

SANTA CRUZ GRAND JURY ACCUSES A SUPERVISOR

Wrongful Payment of \$250 Charge Against Wyman of Soquel

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL
SANTA CRUZ, Dec. 31.—The grand jury brought an accusation today against Supervisor A. W. Wyman of the Soquel district, charged with misconduct in office, alleging wrongful payment of \$250 out of the Capitola park fund. Sheriff Trafton served papers on Wyman, summoning him to appear in court January 14 to answer. If guilty the penalty will be removal from office. Wyman has always been held in high esteem.

The final report of the jury will be made Thursday, and it is said that the embezzling element in the county will be dealt with severely. Chief of Police Armstrong of Santa Cruz and the marshals of Watsonville and Boulder Creek have appeared before the jury, and

there is some uneasiness as to the outcome. The affairs of the Colton estate were taken up and charges may be preferred against the California safe deposit and trust company and W. J. Barnett.

DROPS DEAD IN SENATE
PARIS, Dec. 31.—Jean Francois Edmond Guyot-Dessaigne, the French minister of justice, dropped dead of apoplexy during the morning's session of the senate. Guyot-Dessaigne was born in 1833. He entered the public service in 1867. In 1885 he was elected to the chamber of deputies, and in 1889 was appointed minister of justice in the Floquet cabinet. His present tenure of office dates from October 23, 1906. He was a member of the Legion of Honor.

PARDONS GIRL VAGRANT
SACRAMENTO, Dec. 31.—Governor Gillett this afternoon pardoned Elsie Sherwood, a young girl serving a term of six months in the San Francisco county jail. She was incarcerated for vagrancy, but the circumstances surrounding her arrest were mitigating and she in a great measure was not to blame for the position in which she found herself. The girl has a good home and will be taken back by her parents.

BIG VERDICT IS GIVEN FOR OVERFLOWED WORKS

Salt Company's Plant Secures Damages of \$456,746

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 31.—Damages to the amount of \$456,746 were awarded the New Liverpool salt company today by Judge Olin Wellborn in the United States district court against the California development company on account of destruction of property caused by an overflow of the Colorado river which resulted. It was alleged, from the construction of canal intakes by the development company.

It was the largest verdict for damages ever returned in the jurisdiction of the district court. The company sued for a total of about \$525,000, but the court disallowed a part of the claim. The California development company

BISHOP E. G. ANDREWS OF METHODIST CHURCH DEAD

Cold Contracted in San Francisco Brings on General Breakdown of Health

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Bishop Edward G. Andrews of the Methodist Episcopal church died at his home in Brooklyn at 5 o'clock this morning, aged 62. Bishop Andrews contracted a severe cold while attending the bishops' conference in San Francisco last October. He never fully recovered and a general breakdown followed.

For nearly half a century Bishop Andrews was one of the most widely known clergymen in the United States. Before his elevation to the bishopric he was pastor of several large churches in the New York district. Born in central New York, he studied for the ministry in Wesleyan college. He was chosen bishop in 1872, and in 1904 was relieved of many duties and placed upon the retired list.

SANTA CRUZ ATHLETES MAY WIN CHAMPIONSHIP

Basket Ball Team Regarded as the Fastest in the World

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL
SANTA CRUZ, Dec. 31.—The Santa Cruz Young Men's Christian association basketball team is in line for world wide honors. Thus far it has made a record unequalled by any other Pacific coast team, and it should easily win the state championship series now on. Santa Cruz was the only team on the court last year to defeat the Chicago world's champions, the score being 25 to 24. The local team played 16 games last year, losing only three, of which two went against it by a single point each. It scored the big total of 453 points, while the points scored against it were 238.

The Santa Cruz players are being heralded throughout the east as coming world's champions, a high honor for a coast team, where basket ball is just

coming into popular favor. Their last achievement adds weight to this good opinion, as they took the measure of the Alaskans from Nome, a clever aggregation of players now on a tour of the states. Santa Cruz was the only California team to defeat them. The score was 19 to 8 against Santa Cruz at the end of the first half, but the final score was 33 to 25 in favor of Santa Cruz.

DYE BETRAYS WATER THIEVES
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 31.—The hot water heating company has suffered the loss of hundreds of gallons of hot water recently through the tapping of its pipes by householders. Efforts were made to locate the unauthorized users of the water, but without avail. Finally the company placed in the water a harmless dye and several of the pipe tappers are reported to have been colored sky blue in their morning baths.

WANT NATIVE VICE GOVERNOR
MANILA, Dec. 31.—A bill has been introduced in the assembly to make the speaker of that body vice governor of the islands. This project has been agitated here for several weeks. The office of vice governor has been vacant since the promotion of General Smith to be governor general. The Filipino members are generally in favor of the measure.

WIFE WHO DROVE PASTOR FROM WORK IS INSANE

Mrs. Helen Morris Sent to Asylum by Lunacy Commission

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL
SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 31.—Mrs. Helen Olive Morris was committed to the southern California asylum for the insane today, after having driven her husband, James Walter Morris, now an evangelist, from his work in several pulpits by her suspicion that he was engaged in intrigues with other women.

She was brought in court finally after she had accused her husband of attempting to poison her, and then refused to partake of food until some other member of the family tasted it. The lunacy commission decided unanimously that she was insane. Morris testified that during 12 years his wife had made all sorts of charges against him. On examination Mrs. Morris betrayed her mental weakness.

The Emporium's First White Sale

A DECLARATION of new principles which will guide The Emporium for 1908: Seldom will former or comparative prices be quoted in advertising. The prices advertised will be, quality considered, as low as the same article is sold for elsewhere—almost invariably lower. In rare instances where former prices are mentioned the value will be exceptional and quite out of the ordinary. The established policy of cheerfully refunding the purchase price on merchandise returned within reasonable date will be continued.

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| Drawers
About 500 pairs drawers at...
Of good material; made wide and full, with excellent embroidery edgings.
37c | Corset Covers
About 800 Corset Covers at...
High or low neck; pouch front, or tight fitting; good materials and workmanship.
37c | Night Dresses
About 350 Night Dresses at...
In high or V neck; good muslin; embroidery trimmed or with clusters of tucks.
57c | Petticoats
About 250 Petticoats at...
Heavy muslin garments; made with full tucked ruffles. Figure what material alone for a skirt like this would cost.
57c |
| About 550 pairs drawers at...
These are both lace and embroidery trimmed garments; also feather stitched and hemstitched effects.
57c | About 600 Corset Covers at...
In a large assortment of styles and trimmings. The various materials used are of excellent quality.
57c | About 650 Night Dresses at...
High neck, round neck, V neck; muslins or nainsooks; cut full and wide; prettily trimmed.
77c | About 350 Petticoats at...
Both lace and embroidery trimmed; wide and full cut; a great value.
77c |
| About 450 pairs drawers at...
In a large assortment of styles; trimmed with open and closed embroideries and good wash laces.
77c | About 275 Corset Covers at...
Round low neck styles; laces, embroideries, ribbon beading and dainty wash ribbons used as trimmings.
77c | About 1,000 Night Dresses at...
In great variety of styles; all cut full size; choice materials; well made; prettily trimmed.
97c | About 300 Petticoats at...
In large variety of lace and embroidery trimmed effects; very pretty styles.
97c |
| About 350 pairs drawers at...
Very handsomely trimmed with laces or embroideries; perfectly cut and made garments that will meet the approval of the daintiest women.
97c | About 700 Corset Covers at...
All of them the popular loose fitting pouch front style; fine quality materials; elaborately trimmed.
97c | About 200 Night Dresses at...
Fine muslins, cambries and nainsooks; elaborately trimmed; every one a beauty.
\$1.47 | About 425 Petticoats at...
Both embroidery and lace trimmed garments; also the popular hemstitched effects.
\$1.47 |
| | About 200 Corset Covers at...
Of finest nainsooks and long cloths; choice lace and embroidery trimmings; many set with pretty motifs.
\$1.47 | About 175 Night Dresses at...
An amazing value that discriminating women will be quick to appreciate. Fine materials, beautiful trimmings, perfect workmanship.
\$1.97 | About 175 Petticoats at...
Elaborately trimmed with either blind or open embroidery or cotton torchon; Val. and Cluny laces.
\$1.97 |

First Annual White Waist Sale

- At 77c** About 1,200 waists in nine different styles—superior quality lawn, with dainty laces and embroideries to form panel effects; some with all-over embroidery fronts, and a very attractive model of tailored lawn waists with stiff collars.
- At 97c** About 1,800 waists in eighteen new styles—many pretty yoke effects, either of lace or embroidery; all-over embroidered fronts of the soft mull embroidery, also all-over embroidery waists in this lot.
- At \$1.47** About 900 waists in twelve fine styles. Some made of dainty mull with hand embroidered fronts, all-over embroidered fronts outlined with dainty laces, trimmed body and sleeve.
- At \$1.97** About 900 waists in eighteen different styles—some very beautiful models among them. The new Maltese laces, combined with dainty embroidery to form an elaborately trimmed front, with trimmed sleeves. Also many all-over embroidery styles.
- At \$2.47** About 450 Waists in 6 styles. Fine mull waists with hand embroidered fronts combined with dainty laces. Also lace and embroidered yoke effects.
- At \$3.97** About 600 very fine waists, in fifteen exclusive styles—waists of beautiful all-over embroidery with solid lace yokes; waists of fine chiffon mull, front of eyelet hand embroidery combined with Valenciennes laces.

Laces and Embroideries

- PROCURING** sample ends of embroidery is becoming each season a more and more difficult task. Such ends are the short pieces that are left on the looms, and samples used by manufacturers to display their lines. These are equally as desirable as are those bought for the regular stock. They are to be sold at a fraction of the cost of regular goods.
- At 7c** Yard About 6,000 yards Embroideries, 1 to 12 inches wide; 4 1/2 to 6 3/4 yards to the strip; pretty patterns. To be sold by the strip only.
- At 17c** Yard About 5,000 yards Nainsook, Cambric and Swiss Edgings, Insertions and Gallons; 4 1/2 to 9 inch widths—by the strip and yard.
- At 27c** Yard About 3,000 yards, samples of the best products in medium grade Embroideries, fine Swisses and Nainsooks—6 to 18 inches wide.
- At 57c** Yard About 100 pieces 27 inch Flouncings and 300 yards Embroidered Allovers, in pretty baby patterns on Nainsook and Swisses.
- At 7c** Yard About 4,700 yards Cluny Laces, 2 1/2 to 4 1/2 inches wide; white, butter and ecru shades. This lot will not last out the day.
- At 7c** Yard About 4,000 yards Point de Paris Laces, 3 to 6 inches wide, an excellent wash lace, that will give long and satisfactory service.
- At 57c** Yard 600 dozen yards of Val. Laces, 1/2 to 2 inches wide. If we quoted comparative prices we would hesitate to mention what the previous worth of some of these laces has been.

Sheets, Quilts, Domestic

- THE** practice prevails in one of the best and largest sheet and pillow case factories in the world to throw out, during the busy season, sheets and pillow cases which have slight imperfections, such as oil stains (easily washed out), drop stitch, slight irregularities and so forth. At the end of the season this accumulation of the so-called irregulars is boxed and disposed of at much lower prices than those sheets and pillow cases that come up to the regular standard of this mill. We have a few thousand sheet and pillow case "irregulars" at prices far below the cost of the material in them. As there are less than five thousand in all of these sheets and pillow cases the early purchaser will have the advantage.
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- At 7c** Yard 515 Bleached Sheets, in sizes 63x90 inches and 72x90; some seamed in center, each... **37c**
- At 7c** Yard 630 Bleached Sheets, in sizes 72x90 inches and 81x90; made of high grade cottons; each... **47c**
- At 7c** Yard 367 Bleached Sheets, sizes 81x90, 81x99 and 90x90; best qualities of cotton represented in these; each... **57c**
- At 7c** Yard 612 Pillow Cases—Both bleached and unbleached; sizes 40x36, 42x36 and 45x36; for the "White Sale"; each... **5c**
- At 7c** Yard 2,680 Bleached Pillow Cases; sizes 40x36, 42x36 and 45x36; mostly of high grade cloths and all well made; each... **10c**
- At 7c** Yard 120 White Fringed Quilts, 72x90 inches, at... **97c**
- At 7c** Yard 120 White Fringed Quilts, 84x94 inches; at... **\$1.17**
- At 7c** Yard 96 fringed and cut corner white quilts, size 76x86 inches... **\$1.37**
- At 7c** Yard 1,200 Cotton Turkish Towels, size 27x13 inches, red borders; each... **5c**
- At 7c** Yard 360 Bleached Turkish Towels, size 54x27 inches, hemmed; each... **37c**
- At 7c** Yard **Long Cloth**
26 pieces White Fancies, 28 inches wide; at the yard... **12c**
11 pieces Figured Pique, 28 inches wide; at the yard... **14c**
50 pieces Long Cloth, 36 inches wide; at the yard... **10c**

1908 Wash Goods

- Every item here at White Sale prices
- 20 pieces 27-inch mottled flannel, blue and brown mixtures, at yard... **7c**
- 56 pieces percales, 32 inch, dark colors, in lengths from 10 to 20 yards, all desirable patterns, yard... **8c**
- One case dimities, 28 inch, figured and striped, at yard... **8 1/2c**
- 50 pieces of Grecian voile suiting, 28 inch, plain and fancy weaves, variety of colors, yard... **9c**
- 23 pieces colored dress shirtings, linen finish, 34 inch, solid color, yard... **10c**
- 76 pieces superfine flannels, 34 inch, 10 to 24 yard lengths, light, medium and dark colorings, yard... **11c**
- 50 pieces dotted Swiss muslin, 28 inches wide, yard... **11c**
- One case Wicklow suitings, 28 inch, dark colorings, in checks and plaids, yard... **14c**
- One case peau de soie, 28 inch, a sheer fabric for summer wear, yard... **17c**
- One case silk tissue, 28 inch, medium and large floral designs, for evening and house dresses, yard... **19c**

Women's Lingerie Dresses

- TO** buy your summer stock of lingerie dresses during The Emporium's "White Sale" is to economize, as the most casual examination of these brief descriptions and prices must conclusively prove to you.
- Two-piece dresses of India linen, trimmed with Valenciennes lace, short sleeves. Only... **\$5.75**
- Two-piece dresses of fine white lawn with folds and trimmed with Val. lace. Another style trimmed with crochet embroidery and lace. Choice at... **\$8.75**
- Two-piece blouse suits of Victoria lawn, princess style, with insertings of Val. lace and crochet embroidery folds on skirt... **\$11.75**
- Princess style white dresses of chiffon lawn and fine quality India linen, trimmed with Val. lace, with pretty corsage of lace insertings; also some trimmed with crochet embroidery and short sleeves... **\$14.75**
- Princess style, semi-empire and two-piece dresses, very handsomely made of either chiffons, lawns or soft clinging mulls; some have a little dash of pink or light blue trimming... **\$18.75**
- Princess style dresses made of chiffon lawns, one style trimmed with Val. lace and crochet embroidery; another number with dainty pattern of Val. and filet. Wonderful values, these... **\$24.75**

Squares and Scarfs

- AT** "White Sale" little prices, a quantity of scarfs, squares and doilies. The values are such that most purchasers will buy quantities.
- Special Sale Section**
- An assorted lot of small doilies in embroidered filet and drawn-work effects. For this sale, each... **7c**
- Small embroidered filet doilies and squares. Several pretty patterns at, each... **17c**
- Austrian linen squares in hemstitch and spoke stitch effects; 30-inch lawn squares, prettily embroidered. All now... **17c**
- Spachtel and lawn scarfs and squares—the squares 30 in.; scarfs 18x54 in.—all at... **57c**
- Twenty-inch Renaissance doilies; 54-inch embroidered and scalloped lawn scarfs, filet and lawn scarfs, and squares. Splendid values! these at... **37c**
- Thirty-inch Renaissance squares and 54-inch scarfs; 30-inch fine linen drawn-work squares and 54-inch squares. Small quantities of these. Extraordinary values at... **\$1.27**