

See Our Windows
for Prices
On Ladies'
Summer
Underwear

J. C. PENNY CO. PRICE LIST

WHY PAY MORE?

At any special sale than the regular every day price which prevails at our store, where quality is always the standard and the price is always the lowest. It will interest our patrons to know that our fall purchases for 1918 for staple goods only, which includes muslins, gingham, percales, sheetings, etc., amounting to \$1,120,443. Is there any wonder we can save you money. If you need anything herein listed we are sure you will realize that this store with its mammoth purchasing power can and does undersell.

We expect to be in our new location August 15th.

Are You
Buying Your
Share of
Thrifty
Stamps?

New Fall Gingham
Red Seal and other well known brands,
large fancy plaids and neat stripes, also
plain colors, every day price
25c

Boys' Percal Blouses, all sizes,
our regular price..... **49c**
Play Suits, khaki or stifel blue
stripe, at **98c**

Men's Uncle Sam Work Shirts,
blue and grey **69c**
Men's Two-Piece Underwear,
shirt and drawers **39c**
Others at **45c**

Ladies' Selicia Underskirts, white
and black floral stripe, wide
founce **\$1.19**
Ladies' Black Sateen Underskirts **98c**
Ladies' Heatherbloom Underskirts **\$1.69**

25-Inch PERCALE
15c
36-Inch PERCALE
25c
BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS

Corsets
98c up to
\$3.98
Brassiers
49c to \$1.98

**Ladies' Silk and Serge
Dresses**
\$14.75, \$17.50,
\$19.75, \$24.75

**SILK
GLOVES**
49c, 69c
73c

Ladies' Bungalo Aprons, light
percale **79c**
Beautiful New Solid Colored Or-
gandies, 40 in. wide **69c**
Muslin Underskirts **69c**
Muslin Gowns **98c**
Muslin Combinations **79c, \$1.23**
Envelope Chemise **98c**

Georgette Crepes, 40 in. wide, all
silk **\$1.49**
Fancy stripe skirting silks, very
fine patterns, 36 in. **\$1.89**
Plain colored taffeta, 36 in. wide,
at **\$1.69**

Turkish bath towels, full size
at **12c, 15c, 19c, 29c**
Hand towels, Huck, bordered
at **8c, 15c**
Ladies' Silk Hose **49c, 59c, 79c**

MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS
69c
Men's dress shirts, Madras **49c**
Men's dress half hose, black, 15c

SHOES
Ladies' white canvas pumps, covered heel,
at **\$2.19**
Children's sandals **79c**
Ladies' washable kid shoes, white ivory
soles **\$4.98**
Men's dress shoes **\$2.98**

Fruit of the Loom Muslin,
at **29c**
Other grades in bleached
muslin as low as **15c**
Pepperel sheeting, 2 1/4 yard
wide, bleached **53c**
Pepperel sheeting, 2 1/4 yard
wide, unbleached **49c**

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Our Opening
Dates at
New Store on
Beltrami Ave.

J. C. Penney Co.
Incorporated
197 BUSY STORES
Where Your Dollars Buy The Most

Compare
Our
Prices

**Ladies' Silk
Parasols**
**98c up to
\$3.98**

UNIFORMITY TO GOVERN DRILLS IN BATTALIONS

Bemidji's Home Guard company and the Twenty-first battalion band are to receive an invitation to attend the dedication of the new armory at Cass Lake in about 90 days, as soon as the new structure is completed, and the event is to be made the most of. Cass Lake is not a member of the Twenty-first but Bemidji will be extended the courtesy of an invitation.

The business men of Cass Lake donated the site for the new armory and \$15,000 has been subscribed for the building. It will be an ornament to the city and will fill a needed purpose.

Major Swinson of the Twenty-first battalion and his aide, Lieut. Barker; Major Mitchell of the general

aide, Lieut. H. E. Reynolds, attended a conference of three battalion officers at Cass Lake yesterday and it was decided to during the winter make special efforts to give all company members the same instruction. Frequently, members have arrived late for drill and missed something important. Hereafter, those unable to be on time promptly will be given the instruction missed.

PATRIOTIC PROGRAM AT GUTHRIE SCHOOL TONIGHT

A patriotic program will be held this evening at the Guthrie school house at 8 o'clock, given by the War Saving Stamp society. The numbers are:

Star Spangled Banner—Audience.
Reading—"Flags Fraternal," Miss Irene McPherson.
Solo—"Bring Back My Daddy to Me," Alma Elmquist.

Reading—"Things That Make a Soldier Brave," Miss Myrtle Madison.
Song—"Keep the Home Fires Burning," Bemidji young folks.
Solo—"America My Country," Raymond Hannah.

Reading—"The Americanizing of Andre Francois," Miss Pearl Brownlee.

Solo—Miss Irvine McPherson.
Song—"America Will Win the War," Bemidji young folks.

Address—Rev. L. P. Warford.
Organist—Miss Alice Elmquist.
Mr. Elwell, Mr. Wallace and Mr. Elmquist will take the young folks in their cars. The chaperons are: Mrs. Warford, Mrs. Essler, Miss Wallace and Mrs. Brownlee.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

The Grand Forks Herald says: "Henry Helgeson of Bemidji arrived in the city Tuesday evening and after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Helgeson of North Fourth street will leave for Osnabrock, N. D., where he has accepted a position."

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stechman of Tenstrike autoed to Minneapolis this week. They were accompanied back by their daughter, Miss Jeanette Stechman, who had attended summer school there. Miss Stechman will teach in the Tenstrike school this fall.

Mrs. A. Stohl and daughters, Misses Lillie and Maudie Stohl of Pine-wood, are in the city and will make their home here. They have sold their store at Pine-wood to the Pine-wood Mercantile company. Thomas Hughes and Thomas Ervin, proprietors.

Miss Mae Condon, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Zacharias and family of this city for several days, returned to International Falls Wednesday. She will return to Bemidji for a few days longer visit before returning to her duties at Dassel.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Griffith and little daughter, Jeanne, will arrive in the city this evening, and will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marcum at their summer home at Birchmont, and Mr. and Mrs. George T. Baker for a few weeks. Mr. Griffith was formerly connected with Armour & Company of this city and is now traveling auditor for the same firm.

George Backhurst, rector of the Episcopal church, and family, left yesterday on a missionary motor trip throughout the White Earth reservation. They will visit White Earth, Beaulieu, Nay-tak-Waush and Wild Rice Rapids, where the reverend will hold special services at the various Episcopal missions, of which he is the superintendent. A special feature of the services this year will be to dedicate the service flag of each church, all of which have sent boys to the front.

There is something for you in the Want Ad column today. It's on the second page.

HAS RESPONDED NOBLY FOR WAR RELIEF WORK

No class has responded more graciously for war relief work than have the professional singers and instrumentalists. The world's greatest artists have given of their time and talents for the several relief organizations and for patriotic purposes. One of the world's foremost singers, Mme. Francesca Zard, the distinguished French prima donna soprano, has appeared in concerts both in this country and in her beloved France; has sung in the convalescent hospitals back of the trenches; has appeared in this cantonments in this country and has literally sung her way to thousands of soldiers' hearts.

Now this splendid artist, after an arduous concert season, has embarked on what she calls a patriotic tour, singing for the several war relief organizations in many of the important cities of the United States and Canada. Madame Zard will be heard here in one of her most attractive programs, Sunday and Monday nights in the First M. E. church.

The management has deemed it advisable to open the doors to the public at large without charge, leaving it to the individual to give whatever he or she feels the cause and the talent are worth. In other words, one's own conscience will be the price regulator. Madame Zard has appeared, with distinguished success, the past winter in more than sixty of the great educational institutions in this country, as well as soloist with many of the great symphony orchestras.

BOYS AND GIRLS POULTRY CLUB MEETS TOMORROW

Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock there will be a poultry meeting of the boys and girls clubs in the high school building and in the afternoon at the same place there will be a garden meeting at 2 o'clock. H. Olin, agricultural teacher, urges that all members be there and on time.

NEW SALESMAN.

W. R. Nelson of Minneapolis arrived in Bemidji yesterday morning, having accepted a position with Koors Bros. company as traveling salesman. Mr. Nelson is a brother-in-law of R. A. Olson of this city.

RED CROSS NOTES

INTERESTING LETTER.

In these days when money giving and money raising has become more or less a matter of habit, one wonders what will be the result of the following starting article. One can imagine men stricken with exhaustion caused from an evening passed in dancing, or card-playing, with pockets weighted down by a lump sum, intended for the Red Cross. One wonders what small patriotic children will give as an excuse to have their weekly "show" and lemonade stand.

But, most of all, one wonders just

what, in the absence of Red Cross silver teas, musicals and lawn fetes will be the ponderous reason set forth, for that small but useful increase in friend wife's weekly allowance.

However, the request can hardly be overlooked, coming as it does from G. E. Scott, acting general manager of the American Red Cross. According to the letter which follows, Red Cross organizations are asked not to engage in money solicitation campaigns for several months.

The letter reads as follows:

The response to the second war fund campaign has been so generous that it would seem on all accounts desirable to have our chapters refrain from the public for Red Cross purposes for some months to come.

We have reports from some sections of the country that special contributions are being solicited by auxiliaries of chapters who undertake to

finance their activities independent of the chapter and the impression created by the attempt to raise such funds, following so closely on the war fund campaign, is apt to be unfortunate. We are apt also to be criticised if, too soon after the war fund campaign, the public is asked to patronize entertainments of one sort or another for the benefit of the Red Cross.

"Will you please urge upon the chapters in your division the desirability of cutting down the number of entertainments for the next few months, and of stopping all other attempts to raise additional money."

"There are cases of auxiliaries which are supported by some regular plan of contributions by their own membership and we are not suggesting that this arrangement be interfered with where it is agreeable to the chapter and the auxiliary."

Farmers-- Attention

We want to suggest a few important matters to which you should give your attention at once.

1. Make your granary or corn crib safe.
2. Build a silo, save ALL your corn.
3. Build a concrete feeding floor. Save all your feed, you can't spare any for the rats.
4. Build a manure pit. Save all the manure value.
5. Make your barn, your hog house and your chicken house comfortable for winter.
6. Build a machine shed, make your machines last longer and do better work.

Let us help you plan and figure on these buildings if you have not already erected them.

St. Hilare Lumber Co.

We Reduce Your Board Bill
111—Phones—100

For the day in the open

When you go away from town for a day's fun you'll enjoy yourself more if you take along some of the conveniences for autoists and picnickers which you can get at Barker's.

Icy Hot Bottles

They keep hot things hot for 24 hours; cold things cold for much longer time. All sizes—**\$2.50 to \$10.00**

Scott's Tissue Paper Towels

A mighty handy thing to have along, whether out for a day only or camping—**25c, package of 100**

Picnic Outfits

Packages of paper napkins, table cloths, and wooden plates. With these you serve things attractively, and save a big laundry bill.

Lunch Boxes

Strong, light weight, sanitary containers. They keep the food clean and appetizing—**\$3.00 to \$35.00**

For Sunburn and Mosquito Bites

We have a splendid line of cold creams and lotions to apply for sunburn and insect bites. Pennyroyal, punk and other mosquito preventers.

**Barker's
Drug & Jewelry Store**
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