Cloak Department

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John H. Thomas and Co.

NICOLLET AVE. FIFTH STREET

The last cuts, preparatory to reception of Fall Goods.

Tailor-Made Suits

About 75 left, in Broadcloths, Homespuns, etc., in browns, navys, grays, Oxfords and blacks. The Jackets are Eton, blouse and tight-fitting; some drop silk skirts; others full lined; former prices $25 to $60. To close ..... ½ off

Jackets

About 100 blacks, in Cheviots, unfinished worsted Kerseys, medium weights, suitable for Fall wear; good styles; former prices $10 to $30.00. To be closed out at ..... ⅓ off

LADIES' JACKETS—In colors and blacks; about 75 left; broken sizes; silk and satin-lined, fly and box fronts; navys, tans, brown and coverts; former prices $10 to $27.50 To close..... ½ off

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S JACKETS and Long Coats—In reds, browns, coverts and tans; stylish garments, former prices $8.50 to $12.50, our entire line ..... ½ off

GOLF CAPES Long and short lengths, our entire line, former prices $12.50 to $27.50, to close..... ½ off

SILK JACKETS A few tuck silk, blouse and Eton styles, beautifully trimmed; former prices $20 to $40. To close..... ½ off

FOULARD SUITS Some beautiful garments for evening wear or dress occasions, all light patterns, former prices $27.50 to $100, to close..... ½ off

Waists

Silk Waists, in Taffetas and Peau de Cygne, all of light shades.

LOT 1 Former prices $5 to $20, to close..... ½ off

LOT 2 Former prices $7 to $30, to close..... ⅓ off

WASH WAISTS, Our entire stock, white and colors, Lawns, Dimities, Chambrays, Tissues, Percales, Madras, Linen Batistes, etc., good line of colors, former prices 50c to $6.00, to close..... ⅓ off

SHIRT WAIST SUITS in Ginghams, Chambrays, Mercerized, Linen, etc., former prices $5.75 to $15.00, to close..... ½ off

☞Alterations and fitting will be charged at cost.

SEEKING NEW PLAYS AND METHODS.

Clayton D. Gilbert and Otto J. Morawetz will spend August in the east, stopping at Buffalo, Quebec, White Mountains, Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic City. While in New York Mr. Gilbert will secure new plays and material for his work next season. He has obtained special permission from Charles Frohman to attend several rehearsals of new plays to be brought out in New York soon, so as to study latest methods in rehearsing and staging. Mr. Gilbert will resume his classes at the Johnson school Sept. 2.

A NEW BATHING CAP.

The swimming girl has a new cap. It has a decided air of picturesqueness, but utility, while it is not overlooked, is not glaringly apparent in its construction. It might be called the evolution of a cap, with homeliness removed, and quaint coloring introduced to give effective finish to one of the essentials in the summer girl's wardrobe, which she selects with as much effort to procure a fashionable effect, as she chooses her most daintily designed ball gown. This new hat or cap is waterproof and of silk. The Persian effects, which are in evidence in fashions generally, are the most popular for these bathing caps. The most exclusive are silk, but pretty colorings in sateen are less expensive. The crown is loose, with a drawing string, which may be easily drawn tight to warn old Neptune that his efforts to wet, and scatter in wild disorder, the locks of the fair bather, will be unavailing. Over the front, a peak serves to shade the face and reflect a becoming roseate coloring, adding a smartness to the cap unclaimed by any of its predecessors.

A few years ago the Russian merchant marine consisted of a few steamers and about 200 Finnish sailing ships in the Baltic wool trade; to-day more than 3,050 steamships (including river steamers) are flying the Russian flag.

A GREAT ATTRACTION. It is pretty well established that ours is the finest jewelry house in the west, and the stock exhibited is a revelation to many.

Sterling Silver Hollowware

We show an entire new line of sterling Silver Hollowware, comprising all the latest designs and finishes including the celebrated Martele Repousse and hammered work. A simple description cannot half do justice, but would invite your inspection. Beautiful pieces specially designed for Wedding Presents.

$5, $7, $9, $15 to $25 and up

Egginton Cut Glass

This glass has won a reputation for itself that is justly merited, being the finest, whitest, most artistic cut glass on the market, and 25 per cent lower than all other good makes. Our Glass Room is a fairyland and is worth your while to see. Two hundred electric lights illuminate this room with surprising effect. Our stock is complete; you can find here just what you want, from a $1.50 nappy to a $75.00 punch bowl.

Ask to see the Lotus 8-in. Berry Bowl, worth $8, for **$5.10**

A New Departure All kinds of society and card engraving done on shortest notice and artistically executed. This department is under direct supervision of *Mr. George Burke,* who is too well known for further introduction. Give him a call.

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26 FIFTH STREET SOUTH

Celery, home grown, well bleached, per doz., 20c.
Summer squash, each, 7c.
Hubbard squash, each, 12c.
Beets, per peck, 12c.
Turnips, per peck, 12c.
Onions, per peck, 38c.
Watermelons, each, 22c.
Peaches, fancy, California, ½-bushel boxes, $1.15.
Lemons, thin skins, per dozen, 18c.

BUTTER—VALLEY CREAMERY, BEST MADE, PER JAR, $1.15.

Pure Leaf Lard, per lb, 9¼c.
Home made catsup, quart bottles, 12½c.
Sour pickles, per gallon, 22c.
Olive Oil, direct importation, half-gallon bottles, $1.35.
Cheese, rich, New York State, per lb., 11c.
Brick Cheese, by the whole brick, per lb., 12c.
Best Imported Swiss Cheese, per lb., 28c.

Pickwick blend of Mocha and Java Coffee, per lb, 27c.

Mexican Java, per lb., 22c.
New Teas, all kinds, 50c quality, per lb., 35c; 3 lbs. for $1.
Ceylon Tea, regular 60c, per lb., 38c.
Nutmegs, per ounce, 3c.
Corn starch, 1-lb. packages, 3½c.
Macaroni, domestic, 1-lb. packages, 6c.
Hecker's Farina, 1-lb. packages, 7c.
Shredded cocoanut, best, per lb., 14c.

EXTRA SALMON STEAK—REGULAR 22c; PER CAN, 16c.

Domestic Sardines, per can, 4c.
Mustard Sardines, large cans, 7c.
Potted Ham, per can, 4c.
Clam Juice, per can, 9c.
Dunbar's New Shrimps, per can, 20c.
Baked Beans, per can, 9c.

MONARCH SOAP—10 LARGE BARS, 30c.

Washing Soda, 8 lbs. for 10c.
Clothes Pins, 7 doz. for 5c.
Clothes Lines, 50 feet, 6c.
Toilet Paper, 10c quality, per dozen rolls, 68c.
Ammonia, quart bottles, 5c.

Port Wine—5 years old—a special article—per gallon, $1.00.

California Claret, per gallon, 60c.
Blackberry Brandy, per gallon, 70c.
Burgundy, a rich and old dinner wine, per gallon, $1.25.
Schlitz Beer, case of 2 doz quart bottles, extra, $2.10.
A. B. C. Beer, this famous beer for Saturday, per case 2 doz. quarts, $2.30.
Grape Juice, quart bottles, 38c.
Old Crow Whiskey, full quarts, 80c.
Duffy's Malt Whisky, per bottle, 90c.

MEAT MARKET.

Spring Chickens, per lb., 14c.
Sirloin Steaks, per lb., 12c.
Rib Roast, per lb., 10c.
Legs of Spring Lamb, per lb., 10c.
Spring lamb for stew, 5 lbs. for 20c.
Bacon, narrow strips, per lb., 10c.
Fresh crappies, per lb., 12c.
Breakfast mackerel, each, 7c.
Cooked Meats, Boiled Tongue, Boiled Ham, Boiled Corned Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Beef, Veal Loaf, Beef Loaf, etc.

In Social Circles

Miss Raye Newman entertained eighteen young women this afternoon at her home on E Sixteenth street at a handkerchief shower, in honor of Miss Lilie Solberg, a bride of next week. Miss Solberg was showered from a huge Japanese umbrella, which opened as the bride pulled a ribbon and the dainty handkerchiefs, wrapped in colored paper, fell around her. White sweet peas, tied with white ribbon, were at each cover in the dining-room and a large bow of white satin ribbon was tied to Miss Solberg's chair. A guessing contest and thimble bee furnished further amusement. Monday afternoon Miss Maye Anderson will give a shower for Miss Solberg at her home, 1522 Elliott avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. Myers of Spokane, Wash., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Dora Abigail Myers, and William Arnold Holmes, which took place in Spokane Aug. 1. Miss Myers formerly resided in Minneapolis and will be remembered as a talented musician.

The wedding of Miss Alice Willmore and Alexander K. Malcolm took place Wednesday in St. Andrew's Episcopal church. Mrs. W. B. Pengilly and Otto Olson were the attendants and the service was read by Rev. John Dallam. A reception was held at the home of Mrs. Pengilly. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm left for a wedding trip, and on their return they will be at home at 724 Fifth street S.

Mrs. O. S. King and Miss Carrie Stratton entertained a group of friends at a picnic at Minnehaha Falls Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Frank Masters of Everett, Wash. Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. William R. Blackburn, W. H. Kirk, Leslie G. Fuller, Mmes. Charles Blackburn, Jennie Fuller, Charles Howard, Hattie Shotwell, S. A. Mayo, W. M. West, the Misses Nina Blackburn, Mildred Fuller, Marian Fuller, Marguerite Shotwell, Hazel and Cora West, Gertrude Young, Nellie Scribner, Anna and Margaret Norris, Minnie Race, May Lavory, Laura Holmes, Messrs. Winthrop, Lester and Earl Blackburn, Burt Kirk, James Fuller and Joseph Howard.

Mrs. O. E. Dahly entertained Wednesday evening at her apartments in the Marcy for her sister, Miss Poohr, and her guest, Miss Mae Krambrink of Milwaukee. Music and dancing were the diversions and light refreshments were served. Miss Poohr and Miss Krambrink left last evening for Milwaukee and Buffalo.

The Misses Maude and Marion Thompson gave a yellow luncheon Wednesday at their home, 2314 Portland avenue, for their guest, Miss Minnie Trimble of Fargo, N. D. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mrs. Frank Rowley of Hawthorn avenue gave a birthday luncheon Monday. Covers were laid for thirteen and the table was attractively adorned with ferns and flowers. The guests were Mmes. R. B. Thompson, Frank Corriston, W. Arthur Carleton, Edward Falk, Lee, Charles Metz, Roy Pearse, M. D. Garcelon, Harry Lackore, Lela Benham, M. Merrill and daughter and Mrs. Tenvoorde of St. Paul.

A trolley party was given Monday evening by the executive committee of the first twentieth century missionary convention of the Christian churches in honor of Dr. and Mrs. I. J. Spencer of Lexington, Ky. Dr. Spencer is president of the American Christian Missionary society and is in the city to inspect the exposition building and to study local arrangements and attractions for the convention, which will be held in October. Stops were made at Lake Como and Lake Harriet and refreshments were served on the car by the Misses Agate. The party included Messrs. and Mmes. Spencer, M. R. Waters, F. E. Herthum, T. F. Branham, Charles Oliver, M. H. Towner, A. J. Smith, J. H. Herchmer, Mrs. E. A. Mathews, Mrs. L. A. Robinson, the Misses Bertie and Grace Ireland, Ida A. Salisbury, Ardell Kidder, Lida Beebe, Ethyl Paterson, Io Sublette, Prudence Faddis, Saidee Furrow, Floy Ferguson, Alice Staylor, Sara T. Ankeny, Hattie Hodges, Dorcas P. Emmel, Dr. D. O. Thomas, Messrs. George W. Sublette, A. P. Sprague, W. T. Halbert, L. O. Pettit, Campbell, Samuel Waters, Murray Waters, Walter M. Brown, June Herchmer, Earl Towner and Rodger Branham.

The marriage of Miss Lily Aurelia Hoffbauer, daughter of Mrs. Mary Hoffbauer, and Henry Joseph Meyer, took place in St. Paul's Epicopal church Saturday evening. Rev. F. T. Webb officiated. Miss Ida Quist presided at the organ. The bride entered on the arm of her brother-in-law, R. H. Hall, preceded by the Misses Julia Huelshoff and Bessie Hall and little Doris Bodfish, who carried the bride's bouquet of white roses. The bride's gown was of white Swiss, trimmed with lace. Her veil was caught with a sunburst of pearls and diamonds, the gift of the bridegroom. A reception to relatives and a few intimate friends followed at the residence of Mr. Hall. The decorations were green and white. The out-of-town guests were the Misses Ella and Julia Huelshoff, Dubuque, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. J. Zimmerman, Miss Bertha Ries, St. Paul; Miss Alice Moore, Skowhegan, Me.; Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Newell, St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Meyer will be at home after Aug. 15 at Dubuque, Iowa.

A Minneapolis Editor Engaged.

Special to The Journal.

Winona, Minn., Aug. 9.—Word has been received here of the approaching marriage of A. C. Brokaw of Minneapolis and Miss Ruth Lois Hall of Stillwater. The wedding will take place in October at the home of the bride in Stillwater and the couple will take an extended trip in the east. Mr. Brokaw is now assistant city editor of the Minneapolis Tribune, and was formerly city editor of Independent in this city.

Personal and Social.

Bert Rose is home from an extended western trip.

Miss Effie Harvig, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Clara Prinz.

Elias Sitterling and G. H. Fesley are home from British Columbia.

Lambert Naegele, Jr., has returned to his home in Helena, Mont.

Miss Cora Mahar, of Hastings, is the guest of Miss Louise Barons.

Mrs. J. W. Lauderdale has gone to Rochester and Buffalo, N. Y., for a month.

Miss Mae Cross entertained at a dinner Sunday for the Quo Vadis Social Club.

Miss Lottie Bentson, of Battle Creek, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Baernstein.

Mrs. Arthur Norcross leaves this evening for a three months' visit in Boston and New York.

Miss Estelle Casey has gone to Bristol, S. D., to spend several months, with her parents.

Miss Mary Peck Thomson and Mrs. Davies, of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. J. S. McLain for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel McCarthy and family left last evening for a visit at their old home in Buffalo.

Mrs. David Bonnell, of Evanston, Ill., and Miss Elizabeth Pew, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. A. A. Pew and N. A. Collom.

Rev. and Mrs. William Pickard have returned from San Francisco, where they attended the Epworth League convention.

Dr. R. N. McKaig has returned from his vacation and will be in the pulpit of Simpson M. E. church Sunday, morning and evening.

Mrs. O. S. Ryerse, Misses Ryerse, Lotta Ryerse and Corabelle Ludwig will leave tomorrow for a short stay at Frontenac, Minn.

Mrs. E. R. Cole and Miss B. L. Norton left last evening for New York. They will visit the Pan-American exposition before they return.

The choir of Hennepin Avenue Methodist church will resume its work Sunday. Miss Anna De Witt Cook will preside at the organ until the return of Mr. Ober-Hoffer.

Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Nelson and children, accompanied by Mrs. S. Nelland and children, of New Sweden, will leave Wednesday for Hankow, China. Mr. Nelson has been a missionary of the Norwegian Lutheran church in China eight years.

Minneapolis guests at the Holland House, New York, for the week, were Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Simmons and Miss Idabelle Buell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Keatley of 3114 Nineteenth avenue S, have gone to Seattle to visit their brother. They will be gone about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Nelson and Miss Elizabeth Nelson, have returned from a trip to the Yellowstone Park.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Thirteenth Avenue M. E. church, will hold an experience and ice cream social Tuesday evening at the church.

Mrs. Frank Billiter gave a bric-a-brac shower this afternoon at her home on Dupont avenue S, for Miss Mabel Liverman. Roses and carnations decorated the rooms. A guessing contest was one of the diversions. There were eighteen guests. Mrs. James Garrity of Highland avenue gave a linen shower yesterday afternoon for Miss Liverman, entertaining twenty young women.

Ray McMullen, of Stamford, Conn., who has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. George McMullen, returned home Tuesday evening. Stephen G. Palmer accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Verner Drew have returned from a four months' visit in Missouri and are guests of Mrs. M. E. Wood of the Colonial.

Mrs. J. F. Haydon has gone to Milwaukee for a two weeks' visit. She will then be joined by Mr. Haydon and they will go on to Cleveland and Buffalo.

Little Miss Amy Harris Doremus entertained a group of children at her home, 3018 Pleasant avenue, Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her sixth birthday. Games were played and refreshments served.

LAKE MINNETONKA

Every day sees some new and diverting entertainment evolved from the fertile brain of Mrs. S. C. Noble for the pleasure of the guests at Hotel St. Louis. The week began with a marshmallow roast on Monday. A big bonfire was built on the tennis courts and the delicious morsels were browned over the fire. At intervals of the feast the guests had their palms read by Miss Louise Pye, who was costumed as a gipsy.

A guessing contest on Wednesday morning created much interest. A series of book titles was cleverly represented by pictures cut from the magazines. The prize was won by Mrs. Van Norstrand, who guessed twenty-two out of twenty-nine. The cards were so ingenious that every one wanted them for future use, so they were raffled off and Mrs. Noble was presented with a handsome vase purchased with the proceeds, while the cards went to Mrs. E. B. Carver, who drew the lucky number.

Yesterday afternoon the card party was largely attended. The score cards, fashioned by Mrs. Noble, were much admired. They were of green and white cardboard with a gilded border, and on each was a dainty little face, supplied by magazine illustrations. The prizes were pieces of china, a silver pencil and a pair of embroidery scissors. In the evening a watermelon party furnished much sport. Each one had an opportunity to guess the number of seeds in a small jar. After the announcement of the best guesser and the correct number of seeds had been made, all the guessers were invited into the dining-room for a watermelon feast.

A Lilliputian wedding this evening will be a very pretty affair which will interest both old and young.

Little Genevieve Carver, daughter of Mrs. E. B. Carver of Hotel St. Louis, celebrated her birthday yesterday by a boating party, to which all the little girls at the hotel were invited. A trip of the upper and lower lakes was made on the Mayflower, and a luncheon was served on board the boat.

Mrs. E. N. Osborne of Minnetonka Beach gave a euchre party yesterday to her lake friends as a farewell for her sister, Mrs. C. B. Peck of Chicago. The cottage was handsomely and appropriately decorated, the corners of the rooms being filled with green branches and bunches of wild flowers, while vases filled with choice garden flowers were scattered about. There were ten tables of players. Mrs. Peck and her children, who have spent a month at the lake, left for home this morning.

Mrs. H. E. Gipson of Northwood gave a luncheon yesterday to eight guests, at her summer cottage.

Mrs. C. T. Thompson entertained informally yesterday at a luncheon at her Beach cottage.

Mrs. F. B. Wells was hostess yesterday at a small luncheon at Lafayette Club.

A gay party of seventeen young people was entertained Wednesday at Lafayette Club. Luncheon was followed by an impromptu dance.

The Acts carried a jolly party for a boating excursion on Wednesday evening. The affair was managed by Fred Cady and L. A. Lydiard, and the crowd included about sixty cottagers from Fairview, Linwood and Cottagewood. A generous supply of watermelons had been provided, and, refreshed by these, a serenading tour was made, stops being made at Excelsior and at the Lane cottage on Big island. Music was furnished by the Fairview quartet. The regular members are Fred Cady, Dr. King, Joe Smith, and on this occasion Dr. Russell took the place of Will Newgord. The party stopped at Lake Park and danced at the hop for an hour or two.

The quartet, assisted by other musical talent from the vicinity, will give a musicale Sunday afternoon at the Cady cottage at Fairview.

On Tuesday the Portland Avenue Church of Christ membership took a tour of the lake, taking as their guests Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Spencer of Lexington, Ky. The steamer Victor was taken at Wayzata for the upper lake, where the picnic lunch was spread in great abundance and variety.

The trip proved one of the most enjoyable of the many taken by Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, and they return to the blue grass state fully convinced that a state of 10,000 lakes, including such nes as Harriet, Calhoun and Minnetonka, is the place to hold the first twentieth century missionary convention of the society of which Mr. Spencer is the president. He says he will spare no opportunity of informing the church membership throughout the central states that no city has the attractions and opportunities that has Minneapolis. He believes with such things to be seen, with such a wide-awake local committee and with the program to be given surpassing all previous ones, that the convention next October will equal every expectation of the most enthusiastic.

Among those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Mellen, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Slack, Mr. Staylor, Mrs. Charles Oliver, Mrs. A. G. Jenks, Mrs. C. A. Crowell, Mrs. Bascomb, Mrs. E. A. Mathews, Mrs. J. H. Herchmer, Mrs. R. T. Beebe, Misses Sylvia Mattison, Sara T. Ankeny, Edith Morgan, Marguerite Morgan, Mary Mathews, Prudence Faddis, and Messrs. M. R. Waters, S. B. Mattison, P. L. Mitchell, F. E. Herthum, George T. Halbert, Sheldon Stubbs, Charles Stubbs, A. L. Sample, Ellis Slack, W. A. Kidder, Marshall Bascomb, Sheldon V. Wood, Robert A. Wood, George Mellen.

Lake Notes.

Miss E. E. Kenyon is the guest of Mrs. C. T. Thompson, at the Beach, this week.

Mrs. W. H. Hallowell spent yesterday at Hotel St. Louis as the guest of Mrs. W. F. Bechtel.

Mrs. James Pye entertained yesterday, at Hotel St. Louis, Mmes. Augustus Thompson, William Hartley and Alonzo Phillips. On Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Pye had as their guest Dr. T. J. Gray.

Leslie Durham, of St. Paul, is the guest of the Gibsons, at Hotel St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wood and daughter, of Minneapolis, are domiciled at Hotel St. Louis until some time in September.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stillwell and Miss Stillwell are at the Ice Yacht Clubhouse for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin L. Belknap were recent guests at the Ice Yacht Club.

Among the late guests at the Ice Yacht Club are: Mrs. W. L. Harris and Miss Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fallis Linton, Mr. and Mrs. George Main, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shull, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Fowler, Messrs. Robert G. Evans, Theodore Wetmore, Walter Heffelfinger, Charles Heffelfinger, Carlton Pillsbury, Thomas Shevlin, C. E. French, Reany Holmes, A. G. Dunhme, Robert G. Morrison, Fred R. Thompson and John R. Hall.

Mrs. W. Bechtel and family, who have been at Hotel St. Louis for two months, will return to the city on Sunday.

Mrs. E. B. Hart, wife of the head clerk at Hotel St. Louis, left to-day for a visit at her home at St. Joseph, Mo.

Mrs. George Esmond is the guest of Mrs. Henry, at Orono, for a few days.

Miss Nellie Kent was the guest of Mrs. A. J. Wagner, at Deephaven, Wednesday, attending the Ice Yacht Club hop in the evening.

Mrs. D. C. Warden returned to her Northwood home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Houghton Thomas is spending a few days in town with her sister, Mrs. Fred Smith. She has had as her guest this week Mrs. H. M. Lougheridge.

Judge and Mrs. Shiras, who have been at Hotel del Otero since June, leave on Sunday for Dubuque.

Oscar W. Firkins and Chester Firkins are spending a week at Hotel del Otero.

C. A. Hoagland and W. J. Lockwood, of New York, spent Sunday at Hotel del Otero for a day's fishing. They caught about thirty nice bass.

Among the guests at Hotel St. Louis who have arrived this week to make stays of some length are: Mrs. J. B. Cummings, Mrs. W. Chassel, Iowa Falls; Sol Stearn, Nathan Stearn, Minneapolis; Charles Clow and Laurence Brennan, St. Paul; Miss Maude Wheeler, Clinton, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McKenny, Mrs. E. Allen and nephew, Minneapolis; C. J. Kenny, St. Paul; J. I. Bumbacher, Sioux City; Mr. and Mrs. S. Bagley, Milwaukee; Mrs. J. W. Well and children, Minneapolis; W. A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. James De Land and child, Storm Lake, Iowa; Mrs. G. Rees, Eva M. Rees, Inez B. Rees, Minneapolis; Nellie De Pew, Lincoln, Neb.; Edna Black, Bloomington, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Tyler, St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford T. McElroy, Minneapolis.

Judge and Mrs. S. Lauck, of Columbus, Ohio, visited Mrs. Hodge and Mrs. Banning, at Hotel del Otero, this week.

Mrs. R. M. Bowler was the guest of Mrs. Ernst, at Hotel del Otero, on Wednesday.

D. J. Mahoney, of East St. Louis, is spending a few days at Hotel St. Louis.

Two Little Rock, Ark., parties have arrived at Hotel del Otero this week to remain until the season closes. One includes Mr. and Mrs. George McLean, Miss Florence McLean and Will McLean; the other, Mrs. Gordon Peay, children and maid.

J. R. Perkins, W. L. Perkins, Jr.; Miss Ryan and Miss Helen Perkins were over Sunday guests at Hotel del Otero.

Miss Lillian Adams, from Beloit, Wis., is a guest of Grace and Louise Abbott, at Solberg's Point.

Mrs. F. W. Annis, of Osage, Iowa, will arrive at the Beach on Monday to spend a month with her mother, Mrs. A. H. Bennett, at the Cedars.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Barnard and H. H. Ricker were at the Cedars, Minnetonka Beach, over Sunday.

Dr. Mary Damon and Mr. Walters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bergstrom, at their Northwood summer home.

Mrs. Anson Brooks, of Northwood, has returned home from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eustis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bigelow, at Northwood, yesterday.

Miss Ada Blackwell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McMullen, at Hotel St. Louis.

Mrs. George Godfrey returned on Tuesday from Chaska, where she was called on Sunday by the sudden death of her father, Henry Ochs. The funeral took place at Chaska, Tuesday morning.

NICKEL PLATE

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SPECIAL SHOE PRICES

The balance of the Rochester Shoe Stock will be closed out Saturday. We have added several short lines and odd lots from our own stock. Prices have been cut to sell every pair.

Ladies' $3.50 light tan and oxblood lace, Russia calfskin, hand welt, cut to..... **$1.48**

Ladies' $3.50 and $4.00 brown vici kid lace, extension or light soles—to close the lot..... **$1.98**

Ladies' black Oxfords, Juliets and strap sandals hand turned soles, broken sizes, worth from $2 to $3 **$1.00**

Ladies' brown kid and tan Russia Oxfords, light or h'vy extension soles, best qualities... **$1.48**

Children's black vici kid Shoes, mixed lot, sizes 6 to 10, good qualities, to close this lot **50c**

Misses' $1.25 and $1.50 black kid lace and button spring heel shoes, broken sizes up to 1½, close **75c**

Boys' and youths' black satin calf lace, worth up to $2, to close the lot we cut the price to **$1.00**

Ladies' fine black kid boots, turn soles and welt soles, mixed lot of $3 and $3.50 boots, cut to **$1.98**

Men's $3.50 black box calf Oxfords, hand sewed soles, to close lot, cut to.. **$2.50**

Men's black vici kid lace shoes, worth $2.50, also tan bicycle shoes, cut to **$1.48**

Men's black satin calf lace, broken sizes, worth up to $2.50, on table marked, pair **$1.25**

Men's black calf lace and congress, plain globe toe, Goody'r welt, sewed, cut from $3, $3.50 to.... **$1.98**

KITCHENS MUST GO

Till They Are Abolished Woman Cannot Be Emancipated.

"When woman is freed from the degrading burden of domestic servitude, then it will be possible to judge of her intelligence and fitness for civic duties." Thus declared Mme. Schmahl, editor of the Avant Courier, whose journal is making a campaign for the abolishment of the kitchen from all households.

"When our houses," continued Mme. Schmahl, "are delivered from the bad odors of the fat and dirt of the kitchens, then much of the superstitious disorder of the modern homes, which is due to the ignorance of women, will disappear. Then will domestic existence be far more civilized and far more agreeable."

Mme. Schmahl insists that France is the natural country to take the lead in abolishing individual kitchens, "because French women already have put all washing and baking out of the house and have made a begining in the same course regarding cooking."

"Do not many persons in Paris now have their roasts of beef and roast fowls prepared at a regular establishment and brought to the house at the time of eating?" asked Mme. Schmahl in reply to her assertion. "This is only the beginning. The kitchen must go before women can meet the responsibilities of the twentieth century. The kitchen does not allow them to specialize according to their tastes and aptitudes. The kitchen must soon join the superseded spinning wheel.

"There is a society just formed in London which distributes complete meals thrice a day to the house of each member. Table linen is included, and the price is only 3 shillings a day for each person. The same experiment has been tried in Berlin and several American cities, and in most cases has met with unvarying success. Therefore the time has come to make a general appeal to all women to emancipate themselves from the old-fashioned drudgery and thus preserve the sanctity of the home and the fireside.

"This is to be done by the women of different neighborhoods taking a firm stand that domestic happiness does not depend upon the washing of dishes at home and by agreeing to patronize a common restaurant. They will find that the restaurant will improve in character and in the quality of food served as this enlightened custom gets deeper rooted.

"That the majority of modern households would desire such an arrangement I do not believe there is any doubt. They certainly do, because the woman of the present day is not a good cook nor a good housekeeper. Nowadays success in these lines requires specialization. Most women of to-day who must be mothers must be the trainers of their children as well. With their minds so taken up with maternal and household duties they are unable to participate intelligently in public affairs. They must specialize or they will make sorry failures in civic affairs. Therefore we must abolish the kitchen or fail in the far more important things."

Mme. Schmahl's contention is supported by several women who are prominent as reformers. She is busy preparing an imitation of the London society for Paris, and she claims that several thousand French kitchen martyrs have already signified their intention of joining.

The French husband has not yet pronounced his opinion of the scheme.

CONCLUSIVE.

Brooklyn Eagle.

Beecroft—Gaslight is a great deal more prosaic than lamplight. Now, it would not sound half so romantic for the novelist to say that a family always kept a gas jet burning in the window to welcome home a long-lost son, as it does to say they keep a lamp burning.

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This notice is signed by Margeret E. Maltby, Ph. D., of Barnard College, as chairman of a council made up from the association, and an advisory council of professors and persons interested in higher education, which examines the record of any woman graduate of any American college, or of any advanced woman student, and determines whether it is of the standard generally recognized for admission to foreign universities.

COLORADO'S WOMAN DEAN

Miss Stratto Will Watch General Welfare of Women Students.

The position of dean of women of the Colorado State University was created by the board of regents at the April meeting. Miss Margaret E. Stratton has been appointed to the position. Miss Stratton was graduated from Oberlin College in 1879, and was assistant principal of the woman's department of Oberlin from 1879 to 1881. She received the master's degree from Oberlin in 1882. In 1881 she was called to Wellesley College to organize and take charge of the department of English and rhetoric, and in 1883 she was made professor of English language and rhetoric. This position she held until June, 1900. She was also dean of Wellesley College from 1895 to 1899. In 1885 she studied in Oxford University, England, and spent the years 1885-6, 1892-3 and 1899-1900 in Europe. She will have charge of the general welfare of the women students in the university, intellectual, social, religious and physical; she will have direct supervision of the ladies' dormitories; she will also assist in the department of comparative and English literature."

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