

HANG SLAYER OF SIOUX CITY MAN IN NEW MEXICO

Arthur Blancett, Murderer of Clyde D. Armour, Pays Penalty for Crime on The Scaffold.

Santa Fe, N. M., July 9.—Albert W. Blancett, convicted of the murder of Clyde D. Armour, was hanged in the jail yard here at 5:22 o'clock this morning. The crime was committed October 23, 1916. The case has been in all state courts and a plea for executive clemency was refused the man's mother.

The crime for which Albert W. Blancett was convicted was the murder of Clyde D. Armour, near Glorieta, N. M., about 20 miles east of here, October 23, 1916. Armour, who lived at Sioux City, Ia., where he was employed as chief clerk in the passenger office of the Northwestern Railroad company, left his home September 29, 1916, accompanied by his mother and sister, en route to California in a new eight cylinder automobile. On arriving at Clarks, Neb., the sister was taken ill and when recovered sufficiently to travel she and her mother proceeded to their destination, Fresno, Cal., by train. Clyde Armour continued the trip by auto. He arrived in Denver, October 19. He asked the Y. M. C. A. at Denver to find a companion who desired to travel by auto to the coast. The "Y" being unable to find such a man, Armour inserted a want ad in one of the Denver papers, which was answered by Blancett, an agreement was reached and they started westward.

Never Reached Santa Fe.

Armour never reached Santa Fe, but a man representing himself to be Armour arrived here October 23, registering at a local hotel. When he did so he committed the first indiscretion which led to his arrest later on, as when he started to write "C. D. Armour" the first letter he made was "E." This he changed, making a "C" over the letter "E" which he had first written. He remained here until October 27, going then to Albuquerque, where he sold the automobile for \$500. The night of October 30 he boarded a train at Albuquerque and evidently went straight through to California. By November 13 Mrs. Armour, who with her daughter, had reached Fresno, became so alarmed over the failure of her son to arrive that she began investigation. Her son-in-law, Myron T. Sawyer, went to Needles, Cal., from which point Mrs. Armour had received a message, purporting to be from her son, to the effect that he had sold the car and would continue his trip to Fresno by train. Inspecting the original of this telegram, Mr. Sawyer at once decided that it was a forgery. Sawyer went to San Diego and Los Angeles and finally came on to Albuquerque and Santa Fe.

Much Sleuthing Done.

About this time Armour's two brothers arrived here from Sioux City to take charge of the search. They learned that the man who posed as Armour, during some of his conversations had said that he once lived near Aztec, San Juan county, and mentioned the name of his mother, who had remarried following the death of her first husband, Blancett's father. This is believed to have furnished the officers with the clew which led to his arrest at the home of his mother at Friday Harbor, Wash., December 31, 1916, the family having moved there from New Mexico.

After Blancett was arrested he requested permission to step into a cook shack to "say good-by" to somebody. A moment later there was a report of a gunshot from the interior of the shack. Investigation showed that Blancett had almost ended his life by firing a charge of shot into his neck. When asked why he replied: "I couldn't tell mother."

Found Armour's Body.

Although a diligent search was made in the mountains east of here, Armour's body was not found until January 14, when a dog belonging to Antonio Sandoval y Griego walked into the house carrying a part of a human leg bone, on which a shoe still remained. Antonio followed the dog on the back trail and found the bones that remained of Armour's body in an arroyo 300 yards from the main road. About 20 feet away from the skeleton lay a shotgun and some clothing. Marks on the clothing and papers in the pockets served to indicate that the clothes were Armour's. At an autopsy held later on six shots were fired from the base of the skull, indicating that the fatal shot was fired from behind, severing arteries and inflicting a wound from which the victim quickly bled to death.

Blancett was placed on trial in the Santa Fe county district court April 13, 1917. The jury returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree April 24. Blancett, when placed on the witness stand, admitted shooting Armour but said it was an accident. He said he got out of the car to hunt and that while he was walking behind Armour he stumbled and in trying to save himself from falling the gun he was carrying was discharged.

Five Generals Have Revolted Against New Mexican Government

Mexico City, July 9.—Five generals have taken up arms against the new Mexican government. Provisional President De la Huerta told foreign correspondents last night, but he declared they did not constitute a military menace, since they had but very few followers. He estimated that not more than 500 men had been involved in recent outbreaks. He asserted the army had been reorganized, that unstable forces could not shake the administration. "The Carranza government," said De la Huerta, laughing, "stood for more than four years against over 25,000 rebels, and there is no reason why the present government cannot contend with less than 500."

Store Open Saturday Till 6 P. M.

JULY SALES OF UNRIVALED ECONOMICAL INTEREST

Store Open Saturday Till 6 P. M.

July Clearance Sales in Men's Furnishings



\$3.50 Dress Shirts at \$2.45

About 1,500 shirts included in this lot, in madras, woven and printed, and good quality percale. Saturday **\$2.45**

Men's Athletic Nainsook and Madras Union Suits, former price \$1.50 and \$1.75, hundreds of suits in all sizes, Saturday at **98c**

Clearance sale of Men's Silk Shirts, all shirts selling up to \$18, Saturday **\$11.00**

All Silk Shirts selling up to \$12.50, Saturday at **\$7.50**

MEN'S FURNISHINGS—MAIN FLOOR.

HAYDEN'S

THE CASH STORE

Toilet Goods, Drugs

- 75c Djer-Kiss Face Powder, our special cash price, at **59c**
- \$1.00 Mavis Talcum, our cash price, **79c**
- 50c Pompeian Bloom Rouge, cash price, **39c**
- 35c Woodbury Cold Cream, cash price, **21c**
- 35c Odonoro, our special cash price, **27c**
- 35c Sal Hepatica, our cash price, **27c**
- 25c Aspirin Tablets, cash price, dozen, **15c**
- 15c Epsom Salts, 1-pound package, our cash price, **8c** 2 for **15c**
- 15c Jap Rose Soap, cash price, 3 cakes, **25c**
- 10c Magic Dye Flakes, our cash price, **5c**
- \$3.00 Chamois Skins, (extra quality large oil tanned skins) very special, cash price, **82c**
- \$1.50 Bath Brushes, special cash price, **98c**

Housefurnishings

- White Mountain Refrigerator, Side Icer, capacity 125 pounds for, **\$40.00**
- Oak Ice Chest, ice capacity 150 lbs., **\$24.00**
- Moulded Garden Hose, 7-ply, 3/4-inch, 50-foot lengths and couplings for, **\$7.00**
- Moulded Garden Hose, 7-ply, 1/2-inch, 50-foot lengths and couplings for, **\$5.00**
- 8-Cup size Aluminum Percolator, at, **\$2.00**
- 6-quart Heavy Aluminum Preserving Kettle for, **\$1.89**
- Aluminum Double Boiler, 8-quart size, **\$1.98**
- 3-quart Heavy Aluminum Sauce Pan, with wooden handle, at, **\$1.00**
- Round Aluminum Angel Food Cake Pan, with removable bottom, at, **\$1.25**
- Aluminum Muffin Pans for, **\$3.50**
- 3-quart Aluminum Sauce Pan, with cover, cash price for, **\$1.59**
- 7-quart Aluminum Tea Kettle for, **\$3.75**

Clothing Values Extraordinary

in Our July Clearance—Men's, Young Men's and Boys' Spring and Summer Suits



Hart Schaffner & Marx

Made most of them for us, and most of them are priced now for quick clearance at less than manufacturers' cost, and for less than the same merchandise could be replaced to-day. Pick out some classy suit for yourself or the boy Saturday. Every garment fully guaranteed.

July Clearance Shoe Sale

Grover Oxfords in black and brown vici kid, with genuine hand turned and Goodyear welt soles, \$15.00 values. Clearance price, **\$10.00**

Crossett Oxfords for men in dark brown vici kid and dark brown calf skin, nothing better made for wear and appearance, sold all season for \$16.00. Clearance price, **\$12.00**

Men's Brown and Black Calf Skin Shoes, Goodyear welt soles and Union Made, "Hayden's Special," \$8.50 values. Clearance price, per pair, **\$6.50**

Women's Black and Tan Vici Kid Oxfords, with leather French heels, \$7.50 values. Clearance price, per pair, at **\$5.00**

Women's Black and Brown Vici Kid Stripped Pumps, with leather French heels, \$5.50 and \$7.50 values. Clearance price **\$4.00**

Women's White Mary Jane and 2-Strap Canvas Pumps. Clearance price **\$2.00**

Misses' and Child's Barefoot Sandals and Skufflers. Clearance price, at **\$1.00**

Men's Dark Brown Skufflers, with heavy stitch down soles and anatomic heels, \$3.00 values. Clearance price **\$2.00**



Remarkable Apparel Values in Great July Clearance Sales Women's and Misses' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts Blouses

A Clean-Sweep Sale of All Spring and Summer Stocks—A Wonderful Saving Opportunity.

Women's and Misses' Coats, Wraps and Dresses that sold from \$35 to \$69, Saturday at **\$25**

Lot of Women's and Misses' Spring and Summer Suits, Coats and Dresses, sold up to \$25, Saturday **\$10**

Lot of Women's and Misses' Spring and Summer Suits, Coats and Dresses, that sold up to \$29.50, Saturday at **\$15**

Tourists' Coats
Lot of Long Linene Sicilians, Auto or Tourist Coats, sold up to \$8.95, Saturday **\$5**

SKIRTS
Lot of Women's Silk Skirts, in poplins, failles, baronett satins and novelty silks, light and dark shades, sold \$12.50 to \$20, Saturday **\$10.00**

Tourists' Coats
Another lot of Linene Auto or Tourist Coats, sold up to \$6.50, Saturday on sale at **\$2.95**

Blouses
Lot of fine Georgette Crepe Blouses, that sold \$12.50 to \$20, Saturday at **\$10**

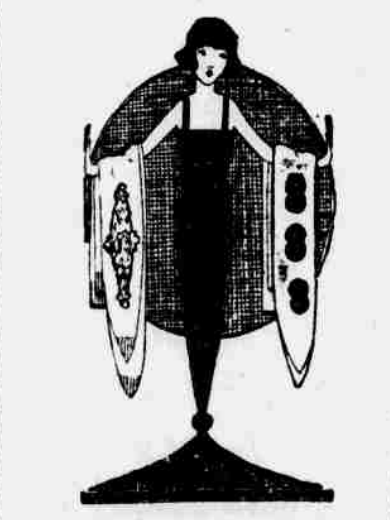
Saturday in Children's Section
Girls' Dresses, colors and white, including Susie Smart style dresses, worth \$5.00, Saturday, at **\$2.98**
Girls' White Dresses at Reduced Prices Saturday, \$7.50 White Dresses, at **\$5.00** \$10.00 White Dresses, at **\$7.50** \$12.50 and \$15.00 White Dresses, Saturday, at **\$10.00**

Middies
Ten dozen Women's and Misses' Middies, elegant values, Saturday at **\$2.50**

A Half Price Sale of Hosiery — for — Saturday

Another of Our Famous Half Price Hosiery Sales Will Be a Feature Saturday.

Over 5,000 Pairs of Women's Colored Summer Silk Hosiery in regular and extra sizes, all best makes, all first quality good, clean merchandise never sold for less than \$2.50, some up to \$3.25. All go for our low cash price Saturday, per pair, at **\$1.24**
Women's Fine Mercerized Lisle Colored Hose, in all sizes, fashioned and seamless, regular 89c and \$1.00 quality. Clean-up price Saturday, per pair, **48c**



Saturday Meat Specials in Omaha's Popular Sanitary Market

- Steer Pot Roast, lb. **17 1/2c**
- Sugar Cured Bacon, lb. **32c**
- Lamb Legs, lb. **25c**
- Veal Breast, lb. **15c**

All kinds of choice fresh and smoked meats at the lowest cash prices.

We Urge the Housewife to Buy GROCERIES At Hayden's

And Reduce the H. C. I. Read Our Grocery Special for Saturday. Gallon Cans of Pumpkin, **50c** Gallon Cans of Tomatoes, **90c** Gallon Cans of Prunes, **\$1.20** Gallon Cans of Apples, **50c**

Corset Clearance

Your choice of odds and ends of Corsets, pink batiste, summer nets, white coutils and fancy figures, range of sizes, 19 to 36. Regular price \$3.00, special, at **\$1.98**
Brassieres and Bandeaux, front and back fastenings, lace and embroidery trimmed, special, at **68c**



Corset Dept.—Second Floor.

New Millinery Sacrificed Before Inventory

Our most beautiful collection of absolutely new Millinery must be closed out regardless of cost before inventory.

All white, pink, Orchid, navy and black Hats, including many never shown before this sale.
Four Great Price Groups—
\$5—\$7.50—\$10—\$12.50
Every beautiful Georgette Hat in flesh, white, orchid and navy. Every Taffeta Hat, many in beautiful white combinations, just received. Every Ribbon Hat for street and sports wear. Every Transparent Hat. Early Fall Hats not included.
No Refunds, No Exchanges—Every Sale Must Be Final.

- Assorted Kamo Soups, each, **10c**
- 16-oz. Can Wilson, Carnation or Pot. Milk, can, **15c**
- No. 3 Cans Peaches, each, **30c**
- No. 3 Cans Apricots, each, **30c**
- 4 Cans Oil Sardines, **25c**
- 3/4 Mustard Sardines, **15c**
- Large Jars Sweet Pickles, **35c**
- Large Jars Sour Mix Pickles, **25c**
- Large Jars Chow Chow Pickles, for **25c**
- Large Jars Preserves, assorted, for **25c**
- White or Yellow Corn Meal, lb. 5c
- Bulk Oatmeal, lb. **7 1/2c**
- Fancy Head Rice, lb. **15c**
- Hand Picked Navy Beans, lb. **10c**
- 48-lb. Sack D. H. Flour, **\$3.50**
- 24-lb. Sack Rye Flour, **\$1.40**
- DRIED FRUIT SPECIALS
- Fancy Cooking Figs, lb. **20c**
- Fancy California Prunes, lb. **15c**
- Fancy Peeled Peaches, lb. **30c**
- Fancy Bartlett Pears, lb. **40c**
- Choice Table Figs, lb. **25c**
- Fancy N. Y. Evaporated Apples, lb. at **30c**
- Fresh Roasted Peanuts, lb. **17 1/2c**
- Our Famous Ice Tea, lb. **40c**
- Golden Santos Coffee, lb. **35c**
- Choice Pan-Fired Jar Tea, lb. **40c**
- Fancy English Breakfast Tea, per pound **60c**
- Fancy Ceylon Tea, lb. **60c**
- Fancy Gun Powder Tea, lb. **60c**
- VEGETABLE AND FRUIT MARKET
- New Potatoes, lb. **8 1/2c**
- 3 Bunches Fresh Onion, **5c**
- 4 Bunches Leaf Lettuce, **5c**
- 3 Heads Home Grown Lettuce, per head, at **5c**
- New Home Grown Cabbage, per head, **5c**
- Fancy Ripe Tomatoes, lb. **15c**
- Large Bunches Carrots, **15c**
- Large Bunches Turnips, **10c**
- Large Bunches Beets, **15c**
- 3 Bunches Radishes, **5c**
- 3 Bunches Turnip, **5c**
- Green or Wax Beans, lb. **15c**
- Fancy Green Peas, quart, **10c**
- All Kinds of Fresh Fruit at Market Price.
- Omaha's Greatest Market for Fresh
- Eggs, Butter, Cheese and Pickles.
- Best No. 1 Fresh Eggs, doz., **40c**
- Best Creamery Butter, lb. **60c**
- The Best Country Creamery Butter, per pound, **50c**
- Best Peanut Butter, per lb. **22 1/2c**
- Fancy Full Cream Y. A. Cheese, per pound **35c**
- Fancy Full Cream New York Cheese, per pound, **40c**
- Fancy Full Cream Wisconsin Cheese, per pound, **35c**
- Fancy Large Dill Pickles, doz. **25c**
- Small Sweet Pickles, quart, **75c**

It Pays—TRY HAYDEN'S FIRST—it Pays