

### GAS FAILING, TOOK HIS LIFE WITH A RAZOR

Demented Electrician Killed Himself Half an Hour After Discharge From Court.

Scarcely half an hour after he had been discharged in the Morrisania Court on a charge of attempted suicide and had accompanied his wife and two little girls home to No. 23 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, with a promise to straighten up, George Michel, an electrician with a delusion that visionary enemies were pursuing him, slashed his wrists to the bone with a razor. He died a few minutes later in Leonard Hospital.

Michel's first attempt at killing himself was on Saturday by gas. After dressing a tree for his children he crept softly from his bed room after midnight and sticking the end of a gas tube in his mouth, waited for death. The smell of the gas awakened his little girl, Florence, four years old, and she aroused her mother and saved Michel's life for the time being.

To-day, after Michel and his family reached home the man, who was still white and shivering from the effects of the gas he swallowed on Saturday, told his wife that the whole thing was the work of his malicious enemies.

"If they don't leave me alone, I shall have to escape them by death," he said. His wife reminded him of his promise to come to work and put such thoughts out of his mind.

Suddenly Michel walked into the front room, little Florence following him. Mrs. Michel was preparing lunch, had only left her husband a few minutes when she heard the child cry.

"Mother, mother, father's hurted himself," she ran into the front room and found her husband lying on the lounge with a razor in his hand.

"Forgive me, down," he gasped. "I had to do it or they'd have killed me."

### THREE YEARS IN SING SING FOR A POLICEMAN

Judge Dike Denounces Him and Some Fellow Policemen as Perjurers.

In sentencing Policeman James J. Mannix to not less than three years in Sing Sing for assaulting John Kennedy, a private watchman, Judge Dike, in the County Court in Brooklyn, today, severely denounced the prisoner and some of his fellow policemen who had testified for him as perjurers.

Mannix, who was attached to the Amity street station in Brooklyn, on March 5 quarreled with Kennedy, who is a watchman for the New York Dock Company, at the foot of Pacific street. The policeman charged Kennedy with

stealing several bottles of wine he had hidden on the dock, and in the fight Kennedy was so badly beaten that he remained in the hospital for two months. He is 5 feet 6 inches in height and weighs 100 pounds and Mannix is a six-footer and weighs about 150 pounds. Mannix made a plea for mercy, his wife said he got into the trouble through his unruly temper and that if he went to prison his wife and three children would starve.

"Your crime was a grave one," said Judge Dike, "and in my judgment your own testimony convicted you. It was perjured with perjury and was harmonious with the overcautious and grossly perjured testimony of some of your fellow officers. I always commend a policeman from the bench for good work and I expect frankness and sincerity from them when on the stand, but I expect no such exhibition as that made by Doorman Curran when he testified for you."

Curran is the doorman of the Amity street station to which Mannix was attached.

### BURNHAM'S WILL FILED.

Former Life Insurance President Left Estate to His Wife.

The will of Frederick A. Burnham, the former President of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company, who was assassinated last Wednesday by gas at his home, No. 64 East Seventy-eighth street, was filed at the Surrogate's office today.

The will was dated April 21, 1881, and was an elaborate paper, richly engrossed.

Mr. Burnham left his estate to the widow, Catharine M. Burnham, leaving it to her discretion to provide by her will for any children they might have. Mrs. Burnham is named as sole executrix, and George Burnham, Jr., Richard S. True and Edward Swager signed the will as witnesses.



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Waists worth to \$5. Messaline in light colors with yoke effect of lace insertions; net waists in white or ecru with yoke of lace—or threaded with colored ribbon. Choose at \$3.75.

### Eiderdown Robes Down \$2

These were \$2.50. Warm, "comfy" Robes of red Ripple Eiderdown, fitted back and girde at waist; sailor collar and satin-trimmed sleeves.

### Flannelette Sacques Down 38c

These were 50c. Black-and-white polka-dot Flannelette Sacques, with fitted back and belt; sailor collar and sleeves trimmed with Persian band.

### Outing Flannel Petticoats down to 18c

These were 25c. Pink, white or blue-and-white stripes—made with plain hem.

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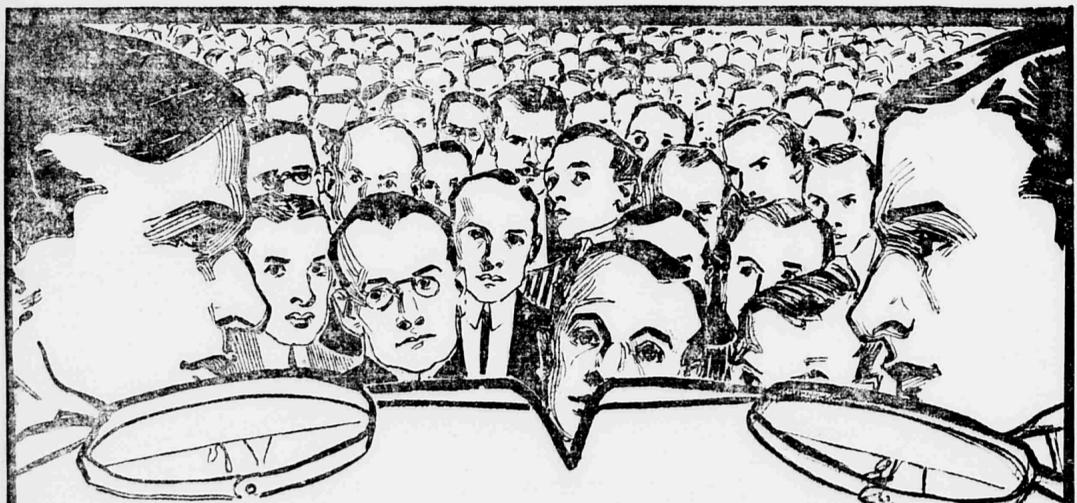
Sizes 1 1/2 to 2, all widths. Best styles for the season, with patent leather tips and extension welted soles; medium half heels; other styles charge \$1.50 and \$1.75.

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**Men's Domet Nightshirts at 50c**  
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