

Handsome Minneapolis Building Speaks Louder Than Empty Protestations of Loyalty.

READY FOR OPENING.

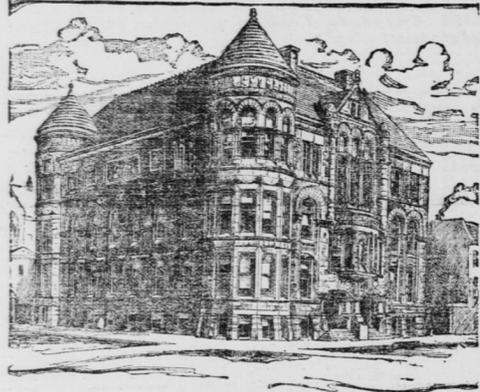
Minneapolis People Will Tomorrow Be Able to Visit the New Library.

Two Associations in One Building, but One So Far as Readers Are Concerned.

How the Enterprise Was Started, How It Grew and What It Has Become.

Description of the Building, Its Contents and How They Are Divided Up.

To-morrow afternoon the doors of the new Minneapolis Public Library will be thrown open to the public...



enterprise, public spirit and generosity of her citizens and the love of culture which predominates among the citizens of Minneapolis.

As it stands at present the building forms two sides of a quadrangle. The lot has a frontage on Hennepin avenue of 122 feet, and on Tenth street 199 feet.

contract with the Athenaeum. This contract, to endure ninety-nine years, stipulated that the Athenaeum should become a part of the public library...

laid a carpet whose colors blend admirably with the prevailing tints of the walls and furnishings...

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long sets of serials, publications of learned societies, illustrated works on natural sciences, etc., very rarely to be met with in a free city library of its size.

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THE BUILDING'S TENANT. Nor was the library board forgetful of what this structure was intended to shelter. In May, 1888, \$10,000 was appropriated for the purchase of books...

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Such is the library building as it is now. Its rooms are new and its furniture is modern. It is intended for the purposes for which it was intended...

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THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT. Ever since the library board was created in 1885 there have been from time to time inquiries as to what has been done with all of the money being raised and appropriated.

THE PEOPLE'S COACH LINE STILL BOBS UP SECRETLY IN THE COURTS. The defunct People's Coach Line was again brought to public notice by the filing of a bill at the district court yesterday...



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STORE OPEN EVENINGS TILL CHRISTMAS!

Day by day Christmastide draws nearer. Hundreds of happy purchasers surge from our stores loaded with parcels...

Prompt Attention GIVEN TO ORDERS BY MAIL.

SILK UMBRELLAS---100 Twilled Silk Umbrellas, with Paragon frame and sterling silver crook handles...

FANS---25 doz. Feather Fans, hand decorations and gold sticks, bought at a great sacrifice...

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TABLE COVERS. 350 4-4 Plush and 6-4 Tapestry Table Covers, worth \$1.25. HOLIDAY PRICE, 75c EACH.

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SQUARES---30 doz. Black Ice-Wool Squares for head-wear; extra large; very fine; actual price, \$1.50. HOLIDAY PRICE, 98c.

WRITING PAPER---500 Fancy Boxes Writing Paper, containing 24 sheets of paper and 2 envelopes; nice for children's use. HOLIDAY PRICE, 8c BOX.

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS---One 1st Plain and Embossed Plush and Leather Photograph Album, fancy metal and oxidized silver trimmings...

COLLAR AND CUFF BOXES---200 Combination Collar and Cuff Boxes in Silk Plush and Leather; best ever offered at the price. HOLIDAY PRICE, 89c.

SILKS. To swell sales in our Silk Department we are making Special Prices for Holiday Trade.

24-INCH BLACK GROS-GRAIN SILK. \$1.25 quality for \$1.00, \$1.65 " " \$1.25, \$1.85 " " \$1.50.

HALF PRICE. BLACK AND COLORED Wool Dress Goods. In proper dress lengths. Holiday price, from \$1.25 to \$20 a dress.

FURS. MUFFS---100 Monkey Muffs, finest quality made, best satin lining, down filling; offered by others at \$6.50. Holiday price, \$4.75.

ELEGANT SETS---Muff and Boa in Black Bear, Black and Belly Lynx, Grey Fox, Monkey, Opussum, Raccoon and Persian Lamb trimmed with Monkey. Holiday price, \$2 to \$40 a set.

CHILDREN'S FURS in Sets and separate Muffs. Holiday price, \$1.25 to \$4.

GLOVES---50 dozen Ladies' and Gents' Wool-Lined Kid Mittens and Gloves, silk-embroidered back, fur-trimmed; our \$1.25 quality. Holiday price, 96c pair.

HANDKERCHIEFS---200 dozen Ladies' and Gents' all-linen Initial Handkerchiefs, half-inch and one-inch hemstitch, extra fine, worth 35c each. Holiday price, 25c.

PICTURES---Elegantly framed Pictures, good subjects; size 16x20, \$1.98; 26x30, \$2.48, \$2.75, \$2.98 and \$3.98 each. This is one-third less than Art Stores ask.

LINENS! Stylish Dinner and Luncheon Sets, table cloth and napkins to match. Holiday price, \$3.50 to \$20 a set.

Handsome Sideboard Covers, Table Runners, beautiful Fancy Napkins, Tray Cloths, White Bedspreads. Holiday price, \$1 to \$5 each.

Fancy Knotted Fringe Towels.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS. NECKWEAR---Entire new line of Scarfs. Holiday price, 25c, 50c, 75c \$1.

SUSPENDERS---Handsome embroidered and plain satin Suspenders, put up one in a glass-covered box.

MUFFLERS---50 dozen Gents' White Silk Mufflers, extra heavy, in stripes, brocades and plaids; our \$1.25 goods. Holiday price, 87c.

GENTS' HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR---Every quality and size, best values in city.

GENTS' SILK UMBRELLAS, with gold and silver handles.

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We have done business this year, and shall give our customers a benefit in Low Prices that will make all competitors very weary.

WE MEAN BUSINESS.

ELLIOT, 251 Nicollet Avenue.

DONELSON, JEWELER!

YOU CAN FIND USEFUL HOLIDAY GIFTS AT DONELSON'S, 203 Nicollet.

J. M. DONELSON, 203 Nicollet, MINNEAPOLIS.

THE FRANKLIN BENNER CO. GAS FIXTURES & GLOBES! MANTELS & GRATES

617 NICOLLET AVENUE, MINNEAPOLIS.

DONALDSON'S

Glass Block Store, MINNEAPOLIS

The Wonderful Assortment of

Holiday Goods!

And the extreme low price at which they are sold have drawn the largest crowds the past week ever seen in any retail house outside of New York city.

This week we open many new and tempting bargains that will pay all to come and see.

Extra deliveries will be made in St. Paul and Suburban Points on Wednesday and Friday of this week.

Commencing to-morrow night, our store will be open every evening until Christmas, giving all those who cannot visit us during the day an opportunity to do so evenings.

DONALDSON'S Glass Block.