SAINT PAUL.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Judge Egan will be the presiding judge in the Hull trial.

Unity Theosophical society will have a social gathering in its new room, 249 Endicott building, tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Stephens will read a paper on "The Philosophy of Life" before Unity Theosophical society this evening.

E. J. Gray, who was run over in the union depot yards Friday night, was resting easily at the city hospital last night. There is a chance for his recovery.

Simon Fegelson, charged with conducting a second-hand store at 61 East Seventh street without a license, was arrested yesterday by Detective Hallowell. Fegelson gave bail, and will have a trial on Tuesday.

Carrie M. Kennedy died yesterday at the residence of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles F. Scheffer, of consumption. The body will be taken to Chicago for interment and the funeral services will be held in that city.

George Hess and Paul Eicholz, charged with the larceny of two overcoats, secured another continuance in the police court yesterday to Friday next. Their attorney claims the men are innocent and that it is a case of mistaken identity.

Rev. John Walsh, who was ordained to the priesthood last Wednesday, will celebrate his first mass at St. Luke's church this morning at 10:30. The young priest will be attended by several clergymen and the ceremony will be most impressive.

Ninety enthusiastic German-Americans held a meeting at 461 Broadway, for the purpose of the organization of the St. Paul Turnverein. Alfred Krank occupied the chair. It was decided to call the reorganized club the Turnverein St. Paul. A committee was selected to stir up interest.

Persons having new or partially worn clothing or shoes and are willing to donate them for the relief of the poor, are invited to send them to the Church Deaconesses' home, 587 Fuller street, where they can be repaired, if necessary. They will be distributed carefully and only to those in real need.

The regular monthly free gymnasium exhibition of The Commons' gymnasium, Eighth and Jackson streets, will occur Tuesday evening. There will be a full programme, illustrating the work done with the different apparatus. The tumblers, the Sudheimer and Perkins brothers, will present some original acts.

LATE SOCIAL NEWS.

Evening Star, Rebekah degree, Lodge No. 15 will give a progressive euchre party next Saturday.

Mrs. W. C. Montgomery, of 116 West Ninth street, entertained a committee of R. N. of Maple Leaf Camp No. 331 at tea Thursday.

A leap year surprise party was tendered P. Rath last Thursday evening at his home on Fourteenth street. The evening was spent in dancing.

Como Division No. 98, L. A. of O. R. C., will give a card party Thursday evening, Nov. 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Goss, 624 Ohio street.

Harmony Camp No. 244, Royal Neighbors, held its regular meeting last Monday evening. All arrangements were completed for a concert to be given Nov. 23.

Prof. D. M. Kelley has issued 150 invitations to a reception to be given Monday evening in Central hall. A concert will be given from 8 to 9 o'clock by Brose's orchestra, followed by dancing from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Union Lodge No. 1, I. O. G. T., will give a musical and literary entertainment at Central hall Wednesday evening. Among those on the programme are Misses Eva Jackson, May Annette Sundberg, Cora Jackson, Annie Roseland, Annie Anderson, Ellen and Lina Beckman, Prof. John Dale, J. A. Nilsson, N. A. Forseen, Oscar Anderson, Louis Ordell, C. H. Melby and Ryder's Mandolin orchestra.

Maple Leaf Camp No. 331, R. N. A., will meet Nov. 18. The ladies of the camp have completed their arrangement for their first annual entertainment and ball. As the camp is noted for its successful entertainments, everybody is expected to have a grand time. Neighbors of the camp are requested to be present at the next meeting. Election of officers will be in order.

State Superintendent W. W. Pendergast addressed the members of the J. E. L. M. society, of the John Ericsson school, Friday afternoon. Miss Alpha Tucker gave a vocal solo. At the close of the meeting Supt. Pendergast gave an informal talk to the teachers, taking for his subject "A Trip to the South." At the close of the talk he recited, by request, in his own inimitable manner, "How Ruby played." His visit was instructive and entertaining to teachers and pupils.

Royal Oak camp, Royal Neighbors, tendered two of their newly wedded members—Mr. and Mrs. Ollenshaw—a reception at Odd Fellows' hall Tuesday evening last. The first part of the programme consisted of an entertainment. Miss Clara Hooper gave a piano solo, Mrs. Franz Huber sang a German song, Master Newcomber recited, while little Hattie and Beulah Mounts, in costume, rendered a negro song which took the audience by storm. Lunch was partaken of, after which the seventy or eighty present indulged in dancing until 12 o'clock.

THE BUSY WORLD.

F. F. Gooding, of Winnipeg, is at the Merchants.

A. Decker, of Havre, Mont., is at the Clarendon.

C. O. E. Wedder, of Washburn, is at the Windsor.

F. A. Wickmire, of Cortland, N. Y., is at the Ryan.

George C. Jelley, of Winnipeg, is at the Windsor.

S. G. Chapman, of San Francisco, is at the Ryan.

G. H. Lent and wife, of Tacoma, are at the Merchants.

Judge Eugene A. Arnold, of La Prairie, is at the Ryan.

John A. Master, of Jamestown, N. D., is at the Merchants.

S. W. McEman, of Alexandria, Minn., is at the Windsor.

Ben D. Smith, of Mankato, was at the Windsor yesterday.

George H. Allen, of Clinton, N. Y., is at the Metropolitan.

Mrs. W. B. Shaw, of Poplar, Mont., is at the Metropolitan.

A. J. Pitkin and J. E. Sagne, of Schenectady, N. Y., are at the Ryan.

A. B. Hawkins, manager of the St. Louis hotel billiard hall, is at the Clarendon.

Admiral N. Miyaoka, of the Japanese navy, was at the Ryan yesterday on his way West.

ST. ANTHONY PARK.

The first quarterly meeting of the Methodist church was held on Wednesday night.

The I. O. O. F. gave a successful entertainment on last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mozier, of Minneapolis, are at the home of Mrs. Elmer Foss.

The new kindergarten of the Methodist church will open tomorrow.

Dr. Lugger, of the state agricultural school, is in Washington, D. C.

Rev. Pressy and family have taken up their abode in the Park.

Mrs. Samuel Jones, of St. Paul, is visiting her parents this week.

A platform meeting will be given tonight in the Methodist church.

Mrs. Boyer and Miss Sadie Hue have returned to St. Paul.

Mrs. F. E. Chase, who has been ill, is rapidly improveing.

Prof. George McMillian was a guest in the Park this week.

Miss Ida Clear and Mrs. Cleary are visiting in Fargo.

Rev. George Merritt, of Chicago, is in the Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh are expected home soon.

William Rodger's Funeral.

The curlers will meet at the Windsor hotel this afternoon to attend the funeral of the late William Rodger in a body. The funeral will be held from Masonic Temple under the auspices of that order.

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THROUGH THE ICE

RAYMOND C. PIERCE IS DROWNED WHILE HUNTING AT LAKE OWASSO.

BUFFALO BOY'S EXPEDITION

ENDED IN DEATH THROUGH THE TREACHEROUS ICE OF THE LAKE.

NO INQUEST WILL BE HELD,

Coroner Whitcomb Deeming the Facts So Plain as to Need No Official Inquiry.

Raymond C. Pierce, fourteen years old, was drowned at Owasso lake yesterday afternoon. The lad, accompanied by Walter Kahn, a youth about the same age, went out to the lake yesterday on what they called a hunting trip. A muskrat was started out of its hiding place by the boys and ran out on the ice. Both followed the animal, and the ice broke through precipitating them into the water. Pierce was farther from the shore than his companion, and unfortunately dropped into a deep hole. Kahn managed to reach the shore and by his cries summoned help from a mill near by. As soon as possible Pierce was brought to the shore, and attempts made to resuscitate him, but without success. Coroner Whitcomb was notified, and after hearing the sad story decided an inquest unnecessary. The remains were brought to the city by Undertaker Dampier.

The lad, who was remarkably bright and intelligent, came to St. Paul last spring from Buffalo, N. Y. His health was poor and a change of air was advised by the doctors. He has been visiting his uncle, Charles A. Christian, of 234 West Fifth street, and the funeral services will be held from there probably on Tuesday. His mother was notified of her son's death last evening, and the funeral will not occur until she reaches the city.

MR. RODGER'S FUNERAL.

It Will Be Largely Attended This Afternoon.

The funeral of the late William Rodger will take place from Masonic temple, Fifth and Wabasha streets, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The obsequies will be conducted by Ancient Landmark lodge of Masons, of which the deceased was a member. The body of Mr. Rodger, which has been resting at his late residence, on University avenue, will be escorted to Masonic temple at 1:30, by Damascus commandery, under the direction of Eminent Commander A. P. Swanstrom. Prof. C. G. Titcomb and the St. Paul quartette will conduct the musical part of the services. At 2:30, Rev. A. B. Meldrum, pastor of Central Presbyterian church, will deliver the funeral sermon. The Masonic funeral service will be given by the officers of Ancient Landmark lodge, and other fraternaties and societies to which deceased belonged, will offer some token of respect and esteem. The members of St. Paul lodge of Elks will attend the funeral in a body. The St. Andrew's society will be largely represented.

There will be no interment, as the remains will rest in the vault at Oakland until spring, when burial may take place at Mr. Rodger's birthplace in Ohio.

The pall bearers will be Joseph J. Hall, Hart N. Cook, E. S. Bean, W. P. Jewett, E. H. Milham and Tim Doherty.

A special meeting of the St. Paul Curling club was held at the Windsor last evening, to take action upon the death of Mr. Rodger, an esteemed member of the club. It was unanimously voted to attend the funeral in a body, meeting at the Windsor at 2 o'clock. A special committee was appointed to draft a memorial to be addressed to the members of the deceased's family.

MEET AT THE PRISON.

Congregational Club Men as Guests of the Warden.

The gentlemen of the Minnesota Congregational club wil gather Monday, Nov. 23, at the state prison at Stillwater. Warden Wolfer, of the prison, extending an invitation to meet there. The programme will be as follows: Address of Welcome, Warden Henry Wolfer; "The Present Status of Criminal Reform," Chaplain John H. Albert; "The Relation of Crime to Economics," Rev. Samuel G. Smith, D. D. Other specialists in criminology will be present as guests of the warden, who will make short addresses. Following these there will be a general discussion by members of the club. Nearly two hours will be given to visiting the prison. Special music by the prison choir.

Supper will be served at 5 o'clock.

The train on the St. Paul & Duluth railroad will leave the Milwaukee depot, Minneapolis, at 1:40 p. m., and St. Paul union depot at 2:15 p. m., arriving at the state prison, Stillwater at 3:20 p. m. On returning the train will leave Stillwater at 9 p. m., running to St. Paul only, arriving about 10 p. m.

ALUMNI OF "PENNSY"

Will Have a Banquet at the Ryan Thursday.

The second annual meeting of the Northwestern Alumni association of the University of Pennsylvania will be held at the Ryan hotel Thursday evening. While the association is still young, it already has a membership of about sixty, among whom are men prominent in professional and business life through the Northwest. The province of the alumni association includes Minnesota, Wisconsin and both Dakotas, with several members in the state of Washington who are expected to be present at the annual meeting. The present officers are Dr. Charles E. Smith, president; Dr. Greenly, of the Soldiers' home, vice president; Dr. H. M. Morton, of Minneapolis, second vice president; Rev. J. D. Haupt, secretary; W. H. Yardley, treasurer.

Following a business session Thursday evening there will be a banquet and toasts interspersed with reminiscences of college days at the Alma Mater.

Our State Savings Bank the only bank in St. Paul exclusively for savings, located in the Germania Life Ins. Bldg., corner 4th and Minn., sts., has not moved and has no intention of doing so.

SIDE DOOR PRIVILEGE.

It Is Sustained by a Police Court Jury.

A Weinholzer, proprietor of the Palm Garden, wore a chrysanthemum of immense size last evening and was in the best of spirits. He had a trial before Judge Orr and a jury yesterday afternoon on a charge of keeping a disorderly resort at Eighth and Wabasha streets. There were numerous witnesses examined on both sides. The evidence revealed that there was a clash between Weinholzer and the A. O. U. W. as to the use of the hall way leading to the upper floors of the building. The Workmen claimed they were entitled to the exclusive use of the hallway on the first floor and Weinholzer held otherwise. The jury, after listening to the evidence, were out long enough to write down the verdict and take one ballot and then informed the court that the defendant was "not guilty." John H. Ives appeared for the defendant and City Prosecutor Oppenheim for the prosecution.

HAS ANOTHER REFERENCE.

Application for a Franchise for the Proposed Electric.

The application of E. E. McDonald and others for a franchise to construct terminal facilities within the city limits for a proposed electric railway line to West Superior, was again considered by the committee on streets of the board of aldermen yesterday afternoon. The proposed line within the city is to run from Second and Cedar streets out Cedar to Central avenue, west on Central to Martin street, west on Martin to Virginia, north on Virginia avenue to Thomas, thence west to Oxford street, thence north to McKenty street and thence to Snelling avenue and the city limits. A freight line is also contemplated entering the city through the Eleventh and Fifth wards and running to the foot of Chestnut.

The committee did not take final action on the proposed ordinance, as it is desired to ascertain the views of the owners of property abutting on the proposed route. Ald. Kaldunski said that he was unwilling to vote to grant a franchise to operate freight cars on the line running out Cedar street and through the Eighth ward.

The matter was at last disposed of by referring it to the aldermen of the five wards through which it is proposed to run the cars, namely, Ald. Donahower, of the Fourth ward; Ald. Bigelow, of the Fifth; Ald. Kaldunski, of the Eighth; Ald. Allard, of the Tenth, and Ald. Shepard, of the Eleventh. This subcommittee will meet at 7:30 p. m. next Friday.

The committee also considered the resolution adopted by the assembly directing the street railway company to tear up and discontinue the use of its tracks on Smith and Thompson avenues north of Ramsey street and to cease using the tracks on Ramsey street for storing and repairing its tracks. Superintendent Smith, of the street railway company, was present. Mr. Smith said that there was only one track on Thompson and one on Smith avenue, and that they were used to gain access to and egress from the barn, and that none of the tracks were now used for storing or repairing the cars. Mr. Smith hoped the committee would not recommend the adoption of the resolution, as it would, if put into effect, block the whole system and necessitate the abandonment of the street car barn.

It was decided to appoint a subcomtee of three to visit the locality and make an investigation. Ald. Kaldunski, Lindahl and Bell were appointed as such committee.

The ordinance granting the Diamond Jo line a further twenty-year lease of the warehouse privileges on the levee, which has passed the assembly, was recommended for passage. The privilege is not to be exclusive, however. Ald. Kenny, Bigelow and Kaldunski were opposed to a lease for twenty years and the committee first voted to recommend a ten-year lease, but subsequently decided to recommend the original ordinance.

WHAT, AT 2 O'CLOCK?

Sample of the Midnight Closing Law's Enforcement.

Fannie Wilson, Bertha Watkins and Rosa Jones, a trio of dusky females, were arrested at 2 o'clock yesterday morning in the saloon at 192 South Washington street. They were charged with disorderly conduct by Sergeant Davis, who made the arrest. The trio did not seem to object so much to the arrest as they did to the discrimination employed by the officer. "All the men," one of the women said, "were allowed to go and us ladies were arrested." Sergeant Davis claims women have no business in saloons at 2 o'clock in the morning drinking beer and smoking cigarettes, and charges that this is what the trio were doing when he arrested them. The hearing was set for Tuesday, and in default of $25 each, the women were sent to jail.

POPULAR WILL ENDORSED.

Reporters, in Solemn Conclave, Ratify Wagener's Election.

The Reporters' club, which led a nomadic life last winter, was revived last evening at Kittsondale, John Wagener and Fritz Luhrs spreading a banquet for a party of twenty at the latter's house. The event was in the nature of an indorsement of the popular will, as expressed at the recent election, when Mr. Wagener, as the only Democrat elected on the county ticket. Brief addresses felicitating the successful candidate were made, and the members of the club present offered him all kinds of assistance in the puzzle of parceling out deputyships, even to the dire extreme of accepting part of them, if neceessary to end Mr. Wagener's dilema.

BENEFIT ENTERTAINMENT.

Proceeds of One "Thoroughbred" Performance for Charity.

A great deal of interest is centered in the benefit performance of "The Thoroughbred" at the Metropolitan tomorrow evening. The affair is in the hands of Manheimers' Employes' Benefit association, and the proceeds will be given to the United Charities of St. Paul. The play, being a good one, and the object of the benefit so meritorious, it is not strange that a great many seats have been sold. Each member of the association is provided with a certain number of tickets, which can be procured upon application. Tickets can be exchanged at the box office for reserved seats.

JOHN WAGENER'S PUZZLE.

How to Put 400 Applicants in Twenty-Five Jobs.

Sheriff-elect Wegener has received over 400 applications for positions as deputies in the office which he will take charge of on Jan. 1. As there are only two dozen places to be filled and each one of the employes now in the office expects to be retained, Mr. Wagener is having a delightful time.

For the position of chief deputy, ex-Chief of Police John Clark has been mentioned. Mr. Wagener has nothing to say about the persons he will select to assist him, but it is stated that should Clark desire the position of chief deputy there is but little doubt he will be given the place.

Warrant for Rebecca Taylor.

A warrant was issued yesterday noon for the arrest of Rebecca Taylor, on a charge of criminal libel. The complaint, sworn to by James Schoonmaker, charges the defendant with having on Oct. 13, 1896, maliciously libeled him by the publication of an article in a St. Paul weekly paper. The warrant was placed in the hands of the police, but it was given out last night at police headquarters that the warrant would not be served before court adjourned yesterday afternoon, and after that hour Chief Goss decided not to have it served until Monday.

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FAVORS FOR A FEW

R. G. DE PUY CLAIMS TOPLIFF & CO. GAVE SOME CREDITORS PREFERENCE.

ASKS FOR A RECEIVER NOW.

JUDGE KELLY LEARNS THE DETAILS OF AN INTRICATE BUSINESS TRANSACTION.

TRANSFER OF THE ENTIRE STOCK.

Petition Alleges That an Attempt Was Made to Defraud Some of the Creditors.

On an application for the appointment of a receiver for the jewelry firm of Topliff & Co., filed by Richard G. De Puy and heard before Judge Kelly at the special term of the district court yesterday, the details of an intricate business transaction were brought to light. It was claimed by the petitioner that certain creditors had been given preference by the firm.

The petition sets forth that Topliff & Co. conducted a retail jewelry establishment in this city and carried a stock valued at about $40,000, including the fixtures of the store and book accounts of the firm. It is alleged that prior to April, 1896, Topliff & Co. were insolvent and should have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors, but that instead of so doing they delayed the paying of obligations and "devised and consummated" a scheme by which the entire stock of the firm was transferred to outside parties without any monetary consideration.

According to the allegations of the petition L. B. Booker, a young man scarcely twenty-one years of age and who was at one time a student in the state university at Mineapolis, received a bill of sale for the valuable stock of jewelry of the Topliff concern. It is claimed that Booker is a relative of Frederick Topliff, and that the transfer to him was but a part of the alleged scheme to defraud the legitimate creditors of the firm. In payment for the stock young Booker gave eight promissory notes, each for $2,242.44, which were also signed by his father, L. E. Booker. George R. Topliff is then alleged to have indorsed the notes and turned them over to his attorney, who subsequently called a meeting of the creditors of the firm and explained what had been done. The creditors were surprised and indignant, but upon the alleged assurance that he would hold the notes for collection as they matured and divide the money thus realized pro rata among those to matter was for a time dropped.

The claim is now made that the attorney broke faith with the creditors and turned the notes over to George R. Topliff, who has since left the state and jurisdiction of the Minnesota court, and that L. E. Booker has bought claims against Topliff & Co., aggregating $15,000, for 25 per cent of their value, which he now proposes to urge at their full value for the alleged indebtedness of the firm to him on the notes indorsed by him in payment for the transfer of stock to his son. This course, it is claimed, simply means that the other creditors of the firm will realize nothing on the payment of notes, and that L. E. Booker will be constituted a preferred creditor. In support of this claim it is cited that several of the notes have fallen due and have not been paid.

In further support of his allegations the petitioner shows that the firm of Topliff & Co. is still doing business just the same as before the alleged fraudulent sale, with the exception that Frederick Topliff, who is in charge of the business, claims to simply be in the employ of L. E. Booker, the indorser of the promissory notes and holder of the largest share of Topliff & Co.'s obligations. The petitioner, R. G. De Puy, alleges that he is a creditor of Topliff & Co. in the sum of $9,000, secured by promissory notes.

Frederick Topliff was examined by Ambrose Tighe, the attorney for Mr. De Puy, and denied the alleged conspiracy; also that he was a member of the firm at the time the transfer of stock was made. He had previously sold out his interest to his father, George Topliff. He denied any knowledge of the consideration of the sale, but admitted taking an inventory of the stock before the sale. Mr. Tighe submitted Mr. Topliff to a severe cross-examination.

L. E. Booker was also examined and denied having attempted to buy out the claims against Topliff & Co., but Mr. Tighe produced a telegram to a New York creditor of the firm, signed by him, soliciting their claim at 25 per cent of its full value. Mr. Booker finally admitted that he controlled $35,000 worth of claims against Topliff & Co., which he had purchased after the sale of stock.

At the conclusion of the argument concerning the application for a receiver, the court took the matter under advisement.

ST. PAUL ELK BENEFIT.

The Entertainment a Banquet of Attractive Features.

One of the leading attractions this week will be the annual benefit of the St. Paul Lodge of Elks at the Metropolitan opera house Friday afternoon. The benefit has the double purpose of aiding in the charitable work of the order and providing, in part, the fund necessary to entertain the visiting Elks who will come to the grand lodge in the Twin Cities next summer, 10,000 or 12,000 strong.

The entertainment will, besides, give more for the cost of a ticket than is often if ever, received. There will be the best specialties from the McKee Rankin and Maude Granger company, "The Yenuine Yentleman" and "Thoroughbred" companies, together with selections of the Elks Banjo club, recitations by Herschel Mayall, etc.

A great feature will the "animatograph," a new invention after the style of Edison's wonderful vitascope. The animatograph, in brief, makes photography a living art. It presents scenes embodying moving people and things with absolute fidelity. Bridge scenes, street scenes, the heart of a great city, the simplicity of the country are present in turn. It is the most wonderful invention of the age and will be seen at the Metropolitan in all its beauty next Friday afternoon.

CHARITY MASS MEETING.

Programme of the Event at the People's Church.

The following is the complete programme for the Charity mass meeting to be held under the auspices of the Associated Charities, at People's church, tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock:

Organ Voluntary .....Prof. C. G. Titcomb
Invocation.
Chorus—"Like as a Heart".....Novello
Introductory Remarks—Rev. S. G. Smith, D. D., President of Associated Charities.
Address—....."A Practical View of Charity" John D. O'Brien, Esq.
Vocal Solo—"Angels Ever Bright and Fair" ..... Handel
Miss Eva Alcott.
Address—"The Personal Service Idea in Charity".....Alexander Johnson, Ph..D.
Chorus—"Awake Up, My Glory".....Barnby

Dr. Johnson has had a wide and successful experience in various branches of city and state charities. The chorus is under the direction of Prof C. G. Titcomb, and the expressions of interest indicate there will be an unusually good attendance.

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Extra Specials:
$1.00 Muslin Gowns, 69c.
Outing Flannel Gowns, 75c.
18c Handkerchiefs, 10c.
$8.50 Silk Waists, $5.75.
10c Flannelettes, 7c.
65c Children's Stockings, 35c.
4-Inch Plaid Taffeta Ribbons, Velvet Edge, 35c.

Extra Specials:
$9.50 Jackets, $5.75.
$1.00 Silk Remnants, 25c.
Eiderdown Wrappers, $3.00.
Imported Hair Cloth, 20c.
Dress Skirts, only $1.95.
$2.00 Kid Gloves, $1.10.
Ladies' Silk Ties, 25c.
New Capes, $13.50.

More Silks at Half-Price.

The Silk selling is passing all records. And we are still hammering away—hammering prices down—hammering more business into this big store than ever before. We stand right in line with the big retailers of New York and Chicago who, with ready cash, control the markets of this country.

Tomorrow we will sell the choicest Novelty Silks, made by the following leading makers in this country, at less than Half-Price:

Novelty Silks made by Cheney Brothers.
Novelty Silks made by Schwartzenbach, Huber & Co.
Novelty Silks made by Pelgram & Meyer.
Novelty Silks made by Hamil & Booth.

Silks from these makers have a reputation the wide world over. We have nearly 5,000 yards of their best novelties that have retailed for $1.75, $2.00 and $2.50 and will sell them at 9 o'clock tomorrow for

97 Cents

a yard. It is a wonderful collection of High Grade Silks, and the price breaks all records for downright cheapness.

Another big lot of Novelty Silks, that formerly retailed for $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50, will be sold for

65 Cents

a yard at 9 o'clock.

Silk Remnants for 25c.

Another lot of Remnants which accumulated during the week—Remnants of Silks worth 75c and $1.00, and even $1.25 a yard, will be sold for

25 Cents

a yard at 9 o'clock. Last Monday we sold nearly 500 Remnants in two hours. Be on hand promptly at 9 o'clock.

100 pieces of genuine imported China Silks, firm, heavy qualities, white, black and 35 evening shades, all you want tomorrow for

24 Cents

a yard.

2,000 yards of finest Japanese Cable Cords and Kai Ki Silks, the kinds extensively advertised worth 39c and 48c, at 9 o'clock tomorrow, only

12½ Cents

a yard.

Do you wonder that the Silk selling is passing all records? Our prices have broken all records. We sell good Silks cheaper than any other house in Minnesota.

New Dress Goods.

Lucky is the woman who is now looking for Winter Dress Goods. We have advices from New York of large shipments bought from

20 to 25 Per Cent Less

than prices which ruled two months ago. These goods were shipped last Tuesday, and should be here early tomorrow morning.

New Pure Wool Suitings, in all the stylish effects, 40 inches wide....., **50c**

Wide Wale Cheviots, full 52 inches wide, dark green, dark blue and black only. Formerly 85c. Tomorrow... **58c**

50-inch Scotch Tweeds, **75 Cents.**
44-inch Fancy Basket Cloths, **85 Cents.**
48-inch Snow Flake Suitings, **$1.00.**
50-inch Silk Knot Suitings, **$1.25.**
48-inch Novelty Basket Cloths, **$1.50.**

Black Dress Goods.

Some of the choicest of this season's Black Dress Goods are heavily reduced in price. All of these at new prices tomorrow:

38-inch Alsace Suitings, a rough fancy weave, for **42 Cents.**
52-inch Wide Wale Diagonals, worth 85c, for **58 Cents.**
44-inch "Gold Medal" Fancy Weaves, all the 85c and 90c qualities for **65 Cents.**
50-inch Fancy Granite Weaves, the best $1.00 goods, tomorrow **85 Cents.**
44-inch "Gold Medal" Mohair and Wool Fancies, all the best $1.25 qualities, tomorrow only **95 Cents.**

Our Lining Leaders.

Bear in mind these prices are for Monday only. We cannot afford to sell at such prices every day. The sales positively end at 6 o'clock tomorrow:

Genuine Imported Hair Cloth, the fine, soft-finish kinds, warranted real horse hair. All you want in black or gray for

20 Cents

a yard tomorrow.

65 pieces full yard wide Rustling Taffeta, the silky, rustle kind, black and colors. All you want for

11 Cents

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Thanksgiving Linens.

Our mastery of the Linen Business of the Northwest will again be demonstrated by

A GREAT SALE

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For this occasion we have secured 200 Fine Irish Linen Table Cloths at lower prices than have ever been known.

Cloths for **$1.40;** 2 yards long.
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All are 2 yards wide. Add one-third and you have the **Lowest** regular price.

Thanksgiving Sale of Table Cloths, made by John S. Brown & Sons—the best in the world.

$4.75 Cloths for **$3.25.**
$5.50 Cloths for **$4.25.**
$6.50 Cloths for **$5.00.**
$9.00 Cloths for **$6.50.**

140 Dozen Napkins, made by John S. Brown & Sons.

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