

Teach Your Dollars To Have More Cents

BY ATTENDING

BROWN-MILLER SHOE CO'S SALE Which Begins Wed. Aug. 5 And 10 Days Lasts Only

47 PATTON AVE.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.

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STORE CLOSED

Monday, August 3 and Tuesday, August 4, to mark down prices; sale begins Wednesday, August 5, at 9 a. m. and lasts 10 days only. Sale being conducted by The AMERICAN SPECIAL SALES & SALVAGE Co. of Washington, D. C.

A Statement by Brown-Miller Co.

We have placed our entire \$35,000.00 Shoe Stock in the hands of the American Special Sales & Salvage Company of Washington, D. C., to be sold. Every pair of shoes and oxfords handled by us is the best that money can buy, and we don't handle the cheap and shoddy kind but we have marked our entire stock at the prices you ordinarily pay for that class of merchandise; we don't carry our stock from one season to another and what's more—need the money—hence these Bargains; each and every advertised article below is backed up by our long standing reputation as retail merchants. (Signed) C. W. BROWN, President.

RAIN OR SHINE

Let nothing keep you away; the day you know, the hour is set. Sale begins Wednesday, August 5, at 9 a. m. and lasts 10 days only.

BARGAINS, BARGAINS, AND NOTHING BUT BARGAINS

350 Pairs of Women's Oxfords and Pumps Values to \$3.50 In Gunmetal, Patent Tan and Vic-Kid, a variety of styles and values up to \$3.50, 10 days' sale price 25c	The Famous Edwin Clap Oxfords For Men 410 pairs of Gunmetal, Vic-Kid, Patent and Tan leathers, up to the minute in every respect, sizes 6 to 11, values up to \$7.00, 10 days' sale price \$4.24	The Famous Utz and Dunn Shoes and Oxfords for Women Sold the world over for \$4.00 and \$4.50, in Patent, Gunmetal and Tan leathers, all sizes and styles, 10 days' sale price \$2.49	The Famous Hurley's Shoes and Oxfords for Men Sold the world over for \$6.50, all sizes and styles, in Patent, Gunmetal, Vic-Kid and Tan leathers, 10 days' sale price \$3.49	The Famous "Regal" Shoes and Oxfords for Men 372 pairs of Patent, Gunmetal, Vic-Kid, and Tan leather, sizes 6 1/2 to 11, regular value \$4.00, 10 days' sale price \$1.98	178 Pairs of Shoes and Oxfords for Boys, value \$2.50 In Box Calf and Gunmetal, all sizes and a shoe fit to wear on Sunday or any dress occasion. 10 days' sale price 89c
The Famous Armstrong Shoes and Oxfords for Women 672 pairs of Armstrong Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps in the house, in all styles and leathers, \$6.50 value, 10 days' sale price \$2.78	286 Pairs of Nifty White Canvas Oxfords for Men In all sizes and a variety of styles, to choose from, values run up to \$3.00; a few with rubber soles. 10 days' sale price 98c	187 Pairs of Assorted Oxfords for Men; values up to \$3.50 Closing out this lot of Men's Solid Leather Oxfords in all leathers, values up to \$3.50, 10 days' sale price 89c	The Famous Bannister's Shoes and Oxfords for Men Every Bannister Shoe and Oxford in the house in Patent, Vic-Kid, Gunmetal and a few Tans, value \$7.00, 10 days' sale price \$3.45	190 Pairs of Women's White Canvas Oxfords; value \$3.00 In Pumps and One-Strap Sandals. This lot contains, all sizes and of extra good quality, 10 days' sale price 98c	410 Pairs of Soft Shoes for the Babies; value 50c. In a large assortment of styles and in all popular leathers, always look out for the babies, 10 days' sale price 15c
The "Regal" Shoes and Oxfords for Women Sold the world over for \$3.50 and \$4.00, all sizes and leathers, a variety of styles to choose from, 10 days' sale price \$1.98	410 Pairs of Women's Shoes and Oxfords; values up to \$4. In all styles and leathers, a Shoe fit to wear on Sunday or any dress occasion, ten days' sale price 79c	Sale Being Conducted by the American Special Sales & Salvage Co., Washington, D. C.		326 Pairs of Misses' Shoes and Oxfords; value \$2.00 In Vic-Kid, Patent Leather tips. They are all solid leather throughout, 10 days' sale price 79c	287 Pairs of Comfort Shoes for Women; value \$2.50 Plain Vic-Kid, with flexible sole; many of this lot have rubber heels, and of good quality, 10 days' sale price 98c

WANTED!

40 Extra salespeople at once. Apply in person to Mr. John Ruppel, Jr., manager in charge. Store OPEN EVERY NIGHT until 9 P. M. During this sale.

NO GOODS CHARGED

REMEMBER, SALE BEGINS

NO GOODS SOLD TO CHILDREN

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5th, at 9 A. M., at

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ALL SHOES EXCHANGED OR MONEY REFUNDED

Look for the Big Red and White Sign!

FREE RIDE to ASHEVILLE

On all Purchases of \$15.00 or over we will refund railroad fare on presentation of return trip ticket.

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HOSPITAL NURSES REFUSE STATEMENT

Will Not Allow Dr. Gardner, Injured Physician, to Be Seen by Visitors.

WEST ASHEVILLE MAN SENT FOR REPORTER

Alleged Victim of Miss Mary Davis, His Office Girl, in a Serious Condition.

Reports at noon today from the hospital where Dr. G. D. Gardner, who was shot last Sunday afternoon by the accidental discharge of a pistol in the hands of Miss Mary Davis, is confined, state that he is resting easy and that he spent a good night. While still in a very serious condition, it was stated that Dr. Gardner is showing signs of improvement and his many friends in the city are hoping that he will be able to recover from the effects of the bullet.

According to the reports of the affair Miss Mary Davis, who recently was in the employ of Dr. Gardner, had gone to his office Sunday to do some work and the two were in the rear room of the two rooms used by Dr. Gardner as office. Miss Davis was asked by Dr. Gardner to remove a pistol from a table, it is stated, when it was accidentally discharged and the bullet entered the lower right side of Dr. Gardner and ranged downward in the abdomen. Help was at once called and the wounded man was removed to Meriwether hospital where he was given medical treatment. While he is in a serious condition it is believed that he has chances to recover.

The shooting occurred about 2:30 o'clock and the news of it quickly spread over the city, many messages being received at the hospital from the friends of the wounded man in all parts of the city, inquiring after his condition. Miss Davis stated that she had gone to the office to do some office work for Dr. Gardner, having recently been in his employ and was picking up the pistol from a table that was in the room when it exploded and the bullet struck Dr. Gardner. At the hospital, it is said these statements were corroborated by the wounded man and he stated to those gathered around him that the shooting was purely accidental. After making vain efforts to reach

the physician attending Dr. Gardner a Gazette-News reporter received a message from the wounded man, asking him to call at the hospital and get a statement that he wished to make.

The reporter went to the hospital but was refused admission and even after he told the nurse who answered the bell that he was there at the special request of Dr. Gardner he was refused admission, nor would any satisfactory information be given as to the condition of the wounded man. This is only one of several times that newspaper men have been unable to secure information at the hospital in regard to people who were patients there.

LOCAL CAVALRY TROOPS OFF FOR AUGUSTA CAMP

Troop B, cavalry of North Carolina National guard, left yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock on a special train for Augusta, Ga., where they will go into encampment for eight days. Owing to pressing political matters, Captain Robert R. Reynolds did not accompany the troop, but Lieutenants Rufo M. Fitzpatrick and Gilliland Stikeleater are in charge of the troop.

The troop consisted of 58 enlisted men and two commissioned officers and 61 horses were taken in Armes palace cars, the extra horse to be used by Lieutenant E. L. W. McCabe, instructor of the cavalry troops for North Carolina. The special train carrying the troop arrived in Augusta in the afternoon at 6 o'clock and the men at once went into camp, where they will remain for eight days. Sergeant Ferguson of Troop K, Fifth United States cavalry, now stationed at Camp Grove in this city accompanied the local troop to Augusta and will remain with them until the encampment is over.

CHANGES ANNOUNCED IN INSURANCE FIELD

Thomas S. Franklin of Charlotte has been made manager of the Asheville branch of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance company of Greensboro. T. M. Mashburn, who has been connected with the Asheville branch for some time will be made special agent of the company and A. B. Smith who has been with the Asheville branch for several years will be made special agent. Mr. Franklin is now manager of the Charlotte branch of the Jefferson Life and will retain that position, dividing his time between this city and Charlotte.

Philippine's Forests. There are 60,000 square miles of timber standing in the Philippines of which two-thirds is virgin forest.

CAPT. REYNOLDS BEGINS A STRENUOUS CAMPAIGN

Congressional Candidate Was Heard by Large Crowd in Cherokee Saturday.

Returned from Cherokee county where he spoke Saturday night, Captain Robert R. Reynolds yesterday supervised the departure of Troop B for the Augusta encampment in good order and then turned his undivided attention to his congressional campaign. He remarked that he had taken off his coat, rolled up his sleeves and expected to smash records for strenuous campaigning between now and the primary on the fifteenth.

"I shall spend this week in the counties adjoining Buncombe," said he, "and the next week in Rutherford and Polk. Was delighted at the big audience the people of Cherokee gave me at Peachtree where I spoke Saturday night and the assurances from them of the large majority Cherokee would give me. Tonight I speak at Haw Creek school house. I met many people while on the train on my hurried trip to Peachtree and every one had a kind word and confident assurances that the western counties were solidly for me." "I need not say," continued Capt. Reynolds, "that I appreciate this support more than words can express and all I can say is that I will do my best to deserve the confidence of these people and seek in my poor way to serve them to my utmost. Every reason points to a heavy gain for me in these counties. It will be remembered that in the May primaries Macon and Jackson both had favorite sons in the race in Mr. Harrison and Mr. Moore and these gentlemen received a heavy vote which it is admitted would have come to me if they had not been candidates, and the same may be said of the vote which was cast for Judge Merrimon.

"I have been kept in town for several weeks," said Capt. Reynolds, "by the unusually important term of court which has just closed and could not, of course, neglect my duties as a solicitor, but now I am foot loose and will put in all my time visiting as many sections of the district as possible. "We are going to win. Before the Wayneville convention the Reynolds forces had not been brought together in a thorough organization while opposed to us was a compact organization. Now we are organized in every precinct and have a thoroughly understood plan of campaign and back of it all is a popular enthusiasm which is irresistible. Patronage bought support cannot defeat the people's will in this district."

SMOOTH SWINDLER WORKS LOCAL HOUSE

A man giving his name as H. H. Mills and claiming to represent the Lee Ben Ton pattern house of New York visited Asheville several days ago, it has just come to light and fraudulently secured money from the Ferguson Millinery company of Government street by making false representations to a member of the firm. He presented printed contracts in blank form to the company and showed by his talk that he was familiar with the business he was speaking of. The Ferguson Millinery company paid this man money and waited several weeks to hear from the firm in New York. Not receiving any letter from them the local company wrote and in reply received a letter which stated that they had no representative in this part of the country and had never heard of the man Mills. He is described as being middle aged, stout, grey moustache, weight about 175 and has a wart on the right eye lid.

POLICE COURT

Very few cases were on the docket in Police court yesterday and the "Blue Monday" matinee did not last long, for the cases being of minor importance were quickly disposed of.

The record follows: A nol proesue with leave was taken in the case against Willis Johnson, colored, charged with refusing to support his wife.

Jim Fuller was fined \$25 an dthe costs on charges of carrying a concealed weapon.

R. W. Murrell was taxed one half the costs on charges of hitching a horse to a telegraph pole.

George Gibbs and Howard Robinson were each found not guilty of refusing to pay automobile hire.

A case against Dave Single charging him with disorderly conduct was continued.

Lena Bally was taxed with the costs on charges of disorderly conduct.

R. S. Robertson, John Bunn, D. A. Lips and H. R. Brinkley were each taxed with the costs on charges of violating automobile laws.

John Kooley was taxed with one third the costs for leaving his horse unblocked on a public street.

Frank White and E. C. Palmer were each taxed with one half the costs on charges of violating automobile laws.

E. Sullivan, colored, was taxed with \$1 of the costs for violating a city ordinance pertaining to street hacks.

Seven "drunks" drew fines of \$5 and the costs each.

AIM HIGH. In the long run men hit only what they aim at. Therefore, though they should fail immediately, they had better aim at something high.—Henry David Thoreau.

BISHOP HOSS RECALLED MANY LOCAL FRIENDS

Former Asheville Pastor Talks To Large Congregation at Central Church.

"Of course I know Sister Hilliard. You don't need to call her name to me. She was the most beautiful woman in western North Carolina back in the '70s when I was pastor of the Methodist church here."

Thus spoke Bishop E. E. Hoss of Nashville who preached in Central Methodist church Sunday morning to a congregation so large that it pushed open the Sunday school annex to accommodate the crowd. It was an old fashioned, heart searching sermon on obedience to the will of God. At its conclusion the old time families, the pillars of local Methodism, came forward to shake hands. The bishop has a good memory. "This is a Broyles," he said, "you are a Reynolds, you a Spears, you a Guéger. This is Mrs. Sawyer," and so on down the line. It was a love feast.

NEGRO MESSENGER STOLE PACKAGE "WET GOODS"

Stating that he only did what any other negro would do under similar circumstances, William Hughey, colored, yesterday in Police court pleaded guilty to the larceny of one gallon of whiskey from J. R. Gheen and probable cause being found in the case he was bound over to the next term of Superior court for the trial of criminal cases, under a bond of \$200.

It was admitted by the defendant that Gheen sent the negro to the Billmore express office to bring back a gallon of whiskey which Gheen had signed for. Hughey started to Billmore, arrived there, secured the liquor and left. All this was right and proper, according to the instructions he had received from Gheen, but Hughey fell by the wayside and, having the gallon of liquor by his side failed to continue his journey until the liquor was gone.

When asked by the court why he did not deliver the liquor and what he did with it, Hughey replied, "Judge, I jest done what any nigger would 'er done with a gallon of whiskey. I drunk it, I did."

Lucky Mamma Didn't Hear. "Papa, what is a masked battery?" "A shrewish tongue concealed by a pair of pretty lips, my boy."

Washington, August 4.—New York merchants interested in the millions of gold bullion aboard the liner Kron Prinzessen Cecelle told state department yesterday they had unconfirmed reports that she had been captured and asked the government for confirmation, which could not be furnished them.

Minister Meets Death.

Morgantown, Aug. 4.—Rev. M. Norwood Tillinghast, of Washington city, who met death in this place had been on a visit to relatives here and was at the depot to catch the eastbound train which passes Morgantown at 9:25. After the train had started Mr. Tillinghast attempted to board it and fell between the coaches. The wheels passed over both legs just below the body, severing them, and he died almost instantly. The body was embalmed and is still here. It will probably be sent to his home as soon as his family can be heard from.

Spectacular Fires.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 4.—Two spectacular fires which threatened to destroy coal yards and lumber yards in the southwest part of the city caused a loss of \$500,000, yesterday.

Greensboro Gets Money.

Greensboro, Aug. 3.—R. R. King received a telegram from W. G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, last night announcing that he would lend the Greensboro banks \$200,000.

Steamer Arrives.

New York, Aug. 3.—Arrived: Str. Frederick VIII, Copenhagen.

A Caustic Critic.

The Paris critic Martin once only had taken his chocolate in a place other than the Cafe For, and he then found it not good. This happened at the Regence, and the young woman at the desk, to whom he expressed his displeasure, said: "You are the only one to complain. All of the gentlemen of the court who come here find it good."

"They also say, perhaps, that you are pretty," he replied slowly.

How to Win Beauty.

Full of good common sense is the suggestion in the Journal of the American Medical association on how to be beautiful. "For giving the face a good color," the expert says, "get one pot of rouge and one rabbit's foot. Bury them two miles from home and walk out and back once a day to see if they are still there."

Fire at Lexington.

Lexington, Aug. 4.—The residence of Dr. C. M. Clodfelter and E. C. Koonts were destroyed by fire. The fire originated in the Clodfelter residence and when discovered was beyond all hope of control. It spread from this house to the Koonts home adjoining and two other residences on the same block were saved with great difficulty. The fire originated in the kitchen of the Clodfelter home. Very little was saved from this house but the larger part of the furniture in the Koonts home was saved. Both houses were insured for \$1,000 each which covers about two-thirds of the loss. The furniture loss, which was between \$500 and \$1,000, was total there being no insurance on it.

JUST IN

White organdy waists, \$2, \$1.25, \$1.00. Black silk crepe waists \$3 and \$3.50. Mercerized mesaline petticoats in choice grades and in black—at \$1.

Ladies' wool suits for autumn, \$12.50 to \$35. In black, Russian green, prune, garnet, Copenhagen, navy and other good shades.

Light weight coats and novelty sweaters—also saphyr shoulder scarfs.

Men's \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 shirts—Men's medium weight union suits, —Men's flannellette py-jamas and night shirts.

E. P. Reed's shoes for ladies should reach us today. Butterick September patterns are due on Friday next.

H. Redwood & Co.