IN ST. PAUL SOCIETY.

The little stir that can already be noticed in society, bespeaks the early return of the greater number of out of town sojourners, from their lake and country homes. The entertainment given by the White Bear Yacht club, in honor of the Minnetonka club, last week, may safely be pronounced the closing event of the season. The affair was a very great success, and was attended by a goodly number of people, and a few visitors from Minneapolis. During the week, St. Paul has entertained a notable visitor, and the largest affair given for His Grace, Monsignor Satolli, was the dinner and reception given by Mr. and Mrs. James J. Hill, on Thursday evening, to which about 200 people were invited.

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Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Smith entertained informally on Friday evening, at their new home on College avenue. A very large number of the doctor's parishioners called.

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Mrs. John Harris, of Chicago, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Upham, of Summitt avenue, has been entertained during the week by Miss Bass, who gave a reception on Tuesday evening from 8 to 10, in her honor, while Miss Annie Guthrie, of Laurel avenue, entertained last night for her.

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There were a number of smaller events during the week, among which may be mentioned a tea given on Friday afternoon by Miss Edwina Winter, and a progressive euchre party on Monday afternoon by Miss Lillian Millard.

EVENTS OF A WEEK.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gaylord entertained a party of friends on Thursday evening at their residence, 442 Fuller street, to celebrate the first anniversary of their wedding day. With cards, music and dancing the evening was made enjoyable to all. Miss Annie Umland contributed largely to the pleasure of the guests by giving several zither solos. The mandolin and guitar selections given by Messrs. Wilgus, Ekman and Scott were also a pleasing feature. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tostevin, Misses Umland, Carnes, Bassett, Tostevin, Blackman, Ekman, Anna Mehl, Greta Mehl, Messrs. Ekman, Wilgus, Scott, Tostevin, Sheire, McLeod, Mehl.

A pleasant surprise party was given for Mrs. Norslin by her daughter Hilma in honor of her birthday on Friday evening at her home, 568 Broadway. Those present were: Miss Emily Erickson, Sofie Behmer, Annie Poshstick, Bertha Ross, Georgia Ross, Maggie Neururer, Maggie Peterson, H. Tessier, C. Woodward, O. Erickson, Ed Riesner, B. Smith, O. Jerue.

A lawn party and garden fete was given on Thursday evening by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Burr Street Baptist Church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Youngs, on Desoto street. The veranda surrounding the house had been transformed into refreshment booths, with a number of young ladies in attendance. The affair was a very great success.

The Central Social club gave a very pleasant informal party to a large number of its friends on Thursday evening. Dancing was participated in up until a late hour, after which refreshments were served. The club is now making arrangements for its regular parties, the first of which will take place in October.

A delightful reception was held at the residence of Mrs. H. F. Yates, of 1119 Reaney street, on Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. L. Buel, of Grand Rapids, Mich.

A surprise party was given on Thursday evening for William Clinelina at his home on Central avenue. The evening was very pleasantly spent in dancing.

WEDDING BELLS.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mrs. M. Newgard, on Jenks street, on Wednesday evening at 8:30, when her daughter, Miss Carrie, was united in marriage to Mr. Christian Hanson. The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of white silk mull and carried bride's roses. Her sister, Miss Rose Newgard, acted as maid of honor and Miss Annie Johnson as bridesmaid. James Hanson acted as best man. Rev. J. Andreason, of the Danish Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony. There were about 50 invited guests present. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson will be at home after Oct. 1 at 963 Fairfield avenue west, St. Paul.

The wedding of Miss Nellie Starkey and H. W. Dickman took place on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Starkey, 1101 Fauquier. The wedding was a very quiet affair, only relatives being present. Rev. Father Gleason, of St. John's church, performed the ceremony. The young couple will spend their honeymoon at Minnetonka and be at home after Oct. 1 at 963 Fauquier street.

The marriage of Benjamin Watts and Pearl Rondolph occurred on Friday afternoon at the residence of Charles A. Brown, 484 Mississippi street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Herrmann Plantik, now of the Evangelical association, and was followed by a reception in the evening.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Capt. Alexander Underhoffen, of Butte, Mont., and Miss Nellie Mumason, of Chicago, are visiting relatives and friends for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. F. I. Whitney and party have returned from a summer's outing at Detroit. Mrs. Whitney's sister, Miss Gilbert, returned with them.

MISS CARRIE ADLER.

Miss Clara Lauber returned to her home at Lakeville on Tuesday last, after visiting her friend, Miss Elbert, of 18 College avenue.

Mrs. H. N. Molloy, of Seven Corners, left last night over the "Soo" for a two weeks' visit to New York and Boston.

Miss Laura Morganstern has gone to St. Louis to attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Lillie Messing.

Mrs. J. H. Roach and daughters Florence and Maude have returned from St. Louis.

Mrs. Harris, of Pleasant avenue, and her daughter Norene will leave for St. Louis tonight.

Miss Aspinwall has returned to the city after spending several months abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robbins, of 829 Portland avenue, have returned from the East.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Nichols and Miss Elsie Nichols have gone to Bar Harbor.

The Misses Etta and Anne Davern, of 293 Iglehart street, are at home again.

Mrs. Winifred D. Wheaton, of Farmington, is the guest of Miss Henley.

Miss Nan Foley has returned home after five weeks' absence in Chicago.

Mrs. C. W. Carpenter and Miss Carpenter have gone East.

Miss Barry will return from Chicago Sept. 14.

Mrs. J. W. Lush has returned to the city.

Mrs. E. Lyons is in New York.

THE SOCIAL CALENDAR.

The Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., Division No. 3, Daughters of Erin, will give an ice cream social and hop at Central hall, corner Sixth and Seventh streets, on Friday evening, Sept. 13. The members of the division extend an invitation to all their friends.

WEST SIDE.

Thursday evening a large party of West side young people tendered a farewell reception to Fred Hammond at the home of the Misses Wallace, St. Anthony Park, prior to his departure for Harvard college.

Miss Louisa and Jennie Dobson leave on Tuesday for Dubuque, Ia., where they will be pupils at St. Joseph's academy for the ensuing year.

On Monday and Tuesday last Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Sitts, Mr. and Mrs. Somers and Mr. and Mrs. Thayer were the guests at the Mahtomedi club house.

The ladies of St. Michael's parish are making all necessary preparations for a bazar, which is to be held in the West side opera house the last week in October.

The Tip-Top Duplicate Whist club held its opening meeting of the season at the home of Miss Edith Blanchard Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Robert Scott and family left Wednesday evening for North Carolina, which place they have decided to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dobson and daughters have returned from a three months' stay at their summer home at Mahtomedi.

Mrs. Dr. Clarke, of Erie, Pa., spent Monday and Tuesday here as a guest of the Bryant family on East Winifred.

Mrs. Motz and daughters, Mrs. Martin Wittisch and Miss Motz, spent Wednesday at Minnehaha Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sternberg and children have returned from a summer's sojourn at Forest Lake.

Mrs. W. Metcalf and family left Friday for Texas, where they intend to permanently reside.

Miss Jennie Ives, of Hazel Park, spent last week here, the guest of Mrs. W. K. Williams.

Miss May O'Gorman, of Eau Claire, Wis., the Misses Cullen's guest, has returned home.

Miss Mabel Shaw has returned from Cloquet, Minn., after a visit of about two months.

Mrs. Miller, of Illinois, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Miller, of Wyoming street.

Mrs. and Miss Hawthorne, who spent a couple of weeks in Duluth, are at home again.

Last week W. C. Bryant, of Chicago, was the guest of his brother, E. R. Bryant.

Mrs. E. J. Heimbach has returned from a fortnight's rest at Forest lake.

Mrs. David Todd has returned from a month's outing at Lindstrom.

Miss Margaret Galvin is in Belle Plaine for a short visit.

Albert Bregg spent part of last week in Harris, Minn.

Miss Virginia Bryant has returned from Minnetonka.

Miss Mamie Staples is visiting in Sioux City, Io.

Edward Farrell has returned from Duluth.

DAYTON'S BLUFF.

Miss Minnie McGowan, of Marston, Wis., is in the city visiting her brother, John McGowan, at 922 Beech street. She will continue her trip to the head of the lakes next week.

Miss Pierce, of Sleepy Eye, who has been the guest of Mrs. Lemay the past few weeks, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. William entertained a few friends at her home on Francis street Thursday afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Blumworth, of Elmore, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. Fifield, of East Fourth street.

Mr. G. D. Brooks and daughter Kate returned last Thursday from Chicago and St. Louis.

Mr. George Allen, of Le Roy, Minn., visited friends on the Bluff during the past week.

Miss Ada Henry, of Bates avenue, entertained friends on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Stowell and children, of Conway street, are back from Elba, Minn.

Miss Maud Roovaart, of Maria avenue, will leave tonight for Chicago.

Mr. A. E. George, of Conway street, returned last week from Winona.

Mrs. Spindler, of Maple street, returned on Friday from Waseca.

Mr. and Mrs. Glessner and family have returned from the East.

Mrs. D. S. Fifield returned last week from a visit to Stillwater.

Miss Agnes Millian spent the past week in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs have returned from Elgin.

HAMLINE.

Jay Hamilton and Miss Bessie Hamilton, of Cumberland, were guests of the Misses Evans during the week.

Mrs. E. T. Root entertained Mrs. A. Hall, Miss Eva Hall, Mrs. Judge Netheway and son part of the week.

Mrs. E. J. Webb entertained Mrs. Withrow, of Salem, Io., on Monday, on her way to Wardner, Idaho.

Miss Marguerite Young, of Buffalo, was the guest of Miss Blanch Bloomfield the first of the week.

Miss Ella Door entertained a number of young ladies on Wednesday afternoon at tea.

Mrs. Wells and daughters have returned from a visit of some length in North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sylvester, of Milaca, visited Mrs. R. C. Dunn during the week.

Miss Ella Funk entertained the members of her Sunday school class on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. T. Root entertained Mrs. Charlton Edholm, of Chicago, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawreson entertained a party of young people on Thursday evening.

Miss Nellie Coverdale, of Phoenix, Ariz., is the guest of the Misses Edward.

Miss Margery Foltz entertained about thirty of her friends on Wednesday.

Miss Edith Montgomery left on Monday for Madelia, where she will teach.

A. Benham and son Richard, of Red Wing, visited friends on Thursday.

Miss Bessie Beebe, of Southern Illinois, is visiting Miss Anna Taylor.

Mrs. Parker and daughter have returned from a visit in Wood Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Evans returned on Tuesday from Fergus Falls.

Mrs. Young gave her class an outing at Lake Harriet on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Carothers are spending a few days at Battle lake.

Mr. Charlesworth and children left on Friday for Sioux City.

D. W. Wheaton, of Morris, is the guest of E. W. Randal.

Ortie Whited entertained his young friends on Thursday.

Miss Lou Mealiff has returned from a visit in Chicago.

Miss Kerns, of Morris, visited friends early in the week.

Dr. Graham is visiting his daughter in Brecksville, O.

Melvin Wiley, of Drayton, N. D., is visiting friends.

Miss Belle Roberts has returned from Buffalo.

Rev. E. J. Funk is at Rice lake.

C. H. Botkin is in Austin.

ST. ANTHONY PARK.

Mrs. Chase, of Bayless avenue, gave a pleasant social on Wednesday afternoon for the little people of the Congregational church.

Mrs. D. C. Martin, of Bayless avenue, who has been spending the past two weeks in Chicago, returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bailey and children have returned from their summer cottage at Lake Minnetonka.

The Ladies' Reading circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Irvine, on Ryan street, Friday afternoon.

R. V. Pratt, who spent the past two months in Oregon, returned to the Park the past week.

Mrs. McCourt, of Raymond avenue, left Monday for a visit in her home in La Crose, Minn.

Mrs. J. Howard McGilora, of Cromwell avenue, is entertaining her mother from Wisconsin.

E. H. Burghardt, of Cromwell avenue, left for Wisconsin this week on a business trip.

Mrs. H. N. Stephenson, of Manvel street, is the guest of her father in Ohio.

Miss Nina Whitman returned on Saturday from a visit in Rochester, Minn.

J. Wilson and family have removed from Long avenue to Everet court.

Mrs. J. F. Hornitz and children left on Thursday for a visit in Iowa.

Georg Marsh has returned from Oregon, after a two years' absence.

A missionary service will be held in the M. E. church this morning.

Miss Bessie Burghardt is spending the week at White Bear lake.

Dayton Morton, of Wood Lake, is visiting friends in the Park.

EAST. ST. PAUL.

Oswald Vitz, who has been spending his summer vacation with Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Vitz, has returned to college at Sheboygan, Wis.

Mrs. William Densmore and family, who have been spending the summer at "The Oaks," White Bear, have returned to the city.

S. L. Good, delegate to the Foresters' convention in London, England, has returned home. He spent two months abroad.

Miss Augusta Bonny, of Gaylord, Minn., and Miss Edith Korth, of Henderson, are the guests of Mrs. F. L. Korth.

Dr. A. F. Conley, who has been spending the past two weeks in East St. Paul, has returned to Cannon Falls.

Mrs. P. Doud, of Reaney street, is entertaining Mrs. Cyrus Henton and son Wallace, of Luverne, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dallas have moved into town, having spent the summer at White Bear lake.

A. E. Nelson and bride have returned from Pittsburg, Kan., and are at home at 1114 Reaney street.

Mrs. S. M. Wilcox, of Willmar, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Howe, of Case street.

Mrs. A. L. Whitcomb is entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Beach, of Onargo, Ill.

Mrs. R. W. Mott and daughter from Chicago are the guests of Mrs. Selfker, of Phalen avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Tierney, of Layfayette avenue, have returned from Richwood, Wis.

Mrs. F. Simpkins, who has been spending the summer in the East, has returned home.

Albert Hammond, who has been at Forest Lake since June 1, has returned to the city.

Mrs. Ben Johnson, of John street, will spend the autumn month in Brainerd.

Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Conley are entertaining a party of boys from Cannon Falls.

Miss Stella Knudson is entertaining Miss Nettie Garden, of Hillsborough, Minn.

Mrs. P. Doud and Mrs. C. Henton spent part of the week in the Prison City.

The Misses Hammond are spending a couple of weeks at Cottage park, White Bear.

Mrs. William Starkey, of Fauquier street, is visiting friends in Staples.

Mrs. Charles Rose, of Preble street, is visiting friends in Fargo, N. D.

Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Spates have returned from a visit to Red Wing.

Mrs. James McFarlane, of Owatonna, is visiting East St. Paul friends.

Miss Matie Wheeler spent the month of August at Lake Elmo.

J. H. Cornish returned on Tuesday from Fort Atkinson.

A. J. Dolphin has returned from Hastings, Minn.

Miss Anna Shield has returned to Baraboo, Wis.

Miss Mamie Kurley has returned from Mankato.

Miss Helen Cummings has gone to Stillwater.

Miss Rose Lamont has returned from Duluth.

Mrs. J. Ireland has gone to Williams, Ariz.

ST. PAUL PARK.

On Wednesday, Sept. 18, at Opera hall, will occur the complimentary benefit in honor of Kenyon Lodge, K. of P., tendered them by H. O. Sproat. Invitations enough to completely fill the large hall have been issued, and it will doubtless be the most brilliant affair of the season. The Minneopa Council quartette and the First Baptist church quartette have very kindly consented to assist.

The members of the College church gave their pastor, Rev. E. Uhl and family, a very pleasant surprise on Wednesday evening. Rev. H. Boeltcher, in behalf of the members, presented him with an elegant rocker. Mr. Uhl replied in his happy manner, after which refreshments were served.

The party given at the residence of E. G. and A. S. Munger on Saturday evening was one of the most enjoyable of the season. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and the large lawn was brilliantly illuminated.

There will be a special motor train on the Burlington Tuesday evening, leaving the Park at 7:25, and returning leave St. Paul at 11:20.

Mrs. Gates, of Illinois, and Miss Linnie Cole, of Omaha, are the guests of Mrs. W. T. Avery.

Mrs. George Dufresne, of Livingston, Mont., spent Friday with her brother, Morris Russ.

Miss Mary De Cou left on Tuesday for Philadelphia, where she will attend school.

Mrs. F. T. Monroe, of Hammond, Wis., is visiting Mrs. J. M. Trickey.

Mrs. Julia Palmiter has returned from her trip around the great lakes.

Miss Blanche Penny, who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

Mrs. Morris, of Boston, is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Tuelle.

E. B. Sperry left for Boston on Friday night.

MERRIAM PARK.

Miss Amy Stedman, who has been visiting the Misses Donnelly, returned to her home in Vinton, Io., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Matson returned last week from the northern part of the state.

Mrs. P. M. Rowell and Mrs. Francis Labadie are guests of Mrs. F. O. Stevens.

Mrs. C. T. Sanders is entertaining her father, C. T. Jenkins, of Hope, Idaho.

Mrs. G. W. Cunningham is entertaining Mrs. Henry Sherry, of Neenah, Wis.

Mrs. D. W. Pringle, of Hastings, was the guest of Mrs. Lowman on Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Dufresne is entertaining Miss Lucille Davidson, of Chicago.

Miss Nellie Kerns, of Morris, has been visiting Miss Hattie Donnelly.

Tatum Sabbath school enjoyed a picnic at Lake Johanna on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. R. Estes is entertaining Mrs. Alice Parker, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. W. S. Wood and daughter returned on Friday from the East.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oakes returned on Sunday from Montana.

Mrs. M. Frisk and daughter are visiting in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Henderson and daughter are in Red Wing.

O. E. Wood left on Thursday for Kansas.

Mrs. S. J. Donnelly is in Donnelly, Minn.

Mrs. G. J. Pilkinton is visiting in Chicago.

MACALESTER.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Jackson entertained Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Morris, from China, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Somers, of Summit avenue, have purchased the property formerly occupied by Dr. M. P. Court.

Mrs. Thomas Gaskell has returned from New Richmond, Wis., where she visited friends this summer.

Mrs. M. G. Craig entertained her sisters, Mrs. C. West and Miss Horn, during the week.

Miss Gooding, of St. Louis, is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Crary.

Dr. and Mrs. McCourt are entertaining the doctor's parents from Michigan.

Henry Swartz, of Fort Snelling, spent Wednesday evening with Park friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Morgan has returned from a two years' visit in Wales.

Miss Maud Gaskell has returned from a visit in Boston.

COMPRESSED AIR.

A Test of Its Value as a Motive Power Will Shortly Be Made in Baltimore.

A test of compressed air as a motive power for rapid transit cars will shortly be made in Baltimore for the purpose of demonstrating the efficiency and comparative cost of this means of propulsion. For this purpose two cars are being built at the shops of Ryan & McDonald, at Curtis Bay, and it is expected they will be completed and ready for their trial trip next week. Air compressers for the purpose of charging the cars are being constructed, and will be ready at the same time.

The new cars may make their first trips on the Baltimore, Catonsville & Ellicott City railway. The experiment may also be made on the traction company's line, as in that event air for the purpose could be compressed at one of the traction company's power houses without trouble. The new cars will be of the ordinary size and dimensions, with the same seating capacity as those now used. The controlling device for the motormen is simple and positive in effect, occupying no more platform space than the ordinary brake handle. All the other mechanism is under the floor. In process of operation the air is compressed to from 1,000 to 2,000 pounds per square inch and stored in the station tank. With sufficient storage capacity in the station, the time occupied in charging the car, either automatically or by hand device, need not take more than half a minute.

The storage capacity of the seamless steel flasks or containers in the car is sufficient to operate the car from twelve to fifteen miles or more, according to the presure. After passing through a reducing valve and being lowered to whatever is desired as a working pressure, the air is circulated through hot water, and the mixture of heated air and vaporized water passes to the motors, working expansively. The mechanical features of the motors are substantially identical with those of a steam locomotive. It is said the manipulation of the car is simplicity itself; that it is noiseless, and operates without jars or jerks, and is under perfect control at all times. As great a speed as desired may be attained, and, besides, compressed air as a motive power is said to stand at the head of the list as far as economy is concerned.

A. C. Mertens holds the one-mile State Bicycle Championship; time, 2:17. He won it on a Syracuse "Crimson Rim."

YERXA

Prices for Tomorrow, Monday

20c
Per bushel for best Potatoes.

15c
Per gallon for real good New Orleans Molasses.

5c
Per quart for clean, new Navy Beans.

Another carload of good Apples, in bulk, to arrive Monday, will be sold at very reasonable prices by the bushel.

2½c
Per pound for best Rolled Oats, or ninety-pound bags for $1.80.

15c
Per gallon for best Pickling Vinegar.

22c
Per basket for best Concord Grapes.

$1.50
Per sack for good Family Flour.

9½c
Per pound for selected sizes Sugar-Cured Hams.

7c
Per pound for Pure rendered Lard.

Biggest Poundcake

On earth will be on exhibition tomorrow at the Cottosuet department. The Cake isn't merely for exhibition, but is to be eaten. Beginning tomorrow, we'll begin slicing the mammoth affair, and we think it will require the entire week to exhaust. With every slice presented to a visitor will be issued a numbered ticket which will entitle you to a guess as to the weight of the Cake. The twelve ladies guessing nearest the correct weight will be each entitled to a Cash Prize.

Yerxa Bros. & Co.

Right-Priced Grocers,
Seventh and Cedar Streets.

MANNHEIMER BROS.

All Interurban Cars Start From and Stop at Our Robert Street Entrance. } Sixth and Robert Streets, St. Paul. { Mail Orders Get Prompt Attention. Shipments on date of receipt of order

LINENS.

We have just received through the St. Paul Custom House a large shipment of James Mathewson & Son's Table Linen in the newest designs and qualities.

These Linens are considered by experts all over the world as the finest and handsomest manufactured. Special prices for these Table Cloths this week are:

Size 2 x2½ yards	$4.50 each
Size 2 x2½ yards	6.50 each
Size 2 x3 yards	5.50 each
Size 2 x3½ yards	6.50 each
Size 2 x4 yards	7.50 each
Size 2½x2½ yards	6.00 each
Size 2½x3 yards	9.00 each
Size 3 x3 yards	16.00 each
Austrian Hand Hemstitched Tea and Lunch Cloths:	
Size 36x36 inches	$1.50 each
Size 36x36 inches	2.00 each
Size 36x36 inches	3.00 each
Size 45x45 inches	2.00 each
Size 45x45 inches	3.00 each
Size 45x45 inches	4.00 each

Lining Department.

Still the most popular in the city. Qualities the best, stock the largest, and prices the lowest.

Percaline—Fast black, 36 inches wide, the 20c quality for **12½c**

Rustling Taffeta—The only real substitute for Taffeta Silk, first quality, fast black, the 35c value for **20c**

Real French Hair Cloth—Black, white and gray, extensively used this season, the 60c quality for **47c**

Cotton Moreen Skirting—Extra heavy, best quality, worth 25c a yard, for **15c**

Drapery and Furniture Department.

This is at all times one of the most attractive departments in the house, but we will make it doubly so during Fair Week, if choice goods and low prices can accomplish that end.

On Monday morning we inaugurate a tremendous sale of Lace Curtains of all kinds, from $1.00 to $100 a pair. These are but sample values:

Royal Lace Curtains, worth $1.50, for	$1.00
Royal Lace Curtains, worth $2.25, for	1.30
Royal Lace Curtains, worth $2.50, for	1.50
Brussels Lace Curtains, worth $6.50, for	4.50
Brussels Lace Curtains, worth $7.50, for	5.00
Brussels Lace Curtains, worth $10.00, for	7.00
Brussels Lace Curtains, worth $15.00, for	10.00
Antwerp Lace Curtains, worth $8.50, for	5.00
Antwerp Lace Curtains, worth $10.00, for	6.75
Antwerp Lace Curtains, worth $12.00, for	7.50
Antwerp Lace Curtains, worth $15.00, for	9.90
Swiss Lace Curtains, worth $7.75, for	5.50
Swiss Lace Curtains, worth $10.00, for	7.00
Swiss Lace Curtains, worth $12.00, for	8.00

Many other patterns at all prices and values fully equal to those mentioned.

A beautiful lot of Kelim Rugs, Oriental Fabrics and Embroideries just received. These were purchased at about one-half actual value, and will be sold at our usual percentage above cost. Many great bargains in the lot—well worth calling to see.

New and Stylish

Fall and Winter Fur Capes

We bought early from a large importer and leading manufacturer one of the finest lines of Fur Capes for the coming season that it has ever been our good fortune to get. They are made of the well-known Electric Seal, Wool Seal, Sheared Coney and Astrachan, plain and Marten trimmed. Styles are of the very latest, made to be worn with the new costumes for fall and winter with their fuller sleeves and skirts. Workmanskip and finish exceptionally good.

Our purchase was made **before** the sharp advance in fur pelts, and as a result we own our goods much under the present value. On Monday we will give you prices at less than later quotations, or as the season advances.

If you desire, a selection may be made now, a deposit paid on the garment, and it will be placed in our storage room subject to your call. If you prefer, the whole purchase price may be handed to us in portions. By this means you will have paid the whole amount between now and the time when the garment is needed, and it will be stored at no cost to yourself.

Carpets and Rugs.

To the great number of visitors who will be in our city during the coming week we say: Make it a point to look into our Carpet department. There you will see the greatest gathering of Carpets and Floor Coverings ever brought to the Northwest. We have many interesting features worthy inspection. Those who call should not feel that we are inconvenienced, or that they will be pressed to buy.

And don't leave the city until you have had a good look at those Oriental Rugs—the rare old beauties—every one an antique. Prices are always **right** here.

HANDKERCHIEF DEPT.

FALL, 1895.

Place your orders now for Ladies' and Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, made in Ireland, hemstitched and embroidered by hand. We make special prices. A large selection of initial letters, fac-simile signatures and crests.

Deliveries made any time after 60 days from date of receipt of order. You can place orders now, to be delivered any time before Christmas.

SILK HEADQUARTERS.

What to wear for Fall and Winter is a question of no little moment. A careful perusal of the best authority upon this subject—the New York Dry Goods Economist—gives us many fresh ideas, a few of which we append here for general information, coupled with our own observations.

WARP-PRINTED DESIGNS.

In warp-printed designs in Taffeta the variety of styles, colorings and patterns are wonderful. They include cloudy designs, small dotted effects, tiny flowers, large patterns in flower and leaves with branch work, all-over designs in flowers and leaves, etc.

More complicated are the combination of Chine design with satin stripe. The satin stripes in black look as if they had been superposed on the plain Chine ground.

FANCY CHINE.

The peculiarly subdued tints of the warp-printed designs permit of its being used as ground for fancy effects produced by weaving. A tasteful and rich-looking fabric shows lace pattern on a flowered ground of Chine. Another sample also in Chine ground shows a raised pattern in imitation of embroidery.

CHAMELEON FANCIES.

Equally as important in place in the offering as the last-named are the Chameleon styles.

It is found this season in two varieties, one with one color in the warp and two in the filling, the other with one in the filling and two in the warp.

Where the Chameleon effect is seen at its best is in figured goods, the combination of the color being so arranged that distinct fancy effects and figures are produced in the weave.

A beautiful novelty is a Striped Chameleon, the stripes running with the warp. The figured stripe shows the Chameleon effect, and the color of the pattern varies according to how the tissue is placed.

EMBROIDERY PATTERNS.

Embroidery comes to the front in the open-work effects. Imitations of this open-work effect are seen in which the center of the embroidered design is of Taffeta. This gives it somewhat the appearance of open work.

OTHER FANCIES.

Black Brocades and Damasses in small and medium designs will find a market this season.

Personal Observations.

Damasks, among the new Silks, are in Louis XVI. designs.

Heavy **Black Faille Francaise** makes an elegant petticoat and wears like leather.

Novelty Taffetas in good qualities are correct for lining elegant Black and Colored Gowns. See those we offer tomorrow at

29c, 59c and 69c a Yard.

Black Brocades for Separate Skirts, and Black Pekin Stripe Taffetas for Skirts and Waists are right in line. See the line at

79c, 88c and $1.00.

Plain White and Cream Satins and magnificent White and Cream Damasks for Wedding and Party Gowns.

Dresden Warp Printed Effects and Broche Grounds in Pink, Maize, Nile, Ciel, White and Cream. Prices from

69c to $3.00 Yard.

Monday's Specials.

10c Yard. Value 39c.

At 9 A. M. and at 2 P. M.—Newest styles of **Pure Silk Kai Kis.**

18c Yard. Were sold at 49c.

At 9 A. M. and at 2 P. M.—
Pure White Habutai Silks.
Choice Colorings in Japanese Wash Silks.

29c Yard. Value to $1.25.

At 9 A. M. and at 2 P. M.—
All Silk Jacquard **Taffetas.**
All Silk Colored **Moires.**
Wide Colored Habutais.
Colored Bengalines.
Fancy Taffetas, new patterns.
Plain Gros Grain Silks.
Plaid Taffetas, all silk, in late French color combinations.

59c Yard. Value to $1.75.

Warp Printed Taffetas.
Wide Hairline Taffetas.
Black Satin Duchesse.
Black Brocaded Taffetas.
Colored Brocaded Taffetas.
Black Satin Brocades.
Black Rustling Taffetas.
27-inch Extra Heavy White Habutai.
Novelty Taffetas, suitable for Waists, Petticoats and for Lining Elegant Black and Colored Gowns.
27-inch Black India Silks.
Colored Satin Duchesse.

69c Yard. Value to $2.00.

New Black Damasks.
Heavy Black Taffetas.
Jacquard Warp Printed Taffetas.
Novelty Satins.
White Twilled Indias, very wide.
Evening Shades Brocade Taffetas.
Evening Shades Satin Duchesse.
Heavy Quality Black Duchesse.
Wide Colored Japanese Silks.
Chameleon Taffetas, high colorings.

79c Yard. Value to $2.25.

Black Satin Brocades.
Black Satin Brocades, with dainty colored figures.
Extra Quality Black Satin Duchesse.
Novelty Chameleon Taffetas.
Warp Printed Chameleon Taffetas.
Black Ground Taffeta Damasks, with hairline stripes in late colorings.
Heavy Black Pekin Satins.
Black Silk Crepons, 24 inches wide.
Very heavy, rich Illuminated Check Silks, for Waists and Fancy Petticoats.
30 pieces All-Silk Crinkle Crepe, shades cardinal, maize, ciel, cream, lilac, pink and rose.

NOTE -- Arrangements have been made to make Monday's shopping easy and comfortable.

New Fall Dress Goods.

Our last week's groupings have been reinforced by many of the pronounced candidates for popular favor. In the broad land not a more elaborate or carefully selected gathering of the extreme up-to-now fabrics can be seen, among them the

English Curl, English Tailor, Bourette, Valour, Boucle, Cascadette,

And others that Dame Fashion says are quite the proper thing. Bought with a lavish hand, for the approval of an exacting patronage, we feel that all that is new or desirable awaits your verdict here on Monday morning. Prices? Tuned to the popular chord.

38 pieces pure wool Serges, in all the newest fall shades, regular 50c quality, For	25c
25 pieces Tweed Suiting, in mixed, diagonals and stripes, value 50c, For	25c
Silk and Wool Suitings, in neat checks, mixtures and stripes that should be 75c, For	39c
Boucle Suitings, in all the newest fall shades, the 75c quality, for	49c
English Tailor Suitings, in checks, stripes and mixtures, worth $1.25, for	75c
English Curl Suitings, per yard, $1.50, $1.25 and	$1.00
A choice assortment of New Plaids, for separate skirts and waists, for $1.00, 75c and	50c
Bicycle Costume Cloth, strong and durable, in every fall mixture, 52 inches wide, the $1.25 quality, for	85c

BLACK GOODS.

25 pieces of Pure Wool Serge, the 50c kind, For	25c
Heavy Twill Serge, 46 inches wide, At	50c
The best value in America.	
Bourette Suitings, 50 inches wide, the $1.25 quality, for	85c
English Curl Suitings, priced to sell at $1.50, $1.25 and	$1.00
Wool and Mohair Figures, very popular and stylish, at $1.50, $1.25, $1.00, 75c and	59c

SICILIENNES.

46 in. wide, the $1.25 quality, For	75c
56 in. wide, the $2.00 quality, For	$1.25

MOHAIR DIAGONALS.

56 in. wide, the $2.00 quality, For	$1.50
50 in. wide, the $2.50 quality, For	$2.00

WIDE WALE DIAGONALS.

50 in. wide, the $1.25 quality, For	75c

We are agents for Butterick's Patterns and Publications. October patterns now here.

Baby's New Knit Outfit of soft, gentle, kind and humane nature. Call or send for illustrated catalogue. See window exhibit.

(Infants' Department—Second Floor.)

Interesting to the FAIR Visitors

Bring your **Old Style Fur Cloaks** with you and we will give you a **Fair** estimate to remake them into **Very Stylish Garments.**

Summer Prices still prevail on **Fur Repairs** at this establishment.

The "Paris" Crepe Paper

For Decorative purposes, latest shades, in boxes of 3 1-3 yards each, for **25 Cents.**

CLOAK DEPARTMENT

We have just received from the East a handsome line of New Fall Tea Gowns and Wrappers—very latest styles.

All our Ladies' Fine Dimity Wrappers, handsome and stylishly made, those that have been $6 to $8. Special each, for Monday **$3.00**

A few Ladies' Fine Silk Dresses, this season's goods, priced at one-third off.

Those new Bicycle Suits that have just arrived are creating much favorable comment from lady cyclists of the Twin Cities. Made with Norfolk or Box coat, skirt and bloomer trousers, with jaunty hat to match. The trousers can be worn with or without the skirt. These Suits are in two styles—one for street wear, entirely devoid of the appearance of the Bicycle Skirt.

New Golf and Tourist Capes and Tailor-Made Capes, the latest foreign and domestic ideas for autumn wear.

LACE DEPARTMENT.

This department is now complete with all the novelties the markets afford. Our direct importation of laces is now here, and comprises the choicest effects ever displayed.

To start the season, as a Monday's offer, and for the balance of the week, we place on sale 150 pieces of White and Beurre Venise, Oriental and De Gene Laces.

75 pieces, worth up to 65c a yard, for	25c
75 pieces, worth up to $1.00 a yard, for	39c

Black, Ecru, Beurre, Linen and Leather-colored Insertings, Gallons and Bands, in a large variety of styles—the nobby new dress trimming.

Serpentine Beaded Chiffons—one of our latest novelties.

We show extreme and exclusive novelties in Neckwear from the leading makers of Paris. All on display at Neckwear counter.

Chiffons and Paris Muslins will be extensively used this season. We carry several qualities in every conceivable shade.

GLOVE DEPARTMENT.

We have just received our first importation of the celebrated Perrin's Peerless Pique Gloves, some with two and others with four stud fasteners. Also the Maggioni (formerly P. Centemeri), celebrated the world over for perfection of fit.

Muslin Underwear Dept.

One lot of 25 dozen odd styles in Embroidery-Trimmed Gowns, worth $1.00 to $1.25 each, for	69c
25 dozen of odd styles in gowns, worth $1.25 to $1.50 each, for	87c
A lot of Muslin Drawers, with hem and tucks, worth 25c each, for	16c
A lot of Fleece-Lined Black Sateen Skirts, the $1.50 value, for	$1.00

We have just received a new lot of Eiderdown Dressing Sacques,