

PER WEEK PAYMENTS... ABOUT... MEN'S SUPERB CLOTHING. Hundreds of the best dressed men in this city today are patrons of the People's Credit Clothing Co. Our immense trade was never more forcibly illustrated than last week, when we did the biggest business since we located in St. Paul. We expected the demand—we met it. Case after case of Men's Fine Clothing was opened, even before our counters showed the least sign of a downward tendency. Business goes right on here just the same—we don't let even a record-breaking week interfere with our plans. So if you haven't bought the suit, or overcoat, or fancy vest, or hat, or shoes, don't stay away, thinking we haven't got the stock—it's here—complete in every particular—and we are just as ready, just as anxious to serve you with good clothing at prices as low as we can give. Then you know your promise to pay is as good as the coin here. A FULL LINE OF BICYCLE SUITS. \$1.00 A WEEK. PEOPLE'S CREDIT CLOTHING CO. OVER 374 ROBERT STREET, OPP. SOO LINE OFFICES. TEL. MAIN 2252-J-1. OPEN EVENINGS.

In Labor's Field. The coopers' strike is still on. At their regular meeting last night they decided to accept no compromise on the original agreement. Within the last week, however, three new firms have started up in the city, and all of these firms have signed the agreement. These new firms employ about fifteen men, so that after today not more than twelve of the strikers will answer the roll call. If the five old firms persist in their refusal to sign the agreement, the men expect that they will all be back to work in a short time. The other firms have been shut down since May 1. Walter Kruger and Hermann Wark were admitted members of the union, and Charles Kath was appointed delegate to the convention of the State Federation of Labor. The receipts of the meeting were \$6, and expenses \$12.

NO SPIRIT OF PRIVACY. SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION WANTS TO HELP THE SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION. NEW OFFICERS ARE NAMED. Senator Lowell E. Jepson, of Minneapolis, is Made President of the Association for This Year.

Indignant at Police. The bricklayers held their regular meeting in Assembly hall last night. Three applications for membership were received. Dissatisfaction was expressed at the action of the chief of police in sending a policeman to the job in course of construction on Summit and St. Albans, where, the men say, there was no need for police protection. In accordance with an order from the Building Trades Council, some bricklayers were called off three Wednesday because nonunion men were working on the job, but otherwise there has been no trouble. A delegation from the Minneapolis union asked that the conference committee of the St. Paul union meet their conference committee and endeavor to settle the scale of wages for work outside the city. Secretary Harpe was notified to instruct the Minneapolis union when this meeting could be arranged.

Plumbers' Scite Signed. It was reported last night around Assembly hall that fourteen out of the forty-five boss plumbers have already signed the scale. It was also reported last night that some forty representatives of the building trades, composed of painters, carpenters, plasterers and others, walked out of buildings being constructed at Summit avenue and Avon street, where non-union plumbers were employed on the work.

Done by Horseshoers. There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the horseshoers last night. Two applications were received, and one member retired from the organization to go into business for himself.

Four Were Admitted. Four new members were admitted at the regular meeting of the stone masons last night. The rest of the meeting was devoted to the transaction of general routine business.

Considering Trade Troubles. The executive committee of the Building Trades council held a special session last night which was devoted to a consideration of the present labor trouble.

Label League Tonight. There will be a meeting of the label league conference in Assembly hall tonight.

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ST. PAUL EYE AND EAR INFIRMARY. References: Mrs. F. W. Hines Ellsworth, Wis. INFLAMED OR RUNNING EARS. We are the only doctors that can give an absolute, positive cure. H. M. Ellsworth, 341 St. Peter Street, St. Paul, Minn. was cured. So can your case, no matter how long standing. Mrs. B. Gressinger, 848 Harvard St., St. Paul. CATARRH. Nolle Kimmel, 341 St. Peter Street, St. Paul, Minn. was cured. So can your case, no matter how long standing. Mrs. C. Nealand, Minkler, Iowa. 17 years in St. Paul, 35 years experience. Dr. J. W. Thompson, Director of Staff. We treat the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Catarrh and all troubles of the head. The only exclusive infirmary in the State. Merrill Building, Cor. 5th & St. Peter Sts. CONSULTATION FREE.

ONE OF THE MOST INTERESTING MUSICAL EVENTS OF THE SEASON. MRS. HOWE GUEST OF HONOR. Author of the Battle Hymn of the Republic is Prominent in Various Parts.

To help a worthy institution, and, incidentally, to enjoy an interesting and varied programme a good-sized audience assembled last evening at Seminary hall and testified by liberal applause how very interesting the varied programme was. The beneficiary was the church home for aged women, the patronesses of the entertainment including the many prominent St. Paul women. The entertainment was divided into two parts, a musical programme under the direction of Miss Harriet Hale, and some statue posing and pantomime arranged by Miss Zelma Fuller. Of special excellence in the musical part was the singing by a women's quartette composed of Miss Winifred Betz, Miss Ethel Seager, Miss Faith Martin and Mrs. George Martin. The quartette was warmly cheered after every number. Mr. H. W. Springer, baritone, also sang. Miss Clara Towers acted as accompanist. The posing was executed by the figures were all classic and the groupings were as admirable as the draping was graceful. Among those who took part were: Miss Emma Rose, Miss Stella Fleischer, Miss Lovinger, Miss Mark, Mrs. Wedgell, Miss Gregory, Miss Schoch, Miss Finkbine, Miss Harris, Miss McMichael, Miss M. Schneider, Miss Carmichael, Miss Cole, Miss Colby, Miss Nellie Hays, Miss Sprout, Miss Rose Payton, Miss Clara Broderick, Miss Grace Sprout, Miss Hope, Miss Marlowe and Miss Milham.

The Twin City Birthday club met yesterday with Mrs. E. W. French at Washington avenue north, Minneapolis. Favors at each were won by Mrs. F. M. Allen, Mrs. A. Harbise, Mrs. H. Flood, Mrs. Milham and Mrs. Flood.

Acker Relief Corps No. 7 gave a large euchre party last evening at the Ryan hotel. Cards were played at twenty tables. On the committee were Miss Seeger, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. E. W. French, Mrs. Peterson, of Minneapolis; Rev. O. P. Peterson and Rev. F. Palmberg, St. Paul. Each one made an address. The Rev. Torglund also spoke. Music was furnished by the church choir. After the programme a refreshment table was served.

The young people of the African M. E. church presented the cantata, "Little Boy Peep," last evening for the benefit of the church.

The Old Maids' Convention will give its last dancing party of the season tomorrow evening at Jessrang's hall, University and Farrington avenues.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Clements' Church will hold an all day meeting in the guild home at 1000 Hennepin street, last all day meeting before the adjournment for the summer.

Mrs. E. W. French, of Holy avenue, will give a tea Monday for Mrs. Taggart, of Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. E. N. Prouty, of Summit avenue, will entertain the members of the Spinners' Matrimonial club tomorrow afternoon.

The marriage of Miss Hilda Marie Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, of Summit avenue, and Mr. Murch was solemnized Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride on Beaufort street. Rev. H. W. French, of the Grace M. E. church, read the marriage service. The ceremony was performed in the second parlor which was decorated with lilacs and palms. Mrs. J. S. Hamilton played the wedding march. The bride wore a pale blue mouseline de sole gown and carried a bunch of pink roses. Following the ceremony a reception was held. About seventy-five guests were present. Mr. and Mrs. Murch left for their home after June 20 at 20 Westmaine street.

Julia Ward Howe addressed the children of the Fremont school, Wednesday evening. The children were completely won by the "R-pub-lic," and Mrs. Howe told them how she came to write it.

Fish Are Biting. If you want to get a good string go to one of the many fishing resorts along the Soo Line. Get the fish for the Soo Line Ticket Office, 379 Robert Street.

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There can be nothing better for backache, nervousness, sleeplessness and all ailments arising from kidney weakness than Morrow's Kid-Ne-Olds. It is impossible to manufacture a better kidney remedy. Kid-Ne-Olds contains the very best ingredients that are good for ailments arising from the kidneys. The vast number of people in this city who have testified to the merits of Kid-Ne-Olds is sufficient proof that none of our claims are false. Mrs. G. H. Bradt, 283 East Robie St., says: "I had almost despaired of ever being relieved of kidney backache, rheumatism, bloating of the stomach and other distressing symptoms of kidney complaint, for I had used different kinds of kidney remedies, without obtaining relief, when I decided to try Morrow's Kid-Ne-Olds. Kid-Ne-Olds relieved my backache, my rheumatism, my bloating, and I will always speak a good word for Kid-Ne-Olds." Morrow's Kid-Ne-Olds are not pills, but yellow tablets and sell at fifty cents a box at all drug stores and at Ticknor & Jagger's drug store. Mailed on receipt of price. Manufactured by John Morrow & Co., Chemists, Springfield, Ohio.

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M'CARDY'S CHANCES FADE. RECOUNT SHOWS JUDGES DID NOT FAVOR DEMOCRATS. Yesterday was a hard day for Assemblyman Benson and Comptroller McCarty. After the completion of the day's work it was found that Benson is now sixteen votes behind, instead of eight, and that McCarty is twenty-one votes behind, instead of fifteen, as the official canvass indicated.

Work in one of the committee rooms was commenced at 10 o'clock, and five precincts, the Third, Fourth, Eighth, Ninth and Eleventh of the First ward, were recounted. In the Tenth precinct, Parker held his own and Benson lost one vote on the count, the judges of election having given him 133 votes, when only 132 were recorded. In the Third and Eighth precincts there were no changes by the recount. In the Fourth precinct Benson lost one vote by an error in the original return, and Parker held his own. In the Eleventh precinct, Benson lost four votes on the count, the judges of election having returned 167 votes for him, when only 163 were cast for him. In this precinct Parker held his own. For the two days Benson's loss figures up eight votes.

On the recount for comptroller Betz gained one vote Wednesday and five yesterday, making his majority twenty-one. Instead of fifteen, as was returned by the official canvass.

DOOR IS MARKED "PUSH". MOTTO OF MANUFACTURERS AT DINNER YESTERDAY. Sixty members of the Northwestern Manufacturers' association met at the Merchants' hotel yesterday, and enjoyed a social session following a dinner, the second of a series given by the association.

Executive Agent Beutner Off For Northern Minnesota. Executive Agent Beutner left yesterday for Benidit and vicinity, where he will investigate complaints made against mill companies for not putting in fishways through their dams as directed by the state game and fish commission. Several days ago Mr. Beutner received a telegram from Benidit, stating that tons of fish were dead above the dam at the state game and fish commission. Several days ago Mr. Beutner received a telegram from Benidit, stating that tons of fish were dead above the dam at the state game and fish commission. Several days ago Mr. Beutner received a telegram from Benidit, stating that tons of fish were dead above the dam at the state game and fish commission.

STREET CARS WILL CROSS TRACKS AT GRADE. The Great Northern has completed the foundations for the new Rice street bridge and has asked that the Rice street car line, which has been crossing over the bridge for many years, be discontinued. Before the board of aldermen last evening, Aid. Murray secured the passage of a measure permitting the street car company to operate the line via Claghorn street. This will allow the cars to cross on one track at grade and continue the line in operation until the bridge can be used again.

"ELI PERKINS" IN TOWN. "PRINCE OF LIARS" OF NEARLY A GENERATION AGO. A humorous appearing old gentleman with a kind, sunny disposition appeared in front of the hotel register at the Merchants', reached for a pen and wrote "Eliville D. Landon; Eli Perkins in town." Frank Tregals, ancient land mark and scrutinized the name and asked the prospective guest what kind of a rate he wanted. "No, I won't stop, I just want to let the boys know I was in town," and with that he turned and walked down to the union depot.

James Whitcomb Riley. People's Church, THURSDAY, MAY 24, 8 p. m. Sale of seats opens Monday at 9 o'clock at Howard, Farwell & Co.'s. Popular scale of prices.

Col'lege Ave., Near Wabasha ONE WEEK - Commencing May 21. MONDAY, May 21. GENTRY'S FAUCUS DOG AND PONY SHOW. Admission—Children, 15c; Adults, 25c.

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THEY WILL REGALE HIS HEARERS, at People's Church May 24. The amusement season just drawing to

its close has brought to St. Paul a really extraordinary number of artists of all kinds; such a season is fittingly closed by the appearance of James Whitcomb Riley at the People's church, Thursday, May 24. He is one of the few who have given talent upon talent; every one knows how he writes, nearly every one knows how he reads, but those who have not had the experience, for it certainly is an experience, of listening to him, may get some idea of his versatility from the following stanza which was written by a Southern poet on the back of an envelope during one of the intermissions: There's a fellow, name of Riley, Wanderin' round the sunny South, With a heart so full of music, And a droopin' from his mouth, And so full of fun and sadness, P. D., That the folks who go to listen, Git to laughin' and er weepin', Over their old songs of him, And if you go to hear him, Better mind what you're about, Ef you don't watch out!

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Camberland Presbyterian Church, Chattanooga, Tenn., May 17-23, 1900. For this meeting the Chicago Great Western railway will sell on May 14th and 15th excursion tickets to the certificate plan at a fare and one-third, good to return to May 28th. For further information inquire of J. P. Elmer, 379 Robert corner Fifth and Robert streets, St. Paul.

LEAVE ST. PAUL AT 11:10 P. M. Last Train at Night Via The Northwestern Line. Take this train—the Atlantic Express—every night and you arrive in Chicago, 1:47 a. m. Madison, 8:30 a. m. Milwaukee, 10:55 a. m. Chicago, 12:25 noon. Best later train to Chicago, where close connections are made with fast trains for Boston, New York and Southern points.

VITAL STATISTICS. CHRIS VELDE, Sylvia M. Stanek, Joseph Hrubec, Tomie Lebecka, Nicholas Rath, May Linnick, Harry F. Wark, Margaret V. Miller, Fred George, Ernestina Wenzel, Fred D. Hall, Sadie A. Pashey, Mrs. A. E. Fowler, 606 Westminster, boy, August G. Zopf, Rosina Wenzel, Frank A. Barnes, Theresa Monaghan, Milwaukee, 10:55 a. m. Chicago, 12:25 noon.

DEATHS. Erick Holmberg, 41 yrs., 267 Williams st., Mrs. Mary Burke, 61 yrs., St. Joseph's, Mr. Thomas Workman, 57 yrs., St. Luke's, Mrs. Sarah Robinson, 72 yrs., corner Minnehaha and Edgerton.

IN THE STATE. MAXFIELD—In St. Peter, Minn., Saturday, May 12, Wesley Maxfield, aged six years and six months. GARMON—In Lake Crystal, Minn., Thursday, May 10, Rev. Sylvester Garmon, aged thirty-seven years. LALY—In Blue Earth, Minn., Thursday, May 10, Nicholas Lally, aged eighty-one years. TEZZLOFF—In Lake Crystal, Minn., Friday, May 11, August Tezzloff, aged seventy-eight years. MONKS—In Duluth, Minn., Tuesday, May 15, of typhoid pneumonia, Thomas H. Monks, aged thirty-nine years. SCHEMKE—In Blue Earth, Minn., Friday, May 11, Joseph Schemke, aged eighty-four years. WEST—In Fremont, Minn., Sunday, May 13, of cancer, John West. COHSEB—In Mazeppa, Minn., Saturday, May 12, Mrs. George Corser, aged sixty years. SCHREINER—In Forest City, Minn., Sunday, May 12, Mrs. Teresa Schreiner, aged seventy-one years.

AMUSEMENTS. METROPOLITAN LITANI LESSER & MANGR. ANNA TONN 25 Cents. EVA GAY. Ladies Only. Evening: 25c, 35c & 50c. Last Performance Sunday Night, May 21, 22, 23—Kellar the Magician.

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Household Linens. - Trimmed Millinery. Unusual offerings for our popular Friday Line Sale. \$1.25 A dozen for \$1.65 Napkins, size 18x18 inches—full bleached. 25c Each for 40c Bath Towels, full bleached, all hemmed, large size. \$3.50 Each for \$4.50 Bed Spreads, full size, all hemmed. 16c Each for 20c Huck Towels, large size. 12c A yard for 16c Huck Toweling, 18 inches wide. 12c 14c-15c each for 42, 45 and 50-inch Pillow Cases. 65c Each for 70c Sheets, size 2 1/2-Bx 2 1/2 yards.

Summer Gloves. Genuine Mocha, good gloves for cycling or driving. Special. \$1.00. See our "Sappho," the best kid glove in the world for. \$1.00. Kayser Silk Gloves—the kind that the tips outwear the glove—50c, 75c and \$1.00 a pair. Corsets Fitted—Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Flannel Department. See our new line of embroidered Skirting Flannels, beautiful designs, on best quality flannel. Prices very low. One case of extra quality California Shaker Flannel, worth 10c a yard. For Friday only. 5c. Ladies' high neck, long or short-sleeve jersey ribbed Vests, an absolutely necessary garment to provide against weather emergencies, and only. 25c. La Pompadour Corsets—Here only.

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