

**"THE WALKING WAS BAD"**  
The buying very good.

# THE FIRST DAY OF THE MASHMEYER STORE ANNUAL FEBRUARY SALE

was what it should be, a pronounced success.

The crowds were here, and most everybody in the crowd was a buyer.

**Trust the Crowd of Buyers,  
Their Judgment is Usually Good**

## This February Bargain Sale

continues indefinitely, or until both buyer and seller are satisfied. Again we say "come out," regardless of weather conditions, because the bargain picking is plentiful and of excellent quality.

Best Hope Muslin, worth 10c	7½c
Fine Cambric Muslin, worth 10c	7½c
Lonsdale Cambric, best 15c grade	10c
25c grade 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, February Sale	19c
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, good quarter grade	19c
42-inch Fine Pillow Tubing, worth 20c	15c
Mohawk 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, the best made, worth 35c	25c
Pepperell fine Sea Island Muslin, yard wide, worth 10c, now	7c
15c best Seersucker, famous Bates quality	10c
Splendid Apron Ginghams, worth 7c	5c
10c quality Dress Ginghams, now	7c
Bates Shirtings, 15c madras patterns	9c
20c White Madras Mercerized Waistings	12½c
20c White Dotted Swiss	12½c
10c Grade White India Linen	5c
15c India Linen, February Sale Price	10c

### February Sale Embroideries—See East Window

25c Splendid wide Embroideries, during this February Sale the price is	15c
Fine Wide Embroideries such as usually sell at 20c per yard, price now	10c
18 inch Corset Cover Embroideries, worth 25c per yard, February Sale	15c
Good Cambric Embroideries, 10c quality	5c
Fine Torchon Laces in match sets, all worth from 5 to 10c	3c

### BARGAIN TABLE DAMASKS

Wide Mercerized Table Damasks, bleached, worth 40c	29c
72-inch Bleached Table Damask, mercerized, worth 65c	45c
20 inch Huck Toweling, worth 8c per yard	5c
All Linen Absorbent Crash Toweling	5c
Pillow Case Bargain—45x36 Hemmed Pillow Cases, worth 20c each	10c
9-4 Bleached Sheets, worth 60c each, February Price	39c

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR BARGAINS

Ladies Tucked Cambric Drawers	19c
Ladies' Hemstitched Tucked Drawers, worth 35c, now	25c
Ladies' Fine Cambric Gowns, worth 75c	50c
Ladies' Lace Trimmed Corset Covers, worth 35 and 40c	25c
Ladies' heavy fleeced Vests, regular 25c quality, now, 3 pieces for	50c
25c grade Ladies' Fleeced Hems, 4 pairs for	50c
Black Petticoat Bargain—Another Shipment Ladies' Black Mercerized Petticoats, all sizes, full width, worth 75c	50c
Ladies' Umbrellas at great bargains. Black Mercerized Serge, 26 inch Umbrellas, worth 50c	29c
All Silk Ribbons, all shades, 22, 40 and 60, per yard	7c
Pearl Buttons at Sale Prices. Good Pearl Buttons, sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 and 22, 3 cards for	5c
Pearl Button Bargain No. 2—Heavy White Pearl Buttons, sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 and 22; these look like 10c goods, 2 cards for	5c

We are looking for and expect to see buyers from everywhere. We expect to see them all—every one, because most everybody knows when they see a good thing. Most everybody knows a bargain.

## The Mashmeyer Store

8th and Main.

Richmond, Ind.

## NEWS OF SOCIETY

What Is Doing in Social, Club and Art Circles.

Miss Elizabeth R. Thomas

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One of the pretty social events of the season was the reception given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. I. V. Gause at her home on North Thirteenth street in honor of Mrs. Charles Nardin of Oregon, Ill., and Mrs. George E. Weir of Indianapolis. The receiving rooms were artistically embellished with flags, American beauty roses being also used in profusion. In the receiving line was the hostess and her guests. Mrs. Gause wore a very pretty gown of crepe silk over net. Mrs. Nardin was attired in a grecian dress of delicate blue silk crepe. A dress of pale green silk fashioned empire, was worn by Mrs. Weir. The hours were between two and five o'clock. About one hundred and fifty guests were received. The assistants about the receiving rooms were Mrs. Warren Gifford, Mrs. Charles D. Sliker, Mrs. Lillie Stout, Miss Ratliff, Miss Alma Lohr, Miss Edna Hoover, Mrs. Dempsey Dennis, Mrs. Martha Dennis and Mrs. Shera.

daughters at their home on East Main street.

Mr. & Mrs. F. A. Brown have gone to Sanford, Florida, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert L. Kelly entertained the members of the Junior class of Earlham college last evening in honor of Miss Janet Fenimore, at their home on Central avenue.

Mrs. A. C. Albertson of New York is the guest of Mrs. C. O. Albertson, 15 North Sixteenth street.

Mr. Walter Johnson left for San Marcial, New Mexico, where he will remain for some time.

with Mrs. P. W. Smith. The session was postponed for one week.

The Central Aid society of the First Christian church met yesterday with Mrs. Harmon Mann, of South Eighth street. The day was devoted to needlework. A dinner was served at noon.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancakes make a hearty, wholesome breakfast. Fresh supply now at your grocer's.

NOTICE.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. will give a bean supper at G. A. R. Hall Saturday evening, Feb. 20, from 4:30 to 8:30. Price, 10c.

### SCHOOL MARMS TO ACT AS "CHEFS"

#### Will Try Their Hands at Culinary Art.

Women teachers of the public schools will undertake an innovation Saturday. They will endeavor to show that they know something of the culinary art as well as pedagogy. They will prepare dinner for the teachers, who attend the annual February meeting. Various predictions have been made as to the probable success of the teachers as cooks. Dr. Robert J. Aley will deliver the lectures for the general meeting.

### CLUB NOTES

A delightful club affair for yesterday was the Washington social given by the Home Missionary circle of the First Methodist church at the home of Miss Orra Conrad on South Thirteenth street. The house was beautifully decorated with flags and pictures of Washington. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. John Starr, Mrs. Charles Shera, Mrs. Sylvester Jones, Mrs. Omar Chase and Mrs. W. O. Ryan.

Small hatchets were given as favors. During the afternoon Miss Reba Stutsman gave an impersonation of a Mohammedan priest at prayer, she being attired in the costume of a priest. The remaining hours were spent socially. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess and her assistants. This was a most enjoyable occasion.

The Mother's League of Whitewater district will hold its regular meeting in the school building, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All friends and patrons of the school are cordially invited to attend the session. Mrs. Spaulding, president; Mrs. Underhill, secretary.

The Sunday school board of the First Methodist church will meet this evening immediately after the prayer service.

The annual dinner given last evening by the Ladies Aid society of the Grace M. E. church was very successful.

The Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon in the church parlors. All members are urged to be present.

The Eureka Card club met last evening with Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Stauber of South Seventh street instead of Thursday as is the usual custom. Euchre was played at three tables. Mrs. Anna Finch, Mrs. Mary Clinepenel and Mr. George Reid were given the favors. After the game a luncheon was served. The club will meet in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Meyer.

The Junior Mission Band of the St. Paul's Lutheran church met last evening in the church chapel. The study of the "Religion of the Mohammedans" was taken up. All societies and members of the church have become much interested in it. The course of study will be to compare this religion with the Christian religion. Miss Emma Hasecoester read a paper on the "Life and Customs of the Arabs." After the program a social was held in the church parlors.

The Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Saturday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock with Mrs. I. M. Hughes at her home on North Ninth street.

The Misses Lindemann will entertain the members of the Alice Cary club Monday afternoon, Feb. 22 at their home on South Fifteenth street. The function will be in the nature of a Washington party.

Mrs. Whitesell of North Eighth street was hostess for a meeting of the Penny club yesterday afternoon. Reports of the various committees were given relating to the entertainment which is to be given the tenth of March in the K. of P. temple. Two new members were taken in at this meeting. Mrs. Carrington of Fort Wayne avenue will entertain the club in two weeks.

The Wednesday Duplicate Whist club did not meet yesterday afternoon.

There are innumerable instances of forest destruction; few of re plantation. At Malta, when the trees were cut down to make way for the growth of cotton, rain became rarer. The same result from felling the timber occurred on the Cape Verde islands. On the island of St. Helena, on the other hand, with the increased growth of forest, rain has increased proportionately, the rainfall being twice what it was when Napoleon was exiled there.

### DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION

#### Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Paw Paw, Mich.—"I suffered terribly from female ill, including inflammation and congestion, for several years. My doctor said there was no hope for me but an operation. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I can now say I am a well woman." ENNA DRAZER.

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