

SWANVILLE

April 8.—Peter Kortzman and family departed for Calgary, Canada, Tuesday, near where they have taken homesteads. They are old residents here and a host of friends regret their departure, but wish them success and happiness.

Leander Biteman, Harry and James Thompson and Alex Hall left for Colorado Tuesday where they go in search of homesteads. They will be gone ten days.

Chas. Voss, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Ludwig, returned to his home at Chaska, Minn., Tuesday.

Messrs. Ryiholm and Clark were county seat visitors Monday.

Chas. Chevalier of Clentorf, Minn., arrived here the first of the week to transact business.

Jennie Shipman, who has been visiting her parents here, returned to Iron Mountain, Minn., Wednesday, where she has employment.

A. D. Carpenter of Ashley was a pleasant caller here Friday.

C. W. Churchill, who has been visiting relatives at Glenwood, returned home Friday.

Bart Wotzke, Flynnberg's popular merchant, was here on business Friday.

E. H. Cox returned to Minneapolis Friday, where he is working for the Northwestern Music House.

Andrew Youngdahl was a Little Falls visitor Saturday.

Mr. King, of the King Commission Co. of Duluth, arrived here Friday to

view the town with a view of putting in a potato warehouse here. He was very much impressed with the town and a Farmers' meeting will be held in Hamm's hall Wednesday forenoon and afternoon.

Peter Brooks and wife of Grey Eagle were visitors here over Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Hall of Burtrum was here on business Saturday.

Mrs. Anderson of Burtrum underwent an operation at the home of Dr. Campbell Friday.

Mrs. George McIvor of Akeley was here visiting old friends Saturday.

Rev. Barkow went to Villard Saturday, where he held services Sunday, returning Monday.

John Markuson, Thos. Willet and wives, visited at Grey Eagle and Round Prairie over Sunday.

Miss Balsinger, who is teaching school in Culdrum, spent Saturday at her home in Little Falls.

Mr. Brownson of Kansas City, Mo., agent for the Colorado Land Co., was in town this week soliciting business.

Loyd, the little son of Otto Rhode, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

John Caine of Morris was here on business Monday.

Joe Schrupp of Hines arrived here the first of the week to visit relatives.

Mrs. John Benkoeki and Miss Gustie Glantz of Minneapolis arrived here Monday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Glantz.

Misses Becker, McColley, Budleman and Prof. Ford returned from St. Cloud Saturday, where they were in attendance at the Teachers' State Con-

vention. School was resumed Monday after a week's vacation.

Egbert Vanzile and Andrew Stroman were Grey Eagle visitors the first of the week.

Eva Turner went to Little Falls the first of the week to visit her parents.

Messrs. Reichert and Sheets of Long Prairie were Swanville visitors Sunday.

Arthur Hall and J. H. Mertz of Burtrum were here on business Sunday.

Willie Anderson and Arthur Sandstrom, who are staying in Little Falls, visited friends here over Sunday.

Messrs. Dolvan and Blair are both tapping their maple trees and preparing to manufacture maple sugar and syrup.

Wm. Trampe visited friends at Glenwood over Sunday.

Rosy Kriz went to Little Falls Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Newvill went to Rices Wednesday to work.

Nic Troing went to Little Falls Wednesday to attend the M. W. A. convention.

Edward H. Cox came up from Minneapolis on business Wednesday, returning Saturday.

The Commercial club met in regular session Wednesday evening with a full attendance. Each member is working for the welfare of the town and with the co-operation of all great good will be accomplished. The club decided to have the market day each month and a committee was appointed to make the

necessary arrangements.

Kate Budlemen, who has been visiting her sister, Iria, returned to her home at Cambridge Thursday.

George Krousey, who has been visiting his parents here, returned to his home in South Dakota Thursday.

Mr. Manning of Burtrum was here on business Thursday.

Ed. Carson returned home from War Road Thursday.

A. E. Minnette of Long Prairie was here on business Thursday.

Mrs. Joseph Baisden of Lester Prairie arrived here Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. B. B. Cox.

Frank O'Brien of South Swanville was in Little Falls on business Thursday.

Farmers wanting to clean their seed wheat perfectly should buy a Foston fanning mill from Eich & Murphy.

Carlos Avery of the board of Game and Fish commissioners, in response to an inquiry from the Preston Fish club, says that under sections 40 and 41 of the laws of 1905 all hook and line fishing is prohibited during March and April, except the provision for trout fishing opening April 15th. This means that it is unlawful to fish for suckers and shiners, red horse, etc., until May 1st, and we would advise parents to see that their boys did no more fishing until the time specified in the law.—Preston Republican.

PRIMARY EDUCATION.

The bulk of primary education is provided at public cost. We are proud of our "common schools"—though they are far below what from an ideal standpoint they should be. No teacher is physically or mentally competent to give instruction to forty children, which is the average size of a division in the public schools. Under such conditions individual instruction is largely impossible. To the tired brain worker nothing is more grateful than a glass of golden grain belt beer at mealtime. Have it on the family table and enjoy its benefits. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by E. S. Tanner, Little Falls.

Iver Pancratz visited in West Duluth last week.

Staples World: R. T. Tedford, of Fort Ripley, is the daddy of twin girls born March 19th. All are doing nicely. "Bob" was a resident of Staples some years ago. It is evident that he has not been bitten by the "race suicide" bacillus.

Supt. J. A. Tormey of the Spokane schools has resigned to go in business. Mr. Tormey was well known to Minnesota educators. He was succeeded at Winona when he left for the West by C. R. Frazier of Little Falls. Mr. Tormey had served for five years at Spokane and was re-elected in March for a three-year term at \$1,000 a year increased salary.

CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING.

The Women's Civic league which held a meeting at the city hall last Friday afternoon, elected Miss Ann Ayer to succeed Mrs. F. H. Maro secretary of the league, and planned for a free lecture on civic improvements, to be given in the near future. Other important work was decided upon, and with the help of all the residents of this city, much will be done in the cleaning and beautifying of this city, during this spring and summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chisholm were residents of Little Falls for several years.

The chief of police has been instructed by Mayor Moeglein to enforce the liquor law.

Issac LaFond has accepted a position in the Dr. J. H. Newman hospital, training and sales-stable.

Mrs. W. L. McGonagle of Royalton returned home the latter part of last week after a short visit here, the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. E. White.

The M. B. A. lodge gave an entertainment Thursday evening, following their regular meeting, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

Rev. C. W. B. Ellis of Hawley was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Colburn last Friday, enroute to Buffalo Lake, where he was going to conduct revival meetings.

EXTRA SPECIALS

FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Fancy Collars 10c

In a new range of patterns and styles, regular 15c values.

Stockings 19c

Black, white, pink and blue—some are heavy some are light weight, some were 25, some 30c. They are all now 19c.

Fine Batistes 9c

Take them while they last. You'll never see them again at the price—regular 18c values.

Ribbon Remnants Half Price

A big box full, all widths and colors—1 and 2 yard lengths—Just half price.

Furs 1-2 and 1-4 OFF

One more chance to buy them at a big discount before they are packed away for the summer.

Muslin Remnants 7c

Fine cambrics, muslins and long cloths that you paid 10, 12½ and 15c for in the regular way.

Laces 5c

Torchons, vals and normandies, about 3,000 yards of them, worth two to three times the money.

Kid Gloves 75c

Regular \$1.00 goods, tans, browns, grays and black. Mostly small and large sizes.

BARNEY BURTON'S

DRY GOODS STORE

Bargain Room Specials

There is absolutely no excuse for sending away or going out of Little Falls to buy your spring goods when you can have the opportunity of making your selection from the stock we are now showing and at the prices we are now making. We respectfully solicit your patronage for the following reasons:

The stock is complete and well selected. All goods are absolutely new and up-to-date. One price to all and that the lowest. You are cordially invited to call and inspect our goods and prices. You are under no obligation to buy.

WOMEN'S SUITS



We are receiving suits by express daily, the styles are absolutely correct and the materials and workmanship the very best. In the matter of price we are discounting the big city stores at every turn and you will find it out for yourself if you will take the trouble to make comparisons.

\$10 Buys a blue or brown broadcloth suit, handsomely tailored and lined with black satin.

\$12 Buys a Merry Widow suit in blue or brown, pony jacket with satin lining and fancy vest effect.

\$13.50 Buys a handsome brown or blue fancy worsted, made in one of the newest jaunty cuts, trimmed skirt to correspond.

\$20.00 Takes your choice of a number of the newest models, satin or silk lined, wool taffetas, fancy stripes and chiffon panamas—every suit absolutely correct in every particular.

\$25.00 Buys a number of makes and modles that you would have to pay 35 and 40 dollars for in any of the twin city stores. Of course, we do not show as many garments but those we do show cannot be excelled at the price.

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SPRING COATS

Fancy plaids and mixtures for Misses and children, and plain covert and blacks for ladies are the proper caper for spring.

\$2.50 Buys a very nobby child's jacket in a fancy mixture, trimmed with handsome buttons and braid.

\$2.98 takes your choice of a number of plaid or covert child's coats very prettily trimmed with velvet, braid and buttons.

\$5.98 Buys a good plain or fancy covert, loose, semi or tight fitting, lined or unlined—has all the style of a \$10 garment.

8.50, 10.00, 12.00 and \$15.00

Are the prices on a variety of new models, satin or silk lined in black, broad cloth or tan covert cloth—these garments cannot be surpassed at the price.

CRAVENETTES for Misses and women in oxford, tan, blue, russet and gun metal—these garments are absolutely new and up to the minute—the prices are

5.00, 6.50, \$10.00 and upward



Dress Goods

All the very newest

25c a yard for 30 pieces plain and fancies.

50c a yard for 35 pieces new 36 inch plain and fancy wool or mohair mixtures.

\$1.00 for a range of wool taffetas and Panamas that have never been surpassed.

Exclusive Novelities

in dress pattern lengths at **8.00, 10.00 and \$12.00** the pattern.

Wash Goods, All New

Fine Lawns in all the new designs **12½c**.

Fine Organdies beautiful goods in the prettiest range of patterns you ever saw at **15c**.

Voiles in all the new shades, these goods are very stylish at **20 and 25c**.

Ginghams in a complete range of styles and qualities from **7 to 35c** a yard.

Silkized Taffeta the new substitute for silk, 27 inches wide and better than silk, **45c** a yard.

Easter Novelties

New Belts, biggest assortment evr shown in Little Falls, **10c to \$1**.

New Hat Pins to go with your new Easter bonnet, the most beautiful ever seen, **5 to 75c**.

New Neckwear, they must be seen, they cannot be described, **25 and 50c**.

Veils and Veiling, these new long automobile scarfs also large square veils at **\$1.50 and \$2**.

New Waist Nets in the much sought for filet mesh, black, white and ecru.

Fancy Medallions for trimming plain nets, **25, 40, 50 and 60c**.

Purses and Hand Bags

All the new ideals in tapestry, squaw bags, steel purses and leather conceits, **25c to \$3.00**.

Skiddoo Caps

The latest for little boys and girls, **25 and 50c**.

Merry Widow Belts

to go with your new Easter gown—all colors and prices.

New Braids

with the tinsel designs now in vogue—you can't go wrong on the n at **8c to \$2.00** a yard.

Summer Hosiery

In black, white and russet, all new and up to the minute.

FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Something Doing in the Bargain Room

On the 2c Table

Fancy cups worth 15c.
Fancy dishes worth 12c.
Fancy glasses worth 15c.
Soap slabs worth 10c.
Hotel platters worth 10c.

19c

Large platters worth 65c.
Large pitchers worth 50c.

25c

Tams and caps worth 50c.
Ladies' waists worth 50c, 75c and \$1.

10c

A box full of boys' assorted caps, most of them worth 50c each.

8c

A bin full of women's summer vests, worth all the way from 10 to 20c.

\$1.00

For a lot of fancy silk waists that sold at 4.50 to \$5

Shoes

Still go at the old price in the BARGAIN ROOM.

25c for a pair of baby shoes worth 50c.

39c for a pair of children's shoes worth 85c.

95c for a pair of children's shoes worth \$1.50.

\$1.48 for a pair of boys' shoes worth \$2.00.

\$1.59 for a pair of women's shoes worth \$2.25.

\$1.75 for a pair of women's shoes worth \$2.50.

Remnants

Do not forget them. Calicos, ginghams, shirtings, percales and dress goods.