

DENIAL OF GUILT MAY HANG DOCTOR

Haldane Cleminson Now Says Wife Ended Life to Avoid Disgrace.

HIS THIRD "CONFESSION"

Physician's Statement to Police Is Liable to Cause Gallows Verdict, as Did Noted Gentry Case—Bonds Denied.

CHICAGO, June 2.—(Special.)—If the example of the famous Louise Gentry murder case shall be held to count for anything in the case of Dr. Haldane Cleminson, it may be held that the physician, who is accused of the murder of his wife, today did a thing that moved him several steps nearer the gallows.

In his eager desire to show that his wife committed suicide, Dr. Cleminson openly defamed her memory and denied the paternity of her unborn child. It was for an act similar to this that a jury convicted Frank Constantine of the murder of Mrs. Gentry, and the police have seized upon the terrible declaration of Dr. Cleminson as their heaviest and surest weapon in the effort they are making to establish his guilt.

The charges uttered by Dr. Cleminson, if viewed in any other light than that of his present desperate position, would seem almost beneath the lowest reach of human thought. According to his story, his home had been, for upwards of two years, a scene of horror, a tragic death, a veritable pit of torture. Love and respect and every tender emotion had fled his fireside, and in their stead had come aversion, dislike, and even hatred. There was not one thing that the physician and Mrs. Cleminson held in common. They had ceased to be as man and wife, and they continued to dwell together under one roof solely because of an exaggerated fear of the world's criticism.

Long ago the doctor had told his wife that he no longer held sacred his marriage vows. She knew that he sought the company of other women, upon the basis of free will, and that he viewed her only as a great stumbling block in his path. And at the end she came to know that he believed, or professed to believe, that she was about to bring into the world an infant that he must recognize as his own, though it was not of his blood. Sufficient this, as Dr. Cleminson stated, to cause him to end the mockery and misery of the life she had been forced to endure. And sufficient reason, also, for the doctor to promptly declare, why Dr. Cleminson should wish to rid himself of so painful a connection.

Dr. Cleminson has now made three "confessions." The first was that his story of burglars murdering his wife was untrue. The second that distant relatives of his wife were her, naming five persons he suspected, and the third that she committed suicide. This afternoon he was formally arraigned, charged with her murder, and held without bond.

Morphine caused the death of Mrs. Cleminson, according to a preliminary report made tonight. Dr. Cleminson had said that his wife was killed by chloroform and that he also suffered ill effects from chloroform administered by robbers.

W. C. CALDER MARRIES

MRS. A. B. MASON.

OREGON TIMBERMAN WEDS

MRS. A. B. MASON.

Widow of Well-Known Portlander Becomes Wife of Eastern Oregon Merchant.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—(Special.)—The marriage of two well-known Portland people was quietly performed this afternoon at the Episcopal Church by Rev. Ernest Bradley, rector of Trinity. The principals were Mrs. F. Alice Mason, of Portland, the widow of Albert B. Mason, of the firm of Sealey, Mason & Co., and W. C. Calder, whose residence for the past few months has been Baker City, where he has been widely interested in timber lands. The Oregon couple came to San Francisco and the marriage, at their request, was a very quiet affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Calder leave for Seattle next Saturday on the steamer President for their wedding trip. They will remain in Seattle several weeks to view the Exposition and will then spend the rest of the summer at Mr. Calder's summer home, Cannon Beach, on the Oregon shore.

After their summer outing the Calders will be found at home in their residence on Portland Heights. Although Mr. Calder's timber interests have kept him in Eastern Oregon, it is his intention in the future to make Portland his home.

CHARGES WERE UNJUST

U. S. JUDGE MEEK, OF DALLAS, IS CLEARED.

Attorney-General Wickersham Declares Complaint Against Jurist and Lawyer Baseless.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The charges against Judge Edward Meek, of Dallas, and United States Attorney William H. Hays, well of the Northern District of Texas, were wholly without foundation, cruelly unjust and for the sole purpose of securing a delay in the prosecution of a man whose offense against innocent victims in the fraudulent use of the mails deserved the severest punishment.

This was the announcement made today by Attorney General Wickersham, after a thorough examination of a complaint by persons in Dallas, representing William J. Hogue, recently convicted of fraudulent use of the mails and later of perjury during that trial. Hogue charged Judge Meek and Atwell with improper conduct in his trial.

Knox Smith Inquiring Into Trusts. WASHINGTON, June 2.—Herbert Knox Smith, Commissioner of Corporations, conferred with President Taft Tuesday concerning investigations in his bureau,

Mr. Smith says investigations have been on for two years, and that only the inadequacy of his force prevented the clearing up of all the matters at once. The so-called steel trust and its business, the so-called harvester trust and all machinery combinations, cotton exchanges, lumber, water transportation, waste-powers and tobacco are the principal matters under investigation. The bureau has been working upon the affairs of the harvester trust for two years, and about all of the material available in the United States has been secured.

CONFER ON LABOR MEASURES

Gompers and Morrison Ask Taft to Advocate Their Plans.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—Samuel Gompers, president, and Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, had a conference with President Taft today regarding the various matters affecting organized labor which were presented to the President by the Executive Council of the Federation several weeks ago. The recommendations of the council cover a wide range of subjects which it is desired to have the President take up in his annual message to Congress next December. Mr. Taft promised to take the matters up with his Cabinet.

Landis Replies to Harriman.

CHICAGO, June 2.—"I am not at all concerned about what anybody says in opposition to the enforcement of the criminal law." This is Judge E. M. Landis' only answer to the charge made by E. H. Harriman in a speech at New York Monday, in which he was blamed for the panic of 1907.

STEEL STOCK IN PARIS

MORGAN ARRANGES FOR SALE OF 1,000,000 SHARES.

Deal Made Through Trust Company for Invasion of French Money Market.

PARIS, June 2.—One million shares constituting the amount of United States Steel common stock which the syndicate formed by Morgan, Harjes & Co., of Paris, in conjunction with J. P. Morgan & Co. of New York, has been placed on list upon the bourse here. The syndicate will deposit with a trust company of New York, the name of which has not been disclosed, the amount of stock against which the trust company will issue its own certificates of deposit.

FRESH SUPPLIES OF CAPITAL

Morgan Announces Negotiations to Enter French Market.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Official announcement that negotiations are under way to list the common stock of the United States Steel Corporation for trading on the Paris Bourse was made today by J. P. Morgan, Jr. The opening of the Paris Bourse to an American corporation stock is an event of the greatest importance to the financiers of this country, giving entrance to the rich investment market of France for the acquisition of new supplies of capital. There is no stock of an American corporation listed in Paris.

CONDENSED NEWS BY WIRE

New York.—An issue of approximately \$2,000,000 of the first mortgage bonds authorized Wednesday by the directors of the Atchafalaya, Topinka & Santa Fe Railway Company.

San Diego, Cal.—While going to the aid of his representative, who had broken down in a motorcycle road race here Wednesday, J. P. Morgan, a motorcycle agent, was thrown from his machine and sustained probably fatal injuries.

New York.—John D. Rockefeller will build a temple to be used as a private chapel for his estate at Pocantico hills. London.—Professor Oswald Hopkins, in an address at the Royal Institute, made a scientific argument in favor of cannibalism.

Chester, Pa.—Doctors for the Government have brought up several English soldiers' helmets and believe they have struck the boats which brought money to pay British soldiers and were sunk in the War of 1812.

New York.—The entire staff of 10 physicians and the superintending nurses have resigned from the Brooklyn Hospital for Consumption because the Board of Managers insisted on keeping children in the first ward, tubercular in the wards with hopeless invalids.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Charles Barre, who was arrested Tuesday night while trying to pawn a lady's bracelet on a suspicion of knowing something about the murder of Laura Regester, Providence, R. I., was found guilty of murder. The bracelet was entirely dissimilar to the one taken in Providence.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Word has reached the city that the body of Mrs. Josephine Carleton Archer, who died January 22, and whose body was sent to Onondaga, for interment, has been disinterred and stretched out on a table in the home of J. P. Archer, a real estate broker, of this city.

New York.—Alice Walsh, formerly of Chicago, will recover from the wounds which Cornelius Shea, ex-president of the Teamsters' Union, inflicted upon her, and Shea was admitted to bail.

Cleveland, O.—The attempt to arbitrate the strike of employes of lake vessels has failed.

Washington.—A new counterfeit \$5 silver certificate has come to the attention of the Secret Service Bureau. It is the series of 1899, bearing an Indian head, and is a photographic reproduction and on bond paper of good quality. The poor workmanship of the Indian head should be the means of detecting the counterfeit.

New York.—It required the reading of 1,200 pages of testimony for Judge Chastield, in the United States Circuit Court, Brooklyn, to decide Tuesday against the West Publishing Company of St. Paul, Minn., in its suit against the Edward Thompson Company of St. Paul, Minn., for infringement of copyright. He worked two months, frequently 18 and 18 hours a day.

San Francisco Papers to Merge. SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—The Evening Post, of this city, has been sold to the interests owning the Evening Globe, and it is understood that in a short time the plants will be merged and the new paper appear as the Globe and Post.

Sherman Takes Summer Quarters. TRAVERS CITY, Mich., June 2.—Vice-President Sherman has rented a cottage at Ne-Ah-Tah-Wanta, on Grand Travers Bay, and will spend the summer here with his family.

All Physicians

Must prescribe some of the ingredients that are contained in Hood's Sarsaparilla for all troubles of the blood, stomach, kidneys and liver.

They include sarsaparilla, stillingia, yellow dock, gentian, wild cherry bark, mandrake, dandelion, juniper berries, pipsissewa, etc.

The combination and proportions are our own formula and give power to cure beyond the reach of any other prescription or substitute. That's why it is wise to get Hood's and only Hood's.

PRICE & TEEPLE One of the world's best plants. The Wiley B. Allen Co. 304 OAK ST., COR. FIFTH.

This Is Last Day of the Great Half-Price Suit Sale

Women Who Miss This Sale Will Miss the Bargain Opportunity of the Year

LOW PRICES ON Libbey CUT GLASS

Unbelievably low prices on this, the peer of all cut glass ware. When you see the name Libbey etched on a piece of cut glass, you are sure of its superior quality and you know that the cutting is the best to be had. In anticipation of June weddings, graduation presents, etc., it is well to consider the advantages of this sale on this brilliant, sparkling glass ware.



Nappies worth \$1.75 each; special in this sale \$1.40
Nappies worth \$3.00 each; special in this sale \$2.40
Plates worth \$4.00 each; special in this sale \$3.20
Plates worth \$9.00 each; special in this sale \$7.20
Berry Bowls, regular \$5.00 value, in the annual white sale at the low price of, each..... \$4.00
Berry Bowls, regular \$15.00 value, in the annual white sale at the low price of, ea. \$12.00
Water Bottles, \$4.00 values, special in sale..... \$3.20
Water Bottles, regular \$24.00 value, special in the annual white sale for, each..... \$19.20
Cologne Bottles, \$8.00 values, great special..... \$6.40
Cologne Bottles, regular \$12.00 values, in the annual white sale, great special price..... \$9.60
Vases, \$3.50 values, for annual white sale..... \$2.80
Vases, \$5.50 values, for annual white sale..... \$4.40
Vases, regular \$24.00 values, in the annual white sale at the low price of, each..... \$19.20
Rose Bowls, \$9.00 values, white sale price..... \$7.20
Rose Bowls, \$15 values, white sale price..... \$12.00
Fern Pots, \$10 values, special in this sale at..... \$8.00

Olds, Wortman & King Annual White Sale

Bargains in All Departments

The Modern Priscilla The very latest magazine on embroidery and art work. Gives up-to-date minute news of what is latest in artistic needlework. Valuable advice and instructions on not only needlework, but many other features pertaining to the home. Every housekeeper or needleworker wants one; should have one. They are on sale here at, each..... 10c

Boys' Shoes \$1.00 Less

Let our sacrifice profit be your opportunity to save; in fact, \$1.00 is the smallest saving mentioned in this lot, for on the higher-priced ones you save as much as \$3.00. There are nearly all sizes in each style mentioned here and no sizes missing when the entire lot is considered. They come in patent leather, glazed kid, calf or tan Russia calf, blucher or regular lace styles. They are shoes of the better sorts, splendid quality leathers, nicely made and finished, divided into three lots, according to sizes. Prices: Boys' shoes, sizes 9 to 13½, on special sale for Thursday at the remarkably low price of, the pair..... \$1.29
Boys' shoes, sizes 1 to 5½, special price..... \$1.49
Boys' shoes, sizes 6 to 7½, Thursday sp'l..... \$1.98

SOME SPECIALS ON Fine Lace Curtains

What home does not need them, and where would you buy them for so little as they are listed here? Curtains are always to be had, but not always these qualities at these prices. The savings average more than a third right through the line and the qualities are decidedly the best to be had. Take advantage of this offer and furnish your home with artistic hangings. Included are Irish Point, Saxony, Brussels, Renaissance and Arabian Curtains in surprisingly good assortment. The savings are rather more than a third off the regular selling price, so it is well worth the while of any one to investigate.

\$5.50 values, special, the pair, at only \$3.75
\$6.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$3.95
\$7.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$4.75
\$7.50 values, special, the pair, at only \$5.15
\$9.50 values, special, the pair, at only \$6.35
\$10.50 values, special, the pair, at only \$6.95
\$11.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$7.35
\$12.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$7.95
\$15.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$10.25
\$16.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$10.95
\$19.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$13.75
\$20.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$12.50
\$27.50 values, special, the pair, at only \$18.75
\$33.00 values, special, the pair, at only \$22.50



All Knitwear Reduced

Everything in women's white knit underwear, in children's knit underwear, in white hosiery, etc., at specially reduced prices for the Annual White Sale. You will also find special white sale reductions on White Parasols—White Hosiery—White Neckwear—Laces and Embroideries.

Embroideries Worth to 25c Choice at 12½c Yard

Bands, Edges and Insertions from 1½ to 12 inches wide, in Swiss, Nainsook or Cambric materials, regularly worth to 25c the yard, at for this sale, only..... 12½c
Women's Neckwear—Dutch collars, stock collars, jabots, Windsor ties and embroidered linen collars, regularly worth up to 35c each, at for this sale..... 15c
Ribbons—In plain or fancy, satin taffetas, plain taffetas or warp print designs. Reg. prices up to 25c the yard, 1½ to 3 inches wide, choice today at, yard..... 10c

Ironing Wax Ruled or unruled, New York linen writing tablets, letter or packet size, regularly 25c each, special 19c each, special 19c
L'ndry Soap Swift's Laundry Soap, a well-known brand that sells regularly at 5c the cake, today 10c three for.... 10c

Astound'g Reductions In the Muslinwear

Thousands of savings and they appear on the finest and daintiest garments you ever laid your eyes on. New, snowy white lingerie in bewildering profusion. Garments of every sort. Combination suits, nightgowns, chemise, petticoats, drawers, corset covers. Everything milady wants at huge sagings.



Bunting for Rose Carnival

We have an immense supply of bunting in official colors for Rose Carnival decoration—rose, pink and leaf green. Our buntings are dyed rainproof, fast colors. In the Linen Aisle.

Standard FULL BLEACHED Sheets 60c Up

Snowy white sheets of generous size, torn and ironed, nicely laundered, extra low priced for the White Sale. Size 54x90 inches, \$6.85 the dozen, or each..... 60c
63x90 inches, \$7.40 the dozen, or, each..... 65c
72x90 inches, \$7.95 the dozen, or, each..... 70c
81x90 inches, \$8.55 the dozen, or, each..... 75c

Besides this splendid bargain on sheets, the linen and wash goods aisle is simply crowded with good values. WHITE PERSIAN LAWNS, 40 inches wide, splendid for the construction of waists, children's dresses, etc. Regular price 20c the yard; white sale..... 12½c
DOTTED SWISSES, fine quality, all size dots; special price, the yard..... 18c
WHITE FRENCH BATISTE, beautiful soft finish, regular price 35c the yard, for this white sale the price is, yd. 20c
WHITE FRENCH PERCALE, a fabric admirably adapted to the construction of smart tailored waists and suits; regular price 60c yard, special..... 48c
TABLE LINENS, Richardson's fine Irish damask, three extra specials, come in several designs, nicely finished, regular 75c quality, special at yard..... 56c
Special reduced prices on all pattern cloths, napkins, towels, white dress linens. This is your opportunity. Bed Spreads, large size with cut corners fringed sides, crocheted pattern. Regular \$2.00 value, extra special..... \$1.48

BED SPREADS, Marseilles pattern, full size, extra good quality; regular price \$1.75 each, on special sale at this low price, each..... \$1.25
HUCK TOWELS, heavy German linen; regular price 25c each, special annual white sale..... 20c
PILLOW CASES, made of extra heavy sheeting, three lots on sale for the annual white carnival. Don't miss these extraordinary values. LOT 1—Regularly sold at 15c ea.; sp'l 11c
LOT 2—Regularly sold at 17c ea.; sp'l 12½c
LOT 3—Regularly sold at 20c ea.; sp'l 15c
WHITE SHEETING, a strong, durable quality, warranted to wear, 2 yards wide, on special sale at the low price of, the yard..... 22c
TURKISH BATH TOWELS, large size, full bleached, made from double twisted yarns; selling now at the low price of, each..... 19c
LINEN TABLE SETS, consisting of extra fine durable damask, pattern cloth, and one dozen

Special Lot Number Two Spec'l Lot One for Half Price

A rousing extra special in the lingerie aisle on a special purchase of combination suits. We bought them at a figure far below their real worth and can offer them to our customers at a little less than one-third below the regular selling price. You can choose from corset covers and drawers or corset covers and skirts, made of India linen or fine quality dimity. They are exquisitely trimmed with lace or embroidery, perfectly made and well finished. We also have a combination of all-over embroidery corset cover and skirts, an extremely pretty and dainty garment, priced as follows: COMBINATION SUITS, regularly worth \$3.00; on special sale at the extraordinary saving in this sale, suit..... 98c
COMBINATION SUITS, regularly worth \$1.75; selling in this sale at the extremely low price of, suit..... \$1.17
COMBINATION SUITS, regularly worth \$2.50; extraordinary values in this white sale at, \$1.29
COMBINATION SUITS, regularly worth \$3.00; extraordinary values in this white sale at, \$1.95
COMBINATION SUITS, regularly worth \$3.25; a great value, selling in this sale at the \$2.32 great saving of.....
COMBINATION SUITS, regularly worth \$4.00; now selling at the extraordinary saving of..... \$2.98 of, the suit.....

This assortment is made up of hand-made and domestic garments, some slightly soiled and mused from display, but all in perfect condition. One trip to the laundry and they are as good as ever. 'Tis needless to tell you that they are of extraordinary beauty and excellence in finish. There are gowns, corset covers, skirts and chemise in a profusion of designs and qualities. Regularly priced at \$1.75 to \$50; in this stupendous annual white sale the entire assortment thrown before you—anticipate your needs—a great saving at HALF PRICE.

