

The Art Exhibition.

Prof. Otto Erdmann's art exhibition at the St. Louis parlors yesterday was a gratifying surprise to the many ladies and gentlemen who attended, even to those who expected something of high merit. The life-size portraits in oil of citizens of Duluth were especially interesting to Duluth people. Col. Thos. Cullyford, Dr. S. C. McCormick, A. J. Sawyer, H. F. Leopold, Jr., and H. H. Bell, all looked at the visitors from the canvas as natural as life. There was also a good portrait of Charles Steele's little son Charlie, and one of S. Levy's young daughter Paula. There were several lead pencil sketches of scenes along the lake shore near Duluth, that were true to nature, and exceptionally well done. Around the walls were a large number of sketches of European scenery, done in oil, water colors, crayon, charcoal, and lead pencil, and every one of them showed the touch of the skilled artist. The exhibition will continue to-day, and the artist will gladly explain matters of interest to invited visitors who will be well repaid by an examination of his work. Prof. Erdmann expects to remain in Duluth for a long time and it is to be hoped that his exhibitions will be regular.