

TEAPOTS FIGURED BIG IN TESTUOUS HOME

A very handsome man and a fine dresser but one who threw teakettles at his wife and threatened to cut her throat from ear to ear and then bathed his hands in her warm blood, was the description given of E. J. Hoover by Mrs. Charlotte Hoover in the divorce court this morning. Mrs. Hoover gave a graphic account of a tempestuous married life that began in St. Louis, Mo., in April, 1907, and contained thrilling chapters drawn from each city in which he lived in the case was an ugly-looking hunting knife with a blade over four inches long. This was the instrument Mrs. Hoover testified her husband had secured for the throat-cutting affair that he promised her. She watched where he placed it in a dresser drawer where he gained possession of it.

Mrs. Hoover, besides the divorce, obtained judgment for \$5,000 that she had lost her husband at different times. When they were married, she said, Hoover had no money, and a few days before the ceremony she let him have \$150. Just before the panic last year, she said, while they were living in Vancouver, Wash., she sold some property for \$2,000 and put the money in the bank. Before the holidays she declared she drew out \$1,000 for him, and after that he compelled her to draw out \$25 per day, which was the limit of withdrawal during the holidays. Finally she told him she had sent a part of the money east to place on interest. This enraged him, and while she lay in bed, he hurled a silver teapot at her, striking her on the arm and making a great bruise.

After the divorce suit was begun a reconciliation was attempted and the Hoover's met in the office of John H. Hall. Hoover promised to behave himself, the witness said, and she took him back. That was only last week, but the very next day he was drunk, she said, and was worse than ever. So she went ahead with the divorce.

Mrs. Hoover was a widow before her last unlucky venture and she was granted permission to resume her maiden name, Mrs. Thurman. She said her husband has promised to repay the money he borrowed, but never returned a cent.

Mrs. Hoover was one of eight women who appeared before Judge Gantenbein in the circuit court this morning to ask for freedom from their husbands. It was an exclusive ladies' day, and all eight of them waited but of their courtroom with their hearts lightened by the judge's approval.

One of the most pitiful narratives of

a husband's utter worthlessness ever told in the divorce court was given by Mrs. Nettie Fairchild. She was yoked to kill G. Fairchild in Montgomery county, Missouri, in 1885, but she soon found that he would not work. She was compelled to go barefooted in summer and to wear her brother's shoes in winter, she said. She lived mostly on cornbread, but her husband went to his mother's house for his meals.

Lay on Floor and Chewed.
Fairchild spent most of his time lying on the floor and chewing tobacco, she stated. He spat on the floor, and when she tried to make a living by dressmaking he would not leave the room long enough for her to finish her work. She said she bought her first dress in 10 years, and she did not have a dress good enough to wear on the street. They were living in Kansas City.

Found No Husband There.
Mrs. Abbie Jacobs testified that when she came home one day in March, 1907, after having been away to earn some money, her husband was gone. They were married in this county in September, 1897.

Susie B. Vance secured a divorce from Alexander P. Vance because he was convicted of an statutory charge in Wasco county last March and is serving a 20-year term in the penitentiary. They were married in Argentine, Kan., in July, 1901.

On the ground of desertion, Manetta A. Butler was divorced from Levi Butler, whom she married in Centerville, Iowa, in 1909. She said her husband left her in 1892 without leaving any word.

Also on the ground of desertion Annie M. Seal secured a decree of separation from E. E. Seal. They were married in Portland in November, 1888, and her husband left for California in 1906.

going to remain at the head of the committee and manage the campaign or whether some one else is to take up the task.

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Nelson Hughes, who disappeared a few days ago and whose coat was found on the river bank in the defendant in a suit brought in the circuit court by Carpenters' and Joiners' union No. 50, of which he was secretary. He is alleged to be in the unlawful possession of \$322.55 belonging to the union, and the union apparently hopes to recover by this action the money that he is alleged to have converted to his own use, despite his disappearance.

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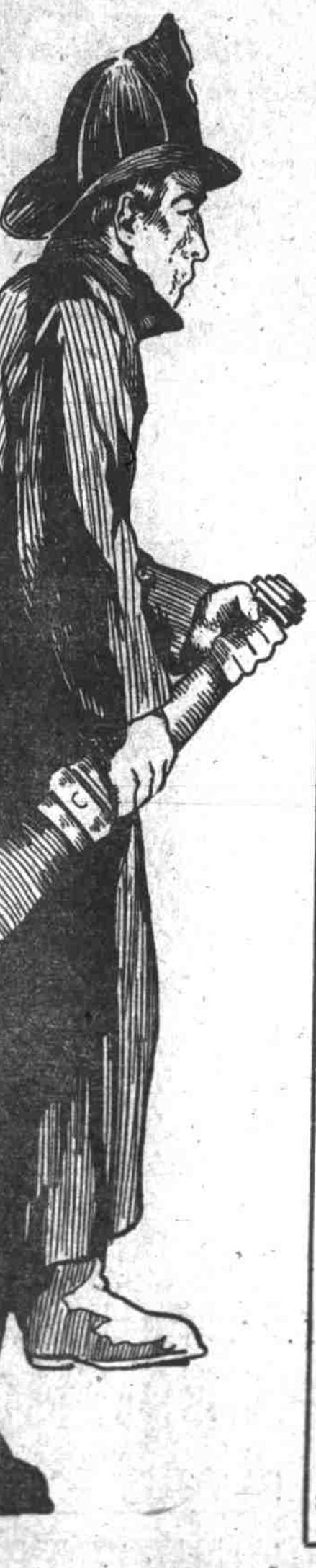
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Shoes for Man, Woman or Child <ul style="list-style-type: none">\$1.35 for women's vici kid shoes, all sizes, worth to \$3.00.\$1.85 for men's or women's high-grade shoes worth to \$3.50.\$2.35 for men's box, velour, and vici dress shoes, worth to \$4.00.\$2.95 for men's Goodyear welt heavy shoes, worth to \$5.00.	Ladies' and Misses' Coats <ul style="list-style-type: none">\$1.95 for ladies' black broadcloth coats, worth to \$8.00.\$3.98 for fine velvet-trimmed coats, worth to \$10.00.\$7.45 for best grade cloaks, worth to \$15.00.
Men's Pants <ul style="list-style-type: none">2 cases men's fine pants just opened, making about 1,000 pairs in all.85c for work pants, worth to \$2.00.\$1.35 for men's corduroy pants, worth to \$3.00.\$1.85 for men's dress pants, worth to \$3.50.\$2.45 for men's fine serge pants, worth to \$4.00.\$3.35 for men's best dress pants, worth to \$7.00.	Ladies' Fixin's <ul style="list-style-type: none">7 1/2c for ladies' black hose, worth 15c.11c for ladies' fine black hose, worth 25c.19c for ladies' underwear, worth 35c.39c for ladies' flannelette gowns, worth 75c.
Blankets <ul style="list-style-type: none">59c for 10-4 double blankets, worth to \$1.25.89c for 11-4 double blankets, worth to \$1.75.\$1.29 for 11-4 best mixed blankets, worth to \$2.50.\$1.10 lb. for best wool blankets, worth always \$1.50 lb.	



CAKE SAYS HE HAS SACK AND WILL RUN CAMPAIGN

William M. Cako, chairman of the Republican state central committee, who has been invisible in the east for some little time, much to the displeasure and annoyance of the Fulton faction of the Republican state central committee, is home again. No only is he home but he has come in possession of the campaign sack, the home of contention largely in the present differences, and is determined to conduct the Taft campaign himself, working in conjunction with Ralph G. Williams, national committee man.

Mr. Cako, for whom the politicians have been watching with curiosity since he slipped quietly into the city yesterday and went into immediate conference with Max G. Cohen and James Karcher, the former secretary of the Union Republican club and the latter secretary of the county central committee. Mr. Cohen says that it was largely regarding law matters, though incidentally the political situation was discussed, though Mr. Cohen says he having been at the coast for the past month, was not able to give much information as to which way the straw was lying.

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George Sutherland, city marshal of Clatskanie, who for nearly four weeks was confined in St. Vincent's hospital suffering from a gunshot wound, was discharged yesterday nearly cured. Mr. Sutherland was shot through the body, and his escape from death was a close one. If the bullet had gone an inch to the right or to the left, he says he could not have lived more than a few hours. But fortunately it chose the only path through the body possible without striking any of the vital organs, and came out on the other side.

MARRIED LIFE BEGAN IN WRONG TOWN

Chicago, that he desired her love, which was given after marriage. Mrs. Sutherland has begun suit for divorce from William J. Sutherland in the county of Cook, Ill., and said in the divorce suit she had lived in Chicago with her husband for some time.