

IVEY'S White Goods Sale

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10c Long Cloth, 7 3-4c Yard

10c Nainsook, 7 3-4c Yard

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15c Nainsook, 10c Yd

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25c Batiste, 17c Yd.

25c India Linon, 17c

20c Long Cloth, 12 1-2c Yard

20c French Lawns, 15c Yard

25c Dimity Plaids, 17c

Other Sale Reductions

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Social and Personal

(By Addie Williams Caldwell.)

PENITENTIAL SEASON.

Lent, the penitential season, the color of which is purple, begins to-day.

A fast occurring before the festival of Easter has been observed from the earliest days of Christianity.

The duration of the fast differed in various times and localities down to the end of the sixteenth century.

Tertullian in the third century writes of this 40 days' fast. A little later origin speaks of 40 days' fast corresponding to the 40 days' temptation in the wilderness.

The first day was called Ash Wednesday either because in the East penitents wore on that day sackcloth garments, with ashes in their heads.

The carnival festivities of Europe were never observed in England, owing no doubt to the difference in climate as well as in the temper of the people.

Shrove-tide is now at hand and I be come ashrovin'. Pray, Dame, something—Ashrovin', ashrovin', I be come ashrovin'.

If refused refreshments they bombarded the closed door with their broken plates and pots.

At Westminster School, in London, an ancient custom is kept up to this day.

At the meeting of the Piedmont Bridge Club in Mrs. F. C. Abbott's attractive home yesterday morning the prize was won by Mrs. R. W. Matthews of Lebanon, Ind., mother of Mrs. E. Dye.

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white apron and carrying a large pancake in a frying-pan, enter the school building. The vergers open the school-room door and announces "The cook!"

He who secured it takes it forth with to the Denary and receives a guinea. The cook has two suitors, as his reward, and the whole is much enjoyed.

Shrove Tuesday used to be the "Demby Day" for cock fighting all over England. Hens which had not begun to lay were killed to furnish the feast.

On the first Ash Wednesday after the accession of the House of Hanover, George II, was sitting down to supper, this officer came abruptly in to the room and crowded loudly "10 o'clock and all is well!"

The fourth Sunday in Lent is called "Refreshment Sunday," owing, no doubt, to the fact that the portion of the Gospel appointed for that day refers to the feeding of the 5,000 by a miracle.

The day preceding Good Friday is called "Maundy Thursday." Some derive the name from "dies mandati," the day of command, the day of the institution of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

The Southern negroes believe that an egg laid on Good Friday will never spoil.

The observation of Lent is yearly increasing. Society pauses in its eager pursuit of pleasure. The claims of the poor and afflicted are specially pressed upon our notice and we are enjoined to self-denial for the sake of others.

Robert Herrick in 1650 wrote: Is it to quit the dish Of flesh, yet still to fill The platter high with fish?

No; 'tis a feat to dole Thy shaft of wheat and meat Unto the hungry soul.

It is to fast from strife, From old debate and hate, To circumscribe thy life, To show a hearty grief-sent, To starve thy sin, not bin; And that's to keep thy Lent.

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SOME OTHER DAY.

There are wonderful things we are going to do. Some other day; And harbors we hope to drift into, Some other day; With folded hands, the oars that trail, We watch and wait for a favorite gale To fill the folds of an idle sail.

Some other day; We know we must toil if we ever win, Some other day; But we say to ourselves, there's time to begin, Some other day; And so deferring, we loiter on, Until at last we find withdrawn The strength of the hope we leaned upon.

Some other day; And when we are old and our race is run, Some other day; We fret for the thing that might have been done, Some other day; We trace the path that leads us where

The beckoning hand of grim despair Leads us yonder out of the here, Some other day. —From the Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

WOMAN'S CLUB. The eyes of the Women's Club—and they are many and bright—are turned tomorrow, that day being respectively day with the club.

Among the prominent women of the state who are to be here will be a delightful representation from High Point. The Enterprise tells of them as follows: "Next Thursday about 45 ladies from High Point, members of the Woman's Club, will go to Charlotte as the guests of the Woman's Club of that city."

Miss Susan Bynum, of Lincoln, who has been the guest, for some time, of Misses Helen and Anna Forbes Liddell, at the home on East avenue, returned to her home at Lincoln this morning. She was accompanied by Miss Annie Louise Hutchinson, who will be her guest for a week or ten days.

Miss Julia Little Wilkes, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Renwick Wilkes, has returned from a stay of several months with her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Maier, in Philadelphia.

Miss Sarah Houston, manager of Belk's millinery and cloak suit department, who has been in northern markets for several weeks, will be home tonight.

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Winston Sentinel: Charles F. Dalton, of Charlotte, and A. H. McLean, of Gastonia, were in the city yesterday afternoon. Mrs. A. Lillington Smith, of Charlotte, is the guest of Mrs. William N. Reynolds, on West Fifth street.

Mrs. Will Weill, who has been very ill for several weeks, was operated on yesterday at the Charlotte Sanatorium for appendicitis, and is doing nicely. That she stood the operation well will be good news to her many friends.

Mrs. Alexander's Sister Coming. Mrs. Walter S. Alexander will have with her tonight her sister, Mrs. W. J. deTreville, of Houston, Texas. Mrs. deTreville is en route to Annapolis to see her son, who is returning South there this year.

MOVE TO ELMORE FLATS. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cabaniss, who have been living at Dr. B. J. Witherspoon's, in Dilworth, are moving today to the Elmore Flats, on East Eighth street. They will occupy the apartment vacated by Mr. James T. Montgomery and family.

MR. AND MRS. WHITE HERE. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey White, of Graham, spent yesterday with Mr. D. P. Hutchinson, and left this morning for Lancaster, S. C., to see Mr. White's uncle, Capt. S. E. White, who, as News readers know, has been confined to bed for several weeks.

AFTER MISS OATES RETURNS.

After the return from New York, of Miss May Oates, Mr. Joseph Craighill will give, with the assistance of Miss Oates and other local artists of note, Gounod's "Gala." The honor shown Miss Oates by Oscar Sanger last Sunday, in selecting her to substitute as solo contralto in the Church of the Divine Paternity, New York, was heard with universal pride and pleasure in Charlotte.

Mr. J. N. Jackson, whose family are spending the winter at the Central hotel, is in after a trip of several weeks. Mrs. Jackson and youngest daughter are at Bloxi, Miss.

Next Week. The meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club, which was to have met today with Mrs. E. C. Dwelle, was postponed until next week.

Pleasant Anticipation. Mrs. E. L. Keester will be hostess to the Friday Afternoon Book Club at its next meeting.

Miss Mynum Leaves. Miss Susan Bynum, of Lincoln, who has been the guest, for some time, of Misses Helen and Anna Forbes Liddell, at the home on East avenue, returned to her home at Lincoln this morning.

WHAT A WOMAN CAN DO. Miss Vallie Sanders, remembered here as one of the best operators of the Bell Telephone Company ever had, spent yesterday in the city. Miss Sanders has had various promotions in the telephone service. She is now district traffic manager, with office in Greensboro.

COMING TONIGHT. Miss Sarah Houston, manager of Belk's millinery and cloak suit department, who has been in northern markets for several weeks, will be home tonight.

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One Case of Small Pox At City Pest House. H. W. Burgess was placed in the Charlotte pest house yesterday, having arrived here from Charleston, S. C., day before yesterday. He was feeling unwell and consulted a physician, who recognized the symptoms as those of smallpox. He was sent by the physician to the pest house where he will be taken care of till he recovers completely.

The case is only a slight one and is rather of the varoloid type than the genuine smallpox. It is rather remarkable how scarce smallpox cases are in Charlotte and how scarce they have been for several years past. The people of the city have been so thoroughly vaccinated that nothing but imported cases have come to the pest house now in several years.

This is a great improvement on conditions that existed ten or a dozen years ago, when the pest house—both for white and colored—was never without several occupants and during the winter months they were sometimes crowded.

Mr. Burroughs Found Frost. Mr. John I. Burroughs has returned from Florida. Mr. Burroughs intended staying in the Land of Flowers until spring, but Jack Frost beat him to the part of the state—the north-west—where he was bound for.

The tramp who is forced to stack up against an ax and a woodpile doesn't exactly feel chipper.

Thin Hair on Top. A Dose of Parisian Sage in Time Multiplies One's Hair By Nine. Young men, old men, middle age men all begin to worry when the hair thins out on the top of the head, and the bald spot is getting ready to appear in public.

They don't know what to do; they get rattled, ask advice, try specialists, listen to barbers and do everything they ought not to do.

To these men we want to say that R. H. Jordan & Co. has a prescription for the hair called Parisian Sage, and it will not cause hair to grow where the hair is thinning out, nothing on this earth will.

And we want to say to everybody, man, woman and child, that you can have your money back if Parisian Sage isn't the best hair grower, hair saver, hair beautifier and dandruff cure on the market today.

It stops itching scalp and falling hair, and makes hair grow thick and abundantly. Fifty cents for a large bottle at R. H. Jordan & Co.'s and druggists everywhere. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every bottle.

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THOMPSONS

FOUR MURDER CASES ON GUILDFORD COURT DOCKET. Guilford superior court is in session this week. The Record says: Sixty-eight cases are docketed for trial and it is probable that this number will be increased by 10 or 15 from indictments brought by the present grand jury.

The defendants in these cases are Oliver Mills, the white man who shot and killed Jesse Farrington at Revolution a few months ago; Claude Gilmer, the negro youth who killed a boy companion in a brawl at East Greensboro recently; and Moses Speeks, the High Point desperado, who is accused of murdering his wife and son-in-law with a butcher knife a few days ago.

All of these men are awaiting trial without bond. Two warrants are held against Speeks, who was given a preliminary hearing before D. H. Collins, J. P., and his hope of escape from the death penalty lies in the theory of mental incapacity at the time of the revolting crimes. It is thought that Gilmer and Mills will plead not guilty.

The other cases consist of a large number for illicit distilling, trespass, assault, embezzlement, and various other statutory crimes.

Virgil Hunt, a negro, will be tried for highway robbery. Hunt is the negro who pleaded guilty to assaulting Mrs. Johnson, on Summit avenue, and robbing her of her purse.

In Guilford superior court yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock Moses Speeks was arraigned on the charge of murder. He arose and stood motionless with his right hand uplifted while Solicitor Gattis read the bills of indictment, there being two cases against him. He pleaded not guilty to the charge. The cases were continued until the April term of criminal court, to convene on April 3rd.

The bill of indictment went to the grand jury soon after the body was organized Monday morning and it required only a short time to investigate the case and return the indictment marked "a true bill."

Did He Have a Million? Salt Lake City, Utah, March 1.—If Henry Bowns, recently died in Salt Lake City, leaving a million dollar estate to brothers in Egypt, as reported in a press dispatch from Leicester, England, the million has escaped the notice of the state officials who collect inheritance taxes and Bowns himself has escaped the attention of the directory publishers.

The man who needs a tonic to sharpen his appetite isn't the one who eats with his knife.

Big Race Planned At Indianapolis. Indianapolis, Ind., March 1.—The entry list for the five hundred mile international sweepstake race to be run on the back track of the Indianapolis motor speedway on Mar. 30, has closed with twenty-three cars, several of foreign manufacture entered to be piloted by the best drivers of Europe and America. The race is for a purse of \$25,000.

The entry list shows many of the greatest winners of the past two years and the nominations for drivers include Lewis Strang, Harry Grant, twice winner of the Vanderbilt cup; Johnny Aitken, Louis Disbrow, Joe Dawson and Eddie Hearne. Eight of the cars were entered drivers and it is almost certain that Joe Matson, Ralph de Palma, "Wild Bob" Burman, Arthur Charvot and several foreign drivers will get in the biggest event in the history of motor racing.

Advices from the speedway's representative in Europe indicate that a number of cars will be put in the race under the late entry conditions.

A program of short speed races probably will be arranged for the afternoon preceding the big event, which will be started at ten o'clock on the morning of Memorial Day.

You Look Old! In nine cases out of ten it is not because you are old, but because you are tired, all worn out, and you act as if you just wondered how you are going to get through the season and do your work.

This condition may be caused by a run-down and debilitated condition, or by a bad cold which has left you without strength or ambition.

We want to ask every such person to try Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, without oil. If it does not build you up and make you feel young, strong and well again, we will return the money you paid us for it.

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