decorators'.

THIRD DIVISION

Will form on Summit Avenue, facing West.
Band.
Bakers' Union.
Pressmen and Feeders' Union.
Plasterers' Union.

FOURTH DIVISION

Will start on Twelfth street, facing west.
Band.
Tin, Sheet Iron and Cornice Workers' Union.
Boilermakers' Union.
Plumbers' Union.

FIFTH DIVISION

Will form on Eleventh street, facing west.
Liberty Drum Corps.
Cigarmakers' Union.
Carpenters and Joiners' Union.
Horseshoers' Union.

SIXTH DIVISION

Will form on Tenth street, facing west.
Band.
Boot and Shoemakers' Assembly, No. 2832, K. of L.
K. of L. Assemblies.
Waiters' Union.

SEVENTH DIVISION

Will form on Exchange, facing East.
Paul Kleist's Band.
Bricklayers' Union.
Tailors' Union.
Barbers' Union.

The line of march will be as follows: Will form at the capitol on Cedar, south on Cedar to Ninth, east on Ninth to Robert street, Robert street to Eighth street, Eighth to Broadway, Broadway to Third street, Third street to Seven corners, Seventh street to Fifth, Fifth street to Rice park and there disband, where speeches will be delivered, after which an adjournment will be made to Banholzer's park, where general festivities will be indulged in.

The officers and committees in charge are as follows:

Otto Johnson, chairman; E. M. Stephenson, secretary; W. J. Davis, J. M. Taylor, B. K. Forthun, Fred Valesh, Mr. Stuhlman.

Officers Trades and Labor Assembly—President, E. C. Ives; vice president, H. Myers; recording secretary, Hy Franklin; financial secretary, S. W. Score; treasurer, V. M. Stephenson; sergeant-at-arms, Simion Sheehy; trustees, D. Barnard, J. C. Meyers, Earland Worquist.

Executive Board—C. Guiney, J. Churchill, J. C. Meyers, Otto Johnson, Fred Valesh, E. Morrisey, W. M. Riley.

FOR FAIR WEEK.

The Parades and Competitions to Be Determined on Third Street.

When George R. Finch takes hold of anything in the shape of an exhibition he does it with energy and zeal, and the result is that the thing, whatever it is, is certain to be a grand success. This year he is chairman of the chamber of commerce and jobbers' union committee on State Fair, and as such yesterday announced that the following series of events had been prepared for next week in conjunction with the grand illumination of Third and other streets:

Monday—Grand parade of wheelmen of St. Paul and other cities. Prizes, amounting to $150, to be distributed according to order of merit arranged by the wheelmen themselves.

Tuesday—General parade of the military of the two cities.

Wednesday—Parade of the National Ticket Agents' association, to be followed by a concourse of all the finest equipages in the city, $200 in prizes to be awarded to the owners of the finest turnouts.

Thursday—Parade of the St. Paul fire department.

Friday—Grand masquerade, at which the following prizes will be given: For gentlemen, best character masks, first prize, $30; second prize, $15; best comical masks, first prize, $15; second prize, $5; best groups, first prize, $60; second prize, $25. For lady maskers the same list of prizes is offered.

George R. Finch, P. J. Giesen and B. Kuhl guarantee the prizes, and the money is on deposit with President Albert Scheffer, of the Commercial bank, and each prize will be paid as soon as the award is made.

The military parade on Tuesday evening promises to be one of the great events of the series, as the prizes are so arranged as to insure a large turnout as well as fine drilling. Company C. of this city, boldly announces that it proposes to capture the prize for the largest turnout. Col. Bend has issued an order for the companies of the First regiment in St. Paul to parade in full uniform at the armory at 8:30 o'clock.

The lantern parade on Monday evening will start from Rice park at 8:30.

WHEELMEN OF MINNESOTA

Will Furnish the Feature of the Fair's First Day.

The State Fair will open with a feature day. The programme will be entirely devoted to the cycling tournament, and it promises to eclipse anything of the kind ever witnessed in the West. There will be twelve events, and each is well filled by good wheelmen who aspire to win victories.

The day will open with a street parade in Minneapolis. The St. Paul cyclists will assemble at Summit park at 8 o'clock Monday morning and ride to Minneapolis, via University avenue, to participate in the parade.

The Minneapolis wheelmen will assemble at the coliseum grounds, on University avenue in that city, and await the arrival of the St. Paul contingent. The parade will then be taken up at once, and they will traverse the streets indicated below:

University avenue, Central avenue, Seventh street south, Sixth avenue south, Portland avenue, Twenty-fourth street, Park avenue, Tenth street, Nicollet avenue to Bridge square, where the parade will be dismissed.

The order of the line will be:

ORDER OF LINE.
Mounted Police.
Seibert's Band,
Mayor's Escort, Capt. J. W. Taylor commanding.
Mayor and Carriages.
Staff of the Tournament, Lieut. H. P. Hatch commanding.
Ladies' Cycling League, Capt. Florence M. Lewis commanding.
St. Paul Cycle Club, Capt. Thomas L. Bird commanding.
Business Men's Bicycle Association, Vice President F. M. Washburn commanding.
Junior Organization.
Visiting Wheelmen.
Flour City Cyclists, Lieut. L. A. Menich commanding.
Lake Harriet Ponies, in charge of F. C. Barrett.

Visiting wheelmen and local organizations will form as follows:

Ladies' cycling league, Tenth avenue southeast, facing University; St. Paul Cycle club, same, in rear of ladies; business men's association, University, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues; juniors, Eleventh avenue southeast, facing University.

JOHN W. TAYLOR, Chief Marshal.
H. P. HATCH, Assistant Marshal.

The officers of the various clubs especially request that every member wear the club badges, and have their wheels ornamented tastily. They are particularly anxious that visitors participate in the festivities.

Shortly after noon the wheelmen will take up the ride to the State Fair grounds in order to be there in time for the sports.

The evening will be spent in St. Paul. A lantern parade will be given through the principal streets, including the illuminated Third street. Handsome prizes will be given for the best decorated wheels and other features. The details for this event have not yet been completed.

The racing will begin at the State Fair track promptly at 2 o'clock. The programe, together with the prizes and entries, follow:

First race, one mile, beginners' safety—First prize, gold medal, net value $10, presented by State Agricultural society; second prize, gold medal, value $5, presented by Minneapolis Tribune; third prize, box Crown Jewel cigars, presented by Hodlin Bros., Minneapolis.

Entries—L. A. Meirich, H. R. Steenson, J. L. Boyeson, Minneapolis; F. A. Savage, D. Morton, W. P. McGowan, St. Paul.

Second race, one mile, novice ordinary—First prize, gold medal, net value $10, presented by state agricultural society; second prize, one pair bicycle shoes, presented by Schlick & Co., St. Paul; third race, one pair cuff-buttons, presented by Jacobs & Co., Minneapolis.

Entries—John L. Boysen, Minneapolis; R. A. Townshend, St. Paul C. C; F. A. Reid, St. Paul C. C.

Third race, mile, state championship, safety—First prize, gold medal, net value $35, presented by State Agricultural society; second prize, Lakin cyclometer, presented by S. F. Heath & Co.; third prize, embossed silver cup, presented by E. A. Brown, East Third street, St. Paul.

Entries—D. W. Van Vleck, St. Paul C. C.; John S. Johnson, Minneapolis; George T. Biggs, Collie Bell, M. A. Smith, John L. Boyson, B. B. Bird.

Fourth race, two miles, seven-minute class; ordinary—First prize, gold medal, net value $15, presented by State Agricultural society; second prize, one pair cuff buttons, presented by Fiske & Co., Minneapolis; third prize, athletic shirt, presented by A. L. Arthur, East Seventh street, St. Paul.

Entries—H. R. Steenson, A. W. Harrison, John L. Boysen, W. S. Day, Minneapolis; C. C. Townsend, R. H. Townsend, Charles G. Peterson, H. P. Hatch, St. Paul Cycle Club.

Fifth race, one mile, state championship, ordinary—First prize, gold medal, net value, $25, presented by State Agricultural society; second prize, silver-handled umbrella, presented by Barnaby, hatter, Minneapolis; third prize, one pair bicycle hose, presented by St. Paul Rubber company.

Entries—A. A. Graham, H. R. Steenson, Colie Bell, Minneapolis; D. W. Van Vleck, St. Paul C. C.; John S. Johnson, W. S. Day, Minneapolis.

Sixth race, mile, safety open—First prize, gold medal, net value $15, presented by State Agricultural society; second prize, scarf pin, net value $3, presented by W. H. Driscoll Jr.; third prize, pocketbook, net value $2, presented by Garland Trunk factory.

Entries—Colie Bell, John S. Johnson, Minneapolis; E. C. Bode, Chicago, Ill.; M. A. Smith, G. T. Biggs, St. Paul Cycle club.

Seventh race, mile, ordinary, open—First prize, gold medal, net value, $15, presented by State Agricultural society; second prize, bicycle shoes, presented by Goodyear Rubber company; third prize, one bicycle bell, Snow Bicycle house.

Entries—A. A. Graham, H. R. Steenson, A. W. Harrison, Colie Bell, John L. Johnson, Minneapolis; Charles G. Peterson, C. C. Townsend, St. Paul.

Eighth race, quarter mile, safety, three heats, best two out of three—First prize, gold medal, net value $15, presented by state agricultural society, Wabasha street; second prize, set shirt studs, $3.50, presented by D. E. Foley, St. Paul; third prize, pocket hunting knife, $1.50, presented by Northwestern Hardware company.

Entries—D. W. Van Vleck, St. Paul, C. C.; Colie Bell, Minneapolis; George T. Biggs, St. Paul, C. C.; John S. Johnson, Minneapolis; B. B. Bird, St. Paul, C. C.; M. A. Smith, St. Paul, C. C.

Ninth race, five miles, handicap, safety, open—First prize, gold medal, net value $40, presented by State Agricultural society; second prize, gold scarf pin, net value $7.50, presented by George W. Woolley, East Third street; third prize, paper knife, presented by H. E. Wedelstaedt & Co., East Third street; time prize, real bronze pitcher, presented by P. F. Egan, East Third street, value at $15; booby prize, bicycle whistle, presented by Kennedy Bros., East Third street, St. Paul.

Entries—H. B. Fargo, L. L. Bird, D. W. Van Vleck, M. A. Smith, George T. Biggs, B. B. Bird, St. Paul; E. C. Bode, Chicago, Ill.; H. R. Steenson, Colie Bell, John S. Johnson, John L. Boysen, Minneapolis.

Tenth race, two miles, seven-minute class, safety—First prize, gold medal, net value $15, presented by State Agricultural society; second prize, meerschaum pipe, presented by Winick & Doerr, Minneapolis; third prize, one pair tennis Oxfords, presented by J. L. Loyering, Wabasha street, St. Paul.

Entries—H. B. Fargo, F. A. Savage, Howard Hatch, B. B. Bird and H. P. Hatch, St. Paul C. C.; L. A. Merrick, H. R. Steenson and John L. Boyson, Minneapolis.

Eleventh race, 100-yard dash, velocipedes and tricycles—First prize, gold and silver combination medal, net value, $5, presented by State Agricultural society. Second, Scarf pin. Entries received at track.

Twelfth race, one-half mile, between bicycle and horse—First prize, gold medal, net value $10, presented by State Agricultural society. Charles H. Ashinger, six day's champion, will ride his wheel against a State Fair trotter.

PERSONALS.

Miss C. Erwin, of the capitol, is spending a few days in Minneapolis.

Solomon Porter, treasurer of Kandiyohi county, visited Bank Examiner Kenyon yesterday.

Congressman John Lind, of the Second district, was among the visitors at the capitol yesterday.

Deputy Boiler Inspector McMillan, of Minneapolis, conferred with Chief Inspector Clark yesterday.

Mrs. E. F. Berrisford and family have just returned from their farm near Jordan, Minn., where they have been spending the summer.

Deputy Clerk Helm, of the supreme court, has returned from his fishing trip to the Lake Superior country, but he refuses to relate fish stories. He has some regard for his reputation as to veracity.

Miss Nystrom, the new acquisition to the staff of manual instructors, is well-known in the old world for her devotion to the cause of education in general, and manual training in particular. She comes of a Swedish family famous for its artistic, literary and scientific achievements, and has the honor of being the relative of John Ericson. She has had every advantage which education and culture can give, and gained her experience as a teacher in one of the largest secondary schools in Stockholm before she specially devoted herself to manual training. For some years past Miss Nystrom has been working in England, where she has obtained wide public recognition, and from there she brings valuable testimonials.

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HERE'S NEWS THAT WILL INTEREST THE WHOLE TOWN!

FALL OVERCOATS ARE FLYING!

THE great sale of Fall Overcoats is a howling success. All the nobby young men concede that the nobbiest come from our store. They're tailored by the best makers on this continent. Every purchase means

Latest Styles, Perfect Satisfaction

——and a Great Saving of Dollars. Look how they're going:

$25.00 Silk-Lined Granite Overcoats	CUT TO	$20.00
$20.00 Imported Schnabel Overcoats	TO	$15.00
$18.00 Imported Kersey Overcoats	TO	$13.50
$16.50 Black Cheviot Overcoats	TO	$12.00
$12.50 Elegant Melton Overcoats	TO	$9.00
$10.00 Nobby Cheviot Overcoats	TO	$7.50

A perfect coincidence between a Time and a Bargain. Chilly mornings and evenings suggest warmth. This chance has never been equaled for Cheapness and Attractiveness.

Our Boys' Department has been booming this week. Mothers say we are Twenty per cent cheaper than any store on the street. If you've got a boy, and want a SCHOOL SUIT, come and see us and try the power of a few dollars. All New and Handsome, and of the Best Makers. We're still giving all our $4.50, $5.00 and $6.00 Medium-Weight Knee-Pant Suits for $3.50. Just the weight and color for fall wear. They're going fast; better come at once.

CORRECT HATS! FOR FALL.

HERE'S the Harvest. All the new Fall Shapes of Dunlap, Knox and Youman at $2.50 and $3.00. You pay only for the style—nothing for the name. We'll save you from $1 to $2, and give you the best that's going.

SEE THE "HOFFMANN HAT."

Our great leader. That's the Trademark, and it's the synonym for everything that is especially perfect in style and satisfying in quality; suits every one; all shapes; equals any $3 Hat in the city.

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