A GAY WEEK IN SOCIETY

THE COMING ONE FULL OF INTERESTING LOCAL EVENTS.

German Ladies' Aid Society to Give Their Annual Ball—Weddings and Receptions—Personal Mention.

The arrangements for the charity ball of the German Ladies' Aid Society, which will be held at Tomlinson Hall on Tuesday, Nov. 24, are completed. The rainbow decorations, which were so much admired during the Flower Mission fair, will remain in place and add to the attractiveness of the hall. Two bands will be in attendance, and dances and promenades will alternate. The reception committee will consist of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Severin, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hollweg, Mr. and Mrs. Ph. Rappaport, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Broich, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Rusch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wetzel, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rhodehammel, Mr. and Mrs. F. Fahnley, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kuhn, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lieber, Mr. and Mrs. A. Scherrer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Buehler, Mr. and Mrs. G. Borst, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haerle, Mr. and Mrs. C. Weiss, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kipp, Mr. and Mrs. C. Vonnegut, jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. Lieber, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wocher, Mr. and Mrs. O. Stechhan, Mr. and Mrs. A. Metzger, Mr. and Mrs. M. Reiffel, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Thudium, Dr. and Mrs. H. O. Pantzer, Mr. and Mrs. E. Dolmetsch, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Wocher, Mr. and Mrs. E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bertermann, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jungclauss, Dr. and Mrs. H. Pink, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. C. Krauss, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Krauss, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Frenzel, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lando, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schellschmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haueisen and Dr. and Mrs. Theo. Wagner. The floor committee will be Messrs. Albert Goepper, Geo. Richards, O. Kipp, Robert Lieber, Wm. Haerle, jr., Louis Beese, O. Nilins, Carl Walk, Frank Maus, Gustav Schnull, F. L. Mayer, A. Wiegandt, Gustav Recker, Otto Frenzel, C. Becker, Julius Karrmann, Philip Hildebrand, Theo. Stein, W. Langsenkamp, Wm. Kothe, Richard Lieber, Geo. Dickson, Wm. Kiemeyer and L. Ludorff.

The ball by the ladies of the Propylaeum, which is numbered yearly among the chief social functions of the season, will be given this year on Wednesday, Thanksgiving eve. Invitations to the ball have been sent to the stockholders and through them are to be given to friends of stockholders. Only in this way can admission to the ball be had. There are no direct invitations from the Propylaeum Association, except to the stockholders. The ladies of the Propylaeum want this point understood in order to remove any seeming neglect. Friends desiring to attend the ball can get invitations through some of the stockholders. The tickets are to be had at the Propylaeum. They have been placed at $1, and this includes the supper.

The Propylaeum is now in its most attractive garb. Only recently it has been redecorated and redraped and several improvements made to add to the convenience and comfort of assemblies. The kitchen has been augmented so that this most important and least-talked-of part of a party—the supper—can be prepared in the best way. For the Propylaeum ball an elaborate spread is designed.

There will also be something new in the way of decorations. Some original intentions of the decorating committee for this entertainment will be carried out. There will also be new music by Hart. Four new two-steps that have never before been played in Indianapolis will be given, one of them, "The Coming of the Bride," being noted as particularly catchy. The following are the committees that have the ball in charge:

Mrs. Morris Ross, chairman of the committee on arrangements; Mrs. Charles F. Sayles, assistant chairman; Mrs. H. Bates, jr., chairman of the invitation committee, assisted by Mrs. G. W. Sloan, Mrs. George C. Hitt, Mrs. John W. Hardy, Mrs. O. H. Hasselman and Mrs. John N. Carey.

Mrs. W. H. Coleman, chairman of the decoration committee, assisted by Mrs. George R. Sullivan, Mrs. H. P. Wasson, Mrs. Charles H. Wood, Mrs. F. W. Morrison.

Mrs. C. M. Reynolds, chairman of the refreshment committee, assisted by Mrs. George G. Tanner, Mrs. A. F. Kleinschmidt and Miss Melle Colgan.

The music and dancing will be under the direction of Mr. Frederick H. Wiley, chairman of the floor committee, assisted by Mr. Augustus Cuburn, Mr. Edward E. Gates, Mr. Robert Martindale, Mr. Page Chapman, Mr. C. E. Coffin, Mr. George M. Hume, Mr. Charles S. Millard and others.

The executive committee of the association and a few other ladies will serve as hostesses, receiving the guests in the west parlor.

At one of the receptions given this season a young woman who attended was asked, when she came to her hostess: "Will you go up and take off your hat?" The young lady thanked her, but replied that she would keep her hat on. The hostess gave her a rather queer look, she thought, but said nothing further. About a quarter of an hour later it suddenly dawned on the young woman that she had been asked to assist, and after the invitation she had never given it another thought, even when she was dressing for the reception. What to do she did not know. She did not want to be so discourteous as to say she had forgotten the compliment of her hostess, nor did she feel that she was dressed as she would like to be to assist. She had an uncomfortable feeling. She mentioned to a group of friends that she ought to be assisting, when another one spoke up and said she, too, believed she had been asked also. With the solace of having a companion who had shown the same disregard, the two went to the hostess and made a clean breast of it, and were made to feel a revival of spirits.

The coming in of tight sleeves will put an end to the high hand-shake. A young woman who was incased in sliken armor of the new pattern was approached at a company by a young man with his elbow elevated. She tried to meet his hand in midair, and immediately thereupon found she would have to give notice hereafter that those who wanted to link their kid glove with hers would have to come down a story or two. Probably the fashion in hand-shake will have to conform to the change of style in gown sleeves. The high shake may go with full dress, but not with long sleeves.

"Speaking of clubs," said a handsome young matron who has recently entered Indianapolis society, "I have had a most amusing experience with one recently. Just before the season opened I received through the mail a card announcing that I had 'been made' a member of a certain club and that the first meeting would be at such a place on such a date. One can imagine with what curiosity I attended that first meeting. Up to that time I had never heard the name of my hostess. When I arrived I discovered that the only lady there that I had ever seen before was a middle aged lady I had met months before at a most formal 'afternoon.' Half the club is composed of 'maidens' far on the wrong side of thirty and mothers of families the eldest daughters of which might be my own age.

"At that first meeting I was presented to some half dozen members, who at each succeeding meeting have gone through the same performance with as much formality and stiffness as if they had never seen me before. I paid my 'dues' as in duty bound, but what was my surprise to find on the programme that on such a date the club would honor me by meeting at my house. This, mind you, was without any 'if you please' or asking my convenience in the matter. This is my position: I do not know through whose kindness (?) I was 'made a member' of this club without being first consulted upon the matter. I do not know how long I shall have to continue to attend until I can gracefully resign. And I do not see how I can entertain the whole of this ponderous organization in my wee parlor without first persuading 'John' to put up a temporary addition."

A young lady who has recently returned from Europe declares Indianapolis to be the most foreign-looking city she has seen since she left home.

Personal and Society.

Dr. Pritchard, of Gosport, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Miss Eva Koons, of Jeffersonville, is visiting Mrs. B. W. Cole, No. 221 Christian avenue.

There will be a business meeting of the Woman's Club Friday afternoon at the Propylaeum.

The Misses Hill, of St. Louis, will come Thursday to visit Miss Mary Fletcher for a short time.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Saul Munter, of this city, and Miss Emma Levi, of Peru.

Mr. James Coppinger Cotter, of the Boston bar, formerly of this city, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Montgomery, of Gosport, is visiting her son-in-law, Mr. James Henry, of North Meridian street.

Miss Anna Hasselman, who has been in England and France since July, will sail for home Dec. 2.

Miss Ida Robbins entertained the Culve Club Wednesday evening at her home, on West North street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Finney have issued invitations for a "drive whist" party, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Anson J. Gardner will give a reception to-morrow afternoon at her home, on North Meridian street.

Miss Bessie Garber, of Madison, who has been visiting Mr. W. S. Garber's family, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kenworthy and daughter, Harriet Clevenger, have moved to No. 78 East North street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Coburn will give a dance Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Coburn.

Miss Clara Bierbaum, of St. Louis, arrived last evening to visit Mrs. Henry Severin, on North Meridian street.

Mrs. M. H. Spades will give a musical Friday evening in honor of her guest, Mrs. Ingraham, of St. Augustine, Fla.

At the meeting of the Magazine Club, next Saturday, Mrs. E. P. Brown will read a paper on "Ivanhoe—a Review."

Mrs. John A. Butler will not receive Wednesday, either afternoon or evening, on account of illness in the family.

Mrs. G. A. Brillhart, or Kendallville, arrived yesterday to attend the Brennan-Miller nuptials on Thanksgiving eve.

Miss Margaret Summers, who has been visiting Mrs. George N. Catterson for several weeks, will return home Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert A. Barnes will receive Mondays during the season. She will have her guest, Miss Wilson, with her to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Tutewiler will give a reception Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunn Tutewiler.

Mrs. T. C. Day will have Mrs. Wilbur F. Crafts, of Washington, D. C., with her to-morrow afternoon for her usual day at home.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Loder and Mr. Percy E. Johnson will occur Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Loder, on Butler street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Hines will go to New York in a few weeks, where they will join Judge C. C. Hines and take an ocean voyage.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Piatt Dunn will observe their fourth anniversary to-morrow evening by entertaining a number of friends.

The marriage of Miss Dolly E. Herr and Mr. Ellis J. Willits will take place at the family residence, on St. Joseph street, Wednesday.

Saturday will be visitors' day at the Katherine Merrill Club, and Mr. William Forsyth will read a paper on "The European Situation."

Mrs. Carroll L. DeWitt will observe her first reception day to-morrow afternoon and evening at her home, No. 988 North Pennsylvania street.

"Meteorological Fragments" is the subject of the paper to be read by C. F. R. Wappenhans at the Indianapolis Literary Club to-morrow night.

Miss Adella Chambers entertained a number of her friends Monday evening with a progressive cinch party, at her home, on North Alabama street.

Mrs. S. A. Laughlin, of No. 369 South Meridian street, gave a progressive cinch party Thursday evening in honor of Mr. S. M. Johns, of Greencastle.

Rev. Fred V. Hawley, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leoklider during the congress of religions, left for his home in Michigan yesterday.

The German Literary Club will meet Tuesday with Mrs. Theodore Wagner, on Broadway. Mrs. Clemens Vonnegut will read a paper on "Germania."

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Collins, of Maysville, Ky., are visiting their cousins, Mrs. Frank Hill, and the Misses Ada and Jennie Ross, at their home, on Lord street.

Mrs. Joseph M. Bowles, of Boston, will be at home informally to her friends to-morrow afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Payne, on North Pennsylvania street.

Mrs. Enos Hage and Mrs. George Gere Estabrook, of Denver, Col., will receive their friends informally on Tuesday afternoon at No. 455 North Meridian street.

The Owl Cinch Club met at the residence of Mrs. Sandy F. Taylor, No. 11 Stoughton avenue, Friday. The club will meet with Miss Maggie Pugh, No. 1051 East Michigan street, Dec. 4.

Mrs. S. A. Fletcher will go to Lexington, Ky., Tuesday, to spend Thanksgiving, and on her return she will spend the winter with Mrs. S. K. Fletcher, No. 437 North Capitol avenue.

Miss King, of North Meridian street, gave a china shower yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Gertrude Mae Miller, who is to be married Wednesday to Dr. V. Graham Brennan.

Mrs. J. M. Maxwell and daughter, Mrs. N. A. Rose, will entertain friends Friday afternoon for Mrs. George Gere Estabrook, of Denver, Col., formerly Miss Fannie Taylor, of this city.

The entertainment of Mrs. Jarley's wax works will be given at the Tabernacle Church Dec. 4, under the supervision of Miss Newcomer, and Miss Louise Garrard will impersonate Mrs. Jarley.

Mr. Will Tucker, of Chicago, will spend Tanksgiving day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Tucker, at 121 East North street. Mr. Tucker will be accompanied by Mr. James Oliver, of Chicago.

The marriage of Miss Nettie C. Gant, formerly of this city, and Mr. Frank Marion Lee, of Chicago, occurred Nov. 18, at the home of her brother, Dr. C. H. Gant, No. 322 Jackson boulevard, Chicago.

Mrs. H. F. Hubbard and daughter, of Richmond, and Mrs. H. L. Kreider, of Omaha, are here to spend Thanksgiving with their mother, Mrs. M. A. Clark, of No. 801 North New Jersey street.

The marriage of Miss Mary Grace Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Smith, and Mr. Henry Hallam Hornbrook will take place at Meridian-street Chuch Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

The Rosemary Club will have an open day Saturday. Miss Harriet Cleland will read a paper on "The Children of Literature," and Miss Elizabeth Hough will lead the conversation on "Eugene Field."

Mrs. John C. Dean will give a reception Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Joseph M. Bowles, of Boston; Miss Gildersleeve, of New York; Miss Guthrie, of New Orleans, and Mrs. Howard A. Dill, of Richmond.

The Sketching Club will meet in its rooms, in Wright's block, Saturday afternoon. Miss Edana McGilliard will read a paper on "Recent Sculpture," and Miss Lucy Mayo will make an exhibit of bronzes.

The marriage of Miss Jessie Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Allen Bell, and Mr. Charles A. Garrard will take place Wednesday evening at Plymouth Church. A small reception will be given later at the family residence, on Broadway.

Mrs. L. H. Gibson will read a paper on "French Cathedrals" at the Portfolio Club Thursday evening, and it will be illustrated with the stereopticon. The entertainment committee is Mrs. Pratt and Mrs. Bybee, and the music will be in charge of Mr. Schellschmidt.

It will be guests' evening at the Century Club this week, and there will be an interesting programme of discussions. Rev. G. A. Carstensen will speak of "Sriptural Dramas;" Mr. W. F. Elliott, "Lays of Minstreisy," and Mr. H. McK. Landon, "Genealogy of Tales."

Mrs. D. W. Marmon will be the hostess at the next meeting of the Clio Club, Friday, Nov. 27, instead of Mrs. J. J. Brown. Mrs. Thirza J. Anderson will read a paper on "England's Late Popular Novelists," and Mrs. Helena K. Harper will contribute a paper on "Edwin Arnold."

Mrs. Cunningham and daughter Jean, of Oregon, Rev. Archibald Bradshaw, Miss Martha Bradshaw and Miss Agnes Duncan will take a flat in New York Dec. 1, and will spend the winter together. Miss Bradshaw and Miss Duncan will spend Thanksgiving with friends in Hartford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Miller, of North Senate avenue, celebrated their tenth anniversary last Tuesday evening by entertaining about seventy guests at cards and dancing. They were the recipients of many presents. Punch was served in the reception hall by the Misses Cora Miller and Mina Helwig. Mrs. Sleiger, of New Castle, and Mrs. Dr. Gates were the prize winners.

Rev. Archibald Bradshaw, of the Vermilye Chapel, a mission of the Collegiate Reformed Church, New York city, is meeting great success in his work. At the recent annual meeting of the Junior Christian Endeavor, which was organized by Mr. Bradshaw, Vermilye Chapel secured the banner for the year, having the largest endeavor in the city. There were 192 members. Mr. Bradshaw was formerly of this city.

At 8 o'clock Thursday evening, at the Second German Reformed Church, corner of Merrill and Alabama streets, Mr. Herman F. Smith and Miss Emma E. Schmedel were united in marriage. Rev. J. I. Stern performed the ceremony, John W. Geiger presiding at the organ. As the bridal party entered the church, preceded by Misses Emma and Dora Smith, flower girls, nieces of the groom, Mr. Geiger played the bridal march from "Lohengrin," and "Promise Me" was given during the ceremony. The bride and groom went to their home, No. 420 East McCarty street, where they will be glad to receive their friends after Dec. 1.

Irvington.

Miss Atkinson is a guest of Miss Moore.

Miss Grace Carver is visiting friends in Anderson.

Mrs. I. N. Watts, of Winchester, is visiting Mrs. E. F. Tibbott.

Miss Evelyn Jeffries will spend Thanksgiving with Miss Ollie Pharis in Franklin.

Miss Laura Bennett will go to her home, in Kokomo, for a few days' visit next week.

Miss Lida E. Gilbert will spend the Thanksgiving holidays at her home, in Rushville.

Miss Mabel Barnhill, of Crawfordsville, was a guest of Miss Retta Barnhill for several days last week.

On the evening of Nov. 17 the ladies of the Downey-avenue Church gave a fruit shower in honor of Mrs. E. P. Wise, at the home of Mrs. D. K. Carver.

A concert of unusual merit was given in the college chapel on Thursday evening under the direction of Mr. Frank Ketcham, by the Arens Glee Club.

Miss Gertrude Moore gave a small thimble party in honor of her guest, Miss Katheryn Atkinson, at her home, on Central avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. E. C. Thompson returned last Wednesday from Franklin, where she has been visiting relatives. She has as guests now Mr. and Mrs. John A. Thompson, of Edinburg.

The Alpha Phi Psi fraternity at Butler has initiated five new members—Miss Elizabeth Davis, '99; Miss Mabel Hauk, Miss Joanna O'Connell, Miss Brownie Hailand and Miss Sophia Smith, '00.

Miss Elizabeth Eunice Fisher gave an interesting talk on "Dress Reform" to the young women of Butler College on Friday afternoon in the Association Hall. Miss Fisher was Miss Bridges's guest.

Mrs. Grace Julian Clarke has invited the members of the Woman's Club and of the Tuesday Club to her home to-morrow afternoon to hear Miss Fisher talk on "Modern Movement in Dress Reform."

The first guest day of the Irvington Tuesday Club will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 22, when Miss Laura Ream, of Indianapolis, will read a paper. The club and its friends will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Albert Johnson.

Lucius B. Swift delivered an address at the Downey-avenue Church on Tuesday evening. His subject was "Civil-service Reform." The lecture is the first of a series to be given under the direction of the literary clubs of Irvington.

The Sophomore class at Butler has elected the following officers: President, Ernest Graham; vice president, Anna Holton Williams; secretary, Anson Washburn; treasurer, W. P. Billings; marshal, Wilmer Wilson; poet, James Stevens; historian, Fred Towles.

The Irvington Tuesday Club met last week at the home of Miss Jessie Ludlow, on Ritter avenue. Mrs. Catharine Kingsbury read a paper on "Wycliff and the Reformation" and Mrs. Omar Wilson discussed "The Hundred Years' War." The conversation was led by Mrs. Braden; its subject was "Joan of Arc."

The members of the Sheridan Dramatic Club who were in the plays given before a large number of guests in the college chapel last spring will give the plays in Edinburg next Friday night for the benefit of the Society of King's Daughters. The plays are "A Lapse of Genius," written by Miss Stevenson; "The Bicyclers," and "He and She."

Mr. Thomas Shipp, '96, at Butler, left for Lafayette Friday to attend the meeting of the Indiana College Press Association. The Butler Collegian, of which Mr. Shipp is editor, has been made the official organ of the association, which consists of the college papers of Franklin, Earlham, Purdue, Rose Polytechnic, Wabasn, Indiana University, DePauw and Butler.

Professor Hugh Miller and Mr. Willis M. Blount will go to Philadelphia next week to attend the twenty-fourth biennial national convention of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity, which will be held from Nov. 24 to 28, inclusive. Phi Delta Theta is called the National Greek Letter Fraternity, it having sixty-eight chapters in colleges in the United States, with a total membership of 7,837. The convention will adjourn and go in a body to witness the Cornell-Pennsylvania Thanksgiving football game.

The Irvington Woman's Club observed its guests' day for the month of November on last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Kingsbury, jr., on Layman avenue. The paper of the afternoon was an original story by Miss Tibbott, entitled, "A Night's Vigil; a Story of To-day." Those assisting the hostess were Mrs. J. C. Barnhill, Mrs. Clarence Forsythe, Mrs. Orville Carvin, Miss Butler and Miss Braden. The next meeting of the club will occur Nov. 30 at the home of Mrs. M. R. Williams.

This month's Collegian appeared last week. It contains as frontispiece a photograph of Hugh Th. Miller, professor of French and history. Miss Mabel Tibbott contributes a good poem on "Thanksgiving;" Miss Jessie Christian translations after Anacreon, Alcman and Alcaens, three Greek lyrics; Miss Marietta Kies has an interesting sketch and comparison of the characters of Thomas Hardy's "Tess" and George Eliot's "Maggie;" Professor D. C. Brown's article on the visit of Dr. Doerpfeld, the famous achaeologist, to America is of especial interest, as Professor Brown heard not only his lecture at Chicago University, but also on the Acropolis in Athens. He describes him both as a man and a scholar. Miss Bridges contributes a series of short book reviews; Mr. Nott Flint, a clever sketch entitled "Dux Femina Facti," and Mr. Robert Wilson Hobbs a short Thanksgiving story.

Music and Art Notes.

The Rector's Aid Society of Christ Church is preparing to give a musicale at the Propylaeum early next month.

Miss Zora Bartmiss has been engaged to sing in five classical concerts at Richmond, Muncie, Anderson, Terre Haute and Crawfordsville. Miss Shedd has been asked to recommend a first-class pianist and violinist for these concerts.

The Symphony orchestra has elected the following officers: President, Maj. Will Rich; vice president, Mr. Ben Lizius; treasurer, Mr. William Kipp; librarian, Mr. Grover; musical director, Mr. Karl Schneider. The next rehearsal will be held Thursday, Dec. 3.

At the Crescendo Club Wednesday the subject will be the composer Carl Marie von Weber. Miss Hyde will give the biographical sketch, Miss Closser will review his operas and other dramatic works and Miss Emma S. Buchtel will give the illustrative piano recital.

A new song just out is "Rastus," by Louis Weslyn Jones, of San Francisco, formerly of this city. It is the most taking composition this song writer has written and has the true negro swing to it. The title page, which shows "Rastus," was drawn by Mrs. Jones. A banjo edition of the song has also come out and is being played by professionals in San Francisco.

The following special programme of Thanksgiving music will be given at the Second Presbyterian Church by the Indianapolis Choral Union this morning:

"Grand Festival Te Deum" ..... Schaffter
"All Praise to God in Light Arrayed" ..... Wagner
"Hallelujah Chorus" from "The Messiah" ..... Handel

Miss Margaret Rudisell's studio at No. 349 Park avenue is open to all lovers of art. The collection of paintings and sketches is equal to some of the art exhibits which have been shown here by the Art Association and surpasses others. The pictures are so varied in subject that they form a most attractive whole. They are well hung, and a catalogue and proper numbering gives the visitor much information. In addition to the picture Miss Rudisell has a number of curios which she picked up during her seven years' residence abroad.

Reflection on the Legislature.

Philadelphia Record.

To the pure all things are pure. Nevertheless, the New York Legislature will undertake the purification of beer.

Oriental Rugs

This week the great sale of Oriental Rugs will interest every one who has rugs to buy. These famous floor coverings from Turkey, India and Persia, will be sold almost as cheaply as the ordinary machine-made rugs.

Think of buying Daghestan, Shirevan and Carabagh Rugs at $5.00, $7.50 and $10.00, and the carpet sizes as cheap in proportion. Hundreds visited our fine exhibit last week and highly complimented the fine collection. This week the sale will be more interesting than the exhibition. Nothing better for a Holiday present than an Oriental Rug.

Holiday Goods

Advanced offering this week of Holiday Goods in our great Holiday Basement. Fine Lamps, Choice China, Sterling Silver, Plated Silverware, Jardinieres, Vases, Toys, Dolls, etc.

Come early and make your selection. We will hold them for you until Christmas if you desire :: :: :: ::

THE SALE OF FINE SILKS this week at the prices of ordinary qualities will be interesting.

SALE OF THE BIG MILLINERY STOCK as advertised

... BIG ... MILLINERY DEAL.

A wholesale stock of Hats, Feathers and Materials go on sale to-morrow at about

25 Cents on the Dollar.

The Wholesale Milliner's season is over, and rather than carry over the balance of his stock he accepted our offer. It is here, and to-morrow it will be ready for selling.

$1.00 Hats for	29c	25c Feathers for	5c
$2.00 Hats for	48c	75c Feathers for	18c

READ THE ITEMS.

Untrimmed Hats

One lot of choice Felt Hats, newest shapes and colors, worth from 75c to $1.25, and big lot of Felt Sailors, Walking Hats, etc., worth up to $1.25, all go to-morrow, choice for	29c
Walking Hats, Flats, Fancy Dress shapes, Children's Hats, etc., sold everywhere at from $1.25 to $2.50, choice for	48c

Jets

1,000 Jet Sprays, worth everywhere 25c, choice for	5c

Feathers

500 Black Ostrich Tips, regularly worth 25c, while they last, choice for	5c
Fancy Feathers, all the newest effects, usually worth up to 50c, choice for	18c
Stylish quail effects, Pompons, Aigrette effects, Paradise effects, Blackbirds, in fact the very newest effects in fancy feathers, sold everywhere at from 50c to $1, choice for	29c

SPECIAL NOTICE. All Trimmed Hats Reduced for this Sale.

Choice of any Pattern Hats in the house, worth up to $40.00, for **$19.50.** All other Trimmed Hats reduced in proportion.

300 JACKETS.

Spic and span new, just from the makers, go on sale to-morrow at prices that will cause you to wonder. Nothing like them have ever been offered here at such sacrifice prices so early in the season.

Heavy Boucle Jackets, Silk-Faced, Fur-Trimmed and Braided Jackets, swell Tan Covert Jackets with Tail Trimming, Plain Kersey Jackets. Not a Jacket in the lot worth less than $8.50; most of them are same as have been sold all season at $10.00 and $12.50. Choice for	$5.00
Stylish Rough Jackets, Fancy Silk-Lined, bright Mohair Persian Jackets, Fur Back, Silk-Faced. Kersey Empires in Greens, Tans and Blacks, Nobby Tight-Fitting Jackets, Jackets selling everywhere at $16.50 to $20.00. Don't miss this sale. Choice for	$10.00
40 beautiful Tailor-Made Coats, choicest things shown this season and made to sell for $35.00, $40.00 and $45.00. Choice to-morrow	$25.00

CAPES.

Heavy Persian Cloth Capes, extra heavy Satin Lining, immense wide sweep, Fur Edged, worth everywhere $20.00 to $35.00. Sale price	$15.00
38 Handsome Velour Capes, variously worth from $35.00 to $40. Choice to-morrow	$25.00
Big lot of handsome Matalasse Capes, Fine Velvet Capes, Fine Plush Capes and Cloth Capes just received. Prices	$15 to $50.00

Ladies' Underskirts

There are some splendid values for this week. They are the reliable kind, the kind that wear and give perfect satisfaction to the wearer.

Guaranteed not to crock, guaranteed to fit, correct shapes.

Sateen skirts, both lined and unlined, at $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2 and up to $4	$4.00
Real Italian Cloth Skirts, umbrella shape, glossy black, the best wearing skirts known to skirtmakers, to-morrow, special at	$2.50

Quilted Satteen Skirts, Mohair Skirts, Morene Skirts, Brilliantine Skirts, Flannel Skirts, Felt Skirts, Cloth Skirts, Silk Skirts, Knit Skirts.

Knit Skirts

All styles, qualities and kinds, from the cheapest up to the finest.

Full-length knit skirts, with fancy-colored crochet edges, worth 75c, for	39c
All-wool Skirts, worth $1.50, to-morrow	98c

Silk Skirts. Special prices to-morrow.

SILKS Extraordinary

To-morrow our great Silk Department will not be near big enough to accommodate all during the busy hours of the day.

$1.75 and $2.00 Silks will go for	89c
$2.00 and $2.35 Silks will go for	$1.19
$1.25 Silks will go for	69c

Beautiful Moire Velours	$1.25	Black Peau de Soie, 21 inches wide, soft, beautiful finish; they were quick sellers at $1; sale price to-morrow	69c
Iridescent and Ombre Taffetas, the kind that sold at $1.75, to-morrow	98c	24-inch Gros Grain, no better ever sold at $1.25; to-morrow they go at	75c
Jacquard Taffetas on Warp Prints, Changeable Brocade and Fancy Taffetas, some were $1.25, others $1; to-morrow they go for	69c	Brocaded Moire Antique, last week they sold for $2.25; to-morrow	$1.25
Crepe de Chenes in twenty colorings, beautifully brocaded, the price was $1.75 to $2 a yard; to-morrow	89c	Brocaded Gros Grain in beautiful designs, the large-figure style, elegant and rich; they were $1.98, to-morrow	$1.19
Elegant Satin Duchess, soft and mellow, formerly you paid $2.25, and that's the price everywhere; the new purchase goes at	$1.50	Brocade Gros Grain, like sold at $1.38, go to-morrow at	98c
		Satin Rhadames at	48c

Curtains

Tambourd and Ruffled Swiss Curtains and Curtain Materials

1,600 yards Tambourd Swiss, very fine quality, usually sold for 28c, will go at	16½c
1,200 yards Tambourd Swiss, elegant embroidered ruffle, usually sold for 45c, will close at	20c
1,500 yards Tambourd Lace, usually sold for 65c, will go for	25c
200 pairs ruffled Swiss Curtains, 3¼ yards long, 40 inches wide, usually sold for $2.50, sale price	$1.15
150 pairs Tambourd Swiss Curtains, 50 inches wide, 3½ yards long, usually sold for $4.00 for	$1.98
165 pairs Tambourd Swiss Curtains, new elegant designs, 54 inches wide, 3½ yards long, usually sold for $5.25	$2.87

Special prices to close out 300 pairs of French and Brussels Curtains. Values like these cannot last long.

300 Pairs French and Brussels Curtains

Prices will be put on them to-morrow to close them out. Many rare styles in this lot of handmade Curtains.

Dress Goods To-morrow

A good purchase for you, as well as for ourselves, will be put on sale to-morrow. Your pick of the best for only a little above half the price they were marked to sell for.

68 patterns of Novelty Cheviots like you must pay $7.50 for elsewhere; our price, to-morrow	$4.75
50 patterns of those beautiful Silk and Wool Bouretted Novelties, like the few that were sold last week at $10; to-morrow they go at	$6.90

25c instead of 45c for those two-toned, 40-inch, All-wool Cheviots.

19c, your choice of ten colorings, of two-toned fancy Mohair Suitings, like sold at 35c.

100 short ends of 3 to 8 yards, High-grade Novelties, that sold at $1.75 to $3 a yard; your choice to-morrow for	69c

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Table Linen

To-morrow will be a good time to buy Thanksgiving and Christmas and Table Linen.

The prices to-morrow will make Linen selling lively.

2-yard wide Satin Damask; last week the price was $1.00, to-morrow	74c
2 yards wide extra Satin Damask; you must pay $1.50 elsewhere to match. Try it—compare. Our price to-morrow	97c
Pattern Cloths with Napkins to match, two yards wide, 2½ to 3½ yards long, at $5.48, $6.50 and	$7.75
Pattern Cloths with Napkins to match, 2½ yards wide and 2½ yards to 5 yards long, at $8.75 a set, $8.50 and	$10.50

These Pattern Sets in all the new designs, such as Wild Rose, Blue Bells, Violets, Carnations, Chrysanthemums, etc.

Tray Cloths, Lunch Cloths, Fine Center Pieces, hand embroidered.

18-inch Bleached Russia Crash	11c
Extra wide Silver Bleached Damask, to-morrow	47c
Pure Grass-bleached Damask	63c
Table Padding, extra heavy, a yard	47c

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Winter Underwear

Women's

Ladies' full size, well-made, heavy, fleece-lined Pants, 25c quality, for	16c
Ladies' high-grade, full-fashioned Merino Vests and Pants—$1.25 is the regular price, for	39c
Ladies' shaped White Merino Union Suits, extra make and finish, well worth $1.75, for	48c
Ladies' heavy fleeced, best quality, Combed Egyptian Union Suits, bought to sell for $1.25	69c
Ladies' natural colored, heavy, All-Wool Union Suits, reduced from $2.50 to	$1.19
Children's Fleece-lined Vests and Pants, all sizes	12½c
Children's Gray Fleece-lined Union Suits, all sizes, worth 50c, for	23c
Men's heavy-weight, fancy Merino Shirts and Drawers	12½c

Men's

Men's heavy, fleece-lined, Jersey-ribbed Shirts and Drawers, a regular 65c quality, for	33c
Men's extra heavy Camel's-hair Shirts and Drawers, with pearl buttons, silk stitched, silk bound, were 75c, now	39c
Men's fine Camel's-hair Shirts and Drawers, with pearl buttons, taped seams and silk bound, a regular $1 quality, for	59c

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