ladies of the congregation assisted.

It is Paderewski-but it isn't-it falls just short of Paderewski; but there is not a thrill, or arpeggio, or chord that he can

Let us entertaln you if you have a spare alf hour.

You would like to exchange your old Piano or a Pianola and new Piano together. Let us talk it over with you.

NEW PIANOS FOR RENT.

COMPLIMENTARY RECITAL-W. J. DYER & BRO. - AEOLIAN AND PIANOLA PRO-GRAMME. SATUR-DAY, DEC. 9, 1899, 4 P. M.

- I. Flotow......L'Ombre Overture
  Orchestrelle.
  II. Raff...La Polka de la Reine, Op. 95
  Pianola.
  III. Gounod.....La Reine de Saba
  (Bailet Music No. 4.)
- (Bailet Music No. 4.)
  Orchestrelle.

  IV. Bartlett............Polka de Concert
  Planols.

  V. (a) Tornquist...............On the Levee
  (African Two-step.)
  Planola.

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GOV. RAMSEY AT-84.

Civil War Governor Celebrates His Eighty-Fourth Birthday Quietly. Former Gov. Alexander Ramsey celebrated his eighty-fourth birthday anniversary yesterday. He is still hale and hearty and the president of the Minnesota Historical society in which he takes a

Both stores open until 10:30 tonight,

Solid meat, 25c these oysters makes two of the
pounds, 0 to 70 size

peas, corn, succotash, string and wax beans are the finest goods packed. Try

Granbirriss, Seven quarts Wisconein 2	5c
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Flour, Schoch's XXXX first patent of the climax of highest grade fix at lowest price, 98 lb sacks sell here at	aps lour
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Mince Meat, three packages true blue New England...... 256 Mince Meat, 2 lb 10c \$1.50 Apples, bi .. \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Sweet Potatoes, pounds... 25s

## BUTTER AND PROVISIONS.

"Clover Leaf," "Dalsy" and "North Oaks Farm" Fancy Creamery But-ters, per lb 5-lb jar Crown brand Butter, per lb. Choice Creamery Butter, per lb..... 5 and 10-lb jars Fancy Dalry Butter, per lb..... 3½ lbs Pure Lard
Very Fine Minnesota Cheese, per lb.
Marinirte Herring, per doz.
Grated Cheese, per lb.
Rollemups, per doz
Russian Caviar, per can
Russian Caviar, per can 

## FRESH VEGETABLES.

The choicest line in the city. Both stores show a tempting assortment for Crisp Celery, per bunch
Green Onions, per bunch
Fresh Cucumbers, each
Parsley, per bunch
Red Cabbage, each
A full line of fresh mushrooms,
matoes, fancy, large cauliflower, e
plant, parsley, mint, watercress, etc. egg

## TEAS.

Our extra fine Ceylon, Oolong, Gun-powder, Japan and English Breakfuit Teas, sold everywhere else at 60 cents. Our price tomorrow only, per lb...... 48c

Free Chowder Tomorrow day. Free hot cups of Burnham's celebrated Clam Chowder served free all day today to every caller at our new store. Also free samples of Burnham's delicious "Hasty Jellycon" and Cream Custard, All are welcome to call any time today and taste free samples of these delicious goods at our new store.

Honey,	three tumblers strained 256
Honey,	Golden Rod, per comb
Herring	scaled,
Coffee	Our "Private Growth" Java and Mocha is the choice of epicures. It is matchless, per pound
Sauark	raus Schoch's "Golden 200

# "LABOR'S

St. Paul Trades and Labor assembly

held its regular semi-monthly meeting last evening in Hall No. 2, Assembly rooms. It was a short session and little aside from routine business was transacted. The credentials from the Painters and Decorators' Union No. 61 for F. A. McIntyre, and from Typographical Union No. 80 for H. B. Meier, J. B. McDowell and A. H. Moore were received and approved. They will hereafter serve as delegates to the assembly. The committee on conference appointed to confer with city ministers regarding a series of public meetings to be held in the interest of organized labor reported that they had sent requests to 100 ministers of the city to announce the meeting to be held Sunday afternoon at Assembly hall from their pulpits. The following were added to the committee: Charles Butzenhart, J. B. McDowell. A communication from Vallejo, Cal., was received asking assistance of St. Paul assembly in securing an act of congress for the relief of dis-abled government officials working under civil service rules. The communication was placed on file for future action.

The assembly authorized a letter of thanks to Health Commissioner Ohage fro his exertions in behalf of a satisfactory settlement of the garbage question. The delegation representing the barbers' union submitted a grievance against a certain shop in the city. The assembly will investigate the matter later on. The chairman appointed A. J. Kringle, A. J. Lindstrom, J. H. Daugherty, John Mc-Carthy, J. E. Dempsey, J. L. Geiske, R. M. Able, C. H. Moore, John Klaus and Charles Butzenhart as ushers to serve at the ministers' meeting Sunday afternoon. Receipts, \$12.50; expenses, \$9.70.

## Coremakers' Committees.

St. Paul Coremakers' Union No. 50 met last evening in Hall No. 1, Assembly rooms. Aside from regular routine business the following shop committees were appointed: J. Fusch, South Park foundry; Henry Blenhoff and Con Shea, St. Paul foundry; Anthony Welter and Louis Carlson, Minnesota Malleable Iron works; Herman Henze, Valley foundry; Gus Eredssen, American Holst and Derrick company; John Powers, Great Northern Brass works. The duties of shop committees are to see that union rules are enforced among the employes. W. Schultz read an article from the Coremakers' Journal concerning female labor. Receipts of the evening, \$7.80; expenses, \$6.25.

Aside from regular business the St. Paul Painters and Decorators' Union No. Aside from regular business the St. Paul Painters and Decorators' Union No. 61, which met last evening in Hall No. 3, Assembly rooms, devoted considerable time to discussion of a new proposed scale of wages for 1900. There was quite a difference of opinion expressed, some of the members being in favor of a higher rate for ten hours, while others favored the existing scale and a shorter work day. The new scale, when adopted, will not go into effect until spring. The sum of \$5 was appropriated as a sick benefit weekly fund for a certain member of the union. Recording Secretary Brown has removed to Cincinnati, leaving a vacancy in that office, and also in that of business agent, to be filled at the next annual election.

Bricklayers' Social.

Paul Bricklayers' Union No. 1 had a social entertainment last evening at Assembly hall, which, despite the threatening weather, was well attended. The first part of the evening was devoted to songs and addresses, after which the floor was cleared for dancing. This was followed by a free supper.

Meetings Tonight. The following meetings are scheduled for this evening at Assembly hall: Iron molders, bakers and brewers.

EL MODELO CIGARS. Strictly Cuban hand-made. FROM LAND SALES.

What the Northern Pacific Will Do With the Money.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8 .- The syndicate that bought lands valued at \$6,000,000 of the Northern Pacific will pay the full amount on it. The use to which the \$6,000,000 may be put is specifically stated in the mortgage. All must be turned over to the Mercantile Trust company, trustee. Not over \$500,000 a year may be used to retire prior lien 4 per cent bonds at not over 110. The remainder may be used with certain restrictions to purchase terminals, tracks, bridges and other permanent betterments.

onth ago the Northern Pacific deposited with the Central Trust company something over \$4,500,000, which the trust ompany lent at call on 6 per cent loans still outstanding. This sum was derived from the sale of lands, but has no con-nection with the present operation. It will all be used Jan. 2. retiring the re-mainder of the the old land grant bonds. which will, of course, be taken out of the money market.

Fresh Pork Chops, 8 Cents Pound. Such pork chops as only F. W. Luley & Son sell. Pork Roasts, 7 cents; Spare Ribs, 7c; Pork Tenderloin, 20c. 382 Jackson

MUST OBEY THE LAW.

Insurance Companies Can Test the Question Afterwards.

Insurance Commissioner O'Shaughnessey is preparing to send a letter to all fire insurance companies, asking them to withdraw all correspondence sent to Minnesota agents as a result of the Western Union's action on separation. Mr. O'Shaughnessey was asked yesterday if he would allow the subject to remain in abeyance until the law has been tested in the courts, and he says he will not. His position is that the ruling is according to the law, and until the law has been proven not to apply to insurance companies by a test case or otherwise it will have to be lived up to. Representatives of non-union companies here say that any test will have to be brought solely by the union; that the non-union companies will not put themselves in the light of attacking a law which is already satisfactory to them.

TWO OF THEM ACQUITTED.

But One of the La Riviere Brothers

Must Yet Stand Trial. The jury in the case of the State versus Louis and John La Riviere, brothers, charged with grand larceny in the first degree, last evening returned a verdict for the defendants. The case was tried before Judge Bunn in the district court. Milford Duncanson, the complaining wit-ness, claimed that the defendants, with Joseph La Riviere, another brother, with whom he had been drinking on the night of Nov. 5, knocked him down and took \$15 from his pocket. Stan Donnelly appeared for the defense and County Attorney Bigelow for the state. The case of Joseph La Riviere is still to be tried.

Cash paid for claims against Germania and Savings banks. N. R. Frost, 51 East Fourth.

## When You Don't Know What Ails You.

If you don't know what alls you, take Beecham's Pills. They are harmless, and will at least relieve your pain. While Oranges, sweet, per doz. 15e, 20c, 25e

Will at least relieve your pain. While Beecham's Pills are not a panacea, they have a wide-spread reputation of being a cure for many common ills of men and women. They keep your stomach and bowels in the condition nature intended them to be. They are the foremost foe of constipation, and following in their rain come bright eyes, a clear head, an active brain and greater possibilities for success. They cost a quarter, but they are proverbially worth a guinea a box.

## PRESENTS FOR HAMLIN

THE RETIRING PRESIDENT OF THE COMMERCIAL CLUB SHOWERED WITH THEM

HIS WORK WAS APPRECIATED

iness Organization Present Him, for the Club, a Leather Chair, a Loving Cup and a Silver Service-Pleasant Task for a Number of Gentlemen.

President Conde Hamlin, of the Commercial club, was waited upon at his home, at the Marlborough, last evening, by a score of prominent citizens who, as an evidence of their appreciation of his services in promoting the city's welfare, presented him with several beautiful presents, as well as giving expression to sentiments that could leave no room for doubt as to the spirit of the donors. Ike Lederer formed the advance of the blockading fleet, and the others who constituted the party were C. B. Bowlby, L. L. May, W. H. Merrick, C. P. Stine, Adolph Michaud, John Caulfield, H. W. Fagley, George Hallberg, F. W. Bergmeier, A. K. Pruden, Dow S. Smith, Jesse A. Gregg, S. H. Haas, C. W. Hornick, M. D. Munn, George Thompson, H. P. Hall, E. C. Stringer and J. S. Fugate.

Eli S. Warner was the first to announce the intention of the vistors to Mr. Hamlin, and when Mrs. Hamlin drew the curtains leading to an alcove a fine leather chair was pulled out. Mr. Warner, in making the presentation, referred to Mr. Hamlin's willingness to join heart and hand in any scheme that was for the upbuilding of the city, and of the appreciation which the business men felt for his influence in promoting projects that were of most vital interest to the business men.

George Thompson presented Mr. Hamlin with a silver loving cup. His talk was along happy lines, asserting that good fellowship among the business men was ever a factor for success in a city of the size of St. Paul. In presenting the cup he said it carried with it the best expression of good will towards Mr. Hamlin that could be given by those who had known him best in a business way. A magnificent silver service and set, including over 100 pieces, only added to Mr. Hamlin's bewilderment. The spokesman for the silver set was Jesse A. Gregg. He spoke particularly of Mr. Hamlin's services as president of the Commercial club and of the impetus and life which his influence had carried, of all enterprises in which he had been as-The speaker referred to the bringing home of the Thirteenth regiment through the dollar subscriptions, and of the dispatch and system with which the project had been completed. Referring to the Commercial club Mr. Gregg said that no one knew better than he the many difficulties which had to be bridged and the amount of work that

was done through the inner workings of the organization. Mr. Hamlin was visibly affected by the overwhelming expression of esteem, and spoke with fervor of the cordial relations existing among business men. Foliowing his response short talks were made by A. K. Pruden, M. D. Munn, Ike Lederer, E. C. Stringer, H. P. Hall, H. W. Fagley and others.

## SOCIETY EVENTS OF THE DAY

A RECEPTION AT HER HOME

First of a Series of Afternoon Teas Given by Mrs. J. A. Wheelock-Miss Mabel Horn Gives an Informal Dancing Party.

from 4 to 6 yesterday afternoon at her home on Woodward avenue. Palms, smilax and cut flowers decorated the various rooms. Mrs. Thompson was as sisted by Mrs. James J. Hill, Mrs. C. J. Morris, Mrs. William H. Lightner, Mrs. Frank P. Shepard, Mrs. W. D. Kirk, Mrs. Robert A. Kirk, Mrs. A. B. Driscoll, Mrs. Gotzian, Mrs. L. P. Ordway, Mrs. E. T. Schmidt, Mrs. Theodore L. Schurmeier, Mrs. Henry Schurmeier, Mrs. Weide, Mrs. H. E. Bigelow, Mrs. F. B. Bass, Mrs. J. W. Willis, the Misses Hill, Miss Officer, the Misses Gotzian, Miss Ferguson, Miss Simpson, the Misses Boardman and the Misses Shawe.

Mrs. J. A. Wheelock gave the first of a series of teas yesterday afternoon at her home on Summit avenue. The Misses Wheelock assisted in receiving. Mrs. Wheelock will give at homes the remaining Fridays in December.

Mrs. Howard Lankester gave a reception yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6, at her home on Dayton avenue. The drawing room was decorated with yellow roses and palms. The library was in red and the dining room in pink. Mrs. A. J. Stone received with Mrs. Lankester. Mrs. David M. Emmons served punch. Mrs. Franklin Floete presided in the dining room, assisted by Miss Lovely, Miss Kennedy, Miss Robinson, Miss Berkey, Miss Fitzpatrick and Miss Lankester. Other assisting women were: Mrs. Denis Follett, Mrs. M. L. Saunders, Mrs. Thomas McDavitt, Mrs. Hendrickson, Mrs. John Lind and Mrs. J. W. Willis. Mrs. Lankester was gowned in black velvet with cream satin bodice and jet trimmings. Mrs. Stone wore black lace over taffeta with lavender trimmings.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard G. Jones entertained at cards last evening at their home on Goodrich avenue. The rooms were decorated with cut flowers and palms. Mrs. Jones was assisted by the Misses Alice and Gertrude Baker, Miss Elizabeth Reed and Miss Edyth Weimer.

Miss Mabel Horn gave an informal dancing party last evening at her home in Irvine park. The St. Anthony Hill crchestra played for the dancing.

Como Division No. 98, Ladies' Auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors, will give a card party this evening at Bowlby

Home Lodge No. 198 and Home Rebekah Lodge No. 116, I. O. O. F., gave a dancing party last evening at Central hall for the benefit of the I. O. O. F. home. The grand march was led by Mr. and Mrs. M. Standacher. Pepin's orchestra played for the dancing. On the committee were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cosgrove, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Flood, rs. Schilling, J. Gelina and M. Standacher.

"Pigmy" All-Pork Sausages Made entirely from selected corn fed pigs. Seasoned just right. The best Breakfast Sausage. Price, 12½c pound. Made only by F. W. Luley & Son, 882 Jackson street.

CHURCH BAZAARS.

Number of Them Receiving Liberal Patronage.

The women of Plymouth Congregational church held their annual Christmas sale yesterday in the church pariors. Two fancy work tables, daintily draped with colored bunting, were presided over by

Mrs. Addie Bixby-Upham, Mrs. Chester Smith and Mrs. F. M. Joslin. Mrs. J. T. Jackson had charge of a domestic booth, and Mrs. E. L. Mabon sold home-made candy. Supper was served on the Euro-The women in charge were: Mrs. C. L. Weber, Mrs. De Graw, Mrs. Scotten and Mrs. Colbeth. The young

The women of the People's church congregation held their annual sale of fancy work articles yesterday afternoon and evening in the pariors of the church. The booths and tables were prettily decorated with red, white and blue bunting and the national flags. The fancy work table was in charge of Mrs. John A. Swenson, Mrs. A. C. Keith, Mrs. J. H. Cornish and Mrs. Asa Goodrich The candy booth was in charge of Mrs. Ridout and Mrs. Rachel Goodrich. Tea was served by the young women of the flower guild. The following young women took turns in presiding at the tea table. Miss Sadle Smith, Miss Harriet Smith, Miss Elsie Nicols, the Misses Brown and Mrs. Albert Wilson. A chicken ple supper was served at 6 o'clock. Mrs. E. H. Hodgson, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Hammers-ley, Mrs. Oscar Hallam and Miss Louise A musical programme was given in the evening. Miss Grace Hodgson contributed several violin numbers, and the Misses Laura Kahlert and Anna Blom played on the mandolin and guitar.

The Women's Guild of Christ Church held an all-day meeting yesterday in the guild room. Mrs. George L. Beardsley had charge of the noon luncheon. Arrangements were made for the annual Christmas sale, to be held next Friday in the guild room. The candy booth will be in charge of Miss McMichael and Miss Lyon: Mrs. Welch, Mrs. McGhee and Mrs. Dyer will have charge of the fancy work table, and Mrs. Bosland will look after the domestic booth.

Society of Plymouth Congregational Church will be held next Friday afternoon in the church parlors.

A large number of people are patronizing the sale of the sisters of St. Agatha change street, opposite the capitol. Choice paintings, etchings, bric-a-brac and handpainted china and water colors are shown. The two large parlors of the institution are well crowded with an artistic and exquisite array of pretty things, the product of the skillful and busy hands of the pany. sisters of St. Joseph, with Mother Celestine at the head.

On the St. Louis table at the St. Louis Catholic bazaar, in Sherman hall, there stands a gorgeously attired doll in bridal finery, with satin gown, veil and orange blossoms, all complete. To obtain possession of this belle of the doll kingdom two small girls are working earnestly. The contestants are Bessie Emmons and Lydia Laschinger.. The contest will be decided tonight. Two other contests will also be decided this evening, the gold watch contest between Miss Dora Martel and Miss Leone Fouschard, and the goldheaded cans contest between Dr. Gravel and L. P. Des Lauriers.

A large crowd was in attendance at the bazaar last evening. La Tourelle's orchestra played. The closing of several ly one and a still larger crowd is antici-

WOMAN AS A WAGE-EARNER.

Dr. Smith Will Resume the Discus

sion Sunday Evening. "Woman as a Factor in the World's Work" will be Rev. Samuel G. Smith's topic at the People's church Sunday evening, a reply to critics of his recent re-mark, that "The world would be better off if all the wage-earning women were turned out of their jobs tomorrow." The address will be followed by the question box, which will give his audience a chance to get back at him.

EL MODELO CIGARS. Acme of perfection.

NECKWEAR FOR WOMEN.

The shops have managed to set forth a most tempting array of neckwear; anything from the tiniest bit of a bow to a whole cape with stole ends fairly touching the floor.

Busy women especially are glad to be able to buy ready-made stocks with any and every degree of trimming thereon, and at corresponding various prices. One sort has appended to its silk-covered stock a large bow with broadening ends which reach quite to the belt. The fancy edge is put on with hemstitching.

Neckwear in silk is naturally more durable than that made of mousseline or other gauze-like fabric. Liberty silk, however, is really serviceable. Hand-painted trifles are not at all trifles as to price. Violets, pansies and wild roses are favorites for this charming decoration.

The picturesque scarfs, to be tied when one dons them, are likewise likely to boast painted postes.

Some of this neckwear, designed for occasions, is even of panne and the other stuffs which look heavy. In reality panne weighs no more than satin an-tique.

More women would be better dressed if they thought twice before donning their neckwear. While there is any amount of the elaborate sort to be worn with handsome tollettes, there's an equally large amount just suited for wear with the plainest tailor made.

WATER WAS TOO COLD.

It Brought Peter P. Becker Out of Suicidal Notion.

Peter P. Becker, a tailor living at 386 Rice street, yesterday determined to commit suicide by drowning, but the water was sufficiently cold to shake his resolution. It is said Beeker has been drinking heavily and was despondent. After writing a card explaining his reasons for the act, Becker went to the river at the foot of Chestnut street, piled his clothing on the bank, and attached himself to a pole that was expected to act as a sort of buoy to show the location of the remains. Then he waded in up to his waist when he was seized with a chill that reminded him that life was worth living after all. He climbed out of the river in front of the central station after a long wade and went to the station to get warm. He unbesomed himself to the police and as his desire for suicide had passed away was

A Haynes portrait of father or mother will be a joy and comfort when both are gone.

FORTY DAYS IN THE MINNE-APOLIS INSTITUTION

Convicted on Circumstantial Evidence, but Stoutly Denies That Leading Soprano in the Duff With Corinne.

The woman's ward at the Minneapolis workhouse this week has rather an unusual prisoner in the person of Lillian M Knott (Mrs. Joseph Barnett), at one time Camille D'Arville's understudy in "Madeline or the Magic Kiss," and who later sang leading roles with Corinne and the Lohlker had charge of the dining room. Duff Opera companies. She was sent to the workhouse the other day to serve forty-day sentence upon complaint of Minnie Steele, a colored woman, who was also sent up for sixty days the same day on an old commitment, and who claimed that Lillian had stolen her jacket. Miss Knott's parents reside at Terre

Haute, Ind., where her father is manager of the Wabash Iron works. At the Milv.aukee ticket office a ticket home awaits her, which was forwarded to her by her father and which arrived the day she was sent to the workhouse. Yesterday although on the verge of collapse, following a recent attack of typhoid fever, she worked at the wash tub with the other The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid female prisoners at the workhouse.

Miss Knott states that she was born in time she was a child in short dresses. She obtained the best vocal instruction Conservatory of Art and Music, on Ex- at the Cincinnati Musical college, receivyears, and then was with Corinne's com

After that she went out as leading lady with Joe Flynn's "McGinty the Sport," and married Jeseph Barnett, musical director of the company. Subsequently she sang in Twin City variety theaters to secure money enough to take her home. Her husband deserted her, and later she was attacked with typhoid fever and after her recovery and another attempt to earn a living she wrote to her father who promptly forwarded her money and a ticket home, which she cannot get until the terrible forty days are

Steele's cloak. She says she had scarcely clothing enough to keep her warm, and was walking along the avenue from the of a theater. He invited her to come to of the contests tonight will make this evening at the bazaar an unusually livestarted for the ticket office again to see her the use of the jacket, which she gladhe street for stealing the cloak. There are several musicians and sing-

ers, now residing in Minneapolis and St. Paul, who knew Miss Knott and sang with her in the various companies with which she was connected. They were unaware of her predicament and are now seeking to have her released from the workhouse and sent home to her father. All say she vas a singer of merit and had a brilliant future. Judge Holt, who sentenced her to the workhouse, will be asked to assist in securing her release. night says: "Miss Lilian Knott, the operatic singer, who was arrested in Min-neapolis and sent to the workhouse on the charge of larceny, was born and brought up in this city. She was educated here, and was a graduate of the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music. Miss Knott, before going on the stage, sang in several of the prominent church choirs, took part in many charitable entertain-ments, and moved in the best society Her father resides here, and is connected with the Wabash Iron and Steel company; and her mother, who was separated from her husband about three years ago, resides in an Ohio town, and has been sup-ported by her daughter. Miss Knott has always been a favorite in society here, and was a leader in the musical circles of the city.'

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396 Robert street.

Took the Conductor's Ulster. M. Smith, a conductor on the interurban line, is minus a new ulster purchased early in the week. On one of his regu-lar trips to Minneapolis last night, with

## WITH ONE VOICE.

St. Paul People Who Have Investigated Are a Unit on the Subject.

The voice of the people Is heard all o'er the land. Trumpet notes of truth Sounded from East to West. St. Paul has joined the throng. Many a citizen lifts his voice in praise Enthusiastic people everywhere. Backs relieved of heavy burdens. Nights of suffering, days of misery, Become nights of rest and days of joy. It's the constant working of Doan's Kidney Pills. Are these reports all true? Here's a St. Paul citizen; ask her for

ner opinion. Grotto street, says: "The value of Doan's Kidney Pills is soon made apparent to the user. I had considerable trouble, arising from a deranged condition of the kidneys, when I procured this remedy from F. M. Parker's drug store and took a course of the treatment. It absolutely cured me.

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MISS LILLIAN M. KNOTT SERVING

ACCUSED OF PETTY LARCENY

She Is a Thief-Was at One Time Opera Company and Later Was

Marietta, O., and loved singing from the to be had and for six years was a student ing her final instruction in a Boston vocal school, and making her stage debut with the Duff Opera company. After that she was understudy for D'Arville for two

Miss Knott denies that she stole Minnie

Milwaukee depot, when she met a colored man whom she had known as an attache if a reply had been received from her father, one of the colored women offered ly accepted. Then she was arrested on

Mrs. George Cunningham, of 135 North

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ized to secure the arrest and conviction of

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Rich Decorated Glass-Art Department.

Stylish Trimmed Hats, many worth

\$7.00 and \$8.00, and no two \$2.98 alike. Saturday

Elegant Trimmed Hats, \$9.98 many early models; \$15.00

Take Elevator to Third Floor.

For Saturday 500 bottles of 1-oz Con-centrated Handkerchief Perfume (glass

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See our fine assortment of Fancy Box

Children's Colored Cloaks-a discount

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Ladies' colored or black Taffeta Silk

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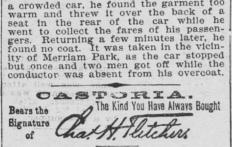
Military Hair Brushes, We have just received an importer's "balance of stock"—solid wood backs and pure bristle, olive and 39c fox woods. One lot, special at ... Another lot at..... 590

They are worth double. Pedestals and Jardinieres-Art Dept.

a crowded car, he found the garment too

Still another at..... 89c

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For the Winter Carnival. A meeting of the executive officers of various social and civic organizations, has been called by Mayor Klefer, to be held Monday evening at the Commercial club, to plan for the winter carnival pro-The Commercial club committee of twenty-five will meet at 1 p. m. today.

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DEATHS. W. Rinck, 55 yrs., city hospital.
Mary Halawey, 1 mo. 16 dys., 75 S. Robert.
Mrs. C. K. Chatterton.27 yrs., city hospital.
John Ludwig, 7 dys., 144 upper levee.
M. Maucelain.36 yrs., St. Joseph's hospital.
R. K. Salter, 29 yrs., St. Joseph's hospital.
Baby Hamilton, 2mos., 636 E. 4th st.

AMUSEMENTS.

DEATHS.

SILK—In St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 8, 1899, at 3 p. m. at the family residence, 250 East Robie street, Edward Silk, age twentyeight years, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Silk. Notice of funeral later.

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