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CLEARING SALE

A special sale on all the millinery contained in our store, which is the finest and most complete line in the city. All goods will be sold at wholesale prices. Sale begins......

June 1st and ends July 3rd, 1901.

All the ladies are invited to attend.

Yours respectfully,

MISS A. SCHMIDT & CO.

Hew to the Line!

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Make a clean sweep of it. Do the job up brown, is the way we go at it when we have any "snaps" to offer.

NOW LOOK HERE!

We have got a job lot of Men's and Boys'

....CLOTHING!

that we picked up for a song, and we are going to move them quick. HOW? Why, we are going to cut the usual price right in two at the middle and divide the profits equally with you. They are going

at One-Half Pricel

Don't be too late to take advantage of this opportunity. We invite you to look over our line of HATS. We can please you and our prices are right. If you order your GROCERIES here you get just what you pay for, at lowest reasonable prices, and you are sure of prompt service. Tel. 138.

Corriveau & Garrison.



EASY

To Make a Mistake in Buying Your Lumber.

If you want Dry and Straight Grades, Try Ours. If you are thinking of putting in a hardwood floor, don't fail to use MEYER'S END-MATCHED, POL-ISHED MAPLE FLOORING. See that each bundle is marked I X L, and take no other.

KELLOGG BROS. LUMBER 60.

West Grand Rapids, Grand Rapids,

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Rochester Trousers Made-At-The-Mill We carry a complete line of the celebrated ROCHESTER TROUSERS, 'Made-At-The-Mill" by the same peole who manufacture the cloth. We get them at a low price because we buy direct from the Mills at Rochester. Minnesota and there are no middlemen's profits tacked on. The manufacturers guarantee them to be the best low-priced trousers on earth; there is not a shoddy thread nor a careless stitch in them. They will not rip nor split; they look well and wear well. We have them in a variety of patterns and sizes, and can please you. Come in and look at our stock of Rochester Trousers.

Spafford, Cole @ Lipke, Grand Rapids, Wis. FONG

GOV. LA FOLLETTE'S RINGING MESSAGE, | carry out a particular policy to which

Wisconsin is this year the center of the most important political conflict now being waged over State issues. After a contest of four years within the dominant party, the State at last has as Governor the leader of the forces that demanded the overthrow of ring rule and monopoly rule. The programme of these forces was clearly defined. Monopoly rule was to be destroyed by restoring the principle of equal taxation for corporate and individual property, thus at the same time relieving the mass of the people from their excessive burdens and time relieving the mass of the people from their excessive burdens and taking away from the monopolies the motive for their heavy expenditures to corrupt political life. Ring rule was to be destroyed by giving directly to the people the right to choose their party candidates, who for years have been named by the rings. In the platform upon which Governor La Follette was nominated both of La Follette was nominated both of these reforms were pledged in the most explicit language possible; yet last week we had to chronicle the Legislature's repudiation of the pledge

the direct primary to the choice of county officials, and made its employment even here permissive and not mandatory. The Governor, in vetoing this mockery of the party's pledge "that all candidates for State, legislative, Congressional, and county offices be nominated at a primary election upon the same day by direct vote," puts his reasons in a convincing form. "More than four years ago," he reminds the Legislature, "the contest for nominations by direct vote of the people began in this State. agricultural societies, good government clubs, political clubs, debating societies, in the school-houses and public halls, wherever men were gathered together, the dangers which threatened representative government were discussed, the cause plainly traced to the selection of candidates by the bosses, and the vital importance

systematic campaign of mis-representation began to be waged. An army of Federal office-holders, joining with certain corporation agents and the representatives of the machine in the regular legislative lobby, moved upon the capitol, took possession of its state of intoxication to vote against the bill * * * With the defeat of the blended through each course. original bill the friends of primary elections offered to pass as a measure subject to approval by the people. opposition refused. further concession was then offered, applying the primary system to the municipal, legislative and county This the opposition refused. A last effort was then made to submit the limited bill to a vote of the people. This the opposition rejected. And after having refused to pass the ill promised, and having refused to let the people pass upon it, a mockery of platform pledges and judicious legislation alike is offered in the form of this bill, which I am unable to

The Governor here takes up in letail the main features of the measure which finally reached him, and shows that even if it received his signature the law would still be void by reason of its careless or over-careful provisions that the people should vote upon it in the spring elections, though some municipalities had no spring elections, and that the canvassnot be mandatory until the elections for which the primaries were preparation had already taken place.

A more farcical bit of legislation has reach administration became a second to the primaries would when the Northwestern was making a desperate effort to secure it.

Bids Wanted. ing of votes at the primaries would has rarely commanded the approval

The Senate to which the veto was the job of building two stone piers sent has replied by a resolution of censure upon the Governor for his The person that takes the job will "insult" to a co-ordinate branch of the State Government; but the ment of contract, and his bondsmen resolution of censure, as the despatches must be present. By order of townindicate, has simply brought home to board, the people of the State how deeply the Senators were cut by the Gover-nor's review of their work. The principle which he especially brings to the front in his message is the one by which the legislators are to be tried before their constituents-the prin-

both he and his party are pledged, Governor La Follette shows that

Notice of Sale of Bonds.

Office of the city clerk of Grand

estness any executive messages we have read in recent years. The taxation message was briefly reviewed ation message was briefly reviewed Waterworks Bonds." and are divided

ation message was briefly reviewed in our columns of last week.

The direct primary bill which finally passed both branches of the Legislature, and which the Governor has returned with his disapproval, limited the direct primary to the choice of the choice of the direct primary to the choice of the choice of the direct primary to the choice of the choice of the direct primary to the choice of the choice o

Said bonds bear interest at 4 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annu-ally on the 31st day of January and and the plan under which it could be accomplished was then fully presented.

* * From platform and pulpit, before agricultural societies. of Grand Rapids.

Bids will be received for the whole or part of this issue, the city reserving the right to reject any or all bids.
M. G. GORDON,

Rural Free Delivery.

without qualification or limitation contemplated rural postal route for the principle of the nomination of all which application was made last candidates by direct vote of the people at a primary election, in lieu of nominations by delegates through the machinery of caucuses and conventions, in all about 200 families, giving which application was made last April. The route is 25 miles long and will accommodate the people at Biron and those residing in the above named towns, in all about 200 families, giving them a daily mail. Mr. Walker was In the legislative contest this year favorably impressed with the route not one candidate expressed himself and we have every reason to believe as opposed to the platform which he that it will be established in the near was nominated to support, yet says future. While here he appointed Governor La Follette, upon the presentation of a bill framed to Rainhold Timm as substitute. Applicomply with the party's pledge, "a cation has also been made for a route going through the towns of Rudolph. Sigel and Seneca.

Historical And Literary Banquet, The banquet on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Cameron was corridors intruded into the legislative a complete success. Mrs. Cameron halls, followed members to their showed herself, as she ever must, a a complete success. Mrs. Cameron orms of vice and in with alluring genial hostess. The decorations were forms of vice, and in some instances brought them into the capitol in a The serving of the banquet showed The serving of the banquet showed great artistic skill, as the colors were nearly the same ones have been delinquents each year since the club was organized and practice is making the art perfect, as shown in this banquet.

The evening was spent in social games and memory tests. Mrs. Little carried off the prize, on this occasion as usual for having on her head the most prominent and discernible bumps, although not one in the club would acknowledge she had more wisdom than the others.

Central Loses Feeders.

Stevens Point Journal. The Northwestern Railway Co. has recently secured control of two important Wisconsin Central feeders west of Chippewa Falls. They are the Minnesota & Wisconsin and Glenwood & Northeastern roads. They will be connected and extended and in time was again married in 1864 to Miss Emily J. Hanson of Buxton, Maine, will be the means of opening up a rich agricultural country. This action is considered by some to be retaliatory of Chicago, still live to mourn his loss. to the purchase of the Marshfield & Southeastern by the Central at a time

Notice is hereby given that the Notice is hereby given that the breathed his last. The remains were Board of Supervisors of the town of brought to Grand Rapids for burial of even the anti-reform elements in two legislative bodies. That it was so Rudolph, and the bridge committee which took place on the family lot when the services held at the farcical shows that the corrupt forces of Wood county will meet on John May 24. The services held at the in Wisconsin are likely to lose in the Windahl's bridge, section 19, township way corrupt forces unusally lose—by overestimating their strength, and Rudolph on Friday, June 7, A. D. producing a reaction by their excesses. 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m. and will let out

The person that takes the job will

Dated at Rudolph May 29, 1901.

ADAM ZIMMERMAN.

Town Clerk.

For Kidney Diseases. DeBell's Kidney Pills are the very ciple that a representative is bound in best of all medicines, because they honor to carry out the platform pledges give you the best of pure blood. They personal opposition to those pledges. can do. DeBell's Kidney Pills are the must follow his individual judgment as backache, weak back, rheumatism, new bell for the church. These parties information as to rates, time of leaving, etc., from J. M. Turner, buyon which his constituents have not passed; but where he is elected to For sale by John E. Daly.

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CITY IMPROVEMENTS.

brick and its outside dimensions will be 25 ft. 6 inches by 33 ft. 4 inches. About ten feet distant from the pump house the reservoir will be located. It last week we had to chronicle the Legislature's repudiation of the pledge to equalize taxation, and this week we must record its repudiation of the pledge to establish the popular nomination of party candidates.

Fortunately for Wisconsin, both of these failures of the Legislature have been chronicled for the people of that State in two veto messages which excel in intellectual vigor and moral earnestness any executive messages were the messages were as any executive messages were last of the city clerk of Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin. Grand Rapids, Wisconsin. Ways and Wood County, Wisconsin. Ways and Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, and the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, That is all the constructed of brick and Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin.

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the reservoir.

A 10-inch pipe line will run up High street from the pump house to Oak street and along the entire length of Oak street. At Court House street a branch line will run south to the fair grounds where the big steel water tower will be located. This tower will be 116 feet in height from the ground to the base of the steel tank. The tank is 38 feet, 3 inches in height by 26 feet in diameter and will hold about 146,000 gallons of water. The other pipe lines on the east side are on Lincoln street, Madison street, Mil-waukee street, from the water tower along Court House street to Baker street, on Baker street to the library building, along Front and streets to near the G. B. & W. depot, Washington ave., and Drake street and from High street to the wagon oridge. Here the line crosses the river just below the bridge and on the west side the only new lines that will have to be laid will be an extension on Cranberry street west from Mrs. McKercher's home, on Factory street and on Main street from Cranberry

street to the electric light plant.

The power to run the electric moters in the pump house will be supplied by the Electric Light Co. and it will be transmitted by wire of election by the people by direct vote, and the necessary provisions of a primary law, were fully and fairly presented. The plan was so overwhelmingly approved by the voters that both the great political parties that both the great political parties and Republicans in 1900, adopted without qualification or limitation.

IN MEMORIAM,

Death is of late making mighty nroads into the ranks of the old settlers of Wood county, and ere long the last of the pioneers will have answered to the roll call on the other shore. It seems therefore most fitting that some record should be preserved of the lives of those who are fast passing away—some tribute be paid to the memory of those, who by their heroic patience and fortitude have made so many things that we now enjoy possible to us. A sense of personal loss has come to many in the death of Dr. G. W. Whitney who was for many years peculiarly identified with the life of this place. More perhaps than those of any other profession, a physician comes very near to the hearts of the people and muititudes will recall the feeling of confidence that his mere presence in a

sick room inspired.

He was of New England blood and birth, and his early training, no doubt fitted him for the life of hardships incident to the lot of a physician on the frontier. He had quick perceptions, an eager and alert intellect and was wonderfully resourceful in an emergency, kindly by nature—generous in thought and action, his memory will be cherished in the hearts of all who have known him. Briefly his

life history is as follows:

Born at Bridgeton, Maine, April 12, 1834. He was a student at Limerick academy, Maine, afterwards entered Dartmouth college, New Hampshire, and in 1856 was a medical graduate of Bondoin college, Maine and soon after came to Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, where for many years he practiced his profession. In 1859 he was married to Miss Lizzie Anson of Portland, Me. who died in 1862 leaving one child. He was again married in 1864 to Miss on putting in any more lamps until Being unable to bear the rigors of our when to be near his son and to receive better medical attention he removed to Chicago where on May 22, 1901. he

The Experience Party.

The Experience Party given by the Young Ladies Sodality on Thursday evening, May 23, in the Foresters Hall, was a great success, both socially and financially. The prize for earning a dollar in the most novel way was won by Miss Marie Pariseau, who wiped an engine on the Green Bay road, the prize being a sofa pillow with the names of all the members worked in

it. The judges in the contest were

The receipts for that evening were

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council room May 21, 1901. Mayor Wheelan presiding. Aldermen present Wood, Lutz, Reiland, Schu-man, Farrish, Pratt, Lubeck, Otto, Bossert, Kellogg, Jackson, Rossier, McCarthy and Boles. Minutes of last meeting read and

approved. Moved by alderman Wood and

seconded by alderman Kellogg that we accept bid of Sam'l I. Pope of \$36,625 on pipe system.

Adopted by the following vote the clerk calling the roll: Ayers-Wood, Lutz Reiland, Schu-

man, Farrish, Pratt, Lubeck, Otto, Bossert, Kellogg, Jackson, Rossier, McCarthy and Boles. Nayes—None. Moved and seconded that we accept the bid of Sam'l I. Pope of \$3,800 for pump house and reservoir. The above motion was carried by

the following vote, the clerk calling the roll: Ayes—Wood, Lutz, Reiland, Schuman, Farrish, Pratt, Lubeck, Otto, Kellogg, Rossier, McCarthy and Boles.

Naves-Bossert and Jackson. Moved and carried that the city attorney draws the proper contract with Sam'l I. Pope to be signed by the

mayor and clerk. Moved and carried that we defer action on the bid of the Stilwell-Bierce & Smith-Vaile Co. on the pumping plant until we obtain fur-ther information from C. F. Loweth. Moved and carried that the street committee receive bids for the waterworks stand pipe until June 4, 6 p. m. 1901, and that they give notice by mail to several manufacturers of stand pipes enclosing to each a copy of the plans and specifications of same.

Moved and carried that the street committee engage the city teamsters Nov. 13, 1901 at \$65 per month. Moved and carried we pay C. F.

Loweth \$400 on account. Loweth \$400 on account.

The street committee reported on the petition from residents in sewerage District No. 6 praying for an extension of sewerage in said district and recommend that same be referred back to petitioners with request that they present a petition drawn in accordance with resolutions governing the charge for cost of sewers as passed by the council May 7, 1901 passed by the council May 7, 1901. Upon motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on the petition of B. T. Worthington

and others praying for the construction of a sewer on French street from Dr. Boorman's residence to Wm. Witt's residence, and recommend that petition be referred back to petitioners with request that they present a petition drawn in accordance with resolution governing the charge for cost of sewers as passed by the council

May 7, 1901. Upon motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted.

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pon motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on the petition praying for the opening of a portion of Wisconsin and Witter streets, and recommend that same be improved as soon as the city receives title to the same.

Upon motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on the petition asking to establish grade on Washington Ave. and recommend that city engineer establish a curb line 12 feet from lot line and that the matter of grading the street be delayed until after the proposed vater main is laid

Upon motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on the petition asking for improvements on French street and recommend that the petition be granted.

Upon motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on the petition of Emil Toepel and others praying for the opening of a street running from Milwaukee street to Emil Toepel's residence and recommend that the petition be referred to the city attorney to ascertain what the city title is at present to the above discribed street.

Upon motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on the petition praying for placing in a passable condition certain parts of Factory street between Fremont and Cranberry street, and recommend that the petition be granted. Upon motion the recommendation

of the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on recommend that no action be taken the Electric Light Co. have their new machinery in running order. On motion the recommendation of

the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on the petition of C. Lyon and others northern winters he removed to the petition of C. Lyon and others Cookeville, Tenn., in 1888 which place he made his home until October last, streets in Lyon addition recommend streets in Lyon addition recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted

On motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted. The street committee reported on the petition of Chas. F. Kruger and others praying for the placing in a passable condition Range Avenue and Wickhams Avenue recommend the prayer of the petitioners be granted. On motion the recommendation of the street committee was adopted. Petition of Fred Bossert and others praying for the opening of a street in Fifth ward was presented and on motion referred to the street commit-

Moved and carried that the council adjourn. W. E. WHEELAN, Mayor. M. G. GORDEN,

A Delightful Yellowstone Park Trip.

A party of selected Wisconsin people will make a trip to Yellowstone Park Judge John A. Gaynor, Frank Dudley in July or August, in charge of G. E. upon which he is elected, unless cure, tone up, invigorate and revitable for his election he declares his lize the kidneys as no other medicine was won by W. M. Vaughn, Point Normal school, traveling in a Point Normal school, traveling in a special sleeping and buffet car. Those The Governor recognizes in full the only medicine that cure all diseases extent to which a representative arising from disordered kidneys such \$93.30, which will be used in buying a desiring to join, can obtain complete

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Grand Rapids, - - Wisconsin.

A. F. & A. M.

GRAND RAPIDS LODGE, NO. 128, hold their regular communications on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to meet with us. DR. D. A. TELFER, W. M.



not require much talk provided you see it. This advertisement is more to get you to call in and see our stock. Don't wait for warm weather to decorate your rooms come now before the stock is broken up. Our paper is up to date in color and design and prices right. Leave you orders for paper hanging, painting, kalsomining, fresco work,

H. H. VOSS, Manag'r

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