

HOLMBERG WILL LEAVES NOTHING TO SECOND WIFE

Efforts of Divorced Widow to Secure Estate Apparently Blasted by Filing Will Following Decree.

A bombshell was dropped yesterday upon the well-laid plans of Mrs. Augusta Holmberg to get possession of the estate of her divorced husband, Peter Holmberg.

The will of Peter Holmberg was filed in county court, duly signed, witnessed and sealed on October 25, 1919. That was the day after Peter secured a divorce from Mrs. Augusta Holmberg. He secured the divorce on the ground of cruelty. They had married in 1914, when he was 72 years old and she 54 years old. He said he thought she would make his declining years comfortable, but he alleged she did the opposite, making fun of him, refusing to go to church with him and threatening to send him to the poor house.

Found Dead December 12.
He was found dead by accidental asphyxiation December 12. On the day after the funeral Mrs. Holmberg appeared in county court and asked to be appointed administratrix of his will and reported herself the sole heir on the ground that the statutory six months had not elapsed since the divorce decree was granted Mr. Holmberg, and that, therefore, she was still his legal wife.

Mr. Holmberg's will was drawn by Attorney John W. Battin. His second wife, Augusta, is not mentioned in it, but he refers several times to "my beloved first wife, Johanna Peterson Holmberg, deceased."

He leaves \$200 each to six nephews and nieces, children of his first wife's sister. They are Mrs. Charles Swanson, Red Oak, Ia.; Mrs. John Essala, Yorktown, Ia.; John Carlson, Red Oak, Ia.; Alfred Carlson, Essex, Ia.; Swan Carlson, Essex, Ia., and Frans A. Carlson, who lives in Sweden.

Nothing to Niece.
The will stipulates that nothing shall be paid to another niece, Mrs. Andrew Gustafson, Council Bluffs, Ia.

He bequeaths \$600 to the First Swedish Methodist church of Omaha where he was a faithful member for many years, as a memorial to his first wife.

John W. Battin is named executor of the will.
Mr. Battin declares that Mrs. Augusta Holmberg cannot get a penny of the estate. Ross Shotwell, attorney for Mrs. Holmberg, declares that she is entitled to all the personal property and a life interest in the real estate. The total value of the estate is about \$4,000.

Father to Get Child From Flanagan Home Pending Divorce Suit

The domestic troubles of Samuel and Lillian Goldsmith were recorded in another chapter in district court yesterday, when Judge Redick issued a writ of habeas corpus allowing Mr. Goldsmith possession of 10-year-old Michael Goldsmith from Father Flanagan's home, where he was placed pending the outcome of the divorce suit, filed October 20.

A week ago Samuel was haled into court for not paying temporary alimony of \$100 a month to his wife as ordered by Judge Troup.
Mr. Goldsmith formerly kept a saloon on East Douglas street and is now in the garage business. His wife still lives in their home, 4302 Dodge street, and he lives at the Wellington Inn.

Divorce Courts

Joseph Williams complains in a petition for divorce filed in district court that his wife, Phoebe Williams, will not come to Omaha and live with him, although he has offered her a home and railroad fare. They were wedded at Camp Cody, N. M., June 30, 1918, and she returned soon thereafter to Los Angeles, her home.

Mary E. Taylor says her husband, Clarence, treated her with cruelty during their married life of 17 years. She applied to the district court for a divorce, alimony and custody of their two children.

Allegations of cruelty and drunkenness won a divorce for Rheunnie Unangst from William Unangst in divorce court, Judge Day signing the decree.

Lloyd Asdell applied to the district court for a divorce from Hattie Asdell, charging her with extreme cruelty. They were married in 1909.

Martha Cole was granted a divorce from Mr. June Cole by Judge Sears in divorce court on allegations of nonsupport and cruelty. She was restored to her maiden name, Hall.

Iva Taylor secured a divorce from Scott Taylor in divorce court on the ground of nonsupport and extreme cruelty.

Charges of extreme cruelty won a divorce for Thoma McCann from his wife, Margaret McCann, in divorce court, Judge Sears signing the decree.

Elva Hunter was given a divorce from El Hunter in divorce court by Judge Sears on grounds of nonsupport. Custody of a child was given to her.

William Wilson, in a petition for divorce filed in district court, alleges that Cora Wilson has deserted him.

Cuts Arm on Saw.
Beatrice, Neb., Dec. 26.—(Special.)—Al Mosher of Wymore was seriously injured south of town, while sawing wood with a circular saw. His sleeve caught on the saw, pulling his right arm over the blade.

A great clearance sale of men's and boys' overcoats—now in progress.

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY.

"EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Beautiful display of lamps—very specially priced.

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALES

Throughout the Entire Store Begin Monday at 9 A. M.

It is the custom of us to clear our stock of all holiday merchandise and odd assortments so as not to carry them over into the following season. We will therefore place on sale Monday, a large proportion of our stocks at reductions as great, if not greater, than ever before.

Every bit of merchandise placed on sale is of a superior quality, although in some instances it has become soiled and mussed from handling. But the values are most extreme in every instance. Many prices below present cost of production.

Felt Slippers \$1.00

Odd assortment of women's felt slippers in small sizes only. Slippers left from the Christmas selling at \$1.00 a pair. Extreme value.

Second Floor

BOOKS 1/3 off Regular Price

All children's books of paper and linen, including painting books, also an assortment of gift books at 1/3 off regular price.

Third Floor

Handkerchiefs 10c to 35c

Slightly soiled and mussed handkerchiefs, plain white, also fancy colored novelties and silk crepe to be cleared away at greatly reduced prices.

Main Floor

China and Glass 1/2

All odds and ends of dinner ware, fancy decorated china and cut glass, will be sold Monday at a great reduction which will afford great saving advantages.

Ribbon Novelties 1/2 Price

Dainty little articles made of ribbons including bags, vanity sets, sashes, carriage bows, rosettes, etc., to be cleared away at 1/2 price for Monday only.

Main Floor

Children's Sweaters 25c

Children's sweaters in coat and slip-over styles. Dark, serviceable colors. These are extraordinary values at 25c each.

Downstairs Store

Skating Sets 45c

500 skating sets, consisting of scarf and tam made of brushed wool, camel's hair or Vicuna. Plain and fancy weaves in plaid, stripe check and solid color.

Downstairs Store

Boys' Caps 25c

200 boys' knit toboggan caps. Made of heavy wool, rope weave, in dark, serviceable colors. Wonderful values.

Downstairs Store



Extreme Values in Women's and Misses' **Coats and Suits** In the **DOWN STAIRS STORE**

\$10

OUR stocks must be reduced immediately and in order to do so the prices have been radically reduced, regardless of former selling prices.

Suits

Handsome models of beautiful materials such as

Serge Poplin Gabardine Plainly tailored or fancy styles in such colors as

Navy Taupe Black Trimmed with braid and buttons. All sizes. Wonderful values.

Coats

Beautiful, heavy winter coats, splendidly made of

Velour Tweed, Velvet Kersey, Etc. in many attractive styles, including

Loose and Belted Models Trimmed with self and collars, deep pockets, buttons, etc., all sizes.



Baby Caps 10c

300 babies' wool caps, plain and fancy weaves. White and colors. Very special.

Downstairs Store

Scarf and Cap Two in One 15c

100 scarf toboggan caps, two in one, made of Vicuna or brushed wool, in plain or fancy weaves. All colors.

Downstairs Store

Motor Scarfs 75c

500 motor scarfs, extra long and wide, made of brushed wool, fiber silk and mohair, in beautiful plaid, stripe and solid color effect. Extreme values.

Downstairs Store

Embroidered Models 1/2 Price

Hand-embroidered models that have been used as display samples will be placed on sale Monday at 1/2 price. Some have been reduced to 1/3.

Third Floor

Sauce Pans 59c

A clearance sale of an assortment of pure aluminum-tipped sauce pans, first quality, 2-quart size. Choice at 59c each.

Downstairs Store

Gloves 1/2 Price

Great clearance of women's kid gloves and children's mittens at exactly 1/2 price. Buy your supplies now.

Main Floor

Toilet Paper 8 Rolls for 25c

Crepe tissue toilet paper, good size rolls; very specially priced in the annual clearance sale, 8 for 25c.

Downstairs Store

Clothes Baskets 39c

A sale of Diamond Splint clothes baskets—large size, very specially priced for Monday at 39c each.

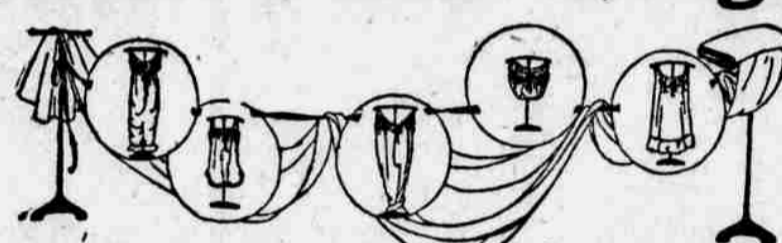
Hair Ornaments 1/2 Price

Combs and hair ornaments of shell, demi and amber; various styles. Some slightly damaged from handling, but wonderful values at 1/2 price.

Main Floor



Clearance Sale of **Women's Silk Lingerie**



500 silk undergarments consisting of GOWNS, CAMISOLES, BLOOMERS, PAJAMAS & ENVELOPE CHEMISE.

1/2 Price

All slightly soiled and counter tossed, to be closed out for 1/2 regular price—broken sizes.

NO PHONE CALLS LIMITED QUANTITY TO EACH CUSTOMER

NO C. O. D.'S NO EXCHANGES

Second Floor

Leather Goods 1/2 Price

Holiday merchandise, including manicure sets, toilet cases and gift novelties from the leather goods section, to be placed in this great clearance sale at exactly 1/2 the former prices.

Main Floor



Clearance of Silk Remnants

Every remnant of silk left from this season's selling, consisting of taffeta, foulard, crepe, satin, messaline and poplin, in plain colors, also stripes, figures and plaids. Lengths from 1/4 to 3 yards in a piece, on sale Monday at 1/2 price.

1/2 Price

Main Floor

Annual Clearance Sale of Women's Corduroy Robes \$3.95



Made of wide wale corduroy in robe or coat effects, finished with collar, cuffs, belt or a girdle; coral, copen, rose, blue and flesh. Extraordinarily low.

Priced at \$3.95.

Second Floor

MEN!

Neckwear 69c A large assortment of men's fancy neckwear. **Special 69c**

Hose 29c Broken lots of men's hose, all colors, and sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2. **Special 29c**

Shirts \$1.00 A small lot of men's shirts, odds and ends and broken sizes. **Special \$1.00**

Men's Scarfs 1/2 Price

Sweaters \$2.00 Miscellaneous lot of men's and boys' sweaters. **Clearance Sale \$2.00**

Belts 30c A large assortment of men's sample belts, extreme values, 30c.

Stationery and Novelties

Box paper and stationery, also all gift novelties that have become soiled from handling during the Christmas selling will be placed on sale Monday at 1/2 the former price.

1/2 Price

Main Floor

Annual Clearance Sale of High-Grade Corsets

1/2 Regular Price

Discontinued models, materials and broken sizes. Extreme values that every woman should take advantage of.

No C. O. D.'s No Phone Calls. No Exchanges.

Second Floor

