PIANOS At Half-Price.

SQUARE. Good Squares at \$15, \$20, \$35, \$45, \$65 and \$75, in makes of Steinway, Chickering, Pease, Emerson, Gabler and others.

UPRIGHTS.

1	One Cornish \$85
1	One Imperial \$95
1	One Emerson \$115
1	One Fischer \$125
1	One Ivers & Pond \$145
1	One Steinway\$155
1	One Chickering\$165
1	One Knabe
1	One Wesley\$185
1	One Ludwig\$195
1	One Shaw\$265
1	One Weber
1	One Vose\$315
	Also a beautiful bargain in a Colonial Weber at \$200 less than regular cost. These planes have all been used and are great bargains.

MINNESOTA IN THE LEAD

MORE ENTRIES IN BUTTER CON-TEST THAN ANY OTHER STATE

Creamery Industry Has Boomed Con. sistently Since Beginning of New Year, Many New Creameries.

Minnesota_continues in the lead in the number of creamery buttermakers applying for representation in the proposed national butter scoring contest under the supervision of the National Creamery Buttermakers' association.

Up to the present time about 200 entries have been received, of which 70 are from Minnesota, 40 from Iowa and 30 from Wisconsin. The following Minnesota creamery men entered last week: C. A. Rasmussen, Owatonna; A. D. Smith, Willmar; O. E. Weber, Ragers; P. Miller, Georgeville; Edwin Hed, Kloss-ner; L. H. Belden, Hart; Andrew Larson,

Marine, Minn.; H. A. Hanson, Odin. The dairy and food department is gratified that Minnesota maintains so marked a lead in this matter. "It would certainly be no little honor if the contest is ulled off to have half of the total number of applicants from Minnesota. It would not only be a tribute to the enterprise of the dairymen of the state, but it would increase Minnesota's chances to share in the best prizes of the ntest," says Commissioner McCon-

The creamery industry continues to boom in Minnesota. A Chicago bulletin, which chronicles all the new creameries from week to week, has for the past six weeks given more space to Minnesota than to any other state in the Union. Last week's list announced proposed new creameries in the following places:

Perley, Brown's Valley, Green Meadow, Elysian, Florn, Arlington, Erskine, Jasper, Iona, Sugar Loaf.

If the rate of increase reported thus far this year is maintained, no state in the Union will be able to show a better record in creamery building than Minnesota. The dairy and food department is agitating the building of creameries and cheese factories continuously.

Wrestling at the Empire tenight.

Settlers' One-Way Rates

Via Chicago Great Western railway to points in California, Utah and Colorado. Free chair cars. Tourist sleepers three times a week; double berth to St. Joseph and Kansas City, \$1.50; to Des Moines, \$1. For full information apply to J. N. Storr, City Ticket Agent, corner Fifth and Robert streets, St. Paul. Republicans in Second Ward.

The Second Ward Republican club met

at Seventh street and Bates avenue last evening. The speakers were: F. B. Doran, R. C. Hine, J. H. Wollerstorff, J. J. Leighton, George M. Shaw, John Finehout, M. J. Donnelly, George W. Root, J. R. Blackwell, Arthur Gaines, John Sells, W. W. Dunn, David Kimball, Frank Arnold, C. J. Nelson, Charles Hoff, J. B. Baker and John Lohmann. The next meeting of the club will be held Wednesday evening, March 19.

Wrestling at the Empire tonight.

THE ANDREW GROCERY CO.,

The busy grocery store because it is

Broadway and 7th.

the bargain giving store. These for to-Absolutely pure Maple Sugar just received from the

orchard. Per 1b Extra fancy smoked boneless goose breast and legs, per lb ... Apples Per peck Kirk's Soap Ten 25c Pear Butter Per jar Summer Sausage Per 1b.

CIGAR BARGAIN

The celebrated "Lillian Russell" cigar -a straight 5c smoke at our cigar department today,

8 for 25c

ORANGES—Blood, per dozen— 17c, 20c and 25c 60c Navels, per dozen 37c

INVITES AMERICANS TO EXHIBIT AT INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION AT OSAKA

Japanese Manufacturers Hope to Profit by Study of Achievements of Western Invention-Details Announced.

The dairy and food department yester-day received circulars from the Japanese department of agriculture and comese department of agriculture and com-merce giving detailed information con-cerning the great National Industrial ex-position to be held at Osaka, Japan, in 1903, March to July, which was noted in The Globe some weeks ago.

The most interesting feature of this

exposition is the establishment of a special building for samples of articles produced or manufactured in foreign countries. It is not concealed that the primary object of this invitation is to af-ford Japanese manufacturers an opporunity to study the latest products of Western invention, with a view to the improvement of Japanese industries; but it is claimed that in return the establishment of the building in question offers to foreign manufacturers a rare opportunity for exploiting the rapidly developing markets of the whole far East, as the exposition is expected to attract immense crowds of visitors from the continental countries of Asia, in addition to the millions of Japanese.

For the benefit of Americans intending

to offer exhibits a number of rules and information are given, among them the

following:

Every application for exhibition should be accompanied by detailed explanations of such exhibits. In case of machinery, the application should also be accompanied by a drawing or drawings. In case machines are to be worked at the exhibition, their horse power should be mentioned.

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If any intending exhibitor desires to erect at his expense a special building for the accommodation of his own exhibits, he should forward a detailed description of the proposed structure and the dimensions of such building together with the aforementioned application for exhibition.

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Accepted applicants for exhibition are required to have their exhibits brought to, and arranged in, the building between Jan. 5 and Feb. 20, 1903. In case exhibitors may be unable to comply with the aforementioned requirement, the arranging of their exhibits shall be undertaken by the office of the chief commissioner on their request, such request to be sent in writing, together with the exhibits, to the branch of the above-mentioned office at Osaka, not later than Feb. 15, 1903.

All expenses connected with the packing and the transportation of exhibits to and from the exhibition shall be borne by the exhibitors.

Exhibitors shall have no right to object to the photographing or sketching of their exhibition.

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No person shall be allowed to photograph or make sketches of any exhibit without the consent of the office of the chief commissioner. Any person wishing to photograph or make a sketch of any object or scene within the building must first procure the permission of the office of the chief commissioner.

Admission to the exposition is 2½ cents for the main building, and 1½ cents for the aquarium.

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ADJUST LOSS IN CHURCH

The loss on the People's church, which was destroyed some time ago by fire, was adjusted yesterday, the insurance companies agreeing to pay the full face of the policies which will amount to \$49,500. Contrary to expectations the walls of the church have been discovered to be in excellent condition and if the cnurch is to be reoullt on the same site they can be used. This report was made yesterday by a special committee appointed by the church to look into the matter. by a special committee appointed; by the church to look into the matter. church to look into the matter.

While the congregation of the People's

church has taken no definite action as to the rebuilding of their church, the general sentiment appears to be in favor of the erecting of a building on the same site. Action on the matter has been deferred Action on the matter has been deferred until a report on the condition of the walls was received. Inasmuch as the walls are estimated to be worth \$30,000 there is little question that they will be Smith and Ries club. One of the meetings was held in the Joseph Jerosz hall, and the other at 241 Carroll street.

Those of the congregation who have without any debt being contracted.

OVERCOME BY COAL CAS

MRS. ROSA FISHER HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

ation.

Dr. Whitcomb was called, and worked for an hour and a half before the woman could be brought to consciousness. The boy's condition was not so serious, but he was also in bad shape. Dr. Whitcomb reported last night that Mrs. Fisher would recover. would recover.

The gas came from a coal heater which had not been properly operated and emitted gas into the room. When the son went to his work he replenished the fire, but did not close the draughts properly.

Wrestling at the Empire tonight.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

C. W. McCord et al. to Mary Binder, lt 25, blk 2, Hill's Add
T. Peterson and wife to H. W. Marshall, lt 7, blk 2, Atwater St. vine's Add C. H. Smith and wife to Caroline A. Arndt, s 10 ft lt 4, blk 100, West St. Paul A. Arndt, s 10 ft lt 4, blk 100, West St. Paul
Fanny Lord et al to Caroline A. Arndt, lt 5, blk 100, West St. Paul
Jules C. William et al to H. A. Nickelson, lts 15 and 16, blk 34, Linn & Zimmerman's Div.
R. Clark and wife to K. D. Dunlop, lt 7, blk 22, Summit Park
F. A. Upham et al to K. D. Dunlop, lt 6, blk 22, Summit Park.
P. Glombitza and wife to A. Lukasjewski, lt 16, Stinson's Sub. blk. 80, L. D. Add
P. Glombitza and wife to A. Lukasjewski, pt lt 18, blk 10, Arlington Hills Add
A. Erb and wife to H. Thorson, lt 100 225 1.550 2,500 Hills Add

A. Erb and wife to H. Thorson, it 5 and 6, bik 12, Oliver's Add

W. E. Johnson to G. D. Taylor, it 4, blk 11, Bazille & Robert's Add.

R. L. Ware and wife to G. D. Taylor, it 5, blk 11, Bazille & Roberts' Add.

Total\$20,975

THE HOREY COUCH COUCHY (I).

THE BIG STORE,

BROADWAY AND SEVENTH, ST. PAUL.

HOMESCERES Opportunity.

Excursion tickets at one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip will be sold by the Wiscensin Central Railway on the first and third Tuesdays during March and April to points in the South and Southwest. Tickets to all points at the lowest rates on sale daily. For particulars apply or write Herman Brown, C. P. & T. A., 373 Robert St., St. Paul, Minn, Homeseekers' Opportunity.

CREAMERY COMBINE MAKING NO HEADWAY IN MINNESOTA.

Creamery Inspector D. B. White, of the state dairy and food department, the state dairy and food department, says the creamery trust is practically beaten, although it is still pursuing its well known tactics in Minnesota. "The trust," says Mr. White, "is still securing a considerable number of patrons by making flattering offers to the patrons of regular creameries who do not seem to be satisfied with the creameries they are dealing with. This is but a temporary gain, however, as the disgruntled ones very soon become equally tired of the trust methods and come back to the creameries and become their best patrons. I am sure that we have the creamery trust practically crippled and practically unable to make any headway among our farmers. We have carried our agitation on throughout the state, and the farmers are not to be caught any more by the apparently generous offers of the trust agents." EAGER TO COMPARE METHODS erous offers of the trust agents.'

DEFICIT IS NO BAR

SCHOOL BOARD DECIDES TO PRO-CEED WITH CONTEMPLATED IMPROVEMENTS

IGNORE M'CARDY'S STATEMENT

Juggler of Figures Asserts That Al. lowance of \$125,000 Has Dwindled to a Paltry \$45, 000.

Last December the conference commit tee and the common council insered in the budget an item of \$125,000 for the construction of new school buildings and the purchase of new sites. Acting on supposition that the amount was in the city treasury to their credit the members of the school board planned for new school buildings to the amount of over \$100,000. City Comptroller McCardy now informs the board that there is no such amount to its credit, the best he can do being \$45,000.

This unexpected state of affairs furnished the theme for a lively discussion of the meeting of the board last night and was prolific in remarks anything but complimentary to the council and Mr. McCardy, to whom the blame is credited by the board.

To be brief, Mr. McCardy informed the board that a goodly portion of the \$125,000 which was allowed by the council has been used in paying off contracts already in existence, and that all the board can now contract against is what remains, about \$45,000. The conference committee and the council might have promised in times past a stated amount, but it was never realized when the taxes were paid.

SMITH AND RIES MEN

TWO ROUSING MEETINGS HELD IN THE EIGHTH WARD.

gone o the matter of rebuilding are of the opin on that with the insurance money, the walls and about \$20,0.0 additional a mittely and about \$20,0.0 additional a mittely and specific response to the matter of rebuilding are of the Schutte presided at the meeting in the Jerosz hall, and K. Skarozuski was secretary. The speakers were M. Doran tional, a suitable structure can be erected Jr., Joseph Jerosz, Gustaf Schalle, F. W. Foote, James Cormican, A. J. Ries, M. C. Herges, T. J. McDermott, Winn Powers, Frank Ford, A. Poppenny and others The hall was well filled and the crowd was quite enthusiastic over the rousing speeches that were made.

At the Carroll street meeting Michael Lux presided. Speeches were made by A. J. Ries, T. J. McDermott, Winn Pow-Mrs. Rose Fisher, living at 1240 Atlantic street, had a narrow escape from being asphyxiated in her home yesterday morning. Her son, Edward Fisher, arose early in the morning and went to his work at the harvester works, not thinking it strange that his mother had not arisen, as she usually remained in bed until after he had gone to work. The neighbors saw no one about the house during the forenoon, and at 3 o'clock one of them thinking something was wrong went to the house. He found Mrs. Fisher uncenscious, and her eight-year-old grandson in a serious state of asphyxition.

Dr. Whitcomb was called, and worked for an hour and a serious state of asphyxition.

MINNESOTA GIDEONS.

State Rally Begins in Minneapolis on Sunday.

The state rally of the Minnesota Gideons will begin Saturday evening at the Y. M. C. A. building in Minneapolis. The chief address will be by Charles H. Palmer, national organizer. John H. Nicholson will also be present. After the campfire a camp for Minneapolis and St. Paul will be organized. St. Paul will be organized.
Sunday afternoon Mr. Palmer and
other Gideons will lead the Y. M. C. A.
men's meeting. In the evening Rev. W. B.
Riley will preach at the First Baptist
church, and a special musical programme

Wrestling at the Empire tonight.

Lecture on Cross Country Trip. Lecture on Cross Country Trip.

C. B. Clow gave an illustrated lecture at the Y. M. C. A. last night upon the subject "Across the Continent." The lecture is an account of a trip from one ocean to the other, and is illustrated with views of the most interesting points to be seen on the trip. Among those shown are the Statue of Liberty, in New York harbor; Niagara fails, old Fort Megrimac, farming in the Red river valley, wool growing in Montana, Spokane Fails, and other scenes of interest.

The views give one an idea of the industries of the northern tier of states that can be obtained only in this way, or in much time spent in traveling. They are beautiful as well as instructive, and the lecturer explained their importance. A good crowd was in attendance.

Do you realize that the best Coffee to be bought is "ASTOR HÕUSE?" 25c a pound.

That the whitest and best bread is made from J. Geo. Schoch's FIRST PATENT FLOUR? \$2.15 for 98-pound sack.

That J. Geo. Schoch's BAKING POWDER has no equal? 25c a can

JAPAN WOULD LEARN NO FEAR OF THE TRUST COLLIDED WITH RAM

MRS. SCHNEIDER ASKS COURT TO AWARD HER HEAVY DAMAGES IN CONSEQUENCE

APPRAISES INJURY AT \$6,000

Counsel for Defense Contends That Alleged Pugnacious Ram Was a Lamb Only Five Months Old.

A damage suit which in itself possesse some unique features and which upon being presented in court has developed other points slightly out of the ordinary is that of Bertha Schneider against John Mulholland and his wife, Mary Mulholland. The action is a consequence of an exuberant demonstration of rude playfulness on the part of a ram owned by the Mulhollands, which incident, it is said, resulted in section of the part of the mulhollands. sulted in serious bodily injury to the

Mrs. Schneider, whose age is ninetythree years, lives on Siegel street and in close proximity to the home of the Mulhollands and their ram. From the alelegations of the plaintiff it appears that on Dec. 2 last while she was standing outside her house the Mulholland ram straying over that way, charged her fiercely from a direction in which she was not looking and knocked her down, causing a fracture of her thigh bone. She demands \$6,000 damages for her injuries. When the case was taken up for trial yesterday the pleadings were first called into question, C. D. O'Brien, for the de-

but the court took the other view of the question and permitted the plaintiff to flie a reply on payment of \$10 costs.

Incidentally Mr. O'Brien asked the court to take judicial notice of the fact that a lamb of the tender age of five months, even though of the male sex, and therefore designated as a ram, could not by nature be of a vicious disposition. Tradition and natural history tended to show that lambs were playful, but, withsnow that lambs were playful, but, with-out regarding all the teachings of litera-ture on the subject, it could not be ac-cepted that a lamb would be vicious. The plaintiff did not appear in court, and it was explained that she was still suffering from her injuries and unable to leave her home.

leave her home. WILL ASK GEORGE'S PAPA.

Judge Bazille Wants to Know if He Can Support Son.

Can Support Son.

Judge Bazille yesterday refused to commit George Defoe, aged thirteen years, to the state school at Owatonna until his case shall have been further investigated. The boy was referred to the probate court by the municipal court, on the statement of his aunt, who said she had means to care for him, and there was no other provision for his maintenance. Judge Bazille is informed that the boy's father lives in Minneapolis, and intends that the father shall be cited into court before disposition is made of the case.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

Edward Burke Gets \$125 in Suit Against Zimmermans.

Against Zimmermans.

The jury in the case of Edward Burke against Barrett & Zimmerman returned a verdict yesterday awarding the plaintiff damages in the sum of \$125. The action was brought to recover \$310 by reason of the fact, as alleged, that a horse which the plaintiff purchased of the defendant turned out to have glanders, and that horse and another owned by the plaintiff, and valued at \$135, each was shot by order of the health officers.

Mrs. Mary Schaefer has filed suit in the district court against Frederick W. Schaefer for divorce. She alleges that the defendant, by his cruelty, has permanently impaired her health and ruined ner hearing, and also charges him with drunkenness and desertion. The complaint states that the plaintiff and defendant were married at Owatonna Jan. 8 1895, at which time the plaintiff was twenty years of age and defendant twenty-two years. There is a son now five years of age. The desertion is alleged to date from October, 1899.

Retail Clerks' Unfair List.

At the regular meeting of the Retail Clerks' association, held last evening, eleven applications were received and five applicants initiated. Arrangements have been made to give a stag social at Federation hall, Wednesday evening, April of Several firms that have been on the unfair list have refused to comply with the just demands of the association and will be continued to be declared unfair.

Mattressmakers Join International.

Suit Is Transferred.

The suit of Minnie L. Lawrence, as administratrix of the estate of Frank Lawrence, against the Northern Pacific Railway company, has been transferred from the district court to the United States circuit court. The purpose of the action is to recover \$5,000 by reason of the death of Frank Lawrence from injuries received while in the discharge of his duties as switchman on the defendant campany's road.

Letters of Administration. Dr. Samuel D. Flagg has applied to the probate court for letters of administration of the estate of his mother, Mrs. Sarah R. Flagg, who died Feb. 28, leaving property of the value of \$1,000, consisting of bank stock and stock in the Fire and Marine Insurance company and Consolidated Elevator company, of Duluth, and real estate, the value of which is unknown. Dr. Flagg is the sole heir. known. Dr. Flagg is the sole heir.

City's Motion Denied.

Petitions in Bankruptey. Petitions in bankruptcy were filed in the United States district court yesterday by Uriah Branch, a physician, whose liabilities are stated as \$11 and his assets as \$125; and by John G. Bishop, who gives his liabilities as \$1,098.60 and his as-

Wrestling at the Empire tonight.

ACROBATS TAKE A TUMBLE. Charles Smith and His Wife Hurt a Empire Theater.

Charles Smith and his wife Ada, known as the "Ariel Smiths," met with an accident while giving a performance at the Empire theater last night which will incapacitate the woman from per-forming for some time. They were about to give their juggling act in which Smith to give their juggling act in which Smith hangs with his legs on a trapeze and juggles the body of his wife. Last right he lost his hold on the trapeze, and the two of them fell to the floor, eighteen feet below. Smith struck on his head and was unconscious for half an hour, Mrs. Smith alighted on her feet and sustained a painful sprain of her ankle.

Physicians were summoned at once and made a thorough examination of both of them. When the man regained consciousness it was found that he was not seriously injured and will be able to perform ously injured and will be able to perform

COUPLE OF EXPERTS

To Be Appointed by the State Public Examiner.

Public Examiner Johnson will have to appoint two additional assistants on his force, ad he said yesterday that he should look for two men, expert railroad accountants, who will be assigned to examining the earning accounts of railroads. The bill requiring him to make these examinations provides for no extra help, and no additional appropriation for that The extra employes will be paid from the additional appropriation of \$11,500.

About Minnesota.

The first steamboat on the Mississippi to arrive at Fort Snelling was the Virginia, of St. Louis, in May, 1823. The first Parlor Cars between the Twin Cities and Chicago were operated on the famous North-Western Line, the shortest and best route between those large cities.

Wrestling at the Empire tonight.

NEW STAFF APPOINTED

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS SELECTS THREE OFFICIALS.

The board of public works yesterday selected R. L. Gorman as secretary, vice Charles Bronson, resigned; Michael Mc-Mahon, assistant clerk, and Miss Goodwich, stonggraphen rich, assistant clerk, and Miss Good-rich, stenographer.

The old staff remained on duty the en-tire day, and it was well on to evening before they knew their fate. The selec-tions were made behind closed doors, and considerable debate ensued before an agreement was reached.

SMITH BUTTONS IN DEMAND. Little Campaign Emblems Are Going Like Hot Cakes.

If requests for campaign buttons have any significance, the nomination of Robert A. Smith as the Democratic candidate for mayor seems assured.

Two weeks ago buttons containing Mayor Smith's likeness were placed in circulation, and since that time fully a bushel basket of the little celluloid affairs has been handed out. In the early part of the week callers for buttons kept the mayor's cierical force busy handing them out, and since that time there has been no falling off in the demand.

FOND OF TAKING WHEELS. Albert Le Fleur in Trouble for the

Second Time. Albert Le Fleur was in police court yesterday charged with stealing two bicycles from the Commons on Jackson street. One of the wheels was found in a pawn shop on Minnesota street, but the other has not yet been located. Hapleaded not guilty to the charge, and the case was continued until this morning. Le Fleuer was released from Stillwater about five weeks ago, having just completed a two-year sentence for stealfendants, objecting that there was no reply on file. Mr. Bjorn, counsel for the plaintiff, thought no reply was necessary, completed a two-year sentence for steal-ing a wheel.

> Sneak thieves entered the residence of M. L. Higby, 297 Dayton avenue, yesterday afternoon and stole a quantity of clothing and two lady's rings. One of these was of plain gold, and the other was set with garnets and yearls. G. G. Ccoper, who lives in the same house, also lost a quantity of clothing.

Sneak Thieves Make a Haul.

Taken III With Appendicitis. William Willard, who lives in the Har-pers Chambers, Minneapolis, was taken severely ill at Seventh and Jackson streets last night, and taken to the St. Joseph's hospital in the Central patrol wagen. It was found that he was suffer-ing from appendictis. He will probably wagen. It was found that ne ing from appendicitis. He v undergo an operation today.

In Labor's Field.

President Seton presided at a rousing meeting of the Carpenters' union last night, when Christ Johnson was initiated. Business Agent Morrison said several buildings were in course of erection, union men being employed, and that a great many contracts were being let every week. The committee to interview candidates for political honors metwith representatives of six other unions last week, elected a chairman and secretary and adopted working rules. An executive board was selected to interview all candidates for mayor, aldermen and assemblymen to ascertain if they were in favor of the employment of union labor by the city. The committees will meet again tonight at Federation hall, when reports will be made by the various unions represented. The secretary was directed to inform D. A. Mangan, Emil Johnson and Andrew Thompson to appear before the executive board at its next meeting to answer the charge of violating section 164 of the constitution. The violation complained of consists in the refusal to show their working cards when demanded by officials of the union. Receipts, \$120; expenses, \$182.60.

Retail Clerks' Unfair List.

President Desmoney presided at a meeting of the Mattressmakers' union list night, when they decided to join the international body. The union considered a scale for the coming year which will receive final decision at the next meeting, but as only a slight raise will be asked, it will likely be conceded.

LABOR NOTES.

The following unions hold meetings to-night: Plasterers, Steam Engineers, Railway Carmen and Hoisting Engineers. There was a large attendance at a meeting of the Plumbers union last night, when the matter of apprenticeship was considered at length, and a committee was appointed to meet the bosses to consider the matter. Receipts, \$55; disbursements, \$22.

All arrangements for the mass meeting of women clerks to be held this evening at Federation hall have been completed, and a large attendance is assured. Miss Lamphere, the national organizer of the association, who has been successful in this work in Chicago and other large cities, has personally visited hundreds of women clerks in the city, and has received much encouragement. It is expected that fully a thousand people will be presented. Judge Bunn yesterday denied application of the city treasurer for judgment in favor of the city on account of delinquent assessments for building a sewer on Mississippi and Cayuga streets. The property involved is owned by the Bank of linnesota and Rachel Sanborn.

We have the denied application of much encouragement. It is expected that fully a thousand people will be presented that fully a thousand people will be presented to the gathering tonight. In addition to Miss Lanphere, the meeting will be addressed by E. C. Ives, James Morrow, Louis Nash, and others. An orchestra will provide music and dancing and refreshments will close the evening.

Low Sleeping Car Rates.

Twice a week the Chicago Great West-ern railway runs comfortable tourist sleeping cars to Chicago, Des Moines, St. Joseph and Kansas City at half the reg-ular double-berth rates. For further in-formation apply to J. N. Storr, City Ticket Agent, corner Fifth and Robert streets, St. Paul, Minn.

DESIRE FOR PURE FOOD

HOUSE COMMITTEE HEARS ADVO. CATES OF HYGIENIC LAWS.

WASHINGTON, March 11.-The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce today began a series of hearings on proposed pure food legislation. The hearing was largely attended by representatives of the pure food and drug organizations, including Dr. William Frear chairman of the executive committee of the National Pure Food and Drug cor gress, and F. B. Thurber, president of the National Pure Food society. The commercial industries were also well repre

Dr. Frear, of the pure food congress, made the opening statement, advocating the bill of Representative Hepburn which restrains interstate traffic in food and drug products injurious to nealth and requires the branding of such products. It also creates a board of twelve members to determine standards of purity.

Dr. Frear set forth the extent or food adulteration and how widely the adulterated goods were distributed by interstate traffic. Being general instead of local, he contended that the remedy should be applied by the government, not by the states.

He was questioned at length by mem bers of the committee, mainly on details of adulteration and on the merits of national as against state legislation. The hearings will proceed tomorrow.

Pocketed the Insult. Poet No. 1-What did the publisher offer for your poem?
No. 2-Three dollars.
No. 1-That was an insult! What did
you do?
No. 2-Put in my pocket.-New York

Should Bring Them Up Right. President M. Carey Thomas, of Bryn

Times.

[900 DROPS] For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Negetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regula-Bears the ting the Stomachs and Bowels of INFANTS CHILDREN Signature Promotes Digestion, Cheerfuiness and Rest. Contains neither Oprum, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC. Beope of Old Dr. SAMUEL PITCHER Panykin Seed -Alt Senra v Rockells Salts -dicte Seed -Pappermus -EN Carbonat Soda v Warm Seed -Clarited Sugar Vintergrown Flaren Aperfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and Loss of SLEEP Fac Simile Signature of Thirty Years Chalf Fletcher. NEW YORK. Alb months old 35 Doses - 35 Cents EXACT COPY OF WRAPPES

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Attached to all our through trains. Aisles carpeted. Windows double, keeping out cold air. Chairs neatly upholstered and adjustable to various positions. Toilet rooms and a smoking room are provided. A porter attends to the wants of passengers.

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Mawr college, in a published letter on the subject of a higher education, shows that there are now more than 21,000 women studying in colleges, and that these constitute 27.4 per cent of all college students. Relative to marriage, she says:

"College women, like other women, are dependent on men for marriage, and the college presidents who enjoin upon us to teach women womanly virtues and educate them to become wives and mothers should begin by educating men to become husbands."

WITAL STATISTICS.

Marriage Licenses.

Damon S. Tilden, Olive G. Lindsey, Nels F. Nelson, Emma E. Retzloff. Alvin R. Pribyl, Vesta M. Sanders. Arthur Emerson, Alice Johnson.

Births.

Mrs. F. Nordstrom, 551 Fairview, boy. Mrs. J. Heseman, 1373 Artkeright, gis Mrs. J. Heseman, 1373 Artkeright, gis Mrs. J. W. Bennett, 896 Beyrond.

DEATHS.

MAKINSON—J. W. Makinson, born May
10, 1842; died March 10, 1802. Funeral
from family residence, No. 391 Iglehart
street, Wednesday, 2:30 p. m. Friends
of the family are invited. St. Paul
Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., will have
charge. All comrades of G. A. R. invited.

Mrs. C. Iverson, 1260 Reaney, boy.
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