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THE BON MARCHÉ
Nordhoff & Co.

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The Introductory Sale Campaign.
More and More Remarkable Specials.

WE PROMISE OUR PATRONS GREATER BARGAINS THAN EVER THIS WEEK. THE THOUSANDS WHO SECURED SOME OF LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS NEED NOT BE TOLD TO COME AFTER THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS. THEY WILL BE OUT IN FULL FORCE. WE PROPOSE TO MAKE THE NAME OF THE BON MARCHE A HOUSEHOLD WORD IN THIS GREAT NORTHWEST AND WE INTEND IMPRESSING UPON EVERY ONE THE FACT THAT OUR NEW STORE IS THE ONE GREAT MONEY SAVING PLACE IN SEATTLE. IT IS NOT SO MUCH WHAT WE SAY, BUT WHAT WE WILL ACTUALLY DO, UPON WHICH WE PROPOSE TO GAIN THE PRINCIPAL TRADE IN OUR LINE.

THIS WEEK EVERY DEPARTMENT WILL SHINE WITH BRILLIANT BARGAINS. IT WILL BE A GALA WEEK FOR BUYERS. A WEEK OF EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS IN EVERY LINE, WHICH ARE GIVEN TO FULLY ADVERTISE OUR NEW STORE AND MAKE KNOWN THE BON MARCHE'S LOW PRICES TO ALL.

Positive, Peerless Bargains for All.

NEXT MONDAY'S BARGAINS TO INTRODUCE OUR NEW STORE.

Gentlemen's Opened-faced Watches, stem-winder and stem-setter, every one warranted a perfect timekeeper, value $3.50, only $1.19.

Dozen Glace Kid Gloves, in hook and button, black and colored, worth $1.50, Monday 49c pair.

Pieces Fancy Wool Dress Plaids, [illegible] width, value 10c, Monday only [illegible] yard.

Yards Fine Silkaline, 36 inches [illegible], value 12½c, only 5⅝c a yard.

Yards Unbleached Muslin Mill Remnants, 4 wide, value 4c, Monday, [illegible] p. m., 2½c yard.

200 yards Fancy Drapery Silks, worth $1.00 a yard, Monday 29c yard.

25 dozen Ladies' Fine Imported Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, value 15c, Monday, 3 p. m., 10c.

1,000 yards Mill Remnants, dark styles, calicoes, at 8 a. m. 2½c a yard.

25 pieces Cream Shaker Flannel, value 6c, Monday, 9 a. m., 2½c yard.

15 pieces All Wool Scotch Cheviots, 36-inch, in new shades of green, brown, etc., value 50c, only 25c.

25 pieces Fruit and Lonsdale 36-inch Bleached Muslin, Monday, 3 p. m., 5⅝c a yard.

20 pieces 36-inch Pompadour Brocaded Suiting, value 30c, only 15c yard.

20 pieces All Linen Crash, worth 8c, only 5c a yard.

25 pieces Black Rustle Taffeta Lining, 33-inch wide, value 12½c, only 7½c a yard.

1,000 yards Black, Gray Silesias, Mill Remnants, worth 10c and 12½c, only 5c a yard.

15 pieces 36-inch Bleached Muslin, worth 6c, 1 p. m., 3½c a yard.

200 pair Children's Grain School Shoes, size 6 to 8 39c a pair, 9 to 11 49c pair.

25 dozen Buttermilk Soap, Monday, 2 p. m., 1c a bar.

100 pairs Ladies' Web Slippers, Monday only 9c per pair.

100 pair Ladies' Dongola Kid Button Shoes, Monday only $1.00 a pair.

50 dozen Ladies' All Silk Hemstitched Initial Handkerchiefs, large initial, value 40c, only 25c.

40 pieces Best Indigo Blue Prints, Tuesday, 2 p. m., 3½c a yard.

25 pieces Best 5-4 Table Oilcloth, Tuesday, 8:30 a. m., 10c yard.

Men's Fine Dress Shoes, pointed toe, lace, Monday special $1.20.

THIS MONDAY SPECIAL SALE OF STORM SERGES FROM NEW YORK AUCTION.
ALL WOOL SERGES, WORTH 30c, 40c, 50c, 75c, 85c, 95c, at 17½c, 25c, 30c, 45c, 50c, 65c YARD.

NEW AUTUMN DRESS GOODS.

All the new and pretty fall effects, beautiful colors, rich tones, charming combinations in new weaves, and all at prices to convince you that you can do better here than elsewhere.

New line double width Bright plaids for children's dresses, value [illegible], only 5c yard.

New line of Brocaded Pompadour Suitings and Brocaded Mohairs, in black and colors, value 25c, at 15c yard.

New line of All Wool Fancy Scotch Cheviots, 36-inches wide, in all colors and combinations, only 23c yard.

New line of All Wool Novelties, in bouncle, tufted and raised effect, in new shades of green, blue, brown and red combinations, worth 75c, this week only 50c yard.

Full and beautiful line of Heavy All Wool Scotch Novelties, in checks, stripes and multi-colored mixtures, the rage at present, at 75c and 98c yard.

New line of 56-inch Heavy All Wool Suitings' Cloth, in black, brown, green, gray, reds, tans, etc., value 90c, Monday only 59c a yard.

LATEST STYLES BLACK GOODS NOW ON DISPLAY.

And such values as are not to be found elsewhere:

36-inch Black Brocaded Brilliantine and Black All Wool French Serge, value 50c, only 35c.

Thousand Black All Wool, Satin Brocaded, ermine effect, 40-inch, only 39c and 65c yard.

Imported English Storm Serges, the indestructible kind, 50-inch wide, worth 90c, only 65c.

Special sale of high-class Black Suitings, in diagonal, figured Ottman, Bourkle cloth, Crocodile cloth, Brocaded Armures, Silk and Wool Crepon, etc, at 85c, $1.00, $1.25 a yard, 25 per cent. cheaper than elsewhere.

DRESS LININGS.

Another rush predicted for this department this week.

Cotton Canvas, only 7½c yard.
Imitation Hair Cloth Lining, 3c yard.
Cross Bar and Plain Gray and Black Pineline, 5c yard.
Cotton Moireen Skirting, 11c yard.
Black Cotton Serim, 8½c a yard.
Black Wire Cloth, 12½c a yard.
Collar Canvas, 15c a yard.
English Sinesias, 10c a yard.

KID GLOVES.

To introduce our new Kid Gloves, made at the Royal Bavarian Kid Glove Factory, which also furnishes the same glove to the Bavarian court: We offer to introduce these gloves in 4-button lambskin, worth $1.50, at $1.00 pair.

And the 4-button, Real Kid, worth $1.50, at $1.50 pair, in new pique back and fancy colored edgings and seams. We fully guarantee every pair, and will gladly replace every pair that does wrong.

Very special—50 dozen 8-button Mousquetaire, in black and colored, worth 85c, only 65c a pair.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

You cannot find such underwear values in other stores. They do not exist.

Ladies' Combination Suits, in sanitary gray, any size, $1.75 suit.

Ladies' Silver and Ecru Ribbed Vest and Pants, Richelieu ribbed, heavily fleeced, fancy embroidered front and back, value 35c, at 25c.

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vest and Pants, over 60 per cent. wool, manufacturers' seconds, some slightly imperfect, value $1.50, at 50c.

Children's Undyed Merino Vest and Pants, natural gray, at 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c.

HOSIERY SPECIALS.

Excellent in wearing qualities and uncommonly low in price.

Ladies' Heavy Hermsdorf dye, Black Silver Fleeced Cotton Hose, all sizes, only 25c pair.

Ladies' Extra Heavy Winter-weight Imported German Fast Black Cotton Hose, value 35c, only 25c pair.

Boys' and Girls' Bicycle and School Stockings, heavy ribbed, value 15c, only 10c pair.

SPECIAL SALE OF FLANNELS.

All Wool Scarlet and Navy Blue Twilled Flannels, worth 25c, at 15c yard.

Imported Plaid German Dress Flannels, value 40c, only 29c yard.

Fine Indigo-blue Twilled Flannels, worth 45c, at 29c.

Six-ounce Indigo-blue and Scarlet-Medicated Flannels, only 25c yard.

54-inch Heavy Shaker Flannels, only 25c yard.

Plain White Baby Flannels, at 15c and 20c, worth 20c and 25c.

Best quality All Wool Elderdown Flannels, only 25c yard.

64-inch Navy Blue Union Flannels, only 25c yard.

LACE CURTAINS AND SASH CURTAIN MATERIAL.

Genuine Nottingham Net Curtains, the kind that wash, 3½ yards long, 54 inches wide, in ten different patterns, your choice $1.50.

Brussels Curtains, very lacy, 3½ yards long, extra wide, only $3.50 pair.

Tapestry Portieres, reversible fringe top and bottom, 3 yards long, 45 inches wide, choice colors, only $2.50 pair.

Dotted and Figured Swiss, 40-inch, only 12½c yard.

Frilled Swiss, plain and dotted, at 15c and 25c yard.

Tinsel Drapery, 10c yard.

THE CHOICEST AND HANDSOMEST MILLINERY IN TOWN.

Charming styles that beat everything we ever had, and all at prices that capture the women by their cheapness.

Rich and exquisite Hats and Bonnets, imported, and of our own creations, by trimmers of ability and taste.

Pretty and becoming and stylish headwear, ranging in price from $2.00 to $7.50, with the assurance of a positive saving of $1.00 to $5.00 on every purchase.

Special—25 Stylish Trimmed Hats, worth up to $5.00, Monday $2.95.

If you can make your own hats here is your chance to do it at a trifling cost.

Felt Shapes, in black and colors, only 25c.

Aigrettes, at 10c and 15c.

Imported Silk and Velvet Roses, at 10c, 25c, 45c.

Princess Louise Tips, at 45c and 75c bunch.

Dwarf Tips, 3 in a bunch, 25c bunch.

Misses' Trimmed Sailors, 25c.

Special sale of Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats, at $1.50.

OPENING SALE OF OUR NEW SHOE DEPARTMENT.

The winter season is now upon us and we are now ready for it in our new and elaborate quarters with the most attractive and up-to-date stock of Men's, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Every-day and Sunday Shoes. We are carrying everything found in a well-kept shoe store, and our prices as herewith given will demonstrate to the intending purchaser that we are the people to deal with.

E. P. Reed's Hand Welts, just arrived, and we offer them Monday only at $3.00, other days $3.50.

E. P. Reed's Hand sewed, Hand turned, in latest styles of toes, Monday $3.00, regular price $4.00.

Ladies' Fine Dongola Button Shoes, in opera and square toes, Monday 98c, regular $1.50 shoes.

Lads' Fine Calfskin Shoes, heel or spring heel, lace or button, Pingree & Smith make, every pair guaranteed, Monday only at $2.25.

Ladies' Calf Button Shoes, patent leather tip, Monday only $1.75.

A full line of Misses' and Children's Kangaroo Calf Shoes, Pingree & Smith manufacture, to be offered Monday at special prices. Ask to see them.

A good line of Misses' and Children's School Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2, $1.00; 8½ to 11, 90c; 6 to 8, 80c.

Ladies' Velvet Slippers, Monday only at 65c.

Boys' Veal Calf Shoes, sizes 3 to 5, Monday only at $1.00.

Men's Veal Calf Shoes, sizes 6 to 11, Monday only at $1.00.

Men's Ox-blood Winter Shoes, heavy Scotch edge sole, welt, Monday only at $2.75.

Men's Fine Dress Shoes, Monday only at $1.00.

A LEADER IN BED COMFORTERS.

Light, Soft, White, Cotton-filled Comforters, full 11-4 size, silkaline coverings, worth $3.00 only $2.98.

Exceptional value in Bed Comforters, at 50c, 75c, $1.25 and $1.50.

OCTOBER SALE OF BLANKETS.

Values that will bring you all to us this week.

Full size Gray and White Blankets, 48c per pair.

Heavy White Woolen Blankets, full 11-4 size, cheap at $3.25, at $1.98 pair.

50 pair All Wool Blankets, in white and gray, worth $4.00, at $2.49 pair.

DOMESTIC DEPARMENT.

60-inch Bleached German Linen, only 29c.

62-inch Bleached, very fine quality, worth 65c, Monday at 48c.

66-inch Austrian Satin Damask Napkins to match, value $1.50, tomorrow $1.00.

52-inch Unbleached German Linen, good 35c value, Monday 25c.

16-inch Pure Linen Stevens Crash, Monday 7½c.

18-inch Extra Glass Crash, 10c value, Monday 7½c.

20-inch Extra Bleached Austria Linen Crash, 10c.

15x36 Pure Linen Huck Towels, Monday at 10c.

21x46, a bargain at 25c, Monday at 20c.

40x20 Extra Heavy Turkish Towels, Monday at 12½c.

52x35 Heavy All Linen Towels, Monday only 20c.

A fine Bleached Napkin, Monday 50c dozen.

SHEETINGS.

3-4 wide Unbleached Muslin, mill remnants, 3½c yard, Monday at 12:30 p. m.

1 bale Good Unbleached Muslin, 36 inches wide, only 3½c.

42-inch Heavy Pillow Slip Muslin, 8 1-3c a yard.

A good 12½c value, Monday's sale for 10c a yard.

46-inch Soft Finish, Monday at 11c.

Our best 8-4 Sheeting, Monday only 12½c.

9-4 fine quality Bleached Sheeting, Monday only 18c.

10-4 Bed Spreads, extra value at 85c, Monday 69c.

CHILDREN'S JACKETS.

Children's Jackets, heavy cheviots, sizes 4 to 12 years, worth $2.25, at $1.39 any size.

Children's and Misses' Plaid Cheviot Jackets, trimmed with braid to match, all sizes, at $2.75, $2.98 and $3.25.

THE SWELLEST NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON IN COATS AND CAPES.

Every garment sold on its merits. Never such values shown in most beautiful styles. Our prices are 25 per cent. below their real value.

Ladies' Capes, heavy black cheviot, velvet collar, 30 inch long, 120 sweep, value $4.50, this week $2.39.

Special sale of Boucle and Rough Cheviot Capes, value $7.50, $8.50, $9.00, at $5.00, $5.95, $6.50 and $7.50.

Seal Plush Silk, Serge-lined, best quality bear fur edging, plain, beaded and braided, worth $8.50, $9.50, $12.00 and $15.00, at $5.95, $7.50, $8.50 and $10.00.

Black Fur Capes, full size, silk lined, worth $8.50, at $5.95.

Something new in Boucle Capes, jacket front, reveres and high standing collar, worth $3.75, at $2.98.

Ladies' Heavy All Wool Beaver Jackets, Franklin collar, new loose front, worth $4.50, at $2.75.

Ladies' Coats, in heavy black boucle, large high rolling collar, loose front, value $7.50, only $5.00.

Ladies' Black Boucle Coats, inlaid velvet collar, broadcloth trimmed, very stylish and serviceable, value $10.00, only $7.50.

NOTIONS AND TRIMMINGS.

Genuine Buffalo Horn Bone, 3c and 5c dozen.

French Mourning Pins, 2c box.

Princess Folding Irons, 8c.

Wire Hair Brushes, 15c.

Hooks and Eyes, 2 dozen for 1c.

Feather Stitch Braids, large variety of styles, 3c and 5c.

Mohair Soutache Braid, 10c dozen yds.

Fancy Spangled Band Trimmings, in the latest colorings, worth 15c and 20c, at 10c and 15c yard.

Fur Trimming, in Persian lamb, black coney, etc., from 15½c yard up.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Handkerchiefs which can't be matched for double the price.

Children's Handkerchiefs, 1c.

Ladies' Fancy Border and Plain White Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, new pretty styles, different from the ordinary, worth 10c, your choice 5c.

Extra special lot Embroidered Handkerchiefs, entirely new goods and new patterns, worth 20c, only 15c.

"New," "New." The Queen's Lace Handkerchief, entirely new, different from all others. We place on sale tomorrow the first lot of Queen's Handkerchiefs ever brought to Seattle. They are the prettiest and daintiest Handkerchiefs ever seen. Opening sale. Your choice 25c.

WASH GOOODS BARGAINS.

Turkey Red Dress Prints, 3½c yard.

Tailor-made Wash Suitings, only 10c and 12½c yard.

Black Sateen 36-inch Mill Remnants, value 12½c and 15c, only 8 1-3c yard.

Colored Outing Flannels, worth 7c, at 4c yard.

Good quality Apron Gingham, 3½c yard.

ART NEEDLEWORK AND YARNS.

Opening sale of Stamped Linens.

Hemstitched and Drawn work Doylies at 5c, 8c, 10c.

Hemstitched and Drawn work in Center Pieces and Covers at 35c and 50c.

Stamped Linen to be embroidered and cut out, Doylies in floral and deift designs.

Tray Cloths in hemstitched and drawn work at 25c, 35c, 50c.

Fancy Embroidery Zephyr, all colors, 5c loop.

Best Quality German Knitting Yarn, 25c skein.

Genuine Ice Wool, all colors, 15c box of 8 balls.

Cloak Dep't.

EXTRA SPECIAL.

From a bankrupt New York cloak house:

100 Children's Jackets in plain Melton, navy blue serge, checked cheviots, nicely trimmed sailor collar, sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 years, worth $2, $1.50 and $1, Monday at 2 p. m.,

53c Each.

25 Children's Reefers, in very handsome materials, worth up to $3.50, Monday for

$1.50 Each.

Ladies' Coat, black cheviot, elaborately braided front and collar, custom made, perfect fitting, value $14.00, only $10.50.

Fine Imported English Beaver, lined all through with fine quality serge silk, new military cord front, Franklin collar, worth $14.50, only $10.50.

Ladies' Coat, made of imported nigger-head, very stylish garment, broadcloth strap trimming, small and large pearl buttons, value $18.50, only $12.50.

SPECIAL SALE OF MISSES' COATS.

Misses' Coats, in black and brown boucle, new sleeves, new collar, value $5.00, only $3.25.

Misses' Coats, in checked English cheviots, heavy quality, worth $8.50 and $10.00, only $5.95 and $6.95.

At this season of the year society is intensely interested in anything appertaining to weddings, and although there are no events to chronicle in Seattle's fashionable set, the latest novelties in more populous cities are always read with intense interest. The latest thing is an engagement luncheon given by an engaged girl to engaged girls. The "dove dinner" and the ordinary engagement luncheon, which have prevailed in the East for some time, have lost the charm of novelty to those who are accustomed to being invited to all sorts of unique functions, but a really out of the ordinary affair, given in honor of an engaged girl to engaged girls, is really worth describing, as it has about it that flavor of distinction that makes even a very simple entertainment rival one of vast expense, to the everlasting preferment of the former. The happy fiancee looks about her, and from her circle of acquaintances selects those who are to be brides like herself. On pale pink note paper, which has been especially designed for the occasion, with a silver chafing dish and a cupid at the top, she requests the pleasure of their company at luncheon, adding in a purely feminine postscript the request that each one come provided with a special recipe for cooking some particular dish by chafing. The table set for the luncheon on the day of its giving has at each plate a little nickel or aluminum chafing dish, all equipped and in order for cooking.

In the center of the table is a bank of blossoms, surrounding as many little blank books as there are guests. From these books gay ribbons are attached to each separate chafing dish. Olives, bonbons, celery and radishes cut in glass dishes are the only edibles on he table. The maid, who, if possible, is an engaged girl herself, later passes slices of buttered brown bread. When the guests are gathered about the board, each one is requested by her hostess to prepare her special dish, the selection having been made known the day before to the luncheon giver, thus avoiding a too great number of duplicates and allowing for her to have at each place all the necessary ingredients for the special dish to be prepared.

It matters not whether the chosen dish is scrambled eggs or taffy, terrapin or oysters. It is daintily turned out from each separate dish, and after its merits have been complimented and its flavor tested by the assembly, each cook draws from the center the little book attached to her ribbon, and by means of the pencil in its company, writes down the recipe for her dish, this ceremony being duplicated until each one has a full list and how to prepare them, of all the dishes served. The books in which the recipes are written are with the chafing dishes, kept as souvenirs, the exaction being that the first girl married shall give a luncheon at which this same menu shall be served.

It is hardly to be expected that the bill of fare will be one that a gourmet would choose, but the fun attached to preparing it and the sentiment that must enter into the consumption makes this engagement luncheon one that surpasses in the estimation of the fair fiancees and that the most celebrated caterer could furnish.

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No prettier subject for a picture could be found than the log cabin which attracted a sketching party of the Seattle Art League and School of Design to the neighborhood of Lake Washington on Friday last. Unlike the cabin on Queen Anne hill, this one has a wealth of interior embellishment, as well as exterior decoration. The vines which spring from about the foundation, creeping up to and curtaining the outer walls and roof, have found their way between the logs to the inside, where in clinging to the polished walls they wreath themselves about the pictures and bric-a-brac hung thereon, thus by a natural growth enhancing the mural decorations. The broad, old-fashioned fireplace, with its hearth stone and andirons; the perches inserted in the wall under an opening in the ceiling, and which serve as a stairway to the garret, suggestive of the ladder up which little birds go to roost, and the cozy aspect of the whole interior impress visitors with the sense of the other days of which they may have heard, read or seen perhaps in fancy. So charmed was the party with the scene that some time elapsed before they could settle down to work. This they ultimately did, however, despite the droning of swarms of honey bees flying about and upon them, curious to know the mission of the intruders, who ventured so near their hives, the lawn being thickly lined on either side with white cottage-shaped hives. Three parrots had considerable to say when the party first appeared, but on a better acquaintance they settled into silent meditation. With a bright warm day, birds, bees, flowers, chickens and abounding life, both animal and vegetable, on every hand, the scene was bucolic enough for a corner in Eden, and was so much enjoyed that there was a generally expressed desire for another visit, which will be made on Friday next. The sketchers included Mrs. J. W. Godwin, Mrs. D. A. Gailey, Mrs. W. E. Morrison, Miss Marie A. Martin, Mrs. F. H. Mossman, Mrs. G. N. Miller and Mr. F. B. McClellan. The first moulding and casting by the class in moulding was done in the studio yesterday afternoon, and proved gratifyingly successful. Other work will prevent as large an exhibit in this department as could be wished for the next public reception, which will be on the afternoon and evening of Friday next week. An attractive feature of the exhibition upon that occasion will be the new statuary, the first shipment of which has arrived, but will not be unveiled till that day. The list includes the following masterpieces: "Atlas," "Fighting Gladiator," "Greek Slave," "Hercules," "Mercury," "Venus de Milo," "Venus of the Bath" and "Venus With the Apple." The lecture on Tuesday evening will be by Miss Marie A. Martin, whose subject will be "Jean Francois Millet." Those who heard Miss Martin's last lecture on "Alma Tadema" will be pleased to hear her again.

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As the winter season has opened at the theaters home talent is again striving for honors, and already different organizations are proposing to give entertainments of various natures. The ladies of St. Mark's church, who are so indefatigable in working up spectacular presentations, which are always artistic as well as financial successes, are now working for a performance to be given at the Seattle theater on Thursday, November 5. "Dreams in Fairyland," or the Doll Shop," will be presented under the management of Mrs. A. V. Kautz, and already seventy-five children have begun rehearsals. The Seattle theater will be changed into veritable fairyland, and the doll fairy will reign supreme. This pantomime has only been staged in the very largest cities of Europe, and in opera houses in Rome, Vienna, Paris, Brussels, Berlin, Frankfort on the Main, where it has continued to draw large houses for over 20 years. Seattle has never had any stage effects like the ones which are to be seen in this pantomime. Mrs. Kautz has successfully staged it in Rome and in Cincinnati, and Seattle ought to be proud to be able to fall in line. The second part will be a series of the richest tableaux, illustrating the popular story, "The Sleeping Beauty." The staging of these tableaux will even surpass the Gibson tableaux, which created such a favorable impression last spring.

The evening will end with a performance of Jerome K. Jerome's play "Sunset," which will be produced by the best local talent. Nothing will be left undone to make the whole entertainment the most artistic that has ever been given on the Seattle amateur stage. The price of admission will be so moderate that it will be within every one's reach.

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The French Club was entertained last Monday afternoon by Miss Struve. Prof. Constant continued the course of lectures (begun several weeks ago) on Paris. The members are all enthusiastic over the lectures, particularly as many of them are hoping to visit Paris during the exposition of 1900. The professor having been born in Paris, and lived there until very recently, knows the city as only a Parisian can know it, and is, therefore, capable of doing justice to the subjects. The members of the club are: Mrs. Alfred H. Anderson, Mrs. John Collins, Mrs. Charles Conover, Mrs. H. Clay Eversole, Mrs. George F. Gund, Mrs. J. D. Lowman, Mrs. J. F. McNaught, Mrs. Charles Shepherd, Mrs. Charles Stimson, Mrs. John Lenney, Miss Collins, Miss Emery, Miss Kautz, Miss Navarra Kautz, Miss Lilly Kellogg, Miss Murray and Miss Struve.

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At the golfing party given by Mrs. F. H. Osgood at the Country Club, on Bean's point, near Port Blakeley, last Saturday afternoon and Sunday, the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Osgood, Mr. Herman Chapin, Mrs. Stedman, Mr. and Mrs. Fisken, Miss Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Power, Mrs. R. C. Washburn, Mr. Flanders and Miss Flanders of Portland, M. J. Gillison, jr., Mr. Josiah Collins, Mr. Bernard Pelly, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kelleher, Mr. C. M. Austin, Mr. George A. Hurd, Capt. Harry Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Strout, Miss Furth, Miss Asquit, Miss Griggs and Mr. H. S. Griggs of Tacoma.

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The residents of the Denny-Fuhrman addition have formed a social club and are contemplating the erection of a club house. The first meeting was held Friday evening at the residence of Mr. Henry Fuhrman. Officers were elected as follows: President, Prof. J. M. Taylor; vice president, Prof. Mark Bailey, jr.; secretary, Mrs. Henry Fuhrman; treasurer, Miss Gatch. After the business meeting the remainder of the evening was spent in playing whist and partaking of Mrs. Fuhrman's hospitality in the shape of delicious refreshments.

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Guy Post, formerly a well-known member of the younger society set of this city, but now an actor in the legitimate, has left the James Owen company and is traveling with Otis Skinner in Shakespearean plays. According to report, Post is making great progress and is portraying such roles as the king in "Hamlet," Antonio in "The Merchant of Venice" and Capaulet in "Romeo and Juliet." Next March the company plays an engagement in San Francisco, after which it is probable the company will visit Seattle.

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The prettiest indoor affair of the week was the dinner given by Mrs. Fred Stimson on Friday evening to a number of friends. The decorations were beautiful, as they always are at any of this most charming hostess' functions, while the menu was delicious. The dinner was given in honor of a wedding anniversary and was also in the form of a d'adieu, as Mrs. Stimson and children leave this morning for Los Angeles, where they will visit for several months at the palatial home of Mrs. Stimson's parents.

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A dancing club, to be known as the Wednesday Night Subscription Club, has been formed by a number of society people of the city and will continue a series of fortnightly hops through the winter months. The club roster is made up of congenial spirits, and a delightful feature is to be the informality of the hops. The first dance will take place on Wednesday night at Prosch's hall.

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One of the prettiest small affairs of the past week was the dancing party given by Mrs. Horace Brown, of Third avenue, on Thursday night. The spacious rooms were beautifully decorated and to mandoline and guitar music a most charming evening was spent in dancing. Refreshments and punch were served during the evening.

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A. Sidney Hansard, Robert L. Webb, Charles P. Clary and William Ingles, who played the leading male roles in "Moths" last spring with Miss Jessie Cunnington, occupied a box at the Third Avenue theater yesterday afternoon to witness the debut of Miss Cunnington as a professional.

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Mrs. Sutcliffe Baxter, Miss Olive Baxter and Miss Elise Brooks returned last week from their summer's outing in the country.

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Miss Genevieve Relft entertained a party of friends aboard the yacht Aggie yesterday afternoon in her usual charming manner.

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Mr. Walter Fulton, who has been on the road to recovery from a severe attack of typhoid, suffered a slight relapse yesterday.

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Robert L. Webb entertained at dinner last Tuesday evening a number of young friends. The menu was delicious.

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Miss Laura Price has been quite ill at her home on First avenue west and Kinnear place, for the past week.

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Mr. John Wing, who has been ill for the past three weeks with typhoid, was somewhat worse last evening.

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Miss Ethel Cardin entertained the young ladies' sewing club yesterday afternoon.

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Miss Elaine Hanford is in Victoria, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Coultart.

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Miss Furth and Miss Murray spent Friday visiting Tacoma friends. Both these charming young ladies are very popular in Tacoma, and always enjoy a visit to that city.

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Mr. and Mrs. George E. Wright entertained Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Crawford at dinner Wednesday evening.

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Mr and Mrs. Frank W. Mitchell have taken the handsome new Kelly home, on Chestnut street.

Surprise and Birthday Parties.

On Friday evening, October 9, the birthday anniversary of Miss Agnes Kozlowski was very happily celebrated by a party given in honor of the occasion by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kozlowski. The evening was mainly spent in progressive whist, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Herrman winning the first prizes and Miss Vina Grimes and Mr. Frank E. Plowman the booby prizes. After partaking of an elegant luncheon the remainder of the evening until a late hour was merrily spent in dancing. The parlor of the family residence at Sixth and Columbia streets was beautifully decorated with ivy and roses. Miss Kozlowski, who is a most amiable and charming young lady, received a large number of very handsome presents in testimony of the congratulations and good wishes of her many friends. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Herrman, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Frasch, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cruse, Mrs. A. M. Grimes, Mrs. Spaulding, Mrs. Winder, Miss B. Grimes, Miss G. Wunder, Miss Rose Wunder, Miss Mamie Weig, Miss Lena Kozlowski, Miss Gracie Cruse, Mr. F. E. Plowman, Mr. W. Grimes, Mr. E. J. Detwiler, Mr. Otto Hink, Mr. Willie Wist, Master Victor Kozlowski, Master Otto Frasch.

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Miss Laura Clark, the pretty and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clark, of Lake avenue and Ninth street, entertained a number of friends at the home of her parents on Wednesday evening in honor of her seventeenth birthday. Music and dancing were strictly in order during the evening, delicious refreshments being served about midnight. Every member of the company departed in a happy frame of mind after wishing the fair young hostess many more such happy occasions. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clark, Miss Lucie Peckenbault, Miss Lillian Parker, Miss Helen Gerty Robb, Miss Idella Johnson, Miss Nellie Phillips, Miss Bertha Delano, Miss Marguerite Irene Mitchell, Miss Laura T. Clark, Miss Etta A. Alexander, Miss Alice C. Clark, Miss Lilia Williams, Miss Nelle S. Worth, Mr. Arthur Deverell, Mr. William H. Southard, Mr. Emmett Robb, Mr. Will E. Delano, Mr. Benoni V. Wheelock, Mr. Jack L. Daniels, Mr. Ira R. Williams, Mr. William Landwehr, Mr. Hally Van Vockingburg, Mr. J. ... Transue, Mr. A. Curtis, Mr. H. O. Campbell.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Byers, of 313 Summit avenue, were the recipients of an enjoyable surprise arranged in their honor by "ye band of ye ancient syngers," commemorative of the thirtieth anniversary of Mrs. Byers' birth. Various games assisted in passing a pleasant evening, being followed by delicious refreshments. The club presented Mrs. Byers with a beautiful gift. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lindensmith, Mr. and Mrs. Dusso, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, Miss Dyer, Miss Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Whalley, Mrs. Harriet Byers, Mr. and Mrs. Spelger, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Hurlbut, Mrs. Whittier, Arthur Whalley, Miss Marie Lindersmith, Masters Von and Rush Lindersmith, Miss Nina Byers and Masters Roy, Sanford and Ralph Byers.

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Miss Mabel Hood was tendered a surprise party at her home last Friday evening by her classmates of the Columbia school. It was Miss Mabel's fifteenth birthday, and she was totally surprised. The guests were bidden to enjoy themselves, which they did with great zest. A dainty lunch was served, and games were the order of the evening. Those present were: Miss Ethel Hartranft, Miss Clara Dow, Miss Jaunita Edwards, Miss Ethel Davey, Miss Annie Haley, Miss Mabel Bushnell, Miss Alice Delno, Miss Mabel Cummings, Miss Birdie Woodin, Mr. Claire Bigelow, Mr. Willie Davis, Mr. Charles Swanson, Mr. Claude Woodin, Mr. Oscar Cummings, Mr. George Hood, Mr. Frank Hood, Mr. Charles Hood.

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Miss Mary Rinehart was given a delightful surprise party at her home in Edgewater Saturday evening, October 10, by a number of her friends. The evening was spent in games and other amusements and at a late hour refreshments were served. Among those present were: Susie Buhtz, Lizzie Young, Ida Carlson, Bertha Clark, Neva Clark, Annie Carlson, Dollie Canfield, Mrs. Rinehart, Miss Mabel Barnum, Miss Nellie Rinehart, Albert Graham, Charlie Robinson, Bennie Robinson, David Rinehart, Freddie Herbert, Carl Buhtz, Wyley Young and Willie Rinehart.

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A few of the many friends of Mr. Fred Levy quietly took him by surprise at his home last Thursday evening, the occasion being the anniversay of his 25th birthday. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was passed in games and music. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Levy, Misses Clara, Essie and Bertha Levy, Miss Lucy Startup, Miss Lizzie Newman, Miss Gertrude Anderson, Miss Elva Lynch, Mr. Fred Levy, Mr. Henry W. Lung, Mr. James Esary, Mr. Leslie Lynch, Mr. E. A. Brown.

Card Parties and House Affairs.

Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Albin entertained the Commons Whist Club on Wednesday evening. The members of the whist club present were: Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Albin, Judge and Mrs. T. J. Humes, Mr. and Mrs. Moulton, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Miss Rogers, Miss Ruth Rogers, Miss Drew, Miss Nellie Drew, Miss Mattie Fowle, Dr. C. E. Hyea, Dr. F. S. Smith, Mr. James Cox, Mr. Ed Drew, Mr. L. S. Humes and Mr. Frank McConnell.

Dr. F. S. Smith and Mrs. W. G. Wilson won first prizes and Judge Humes and Mrs. Moulton were awarded consolation prizes.

Refreshments were served at 10:30 and the remainder of the evening passed with music and dancing.

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Mrs. L. E. Lasdeth and Miss Cassie Mills entertained the following friends at the Mills home on Queen Anne hill on Saturday in honor of Miss Alger, of Buffalo, N. Y.: Mrs. E. C. Alger, of Buffalo; Mrs. F. L. Lewis, Mrs. B. F. Miles, Mrs. R. H. Gage, Mrs G. S. Smith, Mrs. S. Holden, Mrs. H. L. Cossman, Mrs. R. S. Simonson, Mrs. E. H. Murray, Mrs. Alton Scott, Miss Leta Howard, Miss Warner, Miss Peck, Miss Lewis, Miss Youngs.

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Mrs. F. H. Lewis, of Queen Anne, entertained a number of friends at progressive whist on Thursday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Alger, of Buffalo, N. Y. The interior of the house was artistically deborated, dahlias, chrysanthemums and autumn leaves being used in profusion. Appropriate prizes were awarded to Mrs. Cossman and Mr. Turner, the lucky play-