

In St. Paul Social Circles

CROSSING THE MADOW.

Fairly betimes, when the gate of the day
Swung on a hinge that was pink as a
shel, we met in the meadow, just half of the
way:
And sometimes he vowed that he wanted
to tell—
Something I couldn't have known.
Yet I gave him a toss, and gave him a
frown,
And turned away with my bonnet down,
And twisted the frill and twisted the
hoom,
And sharply he snapped off a lily stem,
And each crossed the meadow alone.

Fleming of noon, and a blaze in the air,
Oh, but to drown in a meadow of
green—
Flipping away from the sun and the
glare,

will also occur the marriage of Miss McCauley, of Louisville, Ky., to Bert Elgnow, of this city.

Mrs. D. S. Sperry entertained a company of six at dinner Friday evening at her home on Holly avenue. Preceding the dinner, whist was played.

Mrs. Matthew Clark, of Summit avenue, entertained the following St. Paul women Wednesday at her summer home, Chicago lake: Mrs. Rudolph Schiffmann, Mrs. Messner, Mrs. Vall, Mrs. C. G. Titcomb, Mrs. Horton, Miss Vail, Mrs. Allen Krieger, Mrs. McCarty, Mrs. G. E. Clarke, Mrs. D. S. Sperry and Mrs. Osborne. High scores at whist were made by Mrs. C. E. Clarke, Mrs. A. E. McCarty, Mrs. D. S. Sperry and Mrs. Allen Krieger.

AFTER THE DIVORCE.



"I suppose you are now prepared to say that marriage is a failure?"
"No, I'm not. I had nothing when I married him three years ago, and now I have sufficient alimony to support me bountifully."

Cool, silent chaper for cover and screen,
Kissed by a blossomy foam.
The bells were harsh that the cattle
shook
As they waded down in a sandy brook
To cool their flanks in the sleepy tide,
Turning their lazy heads aside,
As I crossed the meadow for home.

With a scintillating shoe and a gold-tipped
wand,
The twilight lowered his silver bars,
And the Day went through to the dim
Beyond,
To the Land of Dusk and the Field of
Stars
And breath of the dew-sown heather.
In the faint light, woven of rose and
gray,
We met in the meadow, just half of the
way.
"Did you mean it?" he said, with a sigh
and a frown.
And I shook my head, with my bonnet
down,
And twisted the hem and twisted the
frill;
And it happened somehow, with the best
of will,
We crossed the meadow together.

—Hattie Whitney.

PLEASURES PAST.

Miss Alice Tracy entertained informally Friday evening at her home, 148 George street. Progressive euchre was played and favors were won by Cora Peters and Ed Lenard, Bessie O'Brien and Lillian Merkle. Those present were: Messrs. Andrew Devitt, John Hunt, John Blanchard, Joseph Roddy, Harry Loiz, Lawrence Carr, George Gorman, Eugene Westphal, Cora Peters, Harvey Williams, Sherry, Victor Hjoekberg, Melville Cronham, Richard Jones, Charles Plesney, C. O. Peters, Robert Jones, John Gallagher, Ed Lenard, George Blanchard, Walter Pleintsberg, Tom McNamara and Pete Tracy. Misses Bessie O'Brien, Lucie McArthur, Velma Helm-bach, Genevieve Lotz, Emma Murphy, Lilla Merkle, Katie Tierney, Mayne Charbonneau, Fanny Sherry, Marian Kishaw, Mayme Westerbagen, Emma O'Brien, Mary McNamara, Genevieve Trudeau, Maggie McNamara, Bonnie Doe, Genevieve Cognrve, Florence Schaf-fer and others.

The Singing Society of the Choir of the Norwegian Lutheran Church tendered its director, Prof. John Dahlie, a farewell party Friday evening at his home, 701 Pine street. The evening was passed in musical, speeches and games. Later refreshments were served. Prof. Dahlie left last evening for Europe for a three month trip. He visits Paris upon his arrival in Europe.

Mrs. M. C. Timmons, of East Isabel street, gave an informal luncheon yesterday, entertaining Mesdames Hamby, Bant, Kribbs, Watson, Strong, Osgood, Stevens, Wood, Talboys, Theim, Carroll, Hanley, Sharpe, Duran, Fozar, Hawthorn, Ordeman, Ferguson, Woodbury

ESPECIALLY AFTER HE'S LOST.



"Is it true that you wouldn't stop playing poker to eat?"
"Not exactly. But frequently after playing poker I stop eating."

Lace Department.

In this general August Stock reduction all Summer goods will be closed out regardless of price.

EVERY REMNANT of Lace, Net, Clifton or Embroidery at HALF PRICE. 5 dozen Silk Stock Collars, colored and white, real value \$1.25. Monday special..... **59c**

75 yards of Tucking, worth \$1.00. While the lot lasts..... **39c**

EXTRA SPECIAL—100 dozen Washable Imperial Ties, for men or women, a delayed shipment, worth \$5.00 each. Your choice Monday for..... **5c**

Fine Wash Goods.

A Monday Clearing.

That sale of sales starts Monday. A clearing out of fine Wash Fabrics. We simply ask you to read these specials carefully, then ask yourself if you can afford to miss it.

All our printed French Organdies, the best quality made, choicest patterns, our regular 40c and 50c a yard kind. For Monday only..... **19c**

All our David and John Anderson, R. A. Whyttlaw & Son and Wm. Anderson Gingham, the kind you pay 40c and 50c a yard for. Monday only..... **25c**

All our printed and plain Figue, the 50c and 60c a yard quality. For Monday only..... **25c**

All our 25c and 35c a yard Scotch Madras. For Monday only..... **15c**

All our 40c Oxford Cheviots, plain and spots, for only..... **19c**

Cloak Dept.—The Clearing Sale.

We have been doing a grand business for a month past, but the time has now come when everything in the summer class has got to be cleared out.

We never carry goods in this department from season to season. We will give the goods away in preference. All summer goods MUST go, and go quick.

TAILOR-MADE SUITS. Venetian Cloth, Cheviots and Homespuns, styles that are correct—the best suits we ever offered at \$16.50, \$18.00 and \$20.00. On sale..... **\$8.50**

\$25.00 and \$30.00 Suits for only..... **\$13.50**

TAILORED JACKETS—Monday we will bunch all the \$8.00 and \$10.00 ones in one lot and ask you to take your choice for..... **\$4.50**

\$12.00 and \$15.00 ones..... **\$7.50** \$20.00 and \$22.00 ones..... **\$11.00**

We call special attention to our new Fall 1900 Tailor-Made Gowns.

Dress Goods—New Fall Styles.

Monday we make our first exhibit and opening of the early fall styles. In all the newest shades of grays, tans, castors, Havana, browns, heliotropes, reds, wine, cadets and blues—200 pieces of the very newest importations.

New French Venetians—20 colors.
New English Camel's Hair—15 colors.
New French Broadcloths—40 colors.

10 pieces of Mohair Pielora Cloth and Meseretta figures, the latest novelties for separate skirts and gowns, all new fall patterns. Monday special, per yard..... **\$1.18**

48-in. Dundee Cheviot, sponged..... **75c**
50-in. Pilot Cheviot, sponged..... **85c**
50-in. Standard Cheviot, sponged..... **\$1.00**
50-in. Camel's Hair Cheviot, extra heavy..... **\$1.25**
50-in. Camel's Hair Zibelina..... **\$1.50**

New—Oriental Rugs—New

In accordance with our annual custom, we announce at this time our regular August Sale of Oriental Rugs.

Our rug buyer has just returned from the market, and the fall purchases are now on exhibition. We have been more than usually successful this season in obtaining rare, choice specimens at reasonable prices. They will be offered accordingly. Monday we place on sale—

137 Antiques at \$7.00
235 Kazaks at \$16.00

We shall not indulge in extravagant statements regarding this offering. Our friends and patrons have been awaiting this announcement. Our general line of Orientals is the most imposing we have ever shown. Call and inspect.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. A. C. Cameron, of Memphis, Tenn., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cameron, of University avenue has returned home. Mrs. A. E. Cameron and sons, who were in St. Paul for the rest of the summer.

Miss Anna O'Donnell, of East Tenth street, left last evening for Paris, France. She will visit Chicago, Philadelphia, Washington, Jersey City, and New York, returning about Sept. 1.

Misses Lily Mueller and Clara Danara, trimmers at the Famous Millinery company, call this week for Paris, France, in the interest of the company. They will return in September.

Miss Bannon, of Fuller street, is entertaining her cousin, Miss Ada Fitzpatrick, from Ireland. Miss Fitzpatrick's visit will last three weeks, when she will leave for Paris.

Miss Craig, of Marshall avenue, will have as her guest during the next fortnight her sister, Mrs. Marion Craig Wentworth, of Chicago.

George H. Folger, of Louisa street, leaves this evening for a few weeks' vacation by way of the Great Lakes to Mackinac Island.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Sheehan and Miss Wm. Hyde, of Burr street, have gone to Mitchell, Io.

Mrs. E. J. Stark, of Ontario, is visiting

Remember, this is the Silk Headquarters of the Northwest.

Mannheimer Bros.

Sixth and Robert Streets, St. Paul, Minn.
Money Refunded on Any Unsatisfactory Purchase.

Silks—An Event Extraordinary.

A Monday Silk Sacrifice. To close out all this season's Fancy and Novelty Silks we have arranged a great Silk feast for the ladies of the Twin Cities. Thousands of pieces of the highest class silks, all new and fresh—in fact every piece of Fancy Silk in stock, nothing reserved, at these wonderfully

LOW PRICES: 19c, 27c, 39c, 49c, 69c, 89c a Yard.

Covers will be raised at 9:30. Call early for first choice. To add greater interest to this wonderful offering we will sell all our manufacturer's samples at just half former prices.

100 pieces for.....	50c	300 pieces for.....	150c	500 pieces for.....	250c
200 pieces for.....	100c	400 pieces for.....	200c	600 pieces for.....	300c

They are in lengths of a half to one yard, just the thing for fancy work and dress trimmings. Keep the Silk Samples in mind.

Something else of interest to shrewd Silk buyers:

85c Colored Taffetas, all shades.....	65c	50c Black Taffetas, 19-inch wide.....	37c
\$1.00 Black Taffeta, 22-inch wide.....	69c	\$1.25 Peau de Sole, 22-inch wide.....	89c
\$1.00 Cheney Bros.' Best Foulards.....	69c	85c White and Cream Taffeta, 20-inch wide.....	69c

We have a few very choice Colored and Black Grenadines for Monday. They will be sold at just HALF-PRICE. Everything ready at 9:30 sharp. Be on hand.

Fine Hosiery AND UNDERWEAR.

The Clearing Sale. Our stock of Summer Goods is rapidly approaching the vanishing point—so are the prices. Never were fine goods offered for so little money.

HOSIERY.

Ladies' 50c Sea Island Black Cotton Hose for.....	29c
Ladies' 75c Sea Island Black Cotton Hose for.....	49c
Ladies' \$1 Sea Island Black Cotton Hose for.....	69c

Clearing prices on Children's plain and fancy Hosiery.

VESTS.

Ladies' 20c Swiss Ribbed Vests for.....	10c
Ladies' 40c Lisle Thread Swiss Ribbed Vests for.....	25c
Ladies' 75c to 90c Imported Lisle and Fancy Silk Vests for.....	49c

Clearing prices on Children's Vests, Pants and Drawers.

Drapery Dep't.

The fourth floor bargains of last week will be distanced Monday in this great clearing out sale to make room for new goods.

All remaining pairs of Ruffled Muslin and Bobbinet Curtains at prices that will make you wonder—**\$1.35 95c** \$2.50 Ruffled Muslin, pair..... **\$1.49**
\$4.50 Ruffled Muslin, pair..... **\$3.25**
\$6.50 Ruffled Bobbinet, pair..... **\$4.00**

All one and two pair lots of Brussels, Irish Point, Renaissance, Cluny, Swisss, etc., at greatly reduced prices.

IRON BEDS—Two sizes, \$4.20
The \$6.00 ones for..... **\$5.50**
White Enamel Beds, 4 size, the \$8.50 size for..... **\$10.00**
\$15.00 ones, 4 size, for..... **\$10.00**

Best 40 pound Moss Mattresses, good ticking, the \$8.50 kind..... **\$6.90**

Special inducement on upholstering, if ordered NOW.

Tapestries—Our entire line of \$3.00 and \$3.50 goods..... **\$2.00**
Monday special..... **\$2.00**

Remnants at Bargain prices.

Our Traveling Bag Sensation.

The Greatest Bargains Yet. Don't Miss This Sale.

Special cut prices on Suit Cases—a wonder sale. High-cut Oxford Bags, beautifully made; brown color, leather lined and trimmed, best locks and catches; almost given away. Every one at sacrifice prices.

Regular \$4.00 Bags, 12-inch, only.....	\$2.89	Regular \$5.50 Bags, 15-inch, only.....	\$3.98
Regular \$4.50 Bags, 13-inch, only.....	\$3.15	Regular \$6.00 Bags, 16-inch, only.....	\$4.15
Regular \$5.00 Bags, 14-inch, only.....	\$3.48	Regular \$7.00 Bags, 18-inch, only.....	\$4.98

Furs—Phenomenal Prices—Furs.

FOR AUGUST ONLY. We are making great efforts to secure an August fur record, and with such pacemakers as guaranteed quality, style, fit and workmanship, and a special in the form of an EXTRA LOW CUT IN PRICES, we must have a winner. This cut prevails on remodeling, altering, repairing, etc.

SEAL COATS—London dyed, to order, 20 to 24 long..... **\$200**
OTTER COATS—To order, fine natural skins..... **\$150**
PERSIAN LAMB COATS, fine Leipzig dyed, skins..... **\$125**

Novelty combination coats to order, exclusive designs. Get estimates.

Millinery Clearing.

The greatest reductions ever known in thoroughly high class Millinery—a clearing out after one of our most successful seasons.

All our Trimmed and Untrimmed Millinery, Millinery Trimmings, Novelties, Flowers, etc., will go Monday absolutely regardless of cost or value.

As an extra special—all our 75c and \$1.00 Sailor Hats marked to sell at..... **25c**

\$1.50 and \$2.00 Sailors..... **50c**
\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00 Sailors..... **\$1.00**

Summer Gloves.

Ladies who buy Gloves in St. Paul are assured of the fact that we sell the best gloves made by the best glove makers of the world.

We have just received a new line of Ladies' Mitts—25c and 50c a pair.

We are showing a full line of Kayser Silk and Lisle Thread Gloves.

Dent's Gloves for women.

A Ribbon Flyer.

Just to liver up the Ribbon aisle we will put on Monday another great big lot of 3/4 and 4-inch Plain and Motif Taffeta Ribbons, all the staple and summer shades, the 25c yard kind, and..... **15c** give you all you want, at..... **15c**

Special Notice.

We are taking orders NOW for Handkerchiefs to be embroidered with initials, monograms, crests, fac-simile signatures, etc. We are showing a new lot of designs in embroidered effects. Orders placed now will be ready for fall delivery.

Your Mail Orders.

We are always ready to give out of town patrons the benefit of any special items advertised, and those who buy here through the U. S. Mails get just as good treatment as patrons who visit the store in person.

BUTTERICK PATTERNS—All September Patterns and the Delicatore now here. We are St. Paul agents.

Household Linens.

August Clearance Sale.

Monday our showing of reliable Linens from the best looms of Ireland and Scotland will surpass anything in the way of values ever shown in Minnesota.

29c Each for 40c Huck Towels, Wm. Liddell & Co.'s standard make, some are hemstitched, others plain hemmed, all are pure linen and extra heavy.

\$3.98 a dozen for \$5.00 Napkins, 25 inches square, Liddell's make, new designs.

\$5.25 Each for \$7.00 Table Cloths, 2x3 yards, new designs.

\$1.05 and **\$1.10** a yard for 68 and 72 inch Bleached DOUBLE SATIN DAMASK, value \$1.30 and \$1.50.

12c Each for hand spun all Linen Towels, size 17x34 inches, red borders only.

EXTRA VALUES—Napkins, \$1.05, \$1.95 and \$3.18 a dozen, in half dozen lots.

Men's Furnishings

Boy's Fancy Negligee Shirts, the balance of stock, worth 75c each. To close quick..... **39c**

Fancy Negligee Shirts for Men. Silk or Madras, worth \$1.50 each. Closing sale price..... **69c**

Boys' and Men's superior quality summer weight Jersey Sweaters, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, Monday special..... **\$1.15**

WEST ST. PAUL.

Miss Virginia de Haas and Miss Johanna Hall are in Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Klinkertues have returned from Le Mars.

Miss Lydia Wichman is visiting in Chicago and Galena, Ill.

Misses E. W. Le Mans, entertained Miss Phillips, of South Park.

Mrs. H. Liddle, of Prescott, is visiting Mrs. Charles Tisdale.

Mrs. James O. Red Wing, is a guest of Mrs. William Brink.

Mrs. H. E. Clark has returned from Le Cross.

Mrs. May Brant has returned from Farmington.

Miss Jennie Siebold entertained Friday afternoon at her home, 1217 Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin have gone to Seattle.

Mrs. John Seeger has returned from Waconia.

Mrs. Hugh White has returned from Indiana.

Mrs. Bitters and family have gone to Winona.

Miss Mary B. Fritzon and Bert S. Green were married Wednesday evening at their new home, 226 Bellows street, by Rev. Thomas Hamby, of Union Avenue M. E. church. Miss Rose Peir attended the bride, and Arthur L. Stoven the groom. The bride was dressed in white satin, trimmed with lace. Thirty guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Bottnau and daughter, of West Superior, Wis., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Gauthier, of East Winifred street.

The Foresters' team of Unity camp, M. W. A., gave a lawn social Friday evening at the residence of C. S. Shurman, East Congress street.

An ice cream social will be given on the lawn of the St. Pierre terrace Friday evening, Aug. 17, by Koenig, Louisa Lodge No. 5, O. D. H. S.

Mr. Nellings, of Pensacola, Fla., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Griffin, of East Isabel street, has returned home.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the English Lutheran Church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Murphy, of Midway avenue.

Capt. and Mrs. Duncan Ferguson and son James, of West Winifred street, have returned from an outing at Forest Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Heath, of Calumet, Mich., guests of Mrs. A. B. Harper, of Goff avenue, are visiting in Faribault.

Mrs. William Beaton and two sons, of Hall avenue, have gone to South Sydney, Cape Breton, for a six weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Randall, of Winifred street, entertained last week Mr. Albert Bucheher, of Bowdle, S. D.

Miss Laura Hubbard, of Aurora, Ill., was the guest last week of Mrs. D. D. Carter, of Abolucet, last week Mrs. Joseph Dingle, of East Isabel street, is in Wisconsin.

Mrs. T. J. Lockwood and Miss Alberta

E. B. Meyrowitz
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You might as well wear a becoming Eyeglass as a homely Spectacle. We can fit your nose with our celebrated Frameless Pivot Guard Eyeglass. It won't pinch or fall off. We make it in German Silver.

With Spherical Lenses for..... **\$2.00**
In 14-K Gold Filled for..... **\$3.00**
In Solid Gold for..... **\$4.50**

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