MARRYING PARSON SAYS WAS FOOLED

Gives as Reason for Marrying Fourteen-Year-Old Girl that License Said She Was Eighteen.

MOTHER ALSO WAS WITH HER Girl Leaves Boy Husband Immedi-

ately After the Wedding-Other Cases Involving Fourteen-Year-Old Girls.

Rev. Charles W. Savidge, the "marrying parson." appeared in juvenile court in answer to a summons to explain why he married Blanche Stevens, aged 14, and Russell Long, aged 20.

Rev. Mr. Savidge declared that he was "fooled" by the facts that the mother of the girl was present and that the license showed the boy to be 21 and the girl 18. He declared the girl appeared to be 18, Mrs. Frances Mendicino, the girl's mother. has been arrested, charged with aiding and abetting the delinquency of a minor.

Probation efficers declared that Blanche is of good character. She left the boy

husband immediately after the ceremony. She told the court that her mother compelled her to get married for the purpose of releasing her from the Creche in Counell Bluffs, whither she had been sent by order of the juvenile court. The young husband has been arrested

on a statutory charge, involving an alleged attack on Alta Madison, 14, a friend of Blanche, asserted to have been committed two days before the marriage. Blanche is to be a witness in this case. In another case, also involving two 14year-old girls, Juvenile Judge Sears ordered that charges of aiding and abetting delinquency be filed against Mrs. Bessie Morgan, Sixteenth and Cuming streets.

Dreary Old World If Everybody Was Rich, Says Opie Read

Opie Read thinks this would be a dreary old world if everybody in it had a mil-Hon dollars.

"Think of it, just think of it," he asserted at the Auditorium that was almost filled with people last night. "If everybody was worth \$1,000,000 and a man asked another to do some work, he would just put on a high-up air and tell him to change climates.

"Too much money cripples good fellowship. There was never a falser belief than that money and ignorance can make a man happy. I would like to impress this on the young man who hasn't got a dollar."

The novelist came out as one of his characters-Lim Jucklin-and in Lim's lingo flitted with quick vision and quaint observation from one corner of the

universe to the other. "Poverty doesn't mean virtue, any more than ignorance means rightsousness," said Mr. Jucklin, in his plea that the money god be pulled down.

The world isn't nearly so bad as most of the "God - help - us - we're - going - to pieces" chautauqua lecturers would have us believe, according to Mr. Read.

"When we're beginning to hear about evils they are more likely to be going than coming," he said. "In pessimiam there can be nothing but stagnation and

Speaking of the "Chaos of Europe," Mr. Read asked:

Who knows but what every throne the face of the earth is tottering to its full?" He asserted that "sorry is the man who has let romance go out of his soul." He also let it be known that for the man without imagination and human sympathy he has no use. At the Rome hotel, where Mr. Read is

stopping, several old-time printers, who used to labor in the vineyard with him in Little Rock, Ark., where the newspaper career of Opic. Read began, called to pay their respects. He chatted with them for s long time of the "golden days."
"He's written just what he found there

in some of his books," said one printer, with a chuckle.

Mr. Read appeared as one of the Red-

Cute Little Coupe Has Some Fun With Dr. O. S. Hoffman

Dr. O. S. Hoffman, who is the proud possessor of a cute little coupe which he boasts can do anything any other car in the world can do, rolled merrily up front of the Bee building at noon and stopped his machine just at the curb, preparatory to disembarking to enter his office. Just as he had started to clamber ure, the cute little coupe made a head-on charge at a cigar sign outside of Wirthsafter's cigar store. The coupe hurdled the curb despite the frantic efforts of the doctor and banged into the sign. The sign was mutilated after the encounter, but the soupe was unscratched and still belligerent. How the car started is a mystery, but Dr. Hoffman says it is a great little coups and starts just as well without a self-starter as with one.

Metcalfe Again in Editorial Chair

The first number of the Omaha Nehraskan, under the editorship of Richard Metcaif, has made its appearance. It has eight pages and is all home print and the promise is made that it will be published every Thursday afternoon. On the editorial page of the Omaha Nebraskan, Mr. Metcalfe, in a double column, leaded 'editorial, expinins why his has again put on the newspaper harness and on other pages of his paper, he devotes considerable space to boosting for Omaha and Nebraska.

Miss Antin Coming to Speak in Omaha

Mary Antin, the Russian Jewess who won prominence by her publications, "The Promised Land" and "They Who Knock at Our Gates," will be brought to Omaha by the Political Equality lengue March 22 or 23. Miss Antin is said to be a britlast speaker. Her husband is Prof. Amadus Grabau of Columbia university. The ment is made by Miss Jeanette McDonald of the suffrage league.

Croup and Cough Remedy. Dr. King's New Discovery gives almost instant relief-first dose helps, best remedy for coughs, colds and lung trouble. 50c and \$1.00. All dealers.-Ad-

TO OPEN BIDS FOR THE GIRLS HOME WEDNESDAY

Bids for the contract of building the new working gtris' home, for which the Creighton endowment was left, are not to be opened until Wednesday neon. It was announced a few days ago that

CONFIDENCE MEN ARE

but this date has been postponed

IDENTIFIED BY VICTIM

Harry Alberts and Hugh Anderson, bound over to the district court for the they would be opened at the office of theft of merchandles from Klipatrick's

stere, were identified by Aivin Hand, ARMIES GIVE BIG ORDER Architect John McDonald Saturday neon, Bixty-fourth and Woolworth avenue, whom they shortchanged of \$30 while the young man was waiting for a train at the Burlington station.

FOR AMERICAN SLEIGHS CHICAGO, Dec. 5.-The Tankee sleigh

has become a necessity in the European war, became known today. Orders have been placed with a South Bend, Ind., firm liards to bridge.

Tom-Yes; every time the balls kiss we for 3,000 sleighs to be used in the transfollow their example.—Boston Transcript.

portation of supplies.

ARTICLE IN THE BEE FINDS HOMES FOR TWO YOUNG BOYS

old, have found fester-parents.

FINED HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR OBSCENE LETTER

As a result of an article in The Bee After plending guilty to the charge of telling of the desire of juvenile author- having written and mailed an obscene Jack-You and Kitty seem to prefer bil- by the British and French governments littles to find a home for Wiley Bolds, aged letter, Solomon Johnson of Greeley, Colo., 16, he and Reginald LeKazia, also 16 years was fined 2100 and costs in federal court by Judge Page Morris. He paid the fine,

Sunday, Dec. 6 1914

Shopping Days

Till Xmas

Public Service Bureau.

Monthly accounts.

-Glove bonds issued.

and Found Desk.

-Adjustments made.

-Wagon calls issued

-Checks cashed.

-Information bureau.

Gift certificates issued.

-Shopping guide bureau.

—Shopping guides furnished. Bureau of Adjustment and Lost

Tickets for all theaters.

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY

STORE NEWS FOR MONDAY

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY

Phone Douglas 137

Our ONE WORD of ADVICE To ALL IS--- "SHOP EARLY"--- NOW

S HOP early in the day—for your comfort and satisfaction—for everybodys comfort and satisfaction. If you shop early in the day selections can be made more critically, more intelligently, more satisfactorily.

If you shop early the merchandise displays are better arranged, assortments are more complete, salespeople can give you more in-dividual attention.

Burgess-Nash Company Christmas Bureau Is Ready And has for its object the lessening of your

Christmas burdens. Here parcels will be wrapped for delivery by mail, express, parcel post or in person. We will also address your parsels for you upon request and hold them for shipment just before Christmas, by any method you specify. Here are some of the conveniences under the jurisdiction of the Christmas Serv-MAIN FLOOR-Postoffice.

-Lost and found articles. Stamps, parcel post, money or--Free telephone for customers ders, registered and insured who wish to phone regarding their purchases. -Information and suggestions

-Weighing packages, Red Cross seals and stamps. for Christmas shopping.

Interpreters furnished for those who cannot easily speak the Telephone and electric light English language. Transfer Deak

-Transfers settled. "Will Call" packages delivered and part payments received. Accommodation Desk. -Parcels sent through our De-

livery Department.

Check Desk.

-Wraps, suit cases, umbrellas or packages checked free of charge.
BURGESS-NASH COMPANY.

Jewelry Novelties, Silverware and Leather Goods That Make Very Practical and Acceptable Christmas Gifts

35.00 Comb, Brush and Mirror Set, \$3.98 Impire art silver (Quadruple

plated) comb, brush and mir-cor sets in Daisy, wild rose und other patterns; 6-inch date mirror, large good bris-le brush; \$5.00 values . \$3.95 Gold Filled Watch, \$10.00

ment, gold filled chain, gold shell link and scarf pin. the entire combination in velvet lined box \$18.50 Watch Bracelet, \$11.50 20-year gold filled adjustable bracelet and guaranteed watch case, 7-jewel movement; \$15.50

Diamonds for Gifts

is nothing that is more acceptable—We a splendid showing of fine cut, beautiful sparkling stones at prices that will interest you.

S50 Solitaire Diamond Bings, \$37.50

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1-4 Karat beautifully cut brilliant dlamonds, white and snappy, Tiffany mountings, platinum lined, \$50.00 value \$37.50

Diamond Bings, \$25.00

21-100 of a karat brilliant white diamonds, mounted in 14 karat solid gold Tiffany, platinum lined rings, special at \$25.00

So,oo Diamond Bings, \$3.48

We have full cut diamonds in 16 karat gold, Tiffany or Belcher style mountings, rings that make the best kind of a gift for girls \$3.48

Neck chains and pendants, some with real oriental pearls \$75.00 to \$340.00

86-Piece Wm. Z. Roger's River Set, 63.69 Wm. H. Roger's colebrated silverware, 6 teaspoons, 6 knives, 6 forks, 5 table-spoons, sugar shell and but-ter knife. 25 pieces of pretty Dalsy pattern silverware in green leatherette box, resular price \$5.98, sale price \$3.60

\$1.98 Looket Chain, \$1.00 10 karat, solid gold locket chain, assorted styles of links, 15-inch length; \$1.50 value. \$1.7

Men's \$1.50 Cuff Links, 98c
Solid gold top men's cuff links, hand engraved
Roman and polished finish post and bean, gold
filled; \$1.50 values

Handkerchiefs Ready

G REAT piles of snow-white hand-kerchiefs — stacks of boxes — a wonderful variety of kinds and qualities, with a price range begin-ning at 5c and on up by easy steps to \$25.00.

Men's Handkerchiefs, 3 for 50c Men's colored initial handker-chiefs, 3 in fancy box, 3 for 50c. Women's Handkerchiefs, 15c Women's pure linen hand-embroid-ered corner, also colored bordered handkerchiefs,

Women's Handkerchiefs, 50 to \$2.00
Beautiful showing in Swiss, plain
linen initialed and Irish, French embroidered corners, each 5c, 10c, 15c,
25c, 35c and up to \$2.00.
Burgess-Wash Co.—Weecond Floor.

Thousands of Gift | Let Your Xmas | 10c Muslin Covered | Pretty Brassiers That Gift Be HOSIERY PIN CUSHIONS, 5c

A PRACTICAL gift and always acceptable to anyone, young or old, Gift boxes if desired.

Women's \$1,50 to \$1.75 Bilk Mose, \$50 Fure thread silk, full fashioned, regular made foot; some have liste top and all-silk throughout; some finished with one or two gold stripes and other colors in black, also plain colors, navy, pearl, copenhagen, taupe, green, mahogany, pink, sky blue, etc.

Burnasco Silk Moss, 50c Black or white, pure thread silk boot, full fashioned, regular made; exceptional values. Burgess-Nash Co.-Main Floor.

Made from large skins, with in-inch fringe on brown and green leather in Indian head, smoker de-sign, Gibson girls, etc.

\$3.00 Leather Skins, \$1.50 Leather skins for library tables, to. Full size, in green and brown. Burgess-Manh Co .- Third Floor.

muslin covered for giftgiving.

inches square, 10c values . . . 5c

S-inch square, 29c values. . . . 10c

4x12 inches, 19c values.... 10c 4x20 inches, 35c values.... 25c

\$6.00 Leather Pillows, \$3.50

4x8 inches, 10c values.....

Suggest Xmas Gifts P IN CUSHION forms, all sizes,

P RACTICAL and pretty suggestions and tions-dainty camisoles and brassleres in a wide variety of styles and materials, put up in attractive holiday boxes, 50c to \$5

Corsets for Gifts, at \$1.19 to \$5.00

A score or more of best makes from which to make your selection. Lace front or back, in shell pink champisette, very prettily trimmed, beautiful models. Others in bro-cade or plain materials, in special boxes for Christmas gift-giving. Burgess-Wash Co .- Second Floor.

Something New---

Tailored Covert Cloth



Suits at \$29.50 Plain Tailored or Fur Trimmed --- Last Word in Tailored Suits for Winter

BEAUTIFUL new creations in several very attractive styles that will appeal to the woman who is seeking something new and different in tailored suits. Made of the new covert

trimmed. New short jacket, with neat belt. The skirts are the new flare style.

The suits are superbly tailored and finished throughout and we consider them exceptional values at the price quoted for Monday. Burgess-Wash Co .- Second Ploor.

Sale of Men's NECKWEAR BEGINNING this particular



An immense range of patterns and designs at \$1.00.

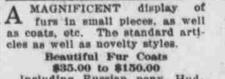
Monday morning we offer a display and sale of men's distinctive silk scarfs in such varieties and at such low prices.

or artificial silks, but the finest that England, France, Italy and Austria can produce. Big wide end four-in-hands with Men's Four-in-Hands, 55c Choicest of new designs and

colors. The special price will be our celebrated \$1.00 quality silk made and cut slightly smaller, at 55c. Large Four-in-Hands, 50c Big values - more necktie than you have been used to buying, at 50c.

\$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$3.98. There isn't anything you can give a man more appropriate or more suitable. Burgess-Wash Co .- Main Ploor.

Extraordinary Display and | Rich New FURS Always | New Arrivals: Make Splendid Xmas Gifts | Smart New WINTER



Including Russian pony, Hud-son seal, River mink, Marmot and nearseal, plain and combination fur. Fur Sets, \$10.00 to \$295.00 Including Belgian coney, marmot tiger, kit coney, black fox, pointed fox, Eastern mink,

black lynx, natural wolf, French marten, etc. Women's Sweaters, \$1.98 G OOD wool sweaters, fancy weave, belt at back; variety

of pretty new colors. Sweaters at \$4.05 Annette Kellerman make, extra fine wool, V shape neck, pocket at

side; in all the new mixture snades. Sweaters at \$5.98 Dr. Jaeger make. Fine angora, with roll collar, pockets; beautiful colors,

Burgess-Wash Co.—Second Floor

50c to 60c

Worth up to \$1.95.

The materials include such

50c to 60c Baskets, 29c

Cord baskets, flower baskets, fern

baskets, fruit baskets, etc.; worth

\$1.00 Baskets, 50c Fruit baskets, waste baskets, flower

baskets, sandwich baskets; all de-signs. Worth up to \$1.00.

\$1.25 Baskets, 75c Large fruit baskets, Turkish fruit baskets, vases for sweet peas, cake baskets, etc. Worth up to \$1.25.

COATS, \$14.50

It's doubtful if you'll find better selection or values anywhere else in town.

UNUSUAL values, in a great variety of the very latest styles from which to make selection. The very sort of coat everyone is asking for.

favored weaves as the new Hindu Lynx, zibelines, fancy mixtures. Scotch plaids, boucles, velours, etc., with large velvet collar and cuffs. Other Coats in Wide Selection, \$10.00 to \$75.00 Plain cloths, mixtures, chin-

chillas, velours, etc., belted or plain backs, loose fitting or flare styles.
Burgess-Hash Co.—Second Floor

Bronzed Baskets for Christmas

Four Big Assortments Specially Priced for Monday



We Are Representatives for the Useful Gifts In Electrical Goods Harrison Reindeer Fabric GLOVES

THESE gloves have every appearance of an extra fine I mocha or undressed kid. They are not leather gloves. They are made of a wonderful fabric so dextrously woven and finished as to require the closest

Wedgewood Ware for Christmas

Beautiful, Original, Artistic -- Always

A GIFT that never fails to bring forth expressions of surprise and

famous in the annals of artistic china, not only because of the beauty

of his designs, but also because of his courage. Practically crippled, he

was unable in his day, 1741, to share in the sports of his fellows, so he turned his mind to studying the secrets of his art. Wedgewood ware

In this popular ware we have a full line of practical articles.

Wedgewood Salad Sets, Complete, \$15.98

Very large English colonial bowl on plate, 12 seven-inch salad plates, mayonnaise set with ladie in truly oriental design, blue and

Bread and butter plates, luncheon plates, service plates, tea cups and saucers, chop plates, etc. Price range, \$12.00 to \$25.00.

Men's House Slippers, \$1.75

comfortable slipper made.

Women's Felt Slippers, \$1.25

ible hand-turned leather soles; colors black, brown, wine and gray.

Women's fur and ribbon trimmed Juliet felt house slippers; flex-

Burgess-Wash Co.-Pourth Floor.

Other sets, same composition, designs; pineapple border, \$19.50.

M EN'S opera and Everett style house slippers, made from vici kid leathers, full lined yamp, hand-turned soles; very comfortable,

Men's "Cumfy" Slippers, \$1.50 Men's felt house slippers. "Cumfy' cushion inner sole and soft leather outer sole. The most

Women's "Cumfy" Slippers, \$1.65

Women's felt house slippers, "Cumfy" cush-ion inner sole, ribbon trimmed with silk pom-pon in colors of lavender, blue, pink, brown and

is today famous for its beauty and artistic decoration.

Josiah Wedgewood, the originator of Wedgewood ware, is a name

brick red, scenic center.

scrutiny in order to detect them from the finest mocha or suede leathers. Harrison's Washable Reindeer Fabric Gloves Are made in a full line of colors and in different grades to suit the general demand. have a complete line for women and children. Women's Short Gloves, pr., 50c to \$1 Women's Long Gloves, pair...\$2,50 Children's Short Gloves, pair...\$1.00 Burgess-Mash Co.—Main Floor.

Artistic Display of Art NOVELTIES

THE display includes quaint inlaid German bowls, beautiful lacquered cake boxes, lacquered trays, handy inlaid book ends for the library table. Russian desk sets, leather bags, fire-place screens, Russian collapsible bags, leather guest books, pretty little tea caddies and scores of other quaint and unique novelties, which we invite you to come and see.

Novelties that make useful and beautiful Christmas gifts.

Burgess-Mash Co.—Third Floor

Monday at\$3.50 | special \$3.00 Burgess-Mash Co. Gift Towels

Every article guaranteed. A generous dis-

Electric Percolators, heavy copper nickel

Electric Coffee Machines, heavy copper,

nickel plated, upward from\$10.00 Electric grills, toasts, broils, fries and bolls,

Electric toaster or heater guaranteed; spe-

> A LL linen huck towels - in A plain and fancy; satin da-mask ends, hemstitched, scalloped or embroidered.

All linen guest towels. Scotch, Irish and German-made, in sizes 18x36 to 27x43; plain and fancy, each, 17c to \$2. Real Madeira hand embroidered towels, beautiful eyelet work, each, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Every Childish Dream of Christmas Morning Can Be Realized Here In

Hot point electric irons; special | Electric curling irons, complete;



A VERITABLE fairy land—a wonderland of make-believe so bright with colored lights and decorations—and such a large and complete showing of toys of all kinds from every land. There's a buzz and a whirr

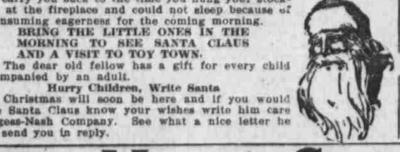
in our Toy Town you'll like,

and you, too, will grow young

again and handle the toys with

a smile on your face as bygone memories come crowding on and carry you back to the time you hung your stockings at the fireplace and could not sleep because of a consuming eagerness for the coming morning. BRING THE LITTLE ONES IN THE MORNING TO SEE SANTA CLAUS AND A VISIT TO TOY TOWN.

accompanied by an adult. Hurry Children, Write Santa Christmas will soon be here and if you would have Santa Claus know your wishes write him care Burgess-Nash Company. See what a nice letter he



ECONOMY BASEMENT

\$1.95 Baskets, 95c

Tokio fruit baskets, sandwich baskets, flower baskets; large sizes

Sample Line of Towels Very Specially Priced for Monday TRAVELING MEN'S samples of towels in huck and I Turkish towels, plain and fancy, at about one-half regular price. These goods are slightly soiled from

handling, but otherwise perfect. Sc Towels, 2c Turkish and face towels, also rurkish and race up to 2c 15c Towels, 716c Huck and Turkish towels, val-

ues up to 15c; at, 19e Towels, 10c Huck and Turkish towels, values up to 19c; at, 10c

Auto Robes, \$3.98 to \$6.50 Strictly all wool, large size robes that will make a very desirable Xmas gift. Handsome, unusual looking platd designs with fancy borders-

\$3.98 to \$6.50 Bath Robe Blankets, \$1.75 Wool finished bath robe blankets in beautiful designs and color combinations, suitable for both women's and men's robes. Complete with neck and waist \$2.98 values, set. \$1.75 25c Towels, 15c Turkish towels, plain and fancy borders, values to 25c; 15c

35c Towels, 19c Plain and fancy Turkish towels, exceptionally good 19c 59c Towels, 29c

Turkish towels in plain and fancy borders, medium and extra large size, values to 59c; at, each..... 29c \$8.00 Cotton Blankets, \$1.50 Wool finished cotton blankets, wear and wash better, keep their finish and are deserving of advertisement we give them; the regular \$3.00 white and fancy plaid blan- \$1.50 kets at, per pair.

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New Fancy RIBBONS For Xmas Gift Making

I T may be a work bag or a pretty handkerchief case for a friend. or it may be an attractive girdle.

Burgess-Wash Co,--Main Floo