

EXCHANGED HER LOVE FOR COIN

Letters From Preacher's Wife to Snell Read in Will Contest.

HEARERS CRANE NECKS

Eager to Hear Every Word Mrs. Hamilton Wrote to Doctor Old Millionaire - Doctor Says He Was Paranoiac.

CLINTON, Ill., Feb. 13.—When the trial was resumed today of the \$2,000,000 suit instituted by Judge Snell to break the will of his father, Colonel Thomas Snell, more love letters were introduced in evidence. The letters were read to the jury and spectators crowded forward, craning their necks to catch every word. It is said the purpose of reading the letters is to show that Colonel Snell was insane about women.

"Own Little Girl" Preacher's Wife. Most of the letters read today are signed simply, "Your own little girl," and the others bear no signature. They are admitted in evidence as having been written by Mrs. Laura Hamilton, wife of Rev. E. A. Hamilton. The letters express the ardent love the writer bore to her husband and invariably couple professions of affection with the request for money.

Soon after the beginning of the trial, Mr. Hamilton resigned his pastorate and the couple went away. It is believed they went to Florida.

Judge Cochran, who is hearing the case, and who is an ordained Methodist minister and the lifelong friend of Mr. Hamilton, sat with averted face as the letters were read today.

Following the reading of the letters, a hypothetical question of 290 words was read to Dr. Archibald Church, of Chicago, an alienist. The question dealt mainly with the unsigned letters attributed to Mrs. Hamilton.

Snell a Paranoiac. Dr. Church was asked whether, in his opinion, if a man received such letters and made the notations found on them, such as "The best letter she has ever written," and "very important," "This is a sweet one," he could be considered sane. The question also recited Colonel Snell's alleged dislike for his son Richard, and his lavish gifts to Mrs. Snell McNamara, of Kansas City, his favorite grandniece.

Dr. Church said he considered Colonel Snell a paranoiac, subject to "exaggerated ego."

RUNS ON SUNDAY ISSUE Judge Wallace Comes Out for Governor of Missouri.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 13.—Judge William H. Wallace, of the Criminal Court of this city, who recently has been making a vigorous campaign for Sunday observance, today announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Missouri. His platform declares for "the state-wide and permanent enforcement of our Sunday and liquor laws."

Judge Wallace's crusade has resulted in the indictment of hundreds of actors, actresses, theatrical managers and attaches for the violation of the law making it a misdemeanor to perform unnecessary labor on Sunday and he has placed them under bonds amounting in the aggregate close to \$100,000.

BAY CITY MARINE NEWS Steamer Somerstad Chartered to Load Lumber Here.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—The Kosmos liner Haari arrived today from Puget Sound, where she had been taking on a large consignment of lumber and tallow for Europe. She will finish loading here and is scheduled to leave for Hamburg, via Mexican Central and South American ports, Saturday.

The Standard Oil Company's barge, in tow of the launch Dispatch, capized off Yuba Buena Island today. The barge at the time of the mishap was carrying a big load of stores, which were saved.

The new steamer Shoshone, built for C. M. McCormick, arrived today from Eureka in tow of the steamer Yosemite. She will be engaged in the coastwise lumber trade.

The Pacific Coast Company's steamer City of Topeka, which has been laid up for some time, will go out next Monday in place of the Pomona on the next trip to Eureka.

W. Scott Fell & Co., of New South Wales, filed a libel in the United States District Court yesterday on the charter of the steamer Indra, against George W. McNear, to recover \$688 as demurrage.

The British bark Calcutta, 128 tons, is engaged by the Standard Oil Company to convey refined oil to the Orient.

At 3:30 p. m. the Norwegian steamer Somerstad, 242 tons, was chartered prior to her arrival here from Los Angeles, on February 12, by the Oregon Pine Export Company, to carry lumber from Portland to Shanghai.

The Pomona with 275,000 feet, the William H. Murphy with 800,000 feet, the Guialia with 800,000 feet and the Mabel Gate with 900,000 feet of lumber reached this port during the 24 hours preceding sunset today. The lumber steamer Redondo, Captain Bendegard, also arrived in ballast from San Pedro.

WILSON LEAVES HOSPITAL Ex-Senator Recovers From Operation at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 13.—Ex-United States Senator J. L. Wilson, of Seattle, Wash., who was operated on a short time ago at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, left that institution today and went to Atlantic City.

Eye Glasses \$1.00 at Metzger's.

WEDDING INVITATIONS VISITING CARDS, AND MONOGRAM STATIONERY.

W. G. SMITH & CO. Washington Building, Fourth and Washington Streets.

lengthened and many large orders are reported as placed yesterday. Merchants and buyers from the West report a great increase of business in that section of the country and predict a speedy return of the full volume of trade which was interfered with by the financial flurry last Fall.

Carson Bank Without Head.

CARSON, Nev., Feb. 13.—Yesterday the attachment of D. McKenzie was withdrawn from the State Bank in this city. The watchmen were discharged, and the question of being asked who has charge of the bank. T. B. Rickey, the president, resigned several days ago, when McKenzie was promised the control of the bank by placing \$150,000 in the institution. The bank at the present time is without a president, as there has been no stockholders' meeting. The affairs are in the hands of the special committee, who have so far negotiated the deal with McKenzie.

Idle Men Resume Work.

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 13.—More than 2000 workmen who have been idle since November and December have resumed work in the Wheeling district this week. A dozen additional mills at the Aetna Standard plant have started, giving employment to 500, and the Hasking Glass plant, Martin's Ferry, gives work to as many more. The starting of the top mill furnace and the Wheeling Steel and Iron Works gives employment to more than 1000. The National Tube Company's Riverside plant will partially resume about the 20th.

Sugar Dividends the Same.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Directors of the American Sugar Refining Company today declared the quarterly dividends of 1 1/2 per cent on both the common and the preferred stock. These dividends are unchanged from the last previous quarter.

Oil Concern in Receivership.

LIMA, O., Feb. 13.—On the petition of E. H. Russell, the National Consolidated Oil Company, a \$1,000,000 concern with outstanding bonds of \$300,000, was placed in the hands of a receiver today.

Tight-fitting, semi-fitting and loose Coats of broadcloths, tailor suitings, tweeds and chevots, in a variety of plain colors and smart mixtures and stripes. Values to \$27.50.

BOGUS COLONEL CAUGHT FORMER AMERICAN SOLDIER TRAPPED IN ENGLAND.

Swindled Women by Matrimonial Advertising, Fictitious Title and Shadowy Fortune.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—A bogus American "colonel," Schlemank, has been sentenced by the Criminal Court to three years imprisonment, the loss of his civil rights for five years after his release and to perpetual police supervision, as well as to pay a fine of \$300. Schlemank having been convicted of wholesale marriage swindles by means of an advertisement whereby he succeeded in obtaining considerable sums of money from women.

Schlemank was born in Germany, but served in the First Artillery, U. S. A. He was promoted to non-commissioned officer, but finally deserted. He is an accomplished linguist, and represented himself as Count Maximilian de Pausy. He asserted that he was a colonel in the American Army and was acting as military attaché at the American embassy in Berlin. By the display of fraudulent bills and checks to the face value of millions, he managed to delude several women into seeking a brilliant marriage.

The evidence in the courts showed that the man had already served terms in the penitentiary, where he made the acquaintance of a notorious criminal, Amundus Hoppe, who assisted him in carrying out his schemes. The latter was sentenced to six months in prison as an accomplice.

Appliques, Motifs, Medallions; also net top and Valenciennes Laces. Regular values to 75c yard.

Swiss, nainsook and cambrie Edges and Insertions, all new designs and dainty patterns, 1 to 4 inches wide. Regular values to 25c.

Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs of fine Swiss, two styles—one embroidered and hemstitched, one with scalloped edge and embroidered design.

Women's all-linen unlaundered Handkerchiefs; also pure linen laundered Handkerchiefs; values to 12 1/2c.

Fancy Plaid Ribbons, 4 inches wide, in a handsome assortment of checks and plaids. Regular values to 40c yard.

Dresden Ribbons, warp prints, floral designs, 5 inches wide—ribbons that would find ready sale at 50c.

Plain Taffeta Ribbon, heavy all-silk quality, 4 inches wide, in all the new Spring shades. Regular 30c values.

16-button length Cape Gloves, made of finest quality capeskin, full 16-button length, with wide tops. Reg. \$4.50 quality.

3-clasp Suede Gloves, will be very popular this Spring, all sizes, in tan, brown, gray, mode, white, black. A very dressy glove for all kinds of wear. Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 quality.

March Delineator 15c.—La Vida, Nemo, Smart Set, C. B. a la Sprite, W. B. Corsets, EXCLUSIVE AGENTS

Lipman-Wolfe's Friday Bargain Day

So Many Sensational Friday Bargains That We Can Devote Only a Small Space to Each

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$8-\$10 Skirts, \$4.35

A variety of swell styles, made of imported Panama, in a wide range of colorings. Made in the new plaited, gored, banded and plain models.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$12.50 Coats, \$4.35

Women's Coats in all lengths, sizes and colors; only a few of each style; in light, medium and dark shades. Good coats—but look at the price.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$20 Suits at \$9.85

Suits of chevot, broadcloth and fancy imported suitings, in black, navy, smart gun-club checks, etc.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$27.50 Coats, \$9.85

Tight-fitting, semi-fitting and loose Coats of broadcloths, tailor suitings, tweeds and chevots, in a variety of plain colors and smart mixtures and stripes. Values to \$27.50.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Petticoats at \$1.78

100 superb Heatherbloom Taffeta Petticoats, regular \$2.75 values; will not crack, can be washed. The most serviceable of all petticoats, yet equal in appearance to a \$6.00 skirt.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 75c Collars at 39c

Women's embroidered Linen Collars, much in vogue at present and very stylish; latest designs.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 50c Turnovers, 18c

A special lot of embroidered Turnover Collars, in many different styles and patterns. All regular 50c values.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Reg. 20c Laces, 5c Yd

Fillet and Platte Val. Laces and Insertions, special lot including many patterns, values to 20c yard.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Reg. 75c Laces, 25c Yd

Appliques, Motifs, Medallions; also net top and Valenciennes Laces. Regular values to 75c yard.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 25c Embroid'y, 10c

Swiss, nainsook and cambrie Edges and Insertions, all new designs and dainty patterns, 1 to 4 inches wide. Regular values to 25c.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 25c 'Kerchiefs, 14c

Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs of fine Swiss, two styles—one embroidered and hemstitched, one with scalloped edge and embroidered design.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 12 1/2c 'Kerchiefs, 5c

Women's all-linen unlaundered Handkerchiefs; also pure linen laundered Handkerchiefs; values to 12 1/2c.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 40c Plaid Ribbon, 15c

Fancy Plaid Ribbons, 4 inches wide, in a handsome assortment of checks and plaids. Regular values to 40c yard.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 50c Ribbons at 29c

Dresden Ribbons, warp prints, floral designs, 5 inches wide—ribbons that would find ready sale at 50c.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 30c Ribbons at 19c

Plain Taffeta Ribbon, heavy all-silk quality, 4 inches wide, in all the new Spring shades. Regular 30c values.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$4.50 Gloves, \$3.49

16-button length Cape Gloves, made of finest quality capeskin, full 16-button length, with wide tops. Reg. \$4.50 quality.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$2.25 Gloves, \$1.48

3-clasp Suede Gloves, will be very popular this Spring, all sizes, in tan, brown, gray, mode, white, black. A very dressy glove for all kinds of wear. Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 quality.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 60c Waisting, 35c Yd

White mercerized Jacquard Waisting, beautiful assortment of designs, regular 50c to 60c values.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 25c Dotted Swiss, 15c

White dotted Swiss, 30 inches wide, small pin dots. Regular 25c yard.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 25c Batiste, 17c Yd

Satin stripe Batiste, choice printed designs. Regular 25c yard.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 35c-25c Plaids, 15c

School Dress Plaids, wool finish, multi-colored broken plaids, dark effects. Regular 35c and 25c values.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 6-in. Doilies at 10c

6-inch Tenerife and Battenberg Doilies, square and round—10c each, \$1.00 dozen.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 50c Linen Scarfs, 25c

Linen Scarfs, 18x50 inches; squares, 30x30 inches. Neatly made.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Fringe Doilies at 10c

9-inch round fringe Doilies and 9x12-inch oval fringe Doilies.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$2 Tablecloth, \$1.19

8-4 bleached Tablecloths, assortment of designs, border on four sides.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$3 Umbrellas, \$1.95

Union silk and all-silk Umbrellas for men and women; variety of effective handles.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Cotton Challies, 9c

28-inch cotton Challies, pretty colors, in Oriental designs; very suitable for kimonos. A great bargain.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Plaid Zephyrs, 7c Yd

3-4 plaid Zephyrs, chiefly blue and white, small plaids.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY New Percelles, 10c Yd

Percelles in dark colors, new designs in navy blue, cadet blue, black and white, grays, red and white, small figures and stripes.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 25c White Crepe, 15c

Plain white Japanese Crepe, soft, durable material, for ladies' dress. Reg. 25c val.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 72x90 in. Sheets, 58c

Ready-made Sheets of good, strong material, seamed through center, and have good-wearing qualities.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 80x90 in. Sheets, 63c

Ready-made Sheets of extra heavy, strong quality. A great bargain.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 49c Underskirts, 85c

Women's short flannelette Skirts, fancy stripes and plain white, wide full ruffles, scalloped or hemstitched edges.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1.25 Gowns at 85c

Women's muslin and cambrie Gowns, with high V, round and square necks, long and short sleeves.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$4 Kimonos, \$2.78

Long flannelette and crepe Kimonos, in empire, shirred and belted styles, dainty colorings, sizes 36 to 44.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$2.25 Sacques, \$1.45

Short flannelette Sacques, in fancy figures, pink, blue, lavender and tan. Values to \$2.25.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1.75 Gowns, \$1.19

Flannelette Gowns in plain white and fancy stripes, with military or turnover collars and Japanese neck, sizes 15, 16, 17, 18.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1.50 Flowers at 39c

Roses in white, pink, red, etc.; large double Violets in large clusters, and many other novelty flowers. Values up to \$1.50.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 25c Sheet Music, 9c

Hundreds of the latest and most popular titles in Instrumental and Vocal Sheet Music; no trash. Greatest value ever given.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1.35 Taffeta, \$1.09

Extra good quality yard-wide Black Taffeta.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 5c Toothpicks, 2c bx.

5c hardwood Toothpicks, double pointed.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 50c Back Combs, 38c

Shell or amber Back Combs, plain or fancy top. Your choice at 38c.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 35c Side Combs, 19c

25c and 35c Side Combs, shell or amber, plain or fancy top.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 29c Pillow Tops, 15c

Japanese Pillow Tops in a variety of quaint designs.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 89c Lunch Cloth, 69c

Pure linen Lunch Cloths, drawn-work and spoke-stitched hems, stamped for embroidery.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Centerpieces for 19c

Pure linen stamped Centerpieces, values up to \$1.00.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 15c Pyrography at 9c

15c Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, stamped for pyrography work in many designs.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 85c Underwear at 53c

Non-shrinkable wool Shirts and Pants, jersey rib, long sleeves, high neck.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 35c Underwear at 25c

Fleece-lined cotton Vests and Pants, famous Messenger bear-proof brand.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 75c Underwear at 47c

Regular 75c gray Vests and Pants, half wool.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 15c-18c Swiss at 12 1/2c

10,000 yards Curtain Swiss in plain and colored patterns, large variety to select from, 36 inches wide.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Reg. \$2 Rugs at \$1.29

500 Kashmir Rugs, handsome patterns, in Oriental and conventional designs, wear like iron, 27x54 inches.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Rug Samples at 98c

Velvets and Tapestry Rug samples, 54 inches long. If cut from piece would cost \$2.00 to \$4.00 each.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Reg. \$2.50 Rugs, \$1.49

300 Velvet Wilton Rugs in Oriental and floral patterns, 27x54 inches.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Extension Rods at 6c

10c Sash Extension Rods, with brackets, complete for hanging, 22x44-inch extension.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Extension Rods at 19c

Heavy brass ferruled Extension Rods, with fancy screw ends, with brackets, complete, 30x54 inches.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1.00 Brooches at 38c

Filled-gold novelty Ribbon Brooches, very stylish, will wear well.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1.50 Bracelets at 98c

Novelty gold-filled Bracelets, rose gold finish, set with stones.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1.50 Hat Pins at 78c

\$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75 14-K. filled-gold Hat Pins, beautiful novelty patterns.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1-\$2.50 Bar Pins, 78c

Sterling silver Bar Pins, with gold plate, set with stones of pearl, turquoise or rhinestone. Worth \$1.00 to \$2.50.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 35c Beauty Pins at 18c

Gold-plated Beauty Pins in neat designs, all the best patterns.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Mounted Combs at 68c

Fancy mounted gold band Back Combs, in shell or amber color.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Vanity Purses at 48c

Vanity Purses, oxidized silver finish, neat novelty for coin and cards. Regular \$1.00 values.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Coral Chains at 78c

Very pretty long Coral Bead Chains at 78c.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 50c Spring Belts, 39c

New Spring Belts, pearl buckles, fancy low designs.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1.75 Fancy Belts, 98c

New fancy imported Belts, all new shades and designs.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$1-\$1.50 Belts at 39c

White Kid Belts, sample line of new designs, back and front buckles.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY 35c Pen Wipers, 10c

Fancy leather Pen Wipers, mounted.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY \$7-\$8 Bags at \$3.25

Buffed Alligator Bags, leather lined, fitted with coin purse.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY Toilet Goods Sale

Sanitary silk tissue Toilet Paper, 2000-sheet rolls, regular \$1.80, dozen . . . \$1.10

35c Pomade and Talcum Jars, silver plated 10c

25c Pond's Extract Soap 16c

25c Sanitol Soap 16c

25c Cuticura Soap 16c

25c Pond's Extract Cream 17c

25c Satin Skin Cream 17c

25c Rubifom Liquid Wash 16c

25c Sanitol Liquid Wash 16c