

NEWS OF THE CITY

Foresters Charter Steamer—Court Minnesota and companion Court Hiawatha, I. O. F., will give an excursion on the steamer J. J. Hill and barges Thursday evening, Aug. 13.

Cannot Hold Two Offices—In answer to a resident of White Bear, Assistant Attorney General Somers has given an opinion that a village recorder cannot serve on the village school board.

Place for Colored Man—An examination will be held at the general building, Sept. 2 for candidates for the appointment as chemist in the Freedmen's hospital, Washington, D. C. The position pays \$50 per month, and the department makes it a rule to appoint only colored persons.

Head Proves His Innocence—Harry Head, arrested on suspicion of having taken a wheel belonging to H. M. Luxton, was discharged in police court yesterday morning, he having proved that he had purchased Luxton's wheel from an Italian. The police have not yet found the Italian, but are looking for him.

Give Home to Second Wife—Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hasselberger, who a four days ago adopted one of the four Salm children, yesterday asked the court for permission to adopt another child. In addition to the little Salm orphan whom they gave new name and a home, they want to adopt Theresa McNolen, a child who was abandoned by her parents and who has been in their care for some time.

Will Hold Pentecostal Service—There will be an all-day meeting of the Minnesota State Pentecostal association at the St. James African M. E. church next Tuesday. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. G. G. Valentine, of the Park Avenue M. E. church, Minneapolis; at 2:30 p. m. by Rev. Peter Clare, presiding elder of the Mankato district, and at 8 p. m. by Rev. P. A. Corl, pastor of Fowler M. E. church, Minneapolis.

OBJECTS TO TAX ON HER KITCHEN PIANO

Woman Taxpayer Makes Protest to Board—Day's Work of Equalizers.

Mrs. Thomas Herrigan, of Cortland street, appeared before the board of equalization yesterday and demanded that the board explain why she had been assessed for \$151, an amount she asserted was very excessive.

"Do you own a piano?" asked a member of the board.

"No, it's a washboard I own. I go up on the hill and play on that," replied the woman, with some emphasis.

The matter of her assessment was referred to the miscellaneous committee.

The board was asked to reduce the assessment of the Northern Lined Oil company. The company had made a return of \$16,562, to which amount the assessor had added \$5,000. The representative of the company said the assessment was an arbitrary one and asked that it be reduced to the figure which had been returned.

Assessor Conley insisted that his figures were just and should stand. He thought the fact that the American Lined Oil company had been before the board on Tuesday had something to do with the application of the Northern company.

County Auditor Kramer was anxious that the board commence at once to compare the present assessment with that of last year, but other members of the board thought it best to follow the old rule and to do so after all of the objects had been heard.

Speed of a "Bubble" is in Question

Paul J. Kalman Charged With Exceeding Ordinance Regulations.

Paul J. Kalman was arrested yesterday morning on a warrant charging him with violating the automobile law, which was sworn out by a patrolman, alleges that Kalman drove his automobile along Western avenue at a speed greater than thirty miles an hour.

Kalman denies that he drove his machine at an unlawful speed. The hearing was continued till Tuesday.

CO-OPERATIVE METHOD FOR OBTAINING A HOME

Rent May Be Avoided and Payment Secured Against Loss.

C. A. Jones & Co., by their unique, up-to-date method, enables every one the ownership of a home at less than rent, including life insurance. By this plan the interests of the participants are watched over and carefully guarded by one of the strongest trust companies of this country.

By providing a stipulation to pay a small amount at stated periods, a person can secure for himself and family a home amounting to more than he could accumulate in many years by any other plan of investment. A man may propose to lay by a small sum of money monthly, but the experience of the world has shown that he will not do so unless some obligation is created.

The co-operative plan of procuring a home, buying mortgages or securities, adopted by C. A. Jones & Co., is radically different from that of any similar enterprise. The strength of this concern is found in the undoubted security which is afforded its agreement holders.

In the fulfillment of these agreements, not only is the holder's rent reduced, but he may have the gratification of living in his own home meanwhile. He is a co-owner of the life insurance policy sufficient to cover the amount of his agreement, which in the event of his death, before the money used by him has been paid by his monthly payments, against loss of such property. All moneys payable under this agreement, except the preliminary expense fee, are paid direct to the Northwestern Trust company, trustee, St. Paul, Minn., thus securing the fullest and safest protection. The trustee is in full custody of the agreement to the latter, and should C. A. Jones & Co. at any time cease further business, all funds received from various holders are applied to carry out the agreements issued.

Violin Cases, 40 Cts. Each Special for few days only. W. J. DYER & BRO.

COURT WILL HEAR PLEA FOR REMOVAL OF RECEIVER GRAVES

He Is Ordered to Appear in Court to Answer Serious Charges Contained in Complaint of the Petitioners.

Upon the petition of the Western Realty and Investment company, which owns claims against the defunct American Savings and Loan company aggregating \$100,037.48, Judge Lewis, in the district court, yesterday issued an order citing the receiver of the defunct company, Edward B. Graves, to appear in court Friday, July 31, and show cause why he should not be removed from the position. He is also ordered to bring into court all of the books and accounts of the concern, of which he has been receiver since its failure, in 1898.

This is the second attempt made to have Mr. Graves removed from the receivership, the first being last August, at which time the application was denied.

It is charged by the petitioners that Graves is dissipating the assets of the concern with a recklessness and expense that is altogether out of proportion to the size of the holdings. He is also charged with neglect, bad judgment and incompetency.

According to the petitioner, Graves, as receiver, has been allowed \$300 per month compensation from the beginning of the receivership. At the start Graves made a report showing assets of \$113,000. In a later report, made Oct. 6, 1902, his report showed that the assets had diminished \$15,185.96. In the time intervening between the two reports the receiver had expended \$31,321.37, the items of expenditure being as follows:

Taxes paid \$7,851.12 Insurance premium 1,207.82 Repairs on property 2,694.89 Traveling expenses 444.14 Stationery and printing 444.14 General expenses 2,734.03 Commissions 205.50 Attorney's fees 694.98 Office force 6,194.50 Receiver's allowance 7,500.00

Mr. Tighe dissects the report in this language: "The item of office force included \$1,750.00 paid to stenographers, \$250 paid to a collector, and \$3,500 paid to a salaried collector and office assistant. In addition thereto, and included in the item of general expenses, was an item of office rent, aggregating \$1,596, or \$28.50 per month. The receiver's compensation for the fifty-six months, at the rate of \$300 per month, aggregated \$16,800, of which only \$7,860.20 had been paid, leaving a balance due on this account of \$8,939.80.

"It cost \$40,261.17 to administer an estate of \$38,000, which had meanwhile earned \$10,940, or about \$30,000 in excess of its income, and in spite of such expenditures, said receiver had accumulated no fund out of which any dividend should be paid to said creditors."

It is asserted that eighty-seven creditors, holding claims amounting to \$134,683.17, have petitioned the public examiner for the removal of Mr. Graves as receiver, but that no attention has been paid to their request. The petitioners assert that they know but little of what has been done by the receiver since Sept. 1, 1902, but they have learned from the court records that eight pieces of real estate have been sold, for less than a total of \$18,000. They presume that the expenses have been going on at the rate of \$718 per month, and for these reasons and others they want the receiver brought into court and made to explain the condition of the assets at the present time.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Graves as receiver, but that no attention has been paid to their request.

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COLLINS LOVELY WILL ADDRESS WORKING MEN

He Is Chosen Labor Day Orator for St. Paul.

The principal speaker at the labor picnic, to be held on Harriet island Monday, Sept. 7, will be Collins Lovely, first vice president of the International

Shoe Workers' union. The committee having the picnic in charge met Wednesday and arranged the details of the affair. The same committee will have charge of the labor parade during the carnival, Monday evening, Aug. 3.

Watch Your Boy. He may have mechanical genius. Did you ever think of this? Have him taught a useful trade. For particulars address (or call) Stone's Practical School of Watchmaking and Jeweling, Globe Bldg., Cor. 4th & Cedar Sts., St. Paul.

Violin Cases, 40 Cts. Each Special for few days only. W. J. DYER & BRO.

2.00 wash petticoats 1.25

About 100 in the lot—gingham, linen and chambray materials, all neat and pretty full deep flounces, also trimmed with torchon lace insertion and lace edge—1.25 instead of 2.00 Monday. These petticoats will be found in the women's muslin underwear room.



15.00 walking skirts 7.75

A most remarkable sale Women's tailored skirts

The history of how we got these skirts and why the price was lowered is intensely interesting and will serve to demonstrate one of the many merchandising processes by which we are enabled to benefit you. A month ago one of the foremost ladies' custom tailors in the country retired from business, and an immediate adjustment of their affairs was required. One of the first things to be done was the turning into cash of all the yard goods on hand; right here is where our opportunity came, and we secured the entire line of fine wool materials—cheviots—tweeds—men's-wear imported fabrics, etc., and all have been made up for us into the latest and most stylish

Walking skirts and in the most fashionable styles that well-dressed women are wearing in the East today.

Every skirt is thoroughly shrunken—most skillfully tailored—every new and stylish touch is added—and they will most surely hang to perfection.

Seven seventy-five each

All-over embroideries, skirtings, flouncings, etc., to be hurried out Monday

Half price! Yes, half-price and less.

You may expect to find these soiled and rumpled a little. But then, that's the reason they're marked to go. If you've had any thought of adding to your summer wardrobe, or if you have a gown that lacks a little something and you don't know just what—attend this sale. These give distinction to anything they touch.

45-inch embroidery all-overs in fine batiste and swiss, handsome open-work embroidery done in white, cream or ecru and in the old English designs; reduced as follows: 5.00 a yard all-overs at 2.00 6.25 a yard all-overs at 2.75 14.00 a yard all-overs at 4.50 15.00 a yard all-overs at 5.98

Embroidered flouncings 27 inches wide and exceedingly handsome—2.00 values reduced to 1.25 were 5.00 a yard, now 2.75

45-inch embroidered skirtings in fine French batiste and swisses, embroidered in cream and white on cream and white material, all reduced from former prices as follows: 5.75 a yard skirtings at 2.98 12.50 a yard skirtings at 5.00 14.00 a yard skirtings at 7.50

Bands and appliques in cream, white and ecru. 2.00 values reduced to 1.25 1.50 values reduced to 75c

Kimonos and sacques

These thin things are not only cool and comfortable but they're the most becoming morning garb a woman can wear. You can buy the prettiest of them Monday at almost makers' cost.

Long kimonos, in figured lawn, yoke back, finished with band of solid color. Also a lot of dressing sacques in white and colors, daintily trimmed—1.50 former value—89c Monday at 2.25

Dressing sacques of fine sheer lawn and Swiss, with trimming of fine lace and embroidery. Also long Kimono Robes in colors and white, formerly 3.50—now reduced to 2.25

Bargains fine underwear

Monday a cleaning-up will take place on many of the lines of summer underwear. A vast business in the finer grades has left short stocks, odds and ends, and bargains are the order of the day.

Silk vests—plain or fancy, low neck and in either white, pink or sky blue, lace and crochet trimmed, were \$1.10 and 1.25. Your opportunity Monday, at each 85c

Silk union suits—the fine imported ones that sell regularly at 3.50. All have low neck, and will be closed out at, each 2.75

Clearance prices on domestic wash stuffs

Only the best American dress cottons are found in this department, finest weaves, handsomest designs. Such being the case it seems surprising to find such low prices prevailing at the time when these cottons are most in demand. Here's the secret—we prefer to make our clearance while you can use the goods and while assortments are good, instead of waiting till late to do you good.

Supply your wants now—prices have reached the rock bottom.

At nine cents There are fine batistes that formerly were 15c, 18c and 20c. Dimities never worth less than 15c, some 18c and 20c; and satin stripe batiste, excellent 18c values; all colorings represented, and there are many blacks and whites 9c

At fifteen cents Includes fine sheer materials that formerly were 18c, 20c and 25c. Dotted and striped Swisses, finest batistes and dimities, tissues, madras, etc. A great many neat effects in small figures and stripes. Qualities specially good 19c

At twelve and a half cents These are the finest American fabrics, most of which were priced at 30c and 35c yard. Embroidered Swisses, crepe madras, finest tissues, mercerized batistes, printed india linons, etc., all at the season's best fabrics 12 1/2c

1.50 black etamines at 98c

Sale will take place at Black Goods Counter Monday, and gives you an unequalled opportunity to secure a dress—a skirt—of the most fashionable and seasonable fabric known.

10 pieces to sell—45 inches wide—all wool—made in France—a cloth of exceptional quality and only 98c a yard. They'll be closed out Monday.

stocking items. One lot of fancy lisle stockings, a medley of kinds and all high-grade 60c or over qualities, plain black, colored and fancy lace pattern. Choice, 40c Monday, the pair 18c

Our entire line of 25c stockings, black lace lisle, on special sale Monday at the very low price, per pair 18c

ST. PAUL'S SILK SELLING STORE. Field, Schlick & Co.

Entrances—Wabasha, Fourth, Fifth and St. Peter Streets. Let us remind you—That in trading here, not only on Saturday, the half holiday, but every day in the week and all the time, you are demonstrating your sympathy with liberal store methods, and helping in our efforts to make pleasanter and easier the conditions of our salespeople. The store closes every Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock during July and August.

A greater sale black silks

This time one kind—one quality—one price! 1.75 and 2.00 qualities, full yard wide, black dress taffeta silk at 1.00

The splendid success of last week's black silk sale prompted us to make an extra effort to secure, if possible, more black silks as high grade or better and at as tempting a price as possible. It was noticeable that the Taffeta Silks went first in a week-ago's sale and when our buyer secured this lot it was quickly bought up.

Sale starts at 9 a. m. Here then, for Monday, is nothing but Taffeta Silk—36 inches wide—of exceptionally high quality—made by the best makers in America—silk that cannot be duplicated under 1.75 a yard --no better wearing silk could be bought even at 2.00 a yard, and equal in every respect to that frequently sold at 1.35 or more on special sale occasions. Monday at just one dollar. 1.00 yard 1.00 yard 1.00 yard 1.00 yard 1.00 yard

This is just a chance purchase of 1,130 yards—not many for us, but enough to supply the wants of many who fully appreciate high quality for little money. This is one of those bargains which are never repeated—Coms at 9 o'clock.

No telephone orders will be filled—No C. O. D.'s—None on approval.

Extra SILKS Extra Verily! A sensation

A purchase of magnificent new Foulard Silks arrived at the last moment and go on sale Monday at the usual silk sale hour, 9 a. m.

3,100 yards 1.00 and 1.25 new foulard silks at 49c

We think they're the most beautiful Foulards we've ever offered you at any price, certainly they're the richest and best 1.00 and 1.25 ones made—this season's latest designs of course.

Time for only a brief description:—There are large and small designs on all sorts of beautiful color grounds, such as red, goblin, navy, black, tan brown, also white, some are in five and six-color combinations. These silks are full 24 inches wide and while good for this summer, you can wear them all next winter too.

You will understand better what these are when we tell you that they are the very qualities you see advertised at 69c to 98c special. On tables promptly at 9 o'clock. Plenty of extra salespeople.

Lace curtain "corner" sale

25c 50c 1.00

A "corner" A "corner" A "corner" These are the prices you'll be asked to pay tomorrow for "corners" or traveling men's samples of high-grade lace curtains worth up to 30.00 a pair.

A "corner" is a full half curtain, and represents the best product of the manufacturer. 2,000 in the sale for Monday, sorted into three lots.

And we promise you the most sensational bargain opportunity this curtain store has known in years. There are Nottingham Lace Curtains—Irish Point Lace Curtains—Brusse's, Battenberg and Arabian Lace Curtains, etc. Some are very large and there are many matched patterns.

1000 at 25c 600 at 50c 400 at 1.00

Containing lace curtains valued at 6.00 to 10.00 a pair. "Corners" of curtains valued up to 20.00 a pair. "Corners" of fine curtains valued up to 30.00 a pair.

For small windows, transoms, hall doors, sash curtains or for drapery uses, nothing could be more handsome or appropriate at twenty times the cost. Come at 8 o'clock if you want the costliest matched pieces.

Now comes your opportunity to own a fine Parasol

at very much under price. The entire line is included—fancy dress and the long handle coaching beauties, in fancy colors and pure white. The reductions are as follows:

The 2.00 parasols are now 1.69 The 2.75 parasols are now 2.25 The 3.50 parasols are now 2.55 The 4.50 parasols are now 3.50 The 5.00 parasols are now 3.50

Black carriage parasols will be absolutely closed out as follows: Regular 2.00 ones at only 1.45 Regular 2.50 ones at only 1.65 Regular 5.00 ones at only 2.50 Regular 6.00 and 7.50 ones at only 4.00

Men's summer socks and Underwear undergoing a rigid test. What-ever isn't moving fast enough, or is in broken sizes, gets a new price tomorrow—a quarter, and more in some cases being cut off.

Two lines in one lot—lisle shirts and drawers—imported goods, in pure white, one line plain, the other a mesh; always 1.00 a garment. Tomorrow only 75c

A little lot of fancy socks for men, lisle and cotton; socks that sell regularly up to 35c a pair—reduced to 21c

The bathing season is at its full now and many odd lines of men's bathing suits are reduced when you most need them. 1.00 suits reduced to 78c 2.00 suits reduced to 1.60 2.50 suits reduced to 2.00

Major R. A. Smith has appointed a St. Paul delegation to attend the Trans-Mississippi congress, as follows: R. A. Hoyt, John Caulfield, J. M. Hawthorne, W. T. Kirk, Theodore L. Schurmer, H. A. Boardman, W. P. Jewett, H. C. McNair and W. V. Woshike.

GIRL IS SUFFERING FROM BITE OF DOG

Serious Conditions Develop, Though Wound Was Promptly Dressed.

Queenie Silberman, eight-year-old daughter of Othmar J. Silberman, 352 Pleasant avenue, was bitten by a neighbor's dog Thursday afternoon, and, though the bite was small, it is feared that she is suffering from the effects of it. The little girl yesterday complained of acute pains, running from the wound to the back of her neck, and her parents became alarmed.

See the notice of State Savings Bank under announcement.

BEDBUGS FIGURE IN SUIT FOR DAMAGES

Tenant Says They Evicted Him—Agent Claims Alibi for Them.

Justice of the Peace Hoff has been called upon to name the amount of damages which should be paid for a bedbug bite. There is nothing in the law books, so far as the justice can determine, which throws any light on the question, so he has taken time to ponder over the matter.

Giles At Buck is the man who says he was bitten by the bedbugs, which

he had expended considerable money and tried every known means to rid the place of the pests. He says he expended \$10 for poison, tried the services of a professional bug exterminator and in addition to this a number of home remedies. In spite of his efforts the pests appeared to thrive. After he left the place he says he expended \$50 in ridding his furniture of the bedbugs, and for this amount he puts in a counterclaim.

Mr. Scott denies that the place was in the condition set forth by Buck, and it is left for Justice Hoff to decide.

American Tent and Awning Co., 16 W. 3rd Telephone T. C. 1622; N. W. 1623 J-1.

Trans-Mississippi Delegates.

Dr. E. V. Appleby, H. T. Black, J. A. Stees, Joseph Lockety and W. D. Flower, St. Paul; J. S. Bell and J. S. McLain, Minneapolis; G. Barker, Duluth; W. P. N. McDonald, Excelsior, and O. H. Havill, St. Cloud, were yesterday named as delegates by Gov. Van Sant to the Trans-Mississippi congress which meets in Seattle next month.

Mrs. Silberman yesterday reported the case to the health department, and the dog was placed in quarantine. The dog was not mad when the girl was bitten, and the wound was carefully dressed and cauterized. Her physician said last night that she is in no danger of serious consequences of the bite.

While working on a house owned by Ald. Buschmann, 922 Beech street, Fritz Link, a carpenter, was seized with cramps in the stomach, as a result, it is believed, of eating a large quantity of new potatoes for breakfast. Mr. Link gathered the first crop of young potatoes from his garden yesterday morning, and said last night he had eaten to excess. Link was taken to his home, 721 Winslow avenue, in the police ambulance, and was nearly entirely recovered last night.