

The Leading Clothing Outfitting House—Established 1882.

The Plymouth

Enlarged Second Floor for Women—Three Elevators.
Main Floor for Men and Boys—Basement Salesroom for Everybody.
NOTICE—Our New Nicollet Avenue Elevator, next corner entrance, reaches the second floor every few seconds.

Green Sale

Women's Outer Garments.

Thursday and Friday we intend to have a sale of all merchandise which borders on green, the color so popular this spring—sale to include silk coats, new spring suits in silk, voile, panama and broadcloth, tailored linen garments and silk waists.

Green taffeta waists in tailored effects, up to \$7.50; on sale at \$4.50.

Green cheviot jacket suits, formerly \$30, now \$15.
Green serge and broadcloth suits in blouse effects, up to \$45, now \$20.

Green linen suits, three-quarter length jackets, strictly tailored, \$16.50.

Green silk petticoats, up to \$7.50, on sale, \$5.00.

Women's Furnishings

Half Price

Half Price Selling Women's Furnishings, consisting of broken and discontinued lines of Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Belts, Stock Collars, Handkerchiefs, Aprons, Wrist Bags, Gloves, etc.

For Example:

Women's \$1.00 lace and embroidery trimmed corset covers, 25c.

Women's \$1.50 kid gloves, 69c.

Women's 50c fancy lisle thread hosiery, 19c.

Women's splendid quality lisle thread vests, with lace and hand crochet necks and yokes, 25c.

Women's 25c handkerchiefs, 10c.

Women's turnover collars and lace stocks, 10c.

Women's \$1.50 shopping bags, 75c.

Women's \$1.25 Eureka satin girdles, pink and blue, 59c.

Women's \$2.50 Nemo and Kabo corsets, \$1.25.

Women's fine embroidered aprons, 25c.

Women's 50c leather and silk belts and girdles for 25c.

Visit this new department. It will pay you well.

The Great Plymouth Clothing House, Nicollet and Sixth

THE WORK AND WAYS OF WOMAN'S WORLD

Dean of Beloit Women

A Student of Theology

Miss Florence A. Fensham is again spending a few days in the city, the guest of Miss Henrietta Clopath. Since her former visit to Minneapolis, she has completed her course at the Fisk theological seminary in Chicago and for the past year has been teaching old Aramaic there while a resident of Chicago Commons, where she had classes, chiefly in Bible study. She is probably the only woman who has been a regular teacher in a theological seminary.

The woman's board of missions of the interior, of which she is one of the board of managers, wished her to speak before the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Plymouth church, while she was here. The last meeting of the year had been held, however, so she was invited to address the meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of Plymouth church this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. E. F. Waite, 2009 Queen avenue S.

Miss Fensham was born in New York state, pursuing her early education at Albany. In 1885 she went to Constantinople and was made dean of the American college for girls. It was there that Miss Clopath was associated with her as a member of the faculty. During her long connection with the college, Miss Fensham had, in all, about three years' leave of absence, and these were mostly spent in study. She took two summer courses with Patrick Geddes at Edinburgh, and manuscript study in history with J. Rendel Harris at Cambridge.

Wishing to do some special biblical work, she applied for admission to Oxford university. The worthy gentleman to whom it was necessary for her to make application was astonished at the request. He conceded, to the Oxford had decided five years before to open her doors to women; but this was the first woman who had ever had the temerity to apply. He pled all manner of discouragements upon her, but she finally yielded, principally for the reason that she found that she could enter Mansfield, the nonconformist theological college at Oxford.

After she had entered Mansfield, a club of women of the town of Oxford, formed for the express purpose of encouraging the higher education of women, got hold of the fact that quietly working among them was a woman who had actually wished to pursue that higher education at Oxford and had been discouraged from so doing.

When she reached Boston, on her way to Chicago, she naturally desired to spend a few days in visiting relatives; but she met there a trustee of the Fisk seminary, who advised her, as she was the first and only woman ever admitted, by all means to be very sure to be on time for the opening of all her classes. She accordingly hurriedly packed her satchel.

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At the end of her first year at Fisk, it was found that Miss Fensham had carried off the highest honors of her class. According to the new merit system just introduced, she had won a scholarship which would carry her thru the next year. She had known nothing about the scholarship, but of a sudden had been done with no pecuniary end in view—not for the prize, but for the joy of doing it.

She took her degree in 1901, but decided not to go at once into the ministry, as she had at first intended to do. Miss Fensham has enjoyed her winters and her summers there, especially that among the Italians. She is thoroughly in sympathy with the method pursued at the Commons—that of working among the people of the neighborhood from a religious standpoint as far as possible, while by no means ignoring the social and industrial features of settlement work. She speaks in the highest terms of the work of Henry Burt, the probation officer of Chicago's juvenile court. He lives at the Commons and is also pastor of its unique Children's church. As probation officer he has absolute control over hundreds of children, who all fear him and yet are very fond of him.

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AIDS TO THE HOUSEKEEPER

A rainy-day closet is a device intended for the alleviation of the care of mothers, says the Scientific American. In it are placed toys to be mended, games from which the interest has temporarily departed, pictures to be cut out and pasted in scrapbooks, specimens of rocks to be classified, a book of conundrums, one on familiar science, from which easy experiments could be taken for trial, a charade book, story books (new and old for all ages), crepe paper for making flowers, sheets of old calendars, from whose first thirteen figures, the game of numerical Patience could be made, pictures of persons and places mounted on cardboard and intended especially for the convalescent ward in the children's hospital; sewing, knitting and crocheting materials; stamps to be pasted, materials for kite-making—in a word, anything. A list of the articles and shelf where each was to be found was placed on the inside of the door, and a custodian, generally the oldest daughter, appointed, who saw to it that the article chosen were delivered to the child choosing it. The door was kept locked at all other times. No one was allowed to ask for anything different under an hour, altho articles could be amicably interchanged.

The newest brooms are made from wood fiber instead of corn. The fibers are shorter and are set like a brush which is attached to the usual sort of handle by two strong wires. These fibers penetrate the nap of a carpet or rug and take out the dust. They also fit into the edges and corners of the room, and are very light to handle.

The newest mop has a scrub-brush which fits firmly upon the end and makes it possible to scrub without getting down upon one's knees. The brush can be removed and the usual cloth put in.

Cooking utensils of glazed pottery are among the most cleanly and attractive that can be found for general kitchen use. This ware is a red-brown on the outside and white inside, and it is as smooth and as easily and thoroughly cleaned as a piece of fine china. The ware is brought into direct contact with the flame. It is made into mixing-bowls, pudding dishes, casseroles, custard-cups, steppans, pieplates, chocolate, coffee and teapots, and also in bowls, steins and creamjugs. It is warranted not to crack or craze, and its manufacture is the result of years of experimenting by the potter. An outfit of this ware would prove a most acceptable gift for the practical bride who expects to begin house-keeping.

Mothers should teach their girls to care for their hair as early as possible. If a girl is coaxed into the habit of giving her locks 100 strokes with a clean brush every morning and evening and braiding them loosely for bed, the foundation for a future beautiful head of hair will be laid. Too many children are allowed to go to bed with their hair in a tumbled condition, only to have it jerked and untangled hastily when school time comes round. Such a practice is disastrous to the nerves of a sensitive child and ruinous to the hair, says the American Queen. Never allow one child to use the other's hair brush. Diseases of the scalp are most contagious and the brush is the surest germ agent.

Waists, 1st Floor. Coats and Suits, 2d Floor. Wade Corsets, 3d Floor

PEARCE'S

403 and 405 Nicollet Avenue,

WOMEN'S OUTFITTERS.

Special Offerings for Thursday:

New Walking Skirts

Mohair Sicilian, 50 side plaits; black, blue, brown and green; also novelty mixtures in a variety of styles. Worth to \$10, for.....\$5.95

Covert Coats

Jaunty styles in tan coverts and black coats. \$10 and \$12 values, for.....\$6.75

Special on Waists

China Silk Waists, plaited and lace trimmed and fine embroidered lawn waists. \$3.95 for.....\$2.95

Sale on Millinery

Smart Street Hats, Polos, Continentals and High Back styles. Regular \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$8.50 hats for.....\$4.50

Lingerie Hats, \$7.50. \$5. \$4.50.

Untrimmed Chip Hats, \$1.95.

\$1.50. \$1.25.

French Milan Hats, \$4.95. \$3.95.

\$2.95.

Suit Sale

100 Tailored Suits, latest styles; materials are Panama Cloth, Serges and Sicilians. Regular \$25 suits for....\$10.00

Taffeta Silk Suits

Voile, Panama, Sicilian, Eolienne Silk and Shepherd Check Suits. Regular \$35 to \$40 suits for.....\$19.50

Shirt Waist Suits

Heavy Taffeta Silk, Rajah Silk and Sicilian Suits, black and colors; Thursday..\$12.50

Muslin Underwear Sale

Pretty Corset Covers, embroidery or lace trimmed. Special values Thursday at 69c, 45c, 25c and.....15c

Fine Muslin Drawers, deep flounce, lace trimmed. Four great bargains at \$1.00, 65c, 45c and.....25c

Muslin Gowns, a great variety of styles, high or low neck. Three special bargains at \$1.98, \$1.45 and.....75c

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THE BRIDE'S FLOWERS

The Shower Bouquet Retains Its Popularity.

Wedding bouquets have practically resolved themselves into two styles—the shower and the bride's bouquet, altho an occasional sheaf of long-stemmed roses is seen, or an even more occasional round bouquet.

For the bride herself, almost any white flower is good, the stereotyped bouquet (like the stereotyped gown of white satin) being made of white roses, relieved by little sprays of lilies of the valley.

Lilies of the valley, in fact, play a most important part in almost every bridal bouquet, whether it is composed of roses or orchids, gardenias or hyacinths.

Loops of misty tulle, twisted in thru the flowers, are an echo of the wedding veil that softens the whole effect of the bouquet, and it is in some things at once unusual and exquisite.

Bernhardt bouquets are built on the lines of a sickle, with the flowers arranged to curve away from the face and to droop over the arm instead of preserving the curious stiffness so often seen in loose clusters.

But the prettiest idea of all is a new arrangement for the tiny maid who serves as flower girl. A great, rough straw garland hat is bent up into a basket, the handles formed of wide satin ribbon, and is filled high with blossoms—ribbons and blossoms matching, and both matching the ribbons on the small girl's dress.

They make one feel as though life was worth living. Take one of Carter's Little Liver Pills after eating; it will relieve dyspepsia, aid digestion, give tone and vigor to the system.

\$3 Corsets 69c

P. D., J. B., G. D. and American Lady corsets and girdles, sizes 18 to 29; white, drab, blue, pink and black. Worth \$3. Choice.....69c

Petticoats \$1.25

The newest styles in Sunburst and Van Dyke, plaitings and ruffles; black, blue and brown. Worth to \$2. Choice.....\$1.25

Embroideries

Thursday you will find two tables of very pretty skirt flouncings (those new, neat, dainty patterns that are just the proper thing now), 12 to 16 inches wide and including many 50c yard goods. Choice.....25c

Hunt where you will, you'll not find the equal of our corset cover embroideries; that is, for the same money. Thursday we will sell a line of exclusive, new patterns in 18 to 20-inch widths, worth, many of them, 69c a yard. While they last, at just.....35c

Underwear

Women's white, Swiss ribbed, lisle thread, low neck, sleeveless vests, fancy drop stitch, lace trimmed or plain finish; regular 35c and 25c 39c quality.....25c

Women's white jersey ribbed pants, lace trimmed, umbrella style or tight knee, a splendid value. Thursday.....21c

Jewelry

Sterling silver thimbles, good heavy weight, all sizes, worth 25c. Hatpins, 14k rolled plate, sterling silver and genuine ivory; worth 48c. 14k gold filled set rings, ruby, pearl, turquoise, emerald and opal, worth 48c. Your choice.....19c

Hat Snap

Trimmed Hats—A special lot for Thursday; ends of lines we sold earlier at \$5 and \$6. Choice while they last.....\$2.98

Suit Department

For Thursday we mention only a few of the good things in this department (there are lots more just as good), and every woman will find it profitable to pay us a call.

Women's very full fashioned Linen Wash Skirt, plaited and trimmed with white braid; a good thing at.....\$2.75

About 40 Children's Jackets, brown and blue, large sailor collars. Not all sizes; worth \$4.50. Good things at.....\$2.25

About 75 Covert Jackets, good assorted sizes, were \$4.98, \$5.98, \$6.98 and \$7.50. Satin lined, loose and tight fitting. As long as they last, a good thing at.....\$3.98

25 fine Silk Shirts for ladies and misses, in blue, black and brown shepherd checks; new style skirts; all sizes; always \$14.50. A good thing at.....\$9.98

18 women's and misses' fine wool shepherd check suits; blouse jacket satin lined, plaited skirts, usually \$18.50. A good thing at.....\$9.98

Hundreds of natty wash skirts from \$1.00 up.

Wall Paper, Paints

Parlor, hall and dining room papers with 18-inch border; greens, reds and browns; also light colored bedroom papers with 9-inch border; worth 10c. Thursday only, roll.....5c

Canton Cold Water paper cleaner, worth 20c a can. On Thursday 2 cans.....25c

Fabric Gloves

We will show Thursday a line of new summer shades in silk and lisle gloves; they are made with 3-ply finger tips, come in all sizes, and with each pair comes a guarantee ticket from the manufacturers. Prices are \$1.25, 98c, 75c, 50c and.....25c

Ribbon Remnants

We have collected some choice odds and ends in remnants of taffeta, satin taffeta, changeable and embroidered ribbons, from 2 to 4 inches wide, worth (and sold originally from the piece) at 25c per yard. Divided into two lots, 12 1/2c and.....7c

Shoes and Oxfords

The Following Are Extra Special Prices

Women's tan Russia oxfords, Gibson and Christy ties; good value at \$2.50. Special.....\$1.79

Any pair of women's strap slippers in the house, none reserved. Special.....\$1.69

Misses' and children's beautiful Gibson ties, tan or black patent; worth \$1.50. Special.....98c

Wash Goods

Madras Cloth—Excellent corded fabrics, neat styles, colors the best; regular price 10c yard. This sale, quantity limited.....5c

Manchester Chambray—The genuine article, 32 inches wide, in six choice shades. Sold usually at 18c a yard. One day, per yard.....9c

Mousseline Brodee—Beautiful, sheer, dainty, warm weather fabrics, choice collection of latest printings. Cheap at 20c (see window). Special, per yard.....12 1/2c

Japan and Kuroda Silk—Very silky, highly mercerized fabrics for the popular shirtwaist suits. Worth 35c and 45c yard. Special.....19c

White Goods, Linens

L. L. Sheetings—Best quality; worth 7c yard; back to the old price for Thursday only, (no telephone orders filled at this price).....5c

Dimities—Beautiful array of hairlines, checks and dots; regular price 25c a yard. Thursday special, per yard.....15c

Rub Dry Towels—"Combination" sale price 25c. Our price.....19c

Waistings and Suitings—The most popular fabrics in white goods this season are poplins, grosgrains, Panama cloths and eolienes; worth to 75c yard. Sale prices.....39c 29c 25c