AUDITORIUM AT ST. PAUL GREAT FEATURE OF CITY

Campaign Committee Plans Energetic Week - Minnesota City Proud of Great Public Meeting Place.

The public auditorium campaign committee has planned an energetic week. Meetings will be held in several parts of the city almost every evening. As many indersements as possible for the auditorium bend issue will be piled up. Portland's need of the structure as a place for convention, public gatherings and exhibitions will be coupled with proof of its profits as shown by the experiences of other public auditorium cities. There has come from St. Paul a statement where nearly 5000 words is required in a straight-a-way enumera-tion of the benefits derived from the public auditorium in that city. It begins by saying:

Remarkable Monument.

"In few American municipalities have the citizens themselves raised a more remarkable monument to their public spirit than have the people of St. Paul, in building and presenting to the city for the prepetual benefit of the public, one of the finest auditorium buildings one of the finest auditorium buildings in the world, seating 5000 more people than the New York Hippedrome, and 9481 square feet larger in base area, and larger even than the Madison Square Garden and seating 2200 more people than does that famous structure. Now that it is completed and has proven its exceptional adequacy for the purposes to which it is devoted, it has become an to which it is devoted, it has become an object of especial satisfaction and pride to all the thousands who, moved by generous ambition for a greater and better city, gave so freely towards its

"The enormous structure was con-ceived in April, 1905. On the 11th of December of the same year the first contract was awarded and operations on a convenient site already purchased were commenced. The April agitation for the erection of a suitable building was the erection of a suitable building was a spontaneous revival of the old time demand for a 'town hall' of suitable proportions and consequence to fittingly entertain the people of one of the most beautiful cities in the United States and their guests. In May a committee of 11 was chosen to build a building with Phil W. Herzog, a mild a building with Phil W. Herzog, a mild manuaged business man at the head. mannered business man at the head. No more competent manager was eyer selected in the city for the onerous work of raising funds and vivifying the project with life and thorough business sense.

2000 Couples on Stage.

"The first opportunity the people of the city had of viewing the beautiful structure came on the night of the opening ball on the anniversary of the beginning of the auditorium movement, at which 2000 couples occupied the stage at the same time, while 10,000 people looked on. Many months later when 5t. Paul entertained Secretary Taft. building is a beautifully appointed thea-to Stark street, arriving there in time 5000 people sat down to a dinner in the with all of the great stage, except to allow him to view the parade and honor of the famous guest on the stage the footlights, hidden from view. Scen-land him at exactly poon.

Afternoon—A racing program will be ing from the street to the stage, four orce tally-ho coaches loaded with people are frequently driven, and during early months of the present year s complete in every detail with rings. serial artists, troops of horses and all the usual circus features, gave performance after performance on the huge stage and was not hampered in the least degree for either space or height over-head. On several occasions 10,000 people have been seated in the building at the same time for the enjoyment of various spectacles. A battalion of infantry can manuever on the stage with oom to spare.

Flexibility of Structure. "The remarkable flexibility of the structure, which was secured by methods which were used in St. Paul for the first time and have been patented, makes it possible to transform the huge hall with its enormous stage, a public gathering place seating 10,000, into a cozy theatre seating 3200 people in 15 min-ates. - The cheatre occupies approximately one third of the length of the building. Along the side walls are boxes, which, with the balcony seats above, are constructed on huge steel frames, skillfully concealed. These great frames pivoted on the ends reaching to the rear of the theatre swing inward at will and the effect is as if great sections of the side wall had suddenly been moved entire, carrying with them boxes and balcony seats. As the hinged box sections swing inward the

Daily Food

Should not only taste good, but should nourish the body.

Some people stick to certain foods they have been accustomed to eat, but which do not give the power of mind and body to be had from some other foods.

Grape-Nuts

made from whole wheat and barley, by a food expert, is all absorbed by the system for building up a clear brain and a strong body.

Try Grape-Nuts and cream or milk regularly for the cereal part of the morning meal a few weeks, and note the improvement in mental and physical vigor.

"There's a Reason"

Postum Cereal Company, Ltd. Battle Creek, Mich.

BLANCHE RING TELLS OF HER AUTO AND PHONOGRAPH RECORDS

But Even Then She Is Immensely Popular and Makes Hit With Heilig Audience.

That there is something in a name

well demonstrated at the Heilig last night when Miss Blanche Ring drew one of the biggest and gayest Sunday night houses in the history of the town. As Miss Ring hasn't been here before for years, it must have been her name that attracted — and quite possibly the festive phonograph. possibly the festive phonograph, those Ring records, which the lady doesn't forget to mention during awfully popular, you know.

But Miss Ring-who is Mrs. Freder-But Miss Ring—who is Mrs. Frederick McKay in real life—didn't disappoint any one. She is extremely attractive personally, she is gay and light
footed and quick of wit, and she sings
her songs in a way that makes them
popular at once. Her "Rings on My
Fingers" and "Yip! I Adee! I Aye!"
were added to the place by request and
I Frank Rurke as the makes the make were added to the piece by request and the house couldn't get enough of them, particularly of the latter. Likewise her newer ones—"Come Jesephine." "Nora Maline" and "The Top of the

satisfy any star.

But Miss Ring isn't all the show—there is Harry Gilfoil, for instance, whose weird contortions and weider sounds, his impersonations of a phonogroph, a glass of soda, a cat and other objects with noises, were sidesplitting. Gilfoil is irrepressible and never fails

to create a laugh. The play—in the face of Miss Ring The play—in the face of Miss Ring and Gilfoil the play is nearly forgotten—is called "The Yankee Girl," and was written by George V. Hobart. It is a pretty good musical comedy, though it must have been a little bare before Miss Ring and Gilfoil got to work on it and built it up—it shows many evidences of their combined efforts. It is a Central American or West Indian affair—republic and revolutions and banfair—republic and revolutions and ban-dits and all the good old, time-honored stunts of its race—it belongs to one of the oldest families in musical comedy. There are concessions and a young American consul and a beautiful American girl whose dad is after the concessions. The most up to date note in it is the Japanese who, by the way, is most excellently played by Paul Porter, in a makeup that is something to mar-

Charles J. Winninger is good as a young German, who gets off some of Dinkelspell's own talk with good effect, Dolly Dean is an attractive second to Miss Ring and sings "Louisiana Elizabeth" prettily. William P. Carleton, who has got to be quite a hero of musical comedies, sings well. Julia Villasana is the amusingly made-up president of the acceptable. ident of the republic. Mr. Cyril Ring-he must be in the family-is very funny as a fat landlord, and Peter Curley is more so as the minister of war. There are many show girls in the organization. We wish we could mention-them all, but we can't.

proscenium arch drops downward from concealed recesses in the ceiling, a beautiful velvet curtain falls and the ry is shifted into place in a few minutes and the theatre is ready for use, Sthough back of the properties is stage, vacant and unused and large snough for a baseball diamond."

Caruso Admires Structure. Such men as Caruso, the famous tenor, and others who have spoken or sung in the auditorium are quoted as enthusiastically admiring the beautiful of great municipal pride, the admiration of all comers and the best adver tisement the city has ever had. A pun lic auditorium would mean as much for

Marshfield, Or., May 22 .- The school board of Coquille is planning to erect a new school building and the matter will be submitted to a vote of the people at the next election. The plans are for a building 60x90 feet to cost \$6000. There will be nine rooms and a base

Bandon Broom Factory Burns. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Marshfield, Or., May 22.—Fire entiredestroyed the factory owned by O. A. Trowbridge and A. McNair at Bandon. An adjoining barn in which two horses were stabled was also burned and the horses cremated. The loss will total about \$10,000 and there was but a small insurance. The plant has been manufacturing broom handles.

F. P. Norton's Wife Is Dead. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Marshfield, Or., May 22.—Mrs. F. Norton of this city, who died at Mercy nospital in North Bend, was the wife of F. P. Norton, well known as a race horse owner in this state. She was the daughter of John Snyder, who is one of the pioneers of this city. Mrs. Nor-ton's death followed an operation for appendicitis.

AVERS SCIENTIFIC PROGRESS HEARTLESS

Taking the position that modern seientific progress is heartless, that it is eliminating the brotherhood of man which Jesus taught, President Penrose of Whitman college addressed a mass meeting of men in the Heilig theatre yesterday afternoon. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association.

Dr. Penrose said that if science had a heart or if the brotherhood of men were realized, efforts would have been made to save the lives of 1000 babies in the east that have recently died from heat, eglect and impure food

Elgin Horse and Outfit Stolen.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Elgin, Or., May 22.—A horse and spdile, together with chaps, spurs and were stolen from here Friday The horse belonged to Guy Patten, an employe of the First National bank, and the saddle and chaps to Jap Chandler, who lives on a farm about a mile from town. It is thought the thief started across the mountains to Walla Walla or else through the interior towards Idaho. All immediate points have been notified by phone. The horse was valued at about \$125 and the balance of the outfit at abou

John Sainpolis Given Welcome by Big Crowd at Baker in "The Middleman."

pany, John Sainpolis was introduced anew to Portland theatre goers at the Baker yesterday when "The Middleman," began a week's run. Sainpolis' theatre friends had not forgotten him during his absence and turned out enmasse to

Cast as "Cyrus Blenkarn," inventor of new porcelain wares, Sainpolis made the course of the evening—likewise an immediate and unqualified success. The skill he displayed in his subtle The skill he displayed in his subtle metamorphise from a retiring, deferential employee of Joseph Chandler, owner

welcome his return home.

J. Frank Burke, as the suave, grasping oily hyprocrite, Joseph Chandler, bandled his part excellently and his final downfall at Blenkarn's hands was hailed with genuine joy by the majority

To the lot of Muriel Hope, the Baker's new leading lady, fell the part of Mary. She made good. Her style of acting is the repressed emotional system so effectively developed by Florence Roberts Frank Denithorne as "Captain Chand-ler," was good, despite the fact that he threw a trifle too much of the "heroic

stuff' into his lines.
Fay Bainter, as Nancy Blenkarn, and
Dan Bruce as Jesse Pegg make an excellent comedy team. They relieved numerous straining scenes, with thir happy lines. William Dills, as the busy manager of the Porcelain works, likewise lightened tensing situations with

William Wolbert, who has been in the hospital for several weeks gave an excellent bit of character acting as Epi-phany Danks, an uncouth individual of Gawcott in the Moors.

In the minor roles, Lillian Andrews, Ruth Lechler, Brenda Fowler, Nita Quinn, Paul Hurst, Ronald Bradbury and Earl Dwire all did their share in rounding out the drama in something

AQUATIC EVENTS WILL BE ATTRACTIVE FEATURE

The program for the aquatic events connected with the Rose Festival has been tentatively arranged by the Motor Boat club. As submitted to the Rose Festival management by the secretary C. V. Cooper, the program indicates that the water events will be among the most ttractive of the festival. The program

June 5th morning-Arrangements will be made to receive Rex Oregonus, escort him with a parade of decorated boats

pulled off, consisting of five races, course to be from a point between the Burnside and Morrison bridges, around a buoy set between the Inman-Poulsen mill and the Portland Lumber company, then down through the city around to the place of beginning. This will enable the public to view all the races in

Evening-All boats to meet north of Steel bridge, form in line according to number and proceed slowly to the Oaks. All boats will be illuminated. A barge will be towed at head of procession for fire works, the latter with man to operate them. A band to be furnished by the Oaks Park, both for the morning and evening parada.

To Dedicate Library.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) w York, May 22.—The program or the dedication of New York's \$8, 000,000 public library at Fifth avenue pleted in all its details. The exercises will be held tomorrow afternoon. The ernor Dix, Mayor Gaynor, Dr. John L. Billings, director of the public library ystem of New York, and the venerable John Bigelow.

Milton 8th Grade Fairly Lucky. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Milton, Or., May 22.—Of the 34 pu-pils who took the eighth grade exam-Of the remaining 15, some have failed in but each of two subjects. As a conequence, this class will postpone its graduating exercises, which were to have been held Friday evening, until June 15, to give the others a chance to try the examination again.





BLUMAUER

Sale Extraordinary

Men's and Young Men's Newest Spring and Summer \$25.00 and \$20.00 Suits Special at

Through our membership in a New York buying agency, which operates for a number of men's clothing stores from the Atlantic to the Pacific, we have recently received 300 Men's and Young Men's Suits—our share of one of the largest clothing buys ever executed from any one manufacturer.

It was our intention to hold these suits for our regular July and August Clearance Sale, but owing to the unprecedentedly large sales of our regular stock we are compelled to offer this new lot, with any broken lots of our regular stock of spring and summer's latest models and fabrics, including blue serge, black unfinished worsteds, cheviots, cassimeres, tweeds and worsteds, in all the new shades of gray, blue, brown and tan, regular \$25 and \$20 sellers,

Special This Week at \$14.00

All sizes, including stouts, stubs, longs and regulars. Coats are the new, nobby two and three-button model -some double-breasted for those who want them.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

SALE BEGINS TUESDAY AND ENDS SATURDAY LOON CLOTHING CO. 166-170 THIRD ST.

SALE BEGINS TUESDAY AND ENDS SATURDAY

Tull & Gibbs, Inc.

Morrison at Seventh. Store Opens at 8:30.

Tull & Gibbs, Inc.

Our Closing-Out Sale - Most Remarkable Economy Event 🚟 History of Retail Merchandizing in Portland

Thousands of Dollars Have Been Saved to the Homefurnishers Throughout the Northwest. Thousands Will Profit in the Savings That Every Section of the Store Offers and Will Continue to Offer Until the Close of This Sale on July First.

See Sunday's Page of Closing-Out-Sale News, Sec. 5, Page 12

The Disposal of Women's, Misses' and Children's Gloves Is Unprecedented in Glove Selling in Portland, Every Pair Being Closed Out at ONE-FOURTH Below the Manufacturer's Price. Fabric Gloves, Too, Are Showing Notable Reductions.

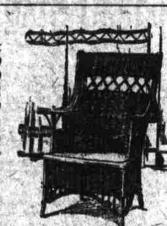
The Following Merchandise in the Women's, Misses' and Children's Apparel Sections is Being Disposed of at HALF PRICE: Women's Wool Coats, Women's and Misses' Wool Dresses, Misses' Party Dresses, Women's Evening Dresses, Womens,' Misses' and Children's Wash Dresses, Waists, Belts and Hand Bags, Silk Petticoats and Princess Slips, Veilings, Auto Veils and Scarfs.

Reedcraft Furniture---Wonderful Opportunities Offered Here Through Low Prices---Splendid Line

\$12.00 Fiber Arm Chairs for \$8.75 \$15.00 Willow Arm Chair for\$11.25 \$6.75 Reed Rockers for\$3.95 \$19.50 Reed Arm Rocker with upholstered seat \$19.00 Reed Arm Rocker with leather upholstered seat and back for\$9.85 \$20.00 Reed Arm Rocker with leather uphols-

\$27.50 Reed Arm Rocker with leather uphols-

The Following Lists But a Few of the Many Pieces and Prices: \$25 High-Back Reed Rocker with cushion seat and upholst'd back and pocket sides \$14.00 \$25.00 Arm Chair to match for \$14.00 \$24.00 Reed Arm Chair with leather seat and \$27.00 Reed Arm Chair with tapestry cushion in seat and upholstered back for \$18.65 \$27.00 Rocker to match for \$18.65 \$35.00 Reed Arm Chair with leather upholstered \$52.00 Settee to match for\$25.75 \$54.00 Reed Settee with leather upholstered seat



Wonderful Economies Offered in Basement Store -- A Few Reminders Here:

\$1.25 Feather Dusters for896 25c Metal Towel Bars for8¢ \$5.00 Mantel Clocks for \$3.50 25c Wood Towel Rollers for 8¢ \$3.00 Nickel-Plated Gas Plates, 2 burn-25c can Shining, Cleaning Powder .. 18¢ 40c Polished Hardwood Towel Rollers \$4.00 Gas Plates for\$2.75 50c Adjustable Wall Towel Racks. . 23¢ \$6.50 Medicine Cabinets for \$4.75 \$5.00 Mission Reading Lamps for \$2.95 60c Counter Brushes for39¢ \$3.50 "Jewel" Gas Irons for \$1.75 60c Heavy Cotton Mops and Sticks 38¢ \$1.00 House Step Ladders, 5 feet .. 68¢ \$5.00 "Excel" Gas Irons for \$2.75 \$1.00 Floor Brushes, 14-inch 68¢ \$1.50 Framed Mirrors for 90¢

All Toys and Dolls Now Marked at ONE THIRD of Their Former Prices. All Children's Vehicles at HALF PRICE.

A New Shipment of

Bamboo Porch Blinds

Entered in the Sale

These Prices on the Natural Color Porch Blinds:

\$1.00 for \$2.00 Blinds, size 6x8 \$1.15 for \$2.35 Blinds, size 8x9 \$1.35 for \$2.75 Blinds, size 10x8 These Prices on Green Colored Porch Blinds:

\$1.15 for \$2.25 Blinds, size 6x8 \$1.35 for \$2.50 Blinds, size 8x8 \$1.60 for \$3.00 Blinds, size 10x8