

Eckman Sane, Three Testify in Will Contest

Pre-Nuptial Agreement, Will And Pretty Nurse Figure in Legal Battle Brought by Steppdaughters.

After three witnesses were placed on the stand yesterday afternoon to testify to the sanity of the late E. M. Eckman, wealthy Omahan, whose will is being contested by his steppdaughters, George DeLacy, attorney for Mrs. Eckman, asked for a recess until this morning at 9. The recess was granted.

The witnesses were J. H. Cutoff and Alvin H. Nicholson, of the Davenport garage, and Sol Goldstrom, of the board of trustees of Wise Memorial Hospital. All testified that they had met and transacted business with Eckman shortly before his death and his actions were rational and sane.

Assert Father Insane.

A pre-nuptial agreement, a death-bed will drawn at midnight on the porch of a summer cottage in Minnesota, a pretty Omaha nurse who won her way to Eckman's heart, all figure in the hearing, which opened yesterday in County Judge Crawford's court.

Mrs. Emmett Hannan and Mrs. F. C. Henry, Omaha, steppdaughters, are contesting the will which left Eckman's entire estate to his nurse-son-in-law, on the ground that their father was suffering from paresis, a form of insanity, at the time he drew up the will.

The sum of money left by Eckman is substantial. Emmett Hannan, a son-in-law, estimated it at \$25,000. Other estimates run from \$50,000 to \$150,000.

Tell of Courtship.

Attorneys spent the entire morning in outlining their case to County Judge Crawford. Mrs. Eckman was formerly Miss Gwendolyn Petty, a graduate of the Methodist hospital, Omaha, an instructor in the chemical department of the University of California, an army nurse and a private nurse in Omaha.

Eckman, who was president of the Eckman Chemical company, Omaha, first met Miss Petty when she was called to his apartments to nurse him during an illness last spring.

A courtship ensued, ending in the summer when Eckman and Miss Petty and a chauffeur drove to Meadville, Minn., and were married en route. Upon their arrival there, attorneys stated, Eckman hired a cottage in which they lived and kept busy directing his Omaha business by letters and telegrams and placing salesmen in the state.

Made Will at Night.

The defense admits that he was afflicted with paresis but claim it had not affected his mind. Early in August he became ill and three months preceding his death on August 9, it is claimed, he awoke his wife in the middle of the night and asked her to awaken visitors in the house and to call a physician.

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he is quoted as saying, "and I want to make my will."

The defense claims Mrs. Eckman demurred at first, but finally did as directed and there in the summer cottage at midnight, a physician, and pajamaed and nightgowned visitors at the Eckman cottage signed the will, which left everything to his wife.

Fire Department Member For 29 Years Dies in West

L. E. Casiday, a member of the Omaha fire department for 29 years, died at Pomona, Cal., yesterday after a short illness. He left Omaha three years ago. He is survived by his wife and four children. Mr. Casiday was a veteran of the civil war. The funeral will be held tomorrow with burial at Pomona.

Man Cruel to Horse.

Mike Neguire, 2852 Monroe street, was fined \$15 for cruelty to animals in South Side police court Thursday. He was arrested while dragging a horse to the city dump. The horse was fastened to the back of a wagon by a rope. The animal was not dead. Neguire declared that he thought the horse was dead.

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Brief City News

Fines for 75—Fines of \$10 to \$100 each were imposed yesterday by Police Judge Fitzgerald on 75 men and women taken in raids in the old Third ward district.

Standard Oil Buys.—The north-west corner lot at Eighteenth street and St. Marys avenue was bought yesterday by the Standard Oil company from the Kuntze estate for \$57,500 cash.

To Solicit for Red Cross.—Representatives of the Red Cross will visit all buildings and institutions to take subscriptions in the present drive, according to R. M. Switzer, campaign chairman.

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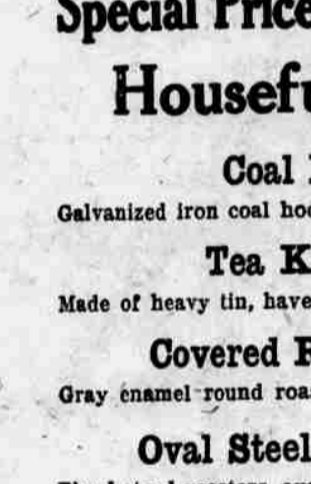
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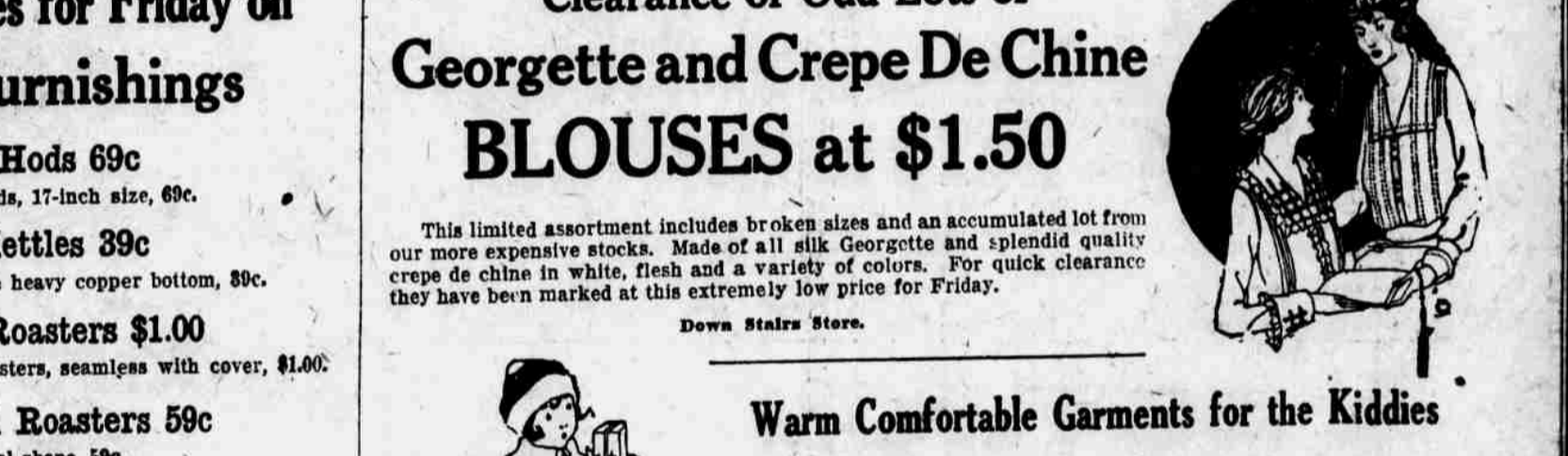
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