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DIVORCE FOR MR. STOCKING

JUDGE LEWIS FINDS FOR HIM IN THE CASE

Mrs. Stocking, the Court Holds, Deserted Her Husband Without Any Cause or Justification—The Answer Set Up by the Defendant Is Not True—Bonds of Marriage Dissolved as Asked for.

Hobart M. Stocking was given a verdict in his case for divorce against his young wife yesterday by Judge Lewis. The case was of such a nature and the necessity of a clean decision so far appealed to the presiding judge that there is no qualification in the verdict in favor of the plaintiff. It is for Mr. Stocking in every phrase.

Mr. Stocking is a man of fifty years. He has been connected for many years with the principal lumbering interests of the Northwest. He is known familiarly as a timber owner and operator of sawmills all over Northern Wisconsin. He is a man of very considerable wealth. He was the owner of the first large sawmill at the head of Lake Superior, and was the pioneer of the lumbering interest in West Superior. He is worth probably a couple of hundred thousand dollars. His wife died some few years ago. He is a member of the Loyal Legion and has a very general acquaintance with business men and those who are prominent socially in the Northwest.

Three years ago, at the lake waterways convention at Cleveland, Mr. Stocking was in that city engaged in the trial of a law suit. One Sunday he met a military looking man in the elevator of the hotel in which he was staying. The military looking man wore the star of the Loyal Legion, and they bowed, and when they met the next time they bowed again.

That night while Mr. Stocking was smoking a cigar the military gentleman, whose name it transpired was Col. Barnitz, U. S. A., asked Mr. Stocking to go to church with him and his family. Mr. Stocking declined the invitation, and later when he met Col. Barnitz the latter said that he looked lonesome, and would he not like to meet his family? Mr. Stocking was then introduced to the family, which consisted of the lady who became his wife, Col. Barnitz and Mrs. Barnitz.

Miss Barnitz was not pretty, but she was stylish and attractive, and before Mr. Stocking had left Cleveland he had established an understanding with Mrs. Barnitz as to a possible marriage.

And so they were married; Stocking and the young lady. She had social ambitions, and Mr. Stocking was a man of wealth, and they were quite as one in removing from the town of Eau Claire, Wis., where they lived for a time, to St. Paul, and a house was taken on Summit avenue.

Mr. Stocking had a young daughter by his previous marriage, and the daughter lived with Mr. and Mrs. Stocking. The marriage occurred in April, 1896, and some eight months later Mrs. Stocking went home to visit her people. After she got home a letter came to Mr. Stocking from her, saying that she would not return to him. He went on to Cincinnati, where Mrs. Stocking was staying with her people, and when he came back it was with the understanding that his wife was to follow him. She did not, and after waiting for a year or more he brought suit for divorce. That is, in brief, the story of their meeting and married life.

Some six weeks ago Mr. Stocking brought suit for divorce from his wife on the ground of desertion. He says that he, in the meantime, used every endeavor to have her return to him, but that she refused. When the complaint was made in the case it looked like a very ordinary divorce proceeding, but when Attorney Tighe filed his answer it took on such sensational features as have seldom marked a divorce case in the local courts.

The answer included a demand for a cross bill and related a number of petty instances of alleged cruelty. The instances were trivial in themselves, but they made such a relation of martial woes that the public was made acquainted with them through The Globe. The intimation of cruelty was a secondary proposition for the principal complaint of Mrs. Stocking was that she had been infected by her husband with a loathesome disease. The case at once assumed such proportions that it was understood that it would be fought bitterly. The future social life of the husband was at stake, as he said after the decision was rendered, it made him feel like a new man to have his friends take him by the hand.

The case has not occupied very much space in the newspapers on account of its peculiarly unsavory character There was no attack made on the character or reputation of either of the principals and the only question before the court was that of the presence of the disease.

John D. O'Brien, a hair-splitting lawyer, who goes into the very heart of what the testimony means, was the leading counsel for the plaintiff, and Ambrose Tighe, a very close observer and bitter fighter, was for the defense. Both of the leading counsel were assisted by men of repute from abroad and, it is said by some of the judges and lawyers who have watched the case, that there have been few cases tried in the district court of this county that were so thoroughly fought out.

The taking of the evidence covered nine days and through it all the fragile young woman, with prominent features and ash blonde hair, who was until yesterday, Mrs. Stocking, sat, almost without expression, by the side of her mother and listened to evidence that was of such a nature, at times, as to make the court habitue to change his expression. Beside Mrs. Stocking sat Mrs. Barnitz, a well preserved lady of some fifty years, and beyond her, her husband, a man of military bearing, who appeared to be bored to a considerable extent by what was going on.

Experts were put on the stand by both sides, but those on the part of the plaintiff, who had became actually the defendant when the attack was made by the defendant, were so specific in their testimony that there was no doubt of the verdict—if it rested on the presumption of disease raised by the defense. It was proved that there was really no disease existing on the part of either husband or wife. The bottom of the case was stated, so far as Mrs. Stocking was concerned, in a conversation that was had between herself and Mr. Stocking, in which she had said:

"You don't like my mother and I don't like your daughter."

Mr. Stocking's contention was that it was a case of too much mother-in-law.

Judge Lewis, in finding for the plaintiff, makes these specific findings:

That on the 15th day of January, 1897, and for more than one year next preceding the filing of the complain herein, defendant, without any cause or justification therefor, wilfully deserted the plaintiff, and since that time has, and still does, wilfully desert the plaintiff, and that all of the allegations of the complaint are true.

That the allegations in the answer are not true.

That the plaintiff is entitled to judgment against the defendant, dissolving the bonds of marriage now existing between them and divorcing the plaintiff therefrom.

It was said that Col. and Mrs. Barnitz and Mrs. Stocking, left the city immediately after the close of the case. They have been staying at the Albion during the progress of the trial and returned to the home of Col. Barnitz in Cleveland.

There was no motion made for a stay yesterday, but it was intimated that the case would probably be appealed.

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Kohlrabi, per bunch	2½c
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Wisconsin Swiss cheese, per lb	15c
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MUSICAL MELANGE.

A Berlin critic referring to the recent production of a new opera there, calls attention to the fact that piano virtuosos seem ultimately to become operatic composers, and the names mentioned go to prove the truth of this assumption. Weber and Meyerbeer are forgotten as pianists in the fame of their operas, and more modern instances of a similar development are to be found in the cases of Rubinstein, Moszkowski, D'Albert and even Paderewski, who is just now at work in the composition of an opera. The composer of the opera which suggested these reflections was not only a pianist, but a one-armed one—Count Geza Zichy, of Budapest.

"Alar" is the name of the new work, which has already been heard at Karlsruhe and Budapest. The libretto of his opera was also written by this left-handed composer, who, if he possessed the usual number of hands, would doubtless have been a person of most heroic powers. He has traveled everywhere as a vituoso, practically composing anew for the piano the works which his deformity did not allow him to play as they are written. The story is taken from an old Hungarian legend dealing with the story of a knight, who, feeling himself unworthy the love of either of two women, goes to the Crusades and returns to find that, thinking him dead and themselves deserted, one had killed herself and the other become a nun. He is then murdered by a gypsy. Count Zichy's libretto belonged to a period somewhat too antique for the lover of modern opera, and his music, although it was plainly affected by the methods of Wagner, created no other impression on his hearers than respect for his intentions.

The prize offered by the German emperor to the best of the amateur singing societies will be awarded by the kaiser himself, who has decided that the competition should be held in the summer of 1899 at Cassel. The festivities will continue for two days, and will be held in the early part of June. Only societies of 100 singers will be allowed to compete. The societies will be asked to sing a work composed for the purpose that will be submitted to them six weeks before the contest, and another simpler song is to be given to the society an hour before it is to be sung by them, and the third they can select for themselves, so long as it is unaccompanied, contains no solos and does not continue for more than twenty minutes. No society will be allowed to select a song with which it has previously won a prize. The prize given by the emperor is a medal, which is to be worn on all festal occasions by the head of the society. It will take three victories to make the possession of the emblem permanent.

The kaiser will select the committee of judges, and it is fair to surmise that he will be among them.

Nevada, after several years of absence, recently made her reappearance in Paris as the Brahmin princess in Delibes' "Lakme." She was given a most cordial welcome, and her efforts were received with prolonged and hearty applause. Marie Van Zandt, whose successes in this role have served to identify her with it, was on the same evening quietly married to a Russian lawyer.

The New York Post grieves over the fact that Greater New York, with its 3,500,000 inhabitants, is not going to have one first-class conductor next season, while in Europe a small city like Karlsruhe, with only 85,000 inhabitants, has been made one of the art centers of Germany through the labors of Felix Motti. But, unfortunately for Karlsruhe, Motti has accepted a very advantageous offer from Munich.

The Paris Figaro tells the story that Verdi gets rid of the hand-organ plague by renting all the instruments in his vicinity, and at one time he had ninety-five of them in his house. If this is true, it ought to provide business for some enterprising hand organ manufacturer.

Still more unpublished manuscripts of compositions by Beethoven and Schubert have been discovered, this time in the archives of the Peterskirche in Vienna. There is a choral work with full orchestral parts by Beethoven and nine songs, a complete mass, a fantasia for four hands and a rondo by Schubert.

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LALLA STEPHENSON,
Youngest Orchestra Leader.

Miss Lalla Stephenson, of Cincinnati, O., is the youngest orchestra leader in the world. When Miss Stephenson was 11 years old she assumed the leadership of the Opera House orchestra in Wabash, Ind., and held the position continuously for four years. On Oct. 21, 1892, the youthful leader and her orchestra were chosen to open the fine new opera house at Defiance, O., with the Clara Morris Dramatic company. In May, 1895, she resigned her unique position to go to Cincinnati for study, and for two years has been a member of the college orchestra, under Frank Von der Sticken. Miss Stephenson was born in Wabash, Ind., July 2, 1880, and showed a marked love for music in her babyhood, but did not begin the serious study of the violin until she was 7 years old, when she studied under Otto Soldan. She is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephenson, of Cincinnati.

CIRCUS MANAGER'S TROUBLES.

They Extend to the Womanly Equestriennes.

Miss May Davenport is an equestrienne. Rude people might call her a circus rider, but such a use of the nomenclature of the ordinary world in the canvas home of the Forepaugh-Sells Bros.' circus would result in swift, sure destruction for the offender. Half a dozen people—members of her personal retinue—would immediately annihilate the culprit.

It is this condition which brought alarm to the circus managers a few days ago in Chicago, when a breathless attendant from the dressing tent brought word that Miss Davenport had slapped Miss Maude Livingston. It was not so much the exalted state of the offender that the situation was serious, but because Miss Livingston occupied a position equally as prominent upon the posters, and when an investigation revealed that Miss Estelle Hobson had delivered a vigorous opinion of both the others, the necessity for action became imperative. The three bareback stars of the circus had quarreled, and the veteran showmen well knew what that meant. They had been fearing it for three weeks, and it had come.

Each of the equestrienne trio threatened to resign instantly unless protected from the impositions of "certain persons." The manager tried every known means of pacification. In the emergency Col. Lewis Sells was sent for.

Col. Sells listened to the demands. They were strikingly similar. There must be a favored and luxurious apartment in the dressing tent, a new poster stating that this particular star was the "peerless queen of the arena," better provision for the retinue of servants each carried, and a carriage to and from the train for the star and her chaperone. They were promised everything, separately of course, and that afternoon's performance was assured. But there were twelve performances a week for the rest of the season to be looked after, and permanent measures were necessary.

The boss canvasman and the chief of the properties were summoned and at once took an account of stock. The star acrobat was robbed of a dressing table. The concert stage was despoiled of three of its platform sections, and the canvas men worked all afternoon rigging up three canvas dressing rooms that were exactly alike, even to the stitches. Miss Hobson's mother was told that her daughter was certainly the best rider of the three, and would have been billed as the sole star had her contract been signed before the paper was printed; Miss Livingston was visited by an experienced diplomat who promised her a new "Strowbridge three-sheet," and Miss Davenport's elderly aunt was mistaken for her charge, which disqualified her complaints for all time, it is to be hoped. The three dressing rooms were erected, and the household of each star established within roped lines.

There has been no further outbreak, but Col. Sells is still busy devising precautions. Every eligible man in the circus has been privately warned to smile not upon an equestrienne unless he is prepared to furnish two of his peers to smile with equal ardor. A property man has been detailed to see that Miss Hobson's poodle and Miss Livingston's Angora cat remain utter strangers, and the chief veterinary surgeon has been charged, as he values his position, to guard the health of Miss Davenport's pet monkey.

Hostilities are suspended for the present, but how long white-winged peace will reign in the camp is what keeps Col. Sells and Arenic Manager Melville awake o'nights.

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Bixby's best Shoe Blacking, large boxes, each 2c
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Best quality Cotton Garter Elastic, per yard 2c

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Misses' Heavy Ribbed Fast Black Cotton Stockings, all sizes, per pair 4c

Cotton Vests, 2½c

Misses' Jersey Ribbed Cotton Undervests, each 2½c
Ladies' cotton sleeveless Jersey Ribbed Undervests, finished neck and armholes, each 4c

Shirt Waists, 37c

Ladies' fine laundered Shirt Waists, pointed yoke, self collars and cuffs, each 37c
Ladies' Elegant Shirt Waists, in Percale, Dimity, Organdy and French Gingham, each and upwards..... 48c

Corsets, 25c

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Umbrellas, 43c

Good quality 26-inch Gloria Umbrellas, with natural handles, guaranteed not to fade or drip; each 43c
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Ladies' Jackets, $1.88

Ladies' Elegant All-Wool, Covert Cloth Jackets, in tan, black and navy; worth $3.75; now each $1.88
Ladies' Extra Fine All-Wool Broadcloth Jackets, lined throughout with good satin; worth $6.50; now each..... $3.25

Velvet Capes, $1.90

Ladies' Elegant Velvet Spring Capes, with fancy lining, passementerie trimmings, ruffled neck, and satin ribbon bow, each $1.90
Ladies' Elegant Brocaded Silk Capes, lined with fancy silk, silk lace and satin ribbon trimmed, each $4.25

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Men's good quality Balbriggan Undershirts; everybody's 25c quality; our great reduction price 12½c
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LOCAL NOTES.

The tenth anniversary of the vested choir of Christ church will be celebrated Sunday evening, June 5. The choir will sing "Deus Misereatur," Mammet, and the anthem, "Grieve Not the Sprit of God," Stainer. David Fergusson Colville will sing the offertory.

Miss Pearl Benham, who returned yesterday from New York, where she has been studying, will sing at the Hamline baccalaureate this morning.

Miss Beatrice Ridgway, a member of the graduating class of Hamline university, and a pupil of Mr. Rhys-Herbert, will sing Bevignani's "Flower Girl Song" in a specially written scene of the class play next Tuesday evening.

"The Bohemian Girl," amateur production under direction of Henry De Lorme, will be sung Saturday afternoon and evening at the Metropolitan opera house. This favorite opera has been in rehersal longer than any other by the company, and some excellent results are expected both in chorus and solo roles. The cast reads:

Arline .....Miss Foley
Queen .....Mrs. Kriger
Thaddeus .....Mr. McCaffrey
Count .....Mr. Council
Florestan .....Mr. Dreher
Devil's Hoof .....Mr. De Lorme

The People's church choir was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Tittcomb, at their home in the Genesee Wednesday evening.

The concert to be given in Atlantic Congregational church Tuesday evening will be sustained by the following programme:

Soprano Solo—"Phyllis" ..... Hobbs
Master Guy W. J. Maingy.
Tenor Solo—"Hosanna" ..... Granier
Harry E. George.
Baritene Solo—"Sing Song" ..... McKinsey
Oscar Seagle.
Reading ..... Selected
Charles E. Fairchild.
Soprano Solo—"Song of Thanksgiving"— Allitsen
Miss Florence M. Pace.
Baritone Solo—"Sunset" ..... Buck
Oscar Seagle.
Soprano Solo—"Love Has Eyes" ..... Bishop
Guy Maingy.
Reading—"The Flag Is Passing By"—
Charles E. Fairchild
Soprano Solo—"Magic Song" ..Meyer-Helmund
Miss Pace.
Trio—Miss Pace, Mr. George, Mr. Seagle.

Miss Leila A. Breed will give a pupils' recital next Tuesday evening in Conover hall. With the help of some of the city's leading singers, chorus work, under the direction of Miss Shaw, will be part of the programme. Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise" will be given with Miss Celeste Le Fevre Coghlan as soprano soloist; Rossini's "Inflammatus," from "Stabat Mater," the soprano obligato by Miss Alice Monfort; Bruch's "Frithjof," with bass solos by Mr. Phillips. There will be other ensemble numbers, and several solo numbers. Mrs. Hoffmann will accompany.

ST. PAUL BREVITIES.

June 9, Noble Franklin lodge, A. O. U. W., will give a progressive euchre and smoking social, at A. O. U. W. hall, Eighth and Wabasha.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state yesterday, by the Richardson Printing company, of Duluth, with a capital stock of $10,000.

Astoria Council, Modern Samaritans, No. 5, will meet next Tuesday at the hall, No. 411 Robert street. A class of fifteen to twenty will be ready for initiation.

Lieut. Col. Keppel and wife, of the Salvation Army, have been appointed to the command of the forces in the mid-Western chief divison, with headquarters in Minneapolis.

James O'Rourke, the railroad engineer with whom the health department is having so much trouble, did not spend all of Wednesday night in jail. He was released shortly after 10 o'clock.

Assistant State Superintendent C. W. G. Hyde will deliver an address before the graduating class of the Monticello high school Monday night, and a class at Glenwood on Tuesday night.

John W. Clancy, defeated candidate for justice of the peace, on the Democrat Citizens' ticket, and for years stenographer in the corporation attorney's office, has secured a position as stenographer at Washington, D. C.

John Daly, a twelve-year-old boy living on Mississippi street, between Thirteenth and Nash streets, was run down by a buggy at Seventh and Sibley streets last evening. The driver said his name was A. Swanson, and that he worked for a Mrs. Hill, living on Lafayette avenue.

A call has been issued for a general meeting of Knights of Pythias at Sherman hall, Sixth and Wabasha streets, Monday evening. The purpose of the gathering is to give the Knights an opportunity to sign the muster roll and be ready to respond should there be another call for troops.

Gen. Sibley Circle No. 6, Ladies of the G. A. R., held its regular meeting Wednesday. There were several invitations and several applications for its next regular meeting on June 15. Arrangements have been made for a card party, to take place after meeting is adjourned. Friends are cordially invited.

State Auditor Dunn at a land sale held in Wilkin county last week, realized $20,299.99 for the sale of state lands. This is the largest amount received for lands sold in any one county since Mr. Dunn took office.

A meeting was held Thursday at the residence of Mrs. Otto Gersting, 490 Collins street, to consider the formation of a woman's auxiliary to aid in the work of the Humane society. Mrs. W. E. Gauze, the state organizer, explained the purpose of the meeting, and Mrs. Yapp and Mrs. C. Miller spoke on the importance of the work. It was decided to organize a branch to be called the East Side branch. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. D. M. Elliot; first vice president, Mrs. James Swindels; second vice president, Mrs. C. Miller; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. T. C. Heller.

AT THE HOTELS.

ASTORIA—Ed Renan, Cincinnati; John Anderson and wife, Dubuque; A. E. Barron, Detroit; Miss Barrett, A. Lipner, Milwaukee.

CLARENDON—J. C. Spratt and wife, Clinton, Minn.; E. S. Waldron, Breckenridge; S. C. Barrett, Milwaukee; S. J. Truesdal, St. Louis; Chris Fader, Kalispell, Mont.; J. E. Carpenter, Fremont, Neb.; W. D. Gillett, Livingston, Mont.

METROPOLITAN—O. S. Pew, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. A. Jones, Milwaukee, Wis.; C. W. Barton, New York; A. W. Robinson, Milwaukee; A. D Taylor, Milwaukee; George B. Smith, New York; C. B. Cole, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. George Harkness, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. George E. Rix, Keokuk, Io.; Bertha Saunders, Dubuque, Io.; S. P. Critchell, Adrian, Mich.; T. McConnell, city; Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Randall, Indianapolis; John Brice, Indianapolis; G W. Johnson, Rochester; W. D. Draper, Chicago; John Welty, city; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown, Chicago.

MERCHANTS'—E. N. Payson, St. Louis; F. A. Day, Fairmont; F. B. Stoetzlyn, Pittsburg; J. P. Tazan, Chicago; J. M. Crisp, New Jersey; A. T. Campbell, Binghamton, N. Y.; J. S. Ames, Binghamton; L. W. Sloeum, Chicago; H. E. Gibbon, Ottawa; C. C. Wilson, Rochester; J. C. Hunt, Eau Claire; E. E. Hubbard, Jackson, Mich.; C. H. Haynes, New York; A. L. Sackett, St. Peter; C. B. Blumbein, New York; S. Butler, Fergus Falls; J. Ryder, Buffalo; N. D. Tower, Grand Rapids; J. A. McMuen, Butte City; G. M. Lovelock, Chicago; J. G. Rask, Morris; J. Atchison, Chicago; E. H. Nyhus, Chicago; C. T. Bundy, Eau Claire; W. France, Chicago; N. J. Little, St. Louis; W. D. Sheehan, Des Moines; R. D. Barnum, New York; D. E. Spencer, Palo Alto; J. J. Hagerty, Grand Forks; S. Fulton, York, Pa.; G. M. Searles, Iowa; A. Haskins, Iowa; J. C. Bardall, Daley, Luverne; C. A. Williams, Iowa; G. G. Daley, Luverne; C. A. Wilualry, Iowa; G. G. Sanborne, Philadelphia; M. Jensen, Philadelphia; J. L. Gibbs, Geneva; J. P. Nord, Center City; G. E. Gibson, Duluth.

RYAN—J. W. Mason, Fergus Falls; C. C. Haupt, Fergus Falls; W. A. Northrup, New York; A. B. Rutt, Chicago; Mrs. W. C. Bestor, Ashville, N. C.; Miss Doyle, Ashville, N. C.; J. L. Rice, Rochester, N. Y.; J. C. Ball, Chicago; J. W. McBride, Chicago; A. W. Masters, Chicago; Mrs. J. B. Ferguson, Chicago; Miss Mary Gumm, Savannah, Ga.; W. E. Gamm, Sandown, B. C.; W. A. Wade, New York; J. Conheim, New York; J. E. O'Hara, Lynn, Mass.; C. C. Bostick, New York; M. W. Wethern, New York; H. M. Johnson, Chicago; E. C. Eggers, New York; E. A. Friend, Milwaukee; H. Katz, Chicago; J. Kalisky, Chicago; H. Karn, New York; J. R. Hozen, New York; Harry White, Boston; Ben Kramer, Cleveland; C. L. Jones, Chicago; Sol Goodman, Chicago; A. K. Frank, Chicago; F. S. Allen, Cleveland; M. Bloch, New York; F. N. Shafer, Syracuse; Max Breckner, Rochester.

SHERMAN—W. H. Morrison, Duluth; F. E. Granger, Aberdeen; O. F. Brand, Faribault; A. Schlinter, Milwaukee; Thos. Clark, Wm. Govett, Hancock, Mich; Mrs. J. B. Skinner, Miss C. Briggs, West Superior; R. T. Wilkins, Duluth; E. J. Gage and daughter, Mankato.

WINDSOR—D. I. Russell, St. Cloud; D. Baker and wife, Chicago; L. A. Lawton, Kerkmer, N. Y.; J. L. Madden and wife, Olwein, Io.; G. Erickson and daughter, C. Olson, Canby; A. B. Olson, W. A. Sperry, Owatonna; O. E. Vedder, Superior; E. R. Cherryman, Grand Rapids; J. F. Small, Des Moines; F. A. Miller, Duluth; C. T. Martin, St. Louis; A. L. Martin, St. Louis.

VITAL STATISTICS.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Arthur Zekman .....Ramsey county
Tillie Morner .....Ramsey county
Amion Liebermann .....Ramsey county
Jennie Bratchlymer .....Ramsey county
Marcus Mayer .....Ramsey county
Mary Weber .....Ramsey county

BIRTHS.

Mrs. F. N. Wheaton, 6 Oakley av.....Girl
Mrs. William Mitchell, 195 Rondo st.....Boy
Mrs. John P. Connolly, 759 Park av.....Girl
Mrs. Charles Parsons, 415 Blair st.....Girl
Mrs. Michael F. Lloyd, 836 Conway st..Boy
Mrs. Carl Peterson, 744 Fauquier st.....Boy
Mrs. W. C. Cronon, 195½ St. Anthony..Girl
Mrs. Louis Anderson, 1034 Matilda st....Boy
Mrs. Philip Barker, 1365 Marion .....Boy
Mrs. Felix Chrystal, 151 Robertson .....Girl
Mrs. George Haas, 639 Edmund st.....Boy

DEATHS.

Ernest C. Peterson, 915 Charles st....14 mos
Richard Fisher, Omaha, Neb .....24 yrs
Henry Webber, City hospital .....45 yrs
Alice Mowatt, Wilmettic, Ill.....1 yr
Theresa Wisl, Upper flats .....10 dys
Frank Anderson, 521 North st.....1 yr
Amy Harriet Smith, 493 Andrew st.....9 dys
Baby Hoppe, 541 Stryker av .....2 yrs

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