

# Grand Sale of Ladies' Easter Hats and Tailor-Made Suits, Etc.

Saturday's bargains offer great money saving opportunities, besides giving you the choice of the finest and most complete stocks of up-to-date Millinery, Cloaks and Furnishings.

### \$1.50 Silk Roses 49c

The finest imported silk roses, in a great variety of colors—on sale in millinery department—**49c**

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### 25c Easter Eggs 5c

Your choice of a great variety of fine china Easter eggs—handsomely decorated—worth 25c. on sale at **5c**

## A Brilliant Display of Easter Millinery

There is a flutter of beauty and fashion in our millinery department. The magnificent display is a glowing tribute to its pre-eminence, and explains its great popularity. Every renowned millinery center on the globe has contributed to make our showing a perfect one, and entirely without a rival in the great west. Europe's rarest creations are here. Models from Paris, London and Berlin. Come and make your selections from the most captivating styles ever produced. We have been preparing for this sale for weeks, and have ready, values that will delightfully surprise you. For while our styles are accepted by everyone as correct, it does not mean expensive millery—quite the contrary. It's the combination of correct styles and moderate prices that has made this department popular.

Of course you will find here the most elegant styles that are found in the west—**\$5, \$10, \$20**

**Extra Special! \$35.00 Pattern Hats at \$20.00**

For today, Saturday, we will offer the choice of all our Easter Hats, Paris and New York models, which cost us from \$25.00 to \$35.00—your choice of any of them for **\$20**

**Trimmed Hats at \$5.00**

As this is a most popular price, we have made it a special feature to get up the most stylish hats for this price. They are all hand made shapes, beautifully draped with silk lace, trimmed with flowers, maline, ribbon. The exact copies of imported hats, and equal to any hat shown heretofore at \$10—extra sale price..... **\$5**

**Basement Millinery.**

We have opened a magnificent large millinery department in our bargain basement, and you will find thousands of choice trimmed hats at **\$1, \$1.50, \$1.98**

## A very important sale of Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits

Every woman in Omaha should take a walk through our second floor and see the display, which really should have been announced as an opening. The display consists of Easter suits, costumes, coats, wraps, waists and skirts.

A special showing of 150 new suits—Many styles, etc., box and blouse effects, in all the new shades of gray, castor and black—many new weaves of cloth, strictly tailor made, every one has shape and style in every detail—on sale at **12.50**

At **\$17.50** a special offering of 200 fine suits that created so much talk. The majority of them are silk lined throughout, every new style will be found among them on sale at **17.50**

**\$75 Silk and Cloth Costumes \$25**

Among these you will find many worth up to \$75.00, made up especially for our Easter showing, many of them are imported garments, tailor made, all of them are silk lined throughout, elaborately trimmed. Also handsome foulards, silks, taffetas, every one will be recognized as the latest creation, and go on sale—choice..... **\$25**

At **\$9.90** nobby e-ton jackets—made of black taffeta, beautifully trimmed. This assortment must be seen to be appreciated, they are all very swell styles—special..... **9.90**

**Silk Skirts**

We are showing some special silk taffeta, pea de soie, net, lace, etamine, broadcloth and venetian cloth skirts, each with silk drop skirt, over 2,000 to select from, at **22.50**

**Silk and wool dress skirts**—fully 1,000 in this assortment, and every correct model for this season is among them, in silks, broadcloths, venetians, etc., every one guaranteed to be made right, and go at **9.85 and 6.98**

**\$7.50 for nobby spring jackets in box or e-ton style, made of broadcloth and other spring weight materials, on sale at..... 7.50**

## Grand Sale of Easter Handkerchiefs

Ladies' hand embroidered Handkerchiefs, Irish manufacture—extra quality—on sale at **5c**

Ladies fine imported cambric and hemstitched handkerchiefs—hundreds of styles—worth 25c—on sale Saturday at **10c**

Ladies' and men's finest Swiss embroidered and genuine Irish linen handkerchiefs, all widths of hemstitching—very handsome patterns—500 values—**25c** at 15c and.....

## Stationery Sale

Thousands of boxes of 50c paper and envelopes, 60 sheets of paper and 60 envelopes to match, made to sell at 50c box, go at **10c**

All kinds, shapes and styles of envelopes worth 10c package, for 25c envelopes—**1c**

All kinds of 10 writing tablets—every kind, shape and style—go at, each **2c**

Thousands of framed Easter pictures, with imitation ebony frames, beautiful designs—made to sell at 60c—go Saturday at **6c**

Fancy embossed photograph frames, worth 10c go at **6c**

Thousands of yards of all new designs in dress percales, made to sell at 12c—they are 36-in. wide and go Saturday, at, yard, **5c**

Sanford's, Carter's, and Page's Inks, Pastes and Mucilage, the 10c kind—per bottle, **2c**

## Special Sale of Easter Gloves

Saturday we place on sale a very fine lot of ladies' extra quality kid gloves—there are all sizes and colors in the latest styles—in the lot you will find such well known gloves as Wertheimer's, "Carltons," and "Sovereigns," also "Empress" and "Jovian" makes. These gloves have been displayed in our show windows for some time and are worth up to \$2.00 pair—on sale Saturday **75c**

We carry a complete line of the very finest gloves made, every style, every size, every shade—every pair fully guaranteed and fitted to the hand—made in finest French kid, at 50c, \$1.25

## Important Sale of Easter Neckwear

All the very latest colors and styles of ladies' fine silk Neckwear, in plain and fancy, worth up to \$1.00, on sale Saturday at **25c**

Ladies extra quality silk Neckwear, new automobiles, the kind that usually sells for \$1.00—on sale Saturday at **49c**

You choice of a superb lot of ladies' fine neckwear, including all the very newest New York styles, over fifty different kinds, worth up to \$2.00—on sale at **98c**

## Muslin Underwear

Ladies' fine muslin and cambric drawers, umbrella style, hemstitched—made with clusters of tucks, lace trimmed—worth 40c pair **25c**

Exceptional values in ladies' fine muslin and cambric drawers at 39c, 49c, and 69c pair.

Ladies corset covers, made of the finest long cloth trimmed with lace and embroidery, new French style **25c, 39c, 49c**

Ladies' fine gowns, skirts and chemise, made of fine muslin and cambric, beautifully trimmed with fine lace, embroidery and insertion—made full size, very dainty garments—worth up to \$2—on sale at **49c-69c-98c**

## Very special bargains in Hosiery for Easter

Ladies' plain black and fancy fine imported hosiery in a great variety of neat patterns, extra quality, actually worth 50 cents—on sale at **25c**

Ladies', Misses' and Children's fine Hosiery, fast black, silk finished, made with double soles and apiped heels and knee—worth 25c pair, on sale Saturday at **12c**

Men's fine imported half hose, silk mercerized, black, red and fancy plaids and stripes, pure Hermsdorf dye, worth 25c and 35c pair, on sale Saturday at **15c**

### FOR A FORGER'S RANSOM

Famous Gainsborough Portrait of Duchess of Devonshire.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS IN THIEVES' HANDS

Valued at Fifty Thousand Dollars the Canvas is Sealed from Sight and Has Adventures in Three Countries.

CHICAGO, April 5.—After traveling through England, America and the European continent twenty-five years the famous Gainsborough portrait of the duchess of Devonshire, which was stolen from the art gallery of Agnew Bros. in London, England, May 16, 1876, is reported to have been returned to its owners. The painting is valued at \$50,000.

A Chicago detective agency claims to have been instrumental in recovering the picture. The holder of the picture, who is said to be one of the band of thieves who stole it from the gallery, is said to have received a large reward for the return and exacted an agreement to drop the prosecution. According to the detective he had carried it with him for years, carefully packed and sealed. The picture, it is announced, will arrive in London tomorrow.

The theft of the portrait was remarkable in many ways. The doors of the gallery were found locked and bolted on the inside. The policeman on the beat, the watchman on the roof and the janitor of the building had heard no suspicious noises and they had noticed no suspicious strangers. There appeared to be no clue until in 1888 a certain Joseph Elliott, then under arrest for a large forgery, asserted that the Gainsborough picture was still in existence and could be recovered, provided his liberty was granted.

Porch Climbers Steal It.

Elliott said the picture had been stolen by professional porch climbers, who had entered one of the gallery windows and cut the canvas from the frame. The picture had been taken, Elliott said, not for the reward that he offered for it, nor for the purpose of its sale, but as the means to secure bail for a member of a band of forgers who had been arrested in France for a forgery on the Bank of England. The forger had been extradited and the Agnew brothers were to be asked to sign his bond on condition that the painting be returned. Before the plan could be completed, however, the forger was given his liberty on a technicality.

Negotiations were later made with the thieves to return the painting for a large reward. The sum offered was too small, in the opinion of the burglars, and the negotiations fell through. Recently trace was again found of the thieves and negotiations were reopened. A larger reward was offered, which resulted in the return of the picture in Chicago.

When returned the picture was hermetically sealed in a box made especially for its reception and was pronounced in perfect condition. It was carefully packed with cotton batting. The basket was brought from England to this country fifteen years ago and has remained in storage ware-

### Sporting Man Gives Clue.

The person who secured the information which led to the return of the portrait is said by the detectives to be a sporting man, but they decline to make his name public. The crime itself has long since been outlawed.

C. Morland Agnew, son of the original purchaser of the portrait, has been in Chicago in connection with the recovery of the picture. He brought with him pieces of canvas taken from the frame and also a steel engraving of the portrait with exact measurements of the original.

The picture when taken from the casket was easily identified by Mr. Agnew. The box had apparently never been opened since it was sealed many years ago.

The forgers who were responsible for the stealing of the picture are said to have operated under the leadership of Charles Becker, who is serving a term in the California state prison for forgery.

HON. JAMES E. BOYD.

Compliments The Century—Americans Show the Proud of Its Frontletions.

"How is The Bee Century club getting along?" asked Hon. James E. Boyd of a representative of The Bee, and was answered that the enterprise was a complete success in every way. "I am proud as all surprised," said Mr. Boyd, "if there is any one set of reference books that I admire more than all the rest combined it is The Century Dictionary and Cyclopedia and Atlas. I find it to be the most useful set of books in my library. It is practical and invaluable to every member of my family, giving us information on all subjects in a compact and accessible manner. It is a time-saver, a storehouse of knowledge. The work is considered a good investment at the regular price, and The Bee's half price offer furnishes a doubly good bargain. The Bee's easy payment plan brings the work within reach of many modest incomes, and I suppose those with plenty of money are not overlooking the half price saving."

The correct number of "THE DOTS" and list of prize winners will be published in all editions of The Bee Saturday, April 13.

### "SO DROWSY."

When True Natural Sleep Comes.

Actual changes take place in the little corpuscles of the blood, and these changes are brought about by changes in our habits. For instance, the coffee habit is said to produce a thickened condition of the blood, that is, under the microscope the little round corpuscles show apparent fibres, an unnatural condition, which makes trouble with the heart in cases of coffee poisoning. It also affects the complexion, frequently bringing on heart disease in some cases, and stomach and bowel troubles are common with coffee drinkers.

"Coffee treated me very badly indeed. I got so I could not have a good night's rest, and had not for five years. My eyes and complexion were duller than my mother's, who was also a great coffee drinker.

"Physicians told me I had acute kidney and bladder trouble, I was nervous almost to the verge of hysteria, and my memory failed me. I had grown so thin I was little more than a shadow, and people were continually asking me how much younger my husband was than myself. (So comforting to a woman, you know.) In truth he is five years my senior.

"Well, as a forlorn hope I left off coffee and took up Postum Food Coffee about a year ago. I soon became so sleepy that I could scarcely stay awake long enough to take care of my baby. I did not realize that I was sleeping naturally and making up for lost time. Finally I got pretty well 'slept up' the drowsiness disappeared and I felt a decided improvement in health. In three or four weeks I was quite well and only needed to regain my flesh and complexion. I waited very patiently for an improvement in these conditions, but it was about five months before I was rewarded, then an almost instantaneous change took place, and my complexion became clear and rosy. I gained in weight quickly, and friends and neighbors commented on the remarkable change.

"I have been constantly growing better and now am feeling in finer condition than ever before in my life, and I can surely say that I owe it all to leaving off coffee and using Postum Food Coffee.

"My 16-year-old sister, like myself, drank coffee from a child. For the last four years she was able to go to school only a part of the time, and the doctor said she should not study at all. I induced her to quit coffee, and now her bright eyes and fresh complexion show the result."

It will be noticed that it took some months before this woman secured the result she wanted in the matter of complexion and flesh. The change from coffee produces a change in this particular within a month, usually, but it is evident, in her case, that it required time to change the corpuscles of the blood, and that when that change was made the recovery was very rapid.

Name and address can be given by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at Battle Creek, Mich.

### CANCER CURED BY MIRACLE

Sisters of Convent Fray It Away When Death Seems Nigh.

SORE GOES AND ONLY WHITE SCAR STAYS

After Eighteen Years of Suffering the Patient Goes to Sleep and Awakens with All Pain Vanished.

CHICAGO, April 5.—A special to the Chronicle from St. Louis says: Sister Laura Kuhn of St. Joseph's convent has apparently been cured of a cancer after eighteen years of suffering, at a time when she was apparently at the point of death from the malady.

The seeming miracle which it is claimed was performed occurred St. Joseph's day, March 18, the feast of the saint after which the order was named. It came at the end of a nine days' novena of prayer for the recovery of the nun, participated in by all of the sisters of the convent.

She felt no relief from the sore which affected her so much until the nineteenth day, when she awoke from sleep with the exclamation: "I feel no pain."

The bandages which covered the cancer were removed and no sore remained—only a white scar. Since then Sister Kuhn has been doing her routine duties and does not suffer from the cancer.

Although the wonder was worked several days ago, the sister made no attempt to blazon the supposed miracle to the world and it only leaked out from the closed walls of the convent by degrees.

A Ringing, Howling Flood Washed down a telegraph line which Charles C. Ellis of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Perse sale by Kuhn & Co. Price, 50c and \$1.

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FOR SELLING LIQUOR TO INDIANS.

Frederick Benedict of Sioux Falls Indicted by Grand Jury.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—In the United States court today the grand jury returned indictments against Frederick Benedict, an old resident of Bon Homme county, for selling liquor to Indians and against George Campbell, a pupil in the government Indian school at Chamberlain, for assault upon a young Indian girl; also a pupil in the school.

The cases against Michael O'Shea, expostmaster at Running Water, and William Crook of Egan were dismissed. The latter was charged with selling liquor to an Indian, while the former, who is a justice of the peace, was accused of acknowledging a signature to his wife's bond as post-

Gideon Dashman, an educated Indian youth who is under indictment for raising a United States postal money order while a pupil in the government Indian school at Mandreau, was called, but in the absence of important witnesses a continuance was secured until the 11th or 12th inst., when the trial of the case will be commenced.

Distributes Wyoming School Funds.

CHIEFENNE, Wyo., April 5.—(Special.)—The state superintendent of public instruction has made the annual apportionment of funds for school purposes and distributed it among the various counties as follows: Albany, \$2,352; Big Horn, \$2,576; Carbon, \$3,322; Converse, \$2,584; Crook, \$3,424; Fremont, \$2,572; Johnson, \$2,268; Laramie, \$8,352; Natrona, \$1,155; Sweetwater, \$4,424; Sheridan, \$3,212; Uinta, \$12,664; Weston, \$1,844.

Satisfactory Millet Experiment.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., April 5.—(Special.)—Samuel Ebbert, of Doland, has shipped a quantity of millet to the Department of Agriculture at Washington for inspection by experts. The millet is a new variety the government has been experimenting with the last two seasons. The result of the experiments has been satisfactory.

Suit Involving Pierre Bonds.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., April 5.—(Special.)—Arguments have been concluded before

Justice Carland of the United States court in the case of James J. Hannon against the city of Pierre. The suit involves bonds issued by that city in October, 1891, upon which there is due for principal and interest \$5,380. Judge Carland has taken the case under advisement.

Theater for Spearfish.

SPEARFISH, S. D., April 5.—(Special.)—A \$25,000 stone and brick building has been begun in this city by T. N. Matthews, a wealthy cattleman of this part of the Black Hills. The building will be three stories high and will have a theater on the second story. O. C. Jettett of Deadwood furnished the plans.

Members of State Boards.

PIERRE, S. D., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Governor Herried today appointed Dr. H. E. McNutt of Aberdeen member of the State Board of Health and Dr. H. H. Dickinson of Lead City member of the State Board of Dental Examiners.

Dundell Preacher Moves to Omaha.

TYNDALL, S. D., April 5.—(Special.)—Rev. D. V. Mays, preacher his farewell sermon in the Presbyterian church Sunday and has gone to Omaha.

An occasional dose of Prickly Ash Bitters keeps the system healthy, wards off disease and maintains strength and energy.

houses and safety deposit vaults in various cities.

### DEATH RECORD.

Colonel Robert Wallace.

NEW YORK, April 5.—Colonel Robert Wallace is dead at the home of his sister, Mrs. Alexander Elliott, Jersey City. Colonel Wallace was born in Easton, Pa., eighty years ago. He served as a captain in the United States army in the Mexican war and was made colonel of a western regiment in the union army in the civil war. After the war he lived many years in the state of Washington. Burial will be in Mauch Chunk, Pa.

William H. Denning of Fremont.

FREMONT, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—William H. Denning died at his home on Maple creek yesterday morning, aged 67 years. He was a veteran of the civil war, having served three years in a New England regiment, and has been a resident of this county for many years. A widow and one son survive him.

John Horne Shipp.

NEW YORK, April 5.—George Moses of Knoxville, Ia., one of the most prominent shippers of horses to the eastern market,

died today in Bellevue hospital of pneumonia. Mr. Ames arrived in the city Sunday with several loads of horses. He was 35 years of age.

Pioneer of Sibley.

SIBLEY, Ia., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—W. H. Barkhoff, a pioneer homesteader of Oceola county, died early this morning. He leaves a wife, four sons and a daughter.

master at Running Water when the party who did not personally appear before him. The grand jury made its final report this evening and was discharged.

William Smith is Found Over.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., April 5.—(Special.)—William Smith, a resident of Center county, has been bound over to the next term of the state circuit court in that county on a charge of attempted assassination. He and a neighbor named John Sellers are said to have had trouble over the possession of some land. The other day while Sellers was working near his home he was twice fired upon with a rifle in the hands of some person concealed in a clump of timber 200 yards distant. Sellers was struck by one of the bullets and wounded in the knee. The evidence against Smith is purely circumstantial, with the exception of the assertion of the complaining witness, who claims that he saw Smith at a distance of 175 yards as he backed away from the clump of trees from which he had fired the shots.

Grand Jury Falls to Indict.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., April 5.—(Special.)—The federal grand jury, now in session here, has reported that it failed to find an indictment against John Bordeaux, who was charged with introducing intoxicating liquors into the Rosebud Indian reservation. In the United States court the case against

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