

CITY NEWS

LOCAL EVENTS IN PARAGRAPHS
Nurses to Meet—The Ramsey County Graduate Nurses' association will meet tomorrow afternoon in the medical rooms in the Lowry arcade.
Would Do Business Here—The Pelican Assurance Company of New York city, applied yesterday for the insurance commissioner for permission to do business in Minnesota.
Slavery of Working Class—J. A. Gray will speak at the Socialist Labor party meeting at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in Assembly hall on "The Slavery of the Working Class."

Walt on the professor with a challenge to a debate on his own proposition.
Vasa Society Hop—The Vasa Literary society held a very enjoyable hop last evening at Vasa hall, 254 East Seventh street. The music was furnished by a stringed orchestra and supper was served at midnight.
To Administer Sacrament—Rev. W. W. Lewis will administer the sacrament of the Lord's supper this afternoon at 3 p. m. in the volunteers of America hall, 189 East Eighth street.
Lose a Young Daughter—May Ferguson, of 34 Jackson street, died at 10:30 o'clock last evening of brain fever, after a long illness. The funeral will be held from the house tomorrow afternoon and the interment will be at Calvary cemetery.
Invites the Public—The Hamline Prohibition club invites the public to its next meeting, for which a special program has been prepared. It will take place Thursday evening at the residence of George F. Wells.
Does Not Pardon King—M. F. Kuhn, 24 East Seventh street, whose name was mentioned last Sunday in connection with the receiving of some property in a number of pawnshops, says that he does not pardon whatever at his place of business.

MAKE PLEA OF GUILTY
CULPRITS IN JUDGE KELLY'S COURT TRUST THEIR FATE TO CLEMENCY
DRUNKENNESS IS NO EXCUSE
George Farrell, Who Stole a Watch While Intoxicated, is Astonished to Get a Two-Year Sentence in the Penitentiary—Receiver Appointed for Duluth Bridge—Other News of the Courts.
Judge Kelly yesterday sentenced Carl H. Park, convicted of receiving stolen property, to two years and six months in the state penitentiary. George Farrell changed his plea from not guilty to guilty of grand larceny in the second degree, and was given two years in the penitentiary. Henry Jerome, who also changed his plea, was given a reformatory sentence for forgery in the second degree.
Park was convicted of receiving goods that the state charges were stolen by a colored woman, Hannah Idlett, with whom he was living at 98 West Third street. The woman is now serving a sentence in Minneapolis for shoplifting, and will be released on her release. Her sister, Mary Dayton, is under indictment on a similar charge.
When brought before the court Park appeared to be more nervous than during the trial, but he replied that he had nothing to say when the court asked him if there was any reason why sentence should not be pronounced. His attorney, Henry C. James, stated to the court that he would move for a new trial, and had already served a bill of exceptions on the county attorney. The hearing on the motion was set for April 15, in pronouncing sentence Judge Kelly remarked that he had been solicited for clemency by a number of prominent business men, but that he could not overlook the gravity of the offense.
George Farrell withdrew his plea of not guilty to a charge of stealing a watch from the Hotel Fey and threw himself on the mercy of the court. He was indicted on two charges, and his attorney told the court that Farrell was all right when sober, but that drink transformed him into a criminal. He appeared staggered at his sentence to two years in the penitentiary.
Henry Jerome, a boyish-looking fellow, who admitted that he was guilty as charged in the indictment of forging the name of Louis Eisenmeyer to a check for \$25.55, which was cashed by Otto Becker, a commission merchant, Jerome had previously been a criminal, but had changed his mind and his plea. Jerome's attorney pleaded for clemency on the ground that his client was drunk when the offense was committed. But the court, after censuring persons for cashing checks indiscriminately, sentenced the prisoner to the reformatory.

Field, Schlick & Co.
Important Sales This Week.
There's hardly a week in the whole year that does not bring some special or extraordinary purchases to this store. Such purchases mean money saved to us in the buying, and to our customers in the selling.
But there's rarely a week in the whole year when so many good things come at one time. Four important sales begin tomorrow, each of them worthy to receive your early and particular attention.
Some Matchless Dress Goods Bargains.
More New Silks at Half-Price.
A Sample Line of Ladies' Suits.
Lace Curtains Cheaper Than Ever.

Field, Schlick & Co.
LACE CURTAINS CHEAPER THAN EVER.
Nearly six months ago we placed our order for over 2,000 pairs of Lace Curtains of all kinds—Brussels Nets, Irish Points, Arabian Nets and Nottingham. We got them direct from the makers, so that we are in a position to make wholesale prices. More than that—since placing these orders prices have advanced very considerably, so that there's a double advantage in buying now rather than later.
In order to open the season with a boom, and to compel early buying, we'll have a rousing special sale this week.
269 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, 50 inches wide, worth \$1.25 a pair, for..... 75c
185 pairs of Ruffled Swiss Curtains, 3 yards long, 48 inches wide, thoroughly well made with 4-inch ruffle, well worth \$1.50 a pair. Extra special sale price..... 95c

YERXA
The Yerxa store news is a daily telling of economies in things needed for the table.
13 cents
Per jar for the best English Orange Marmalade, 1-1/2 jars.
2 cents
Per pound for the Best Hand Picked Navy Beans.
16 cents
Per pound for good dairy Table Butter in 20 and 40 lb tins.
6 cents
Per pound for the best new whole Japan Rice.
12 1/2 cents
A peck for the best Red Weatherfield Onions.
7 cents
Per pound for California Dried Peaches that are worth 12 1/2c.
2 cents
Per pound for the Best Rolled Oats fresh from the mill.
20 cents
Per gallon for pure Sweet Cider.
4 cents
Per pound for good fresh Boiling Beef in our market.
4 cents
Per pound for good fresh Stewing Mutton.
Butter, Good fresh Creamery, 19c
Potatoes, A very fancy carload of Burbanks, per bushel, 70c
Flour, the best quality in America, per 98-lb sack, \$2.00
Flour, the best quality in America, per 42-lb sack, \$1.00
Flour, the best quality in America, per 24-lb sack, 50c
Pickles, A good sized bottle, any variety, each, 7c
Mustard, German, prepared in factory, large table dishes, only 7c
Tangerines, Good juicy fruit, 15c
Navel Oranges, Medium-sized, doz fruit, per doz, 14c
Navel Oranges, Large-sized, doz fruit, per doz, 18c
Navel Oranges, Very large, heavy fruit, 22c
Bacon and Greens, 3-lb. cans, A. Booth brand, only, per lb., 10c
Tea, Minara blend Ceylon, worth \$1.00, only, per lb., 60c
Tea, Fancy Sun-dried Japan, regular 50c grade, 40c
Squash, Good, large Hubbard, 6c
Oranges, Fair quality, only, per doz, 9c
Split Peas, the best, 23c
Barley, Fresh Pearl, per pound, 2c
Coffee, The famous Hoffman House, you pay 45c to equal this else, 28c
Peach Preserves, Absolutely pure made, per lb., 10c
Coffee, Rio blend, fresh, 15c
Coffee, Fine Rio and Santos, mixed, fresh, per lb., 13c
Yerxa Bros. & Co.

Daughters of Veterans—The Daughters of Veterans will give a card party Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. H. B. Maxwell, 36 North Washington street. The proceeds are to be used for decorations Memorial day and the public at large is invited.
Explosion of Gasoline—The fire department was called to a fire in the residence of Edward Elles, 42 South Robert street last night. The explosion of a gasoline stove used for cooking purposes caused the blaze. No one was injured and the loss was slight.
Fell Down Stairs—William Carroll fell down a flight of stairs at the Park Hotel, Sixth and Wacouta, last night and received severe injuries. He was a resident of the hotel. He was taken to the city hospital, where an investigation showed a severe cut in the forehead, cuts about the shoulders and severe bruises. His condition was improved late last night and is not regarded as dangerous.
Douglas School Union—The Douglas School union will meet at the Humboldt school building, April 3, at 8 o'clock. Miss Ella Nabersberg has consented to deliver a lecture on art study allied by stereoscopic views. The question of organization of a mothers' club will also come before this meeting. The public are cordially invited to attend. Admission free.
Col. Pond Takes Hold—Capt. French has turned over the duties of depot quartermaster of the department of Dakota. It is expected that the accounting of the supplies, etc., will be completed early in the week, and the captain will then leave for his new assignment to foreign service. He will probably be sent to the Porto Rico department, with headquarters at Ponce.
"Water Cure"—The junior class of the Central high school will give "Shakespeare's Water Cure" Friday evening in the assembly hall. The following members of the class will take part: Misses Aida Frye, Evelyn Officer, Edith McMillan, Messrs James Ballard, Walter Groff, Dwight Edgett, Edith Clapp, Joseph Thompson and Paul Heyner. The entertainment will be in charge of Miss Morton.
Humane Society Meeting—The Humane society yesterday, in a set of resolutions adopted, went on record against the practice of driving cool wagons up the steep grades of Chestnut street near the People's church. The society adopted resolutions thanking the members of the legislature who have worked in behalf of more humane laws. Miss Lizzy White was warmly thanked for securing the conviction of a teamster who cruelly beat his horse.
WAS A ST. PAUL BOY.
Charles Metzger, a Volunteer Fireman, Dying in Minneapolis.
One of the veterans of the old volunteer fire department in St. Paul is dying in Minneapolis. Charles Metzger, who thirty years ago was one of the most active young men in the city and "ran with the machine" with resistless energy. Perhaps twenty-five years ago, Mr. Metzger moved to Minneapolis, and for a number of years now he has been serving the city on his police force. He was for a long time located in the Fifth precinct, in the Eighth ward, but was transferred about four years ago to the Seventh precinct. About a year since, he hurt his foot, and through lack of appreciation of the seriousness of the injury did not treat it at once, with the result that blood poisoning ensued and he has not been able to walk since. The sick man was reported very low last night.
Mr. Metzger is about fifty years of age.
STOPPED A RUNAWAY HORSE.
Officer Skoog Performs a Daring Act on Seventh Street.
Officer Skoog, of the Seventh and Washaba beat, made a daring and successful attempt to stop a runaway horse yesterday afternoon. The animal is the property of 23 Ingham, 623 Ashland street. Mr. Ingham hitched the horse to a carriage, and after dinner started to drive down town. At the corner of Washaba and Ninth he had occasion to stop. He alighted from the rig and went to the horse's head to tie him, but a passing street car frightened the animal and it started to run. Mr. Ingham tried to hold the horse, but it broke away and started down the street at the top of its speed. Officer Skoog saw the horse coming, and, realizing the danger, shouted to the people who were crossing at the Seventh and Washaba corner, and dashed into the street. As the horse passed he grasped the bridle and hung on for dear life. He was dragged for a considerable distance, but brought the fractious animal to a stop without injury to himself.
PIANO BARGAINS FOR THIS WEEK.
Cash or Easy Payments.
1 Cable & Son upright.....\$90
1 Emerson upright.....100
1 Weber upright.....110
1 Kimball upright.....125
1 Christie upright.....135
1 Chickering upright.....150
1 Gilmore upright.....175
1 Hamilton upright.....200
1 Flecher upright.....220
1 Chickering upright.....250
Nets, stool and scarf go with each instrument.
HOWARD, FARWELL & CO.,
20, 24 West Fifth Street,
Reliable Music Dealers.
Temporary Order Given.
Judge Lewis yesterday issued a temporary order restraining Hiram G. Taylor from disposing of any of the property of the firm of Taylor & House, manufacturing machinists, and the matter will be heard before Judge Brill tomorrow on an order to show cause.
The action is taken in a suit brought by Seymour S. Hough against Taylor for the appointment of a receiver and the dissolution of the business on account of partnership disagreements. The firm has been in business at 88 East Fifth street and has assets aggregating \$5,000 and \$500 in liabilities.
Petitions in Bankruptcy.
Robert E. Patterson, a contractor and builder, residing at 68 Stewart avenue, bankruptcy in the voluntary petition filed by him is given as \$7,500.23.
A petition was also filed by Edward B. Constan, a bookkeeper, who liabilities are \$556.60 and assets \$50.
Geo. W. Nicols' Fine Cigars.
Adam Fetsch, Fifth and Robert, has just received a full line of cigars. The famous Nicols' Key West factory. Brokers of the cigars will find a complete stock at Adam Fetsch's. Box trade solicited.

RECEIVER IS APPOINTED.
G. G. Hartley Authorized to Take the Duluth-Superior Bridge.
Judge Sanborn, in federal court yesterday, Alfred S. Kittington, of the Central Trust company, of New York, against the Duluth-Superior Bridge company, the Duluth-Superior Traction company and Stephen T. Norvell, Guilford G. Hartley, of Duluth, is appointed receiver of the bridge company, and authorized to take immediate possession of the property and collect the tolls and revenues from the bridge. The bond is fixed at \$10,000.
Guardian for Frank Cooley.
The matter of the guardianship of Frank D. Cooley, who is an inmate of the insane asylum at Rochester, will come up for hearing before Judge Kelly in the probate court tomorrow at 10 a. m. Cooley is trying to secure his restoration to competency and John M. Lynch, as a friend, has petitioned that a guardian be appointed for him as a preliminary step. The former guardian, has filed his resignation. By special order of the court Cooley will be present at the hearing.

The Leading Silk Sale.
Of all the Silk sales we ever had this ought to be received with greatest favor. It's a sale of the richest Silks produced this season—"magnificent" is the only word to justly call them. They would be most excellent values at regular prices. But they come to us with the rest of "James McCreery & Co.'s" open stock, and we'll sell them as we bought them—NEARLY HALF-PRICE.
Seventy-four pieces will go on sale tomorrow:
12 pieces New Plaid Taffetas, spring styles, worth \$1.50.
20 pieces New Persian Striped Taffetas, worth \$1.50 and \$1.75.
15 pieces Fancy Polka Dot Taffetas, worth \$1.35.
9 pieces Novelty Taffetas, with embroidered dots, worth \$1.50.
18 pieces Late Spring Novelties, worth \$1.75 and \$2.00.
Total 74 pieces—the cream of the greatest Silk Stock in the United States. Your choice of the entire lot for
\$1.00 One Dollar \$1.00
a yard tomorrow.
LESS THAN HALF—Another important purchase of 60 pieces of double warp Surahs in all the new and staple shades, made to retail at 60 cents; these will go on sale at 9:30 o'clock at 29c.
They are the best wearing Silks made and at our price they're almost as cheap as Cottons. Just the thing for serviceable waists, skirts, facings, wrappers and linings. These colors:
White, Cream, Nile, Lavender, Yellow, Light Blue, Brown, Navy, Olive, Myrtle, Red, Black.
REMNANTS almost given away. We're glad there are only 600 yards in the lot, for the loss is enormous. They are ends of pieces which hold all the way from 50 cents to \$1.75 a yard. Lengths run from half a yard to 3 1/2 yards—they will not be cut. At 9:30 o'clock we'll begin to close them out at 29c.
Matchless Dress Goods Bargains.
The line of Spring Dress Goods that you have to choose from here is masterful. The leading weaves and fabrics that are hardest to get are here in abundance; and with best qualities and latest touches of style, you'll find the prices LOWER than at other stores.
No details today except to call attention to the collection of exclusive French Novelties in single dress lengths. Prices, \$10 to \$50.
And we also call attention to a new stock of Heavy Cloth Suitings in the new mode, brown and blue shades, so much in vogue; 56 inches wide; price, \$1.75.
Four Matchless Half-price Sales.
We ask you to note the number of pieces, so that you may judge how long the lots are likely to last. No more when present stocks are sold.
20 pieces of strictly All-wool Suitings, guaranteed pure wool in every fiber, 40 inches wide, at less than half-price tomorrow, only..... 20c
19 pieces strictly All-wool Suitings, in mixed yarn colorings, new Spring shades, good styles, good weight, 45 inches wide; at less than half-price, only..... 39c
10 piece All-wool Suitings, 50 inches wide, at just about half-price, only 39 cents.
40 pieces All-wool Henriettas, reds, plum, pink, light blue and cream, fresh new goods, only 29 cents.
A Quenly Stock of Black Goods.
The most wanted Black Goods this season are Crepons and Crepons and again Crepons. Next come Cheviots, Venetians and Mohairs. Our stocks are exceptionally good just now. These are all imported goods, and it will be impossible to duplicate them except at higher prices.
7 pieces Black Crepons, 42 inches wide, extra special, 59 cents.
Bright-finish Mohair Crepons, 50 styles to choose from, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.
Silk and Wool Crepons—the finest goods and the best styles produced, all wide goods, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.
FINE VENETIANS.
44 inches wide.....\$1.50
46 inches wide.....\$2.00
52 inches wide.....\$2.75
ALL THESE ARE MONDAY SPECIALS:
IRON-WEAR-TORMSERGES, ALL-WOOL CHEVIOTS.
60c quality for.....45 cents
75c quality for.....59 cents
\$1.00 quality for.....77 cents
5 pieces Mohair Sicilians, 50c quality for.....39 cents
5 pieces Mohair Sicilians, \$1.00 quality for.....69 cents
5 pieces Mohair Brilliantines, 65c quality, for.....45 cents

NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS.
\$2.00 Curtains for \$1.25 a pair.
\$2.50 Curtains for \$1.75 a pair.
\$3.50 Curtains for \$2.50 a pair.
\$4.00 Curtains for \$2.75 a pair.
\$4.50 Curtains for \$3.25 a pair.
\$6.00 Curtains for \$4.50 a pair.
IRISH POINT CURTAINS.
\$5.00 Curtains for \$3.75 a pair.
\$6.00 Curtains for \$4.25 a pair.
\$7.00 Curtains for \$5.00 a pair.
\$8.50 Curtains for \$6.00 a pair.
\$9.50 Curtains for \$7.25 a pair.
\$12.50 Curtains for \$9.50 a pair.
BRUSSELS NET CURTAINS.
\$4.50 Curtains for \$3.00 a pair.
\$5.50 Curtains for \$4.00 a pair.
\$6.75 Curtains for \$5.00 a pair.
\$8.50 Curtains for \$6.50 a pair.
\$12.00 Curtains for \$9.00 a pair.
\$17.00 Curtains for \$14.00 a pair.
\$20.00 Curtains for \$15.50 a pair.
\$30.00 Curtains for \$22.00 a pair.
ARABIAN NET CURTAINS.
\$12.00 Curtains for \$9.50 a pair.
\$17.00 Curtains for \$14.00 a pair.
\$18.50 Curtains for \$15.50 a pair.
When in the Curtain room see the rare collection of Oriental stuffs, India Prints, Arabian Arms and Hammered Brass Curios.
A SAMPLE LINE OF LADIES' SUITS.
Another stroke of good luck brought us a trunk full of SAMPLE SUITS—only 19 of them. Nineteen women should secure them in a hurry tomorrow.
They come from the leading Suit Maker of the United States—the maker from whom we get our best suits and our best sellers.
7 Covert and Cheviot Suits; 3 of these are worth \$18.50, 2 are worth \$20.00 and 2 are worth \$22.50. Choice of these for..... \$12.75
5 Covert and Cheviot Suits, worth \$25.00, for \$15.00.
3 Taffeta Silk-lined Suits, worth \$29.50, for \$18.00.
1 fine Covert Suit, full Silk-lined, worth \$42.00, for \$25.00.
1 Berlin Novelty Suit, worth \$57.50, for \$32.50.
1 Gray Broadcloth Suit, handsomely braided, worth \$70.00, for \$37.50.
1 Black Broadcloth Suit, worth \$45.00, for \$29.50.
That's the price story. Nineteen women will get them—late comers will miss them.
DRESS SKIRTS—So many good things in the Cloak Room to talk about we've neglected Skirts in our advertisements. But we have them—lots of them. They're beauties, too, and wonderfully low-priced.
Tailor-made Skirts—Crepons, Cheviots, Broadcloths and Coverts, plain and handsome braided effects; 100 Skirts on special sale at..... \$10.75
EXTRA SPECIAL—Rich Crepon, Broadcloth and Cheviot SILK-LINED SKIRTS, positively worth \$20.00 and \$22.50. Extra special sale tomorrow..... \$15.00

NO ARGUMENT NEEDED WHEN GRAPE-NUTS ARE SERVED FOR BREAKFAST.
A TOOTHsome NOVELTY.
GOT BACK THEIR BOY.
Rev. F. P. Savage. Moak claimed to have the necessary papers, but did not produce them.
When Anderson returned his wife told him of the child having disappeared and yesterday morning the couple demanded the boy from Rev. Mr. Savage and were refused. Through their attorney, Arthur J. Stobart, the Andersons swore out a writ of habeas corpus and the boy was produced before Court Commissioner Gallick yesterday afternoon and the parents were awarded his custody. There was no appearance on the part of Agent Moak nor the Children's home.
Frank Thompson Released From the Children's Home by Court's Order.
Albert Anderson and Mrs. Lena Anderson, of 24 West Third street, yesterday secured the release of their seven-year-old son, Frank Thompson, from the Children's home, on a writ of habeas corpus, after a series of exciting events. Anderson is a laborer employed by the city, and it appears from the story told by Mrs. Anderson that he was away from the house Friday morning. Humane Agent Moak, she says, came in after he had gone and, in spite of her protests, took the child to the Children's home on Eighth street, conducted by

Field, Schlick & Co.
The perfection of hat making—the Gordon.
Engraving.
We are thoroughly prepared to furnish Engraved Wedding Invitations and announcements at first-class work. The latest "Tiffany" styles are engraved on the new "Gray-White" Kid finished paper. Ask to see samples of these new styles at Stationery counter.
SPRING UNDERWEAR—"Mat-telutz" German Sanitary Steam-shrunk Underwear is the best in the world. Three or four light-weights for cool spring or warm-est summer days.
Exactly 50 dozen White pure Silk Handkerchiefs, strong Japanese Silk, 25 inches square, for 25 Cents
All of these in Matchless Sales.

Olive Oil Soap.
Another big lot of absolutely pure Olive Oil Toilet Soap will go on sale tomorrow. It is as good a soap as can be produced at any price. It's made of pure Imported Olive Oil. It gives a soft, thick lather which leaves the skin clean and soft. You may wash the daintiest silks without danger of fading. Use it for washing Shirt Waists if you want them to look like new after frequent washings:
3 CAKES FOR 10 CENTS.
25 CAKES FOR 75 CENTS.
100 CAKES FOR \$2.75.
Each cake weighs four ounces—a quarter of a pound.
Fast Black Stockings.
The trade mark "Onyx" stamped on a stocking stands for every good feature to be found in hosiery. It stands for perfect shapes, good wear and absolute fast color. If by any chance a pair should go wrong in any way, tell us about it and we'll make it right.
5 lines of "Onyx" Stockings at a special price:
All Black Maco Cotton.
Fine Black Lisle Thread.
Maco Cotton, ribbed tops.
Maco Cotton with ecru feet.
Maco Cotton with split soles.
All of these at 25 Cents a pair.
For Men.
25 Cents
each. This is the lowest price we ever heard of. They would be excellent values at a half-dollar. Better not wait many days.
Opening display of "Monarch" fancy Percalé and Madras Shirts, with separate cuffs. Prices are \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Assortments are best now.
STANDARD PAPER PATTERNS continue to grow in popularity day by day. They're best, most economical in cutting materials, and cheapest. Price 5c to 20c. Why pay more?