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ladies' parlor afternoons from 1 to 6 p. m.  
 For wall paper see J. A. Hoff, Miles block.  
 Sardines four cents per can at the Bazaar store.  
 E. H. Winter is at Park Rapids on business.  
 Go to the Princess for peaches, apricots and plums.  
 Minnesota raspberries every day this week at Peterson's.  
 S. W. Ellis, of Blackduck, is a visitor in the city on business today.  
 G. A. Tuller is looking after his business interests in the city today.  
 F. D. Coleman, the Blackduck merchant, was the guest of Bemidji friends today.  
 Strawberries, corn, peas, beans and tomatoes ten cents per can at the Bazaar store.  
 Watch for the Sunday school picnic, of M. E. church, at Oakwood Beach. Program later.  
 R. H. Mitchell, of Buena Vista is in the city today on his way to his old home at Osseo, for a visit with relatives.  
 Miss Anna McConnell, with the sales department at E. H. Winters & Co. is visiting with friends at Park Rapids.  
 L. H. Bailey returned last night from a visit to St. Paul, where he has been for several days as associate counsel in the Chouard pardon matter.  
 Superintendent Strachan, of the M. & I. came up from Brainerd in his special car on a tour of inspection last night and spent the night in Bemidji.  
 The date of the Old Settlers Meeting in Bemidji has been changed. The meeting will be held on the 26th and 27th instead of the 27th and 28th as originally advertised.  
 Thos. McCutcheon, Solon and Ed Finley and W. L. Smith, of Nymore, this morning left with teams for the Dakota country, where they will remain until after the harvest.  
 Nat Campbell, of Crookston, one of the brightest attorneys of that city and a well known Democrat, is in the city on business this afternoon accompanied by A. B. Campbell, a relative from Kansas City.  
 County Commissioner John McDougald was taken quite seriously ill yesterday and is confined to his room at the Markham hotel and unable to attend the meetings of the board. He

at  
**The Grill**

**THE CITY**  
 Green peas at the Princess. Go to Hakkerup for photos. The Princess has a full line of raspberries and strawberries. There will be a dance at the pavilion on Lake boulevard tonight.  
 George Tanner is a Cass Lake visitor on business this afternoon.  
 Fresh turnips, beets, tomatoes, carrots, radishes and lettuce at the Princess.  
 Jess Freestone is transacting business at Grand Rapids this afternoon.  
 F. E. McGregor, of Crookston, is a business visitor in the city this afternoon.  
 Why balance on the verge of consumption when Mark's Lung Balsam will cure.  
 Dr. John Koch, of Thief River Falls, is in the city for a visit with his brother C. R. Kochs.  
 Nine o'clock washing tea, pearline, yeast foam and soda four cents per package at the Bazaar.  
 Mrs. Walter Ross, who has been the guest of Mrs. Thos. Bailey for two weeks, returned to her home at St. Paul this morning.  
 You are cordially invited to come in and see our exhibit of furs whether you are a buyer or not. At the Markham hotel,

**Only a few days more of**  
**McCUAIG'S**  
**Red Tag Sale!**  
**Better get in line and get some of the Sure Enough Bargains. We told you it would be the sale of the season. Come and see for yourself. Each day we place an extra bargain on our Counters.**

Only a few more Shirt Waists left. Not any we have had on hand for years, but new and up-to-date.  
 Belts from 20c to 98c; all worth more.  
 See the White Dress Goods we are selling at 6c per yard.  
 Ladies' Vests—see the Red Tag price; it will pay you.  
 One basket of Ladie's Shoes, worth from \$1.25 to \$2.00; your choice for \$1.00 per pair.  
 Men's Hats—big reductions.

**GROCERIES.**  
 Only a few more Bengal Strawberries left at 10c per can  
 Blueberries, Red Tag price 5c per can; Sardines, Red Tag price 6c per can; Good Sweet Corn, 10c a can; Catsup, 15c per bottle or 2 for 25c; Good Luck Soap, 12 bars for 25c; Cabinet Soap, 8 bars for 25c.

**We close 7:30 p. m., except Mill Pay Days & Saturdays**  
**WM. McCUAIG WM. McCUAIG**

will be taken to his home at Blackduck tonight if his condition will permit it.  
 The whist club meets tonight for the first session of a series of whist games.  
 Mrs. E. A. Barker is home from an extended visit with her parents at St. Charles, Minn.  
 C. M. Taylor, manager of the Tuller store at Cass Lake, was a visitor in the city last night.  
 John O'Neil, bookkeeper and head clerk for the J. A. Irvine Co. is in town from Blackduck.  
 Attorney John Gibbons is out of the running for a few days with a bad case of ivy poisoning.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Irwin and family went to St. Paul this morning for a visit with relatives.  
 It is time to order Minnesota raspberries for preserving. They are now at their best. J. Peterson, Jr.  
 The Misses Mabel Rugh and Beatrice Machula, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, are the guests of Mrs. W. R. Morrison.  
 Miss Nellie Nash, of Minneapolis, is in the city to spend an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Edward Kaelble.  
 General C. S. Brown, of Flint, Michigan, who is an old friend of Judge Reynolds and has been in the city for several days returned to his home this morning.  
 Henry Partridge who has a fine residence on the north end of Beltrami avenue is improving his property by laying a neat cement sidewalk in front of the four lots which he owns.  
 Harry Koors, the well known traveling man is incapacitated by a bad case of blood poisoning recently developed in his good right hand, from a bruise and burn sustained in a cannon cracker incident on the Fourth.  
 We make to order Ladies' Seal Skin coats, Otters, Beavers, Persian lamb, Near Seal, Astrakhan etc. See our furs and styles every afternoon at the Ladies' parlor, Markham hotel. A. Zekman, Fur Manufacturer, Minneapolis.  
 Attorney Henry Funkley, of Blackduck, who has been spending several days in the city on business returned to his home last night. Mr. Funkley has begun his canvass for the Republican nomination for county attorney and says he is receiving some very flattering encouragement.

**No Pity Shown.**  
 "For years fate was after me continuously" writes F. A. Guldage, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles causing twenty-four tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at all Druggists."  
**Married at the Markham.**  
 Miss Iva Hodge and Frank Jutras were married yesterday afternoon at Parlor B at the Markham hotel. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few friends by Judge Pendergast. Both the young people are well known in Bemidji and have many friends here who will extend congratulations.  
**M. D.'s to Meet.**  
 The Upper Mississippi Medical Association will have a meeting at Walker tomorrow and several local physicians are planning to attend. There is an interesting program for the meeting and some good things in a social way provided, including a boating party on Leech Lake and a feast of good things at the Palmeda hotel.  
**Look Over Vermillion Country.**  
 J. A. McDonald, the well known cruiser, leaves Tuesday of next week with a party from this city and Blackduck for the Vermillion Lake country. Harvey Woodward and George Walker will go from here and there will be several from Blackduck. The trip is made for the purpose of looking over some land in the Vermillion country and the boys all anticipate a very pleasant time.  
**Putting Up Hay.**  
 The J. A. Irvine Co., who will be extensive operators in the woods in the country north of this vicinity next winter, have a large force of men working along the bottoms of the Blackduck and Tamarac rivers putting up their next winter's supply of hay. The hay crop this year is excellent and all the lumbermen are planning on putting up enough to carry them over the winter.  
**Will Finish This Week.**  
 The topographical survey of the Mississippi, which has been located in this vicinity for some time past and which has had headquarters at Bemidji will be finished the latter part of this week so far as this division is concerned. The camp is now maintained at the mouth of the Hennepin river. The survey has been finished sooner than Captain Comber, who is in charge, and who has made many Bemidji friends anticipated. It has been complete and thorough in every respect. The crew will be discharged as soon as the work is finished and will return to their homes.

**Session Adjourned.**  
 The board of County Commissioner which has been in session at the court house adjourned its session this afternoon. The routine business of the session has been quite heavy. The board fixed the tax levy, granted petitions for the organization of the village of Spooner and the township of Wabenacca in the northern section of the county and prepared the lists from which the grand and petit jurors of the fall term of the district court will be drawn. Sheriff Bailey will draw the jurors tomorrow.

**Night Was Her Terror.**  
 "I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly me and I gained fifty-eight pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at all druggists.

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 "I wish to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mrs. Mattie Burge, of Martinsville, Va. "I suffered from chronic diarrhoea for ten years and during that time tried various medicines without obtaining any permanent relief. Last summer one of my children was taken with cholera morbus, and I procured a bottle of this remedy. Only two doses were required to give her relief. I then decided to try the medicine myself, and did not use all of one bottle before I was well and I have never since been troubled with that complaint. One cannot say too much in favor of that wonderful medicine." This remedy is for sale at Barker's Drug store.

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 —FOR—  
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Twenty-five per cent off on our entire stock of  
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10c each **ARROW BRAND COLLARS** 10c each

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CLOTHING.		SHOES.		Furnishing GOODS.	
\$20.00 Men's Suits	\$15.00	\$4.00 Ralston Shoes	\$3.00	\$3.00 Shirts	\$2.25
18.00 "	13.50	3.50 Shoes	2.65	2.50 "	1.88
15.00 "	11.25	3.00 "	2.25	2.00 "	1.50
12.00 "	9.00	2.50 "	1.88	1.50 "	1.13
10.00 "	7.50	2.00 "	1.50	1.00 "	.75
		1.50 Canvas Shoes	1.13	.75 "	.57
<b>Young Men's Suits</b>		1.00 "	.75	.50 "	.37½
\$15.00 Suits	\$11.25	.75 "	.57	2.00 Underwear	1.50
13.50 "	10.15			1.50 "	1.13
12.00 "	9.00			1.00 "	.75
10.00 "	7.50			.75 "	.57
8.50 "	6.35			.50 "	.37½
7.50 "	5.63	<b>TRUNKS.</b>		.25 Fancy Hose	.37½
6.00 "	4.50	\$10.00 Trunks	\$8.00	.10 Sox, 4 pairs	.25
5.00 "	3.75	7.50 "	5.63		
		6.00 "	4.50		
		5.00 "	3.75		
<b>Little Fellows' Suits.</b>		9.00 Suit Cases	6.75		
\$ 5.00 Russian Blouse	3.75	7.50 "	5.63		
4.00 "	3.00	5.00 "	3.75		
3.50 Vestee Suits	2.63	4.00 "	3.00		
3.00 "	2.25	3.00 "	2.25		
2.50 "	1.88	2.50 "	1.87		
4.50 Two-Piece Suits	3.37	2.00 "	1.50		
4.00 "	3.00	1.00 Telescopes	.75		
3.00 "	2.25	.75 "	.57		
2.00 "	1.50	.50 "	.37		

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 the best  
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