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HETTY GREEN'S FEAR OF DEATH.

America's Richest Woman Tells Why She Lived in Obscure Lodgings.

DAILY DREAD OF ASSASSINS.

She Insists that Her Father and an Aunt Were Foully Murdered.

EXECUTOR BARLING'S VERSION.

He Says Mrs. Green's Mind Is Affected and Then Becomes Silent.

At last the cause of Hetty Green's wanderings and eccentricities has come to light. In the story she tells is fully explained why she cooked her own food, why she lived in obscure apartments and changed her home often and why she feared notoriety. She was afraid.



MRS. HETTY GREEN. (America's Richest Woman.)

This woman, possessing \$40,000,000 and more, was in daily fear of death; in dread of assassination, and she has walked the streets with terror in her heart, not knowing at what moment the blow might fall. She believes her father was killed; she believes her aunt's death was hastened by drugs, and she says that she, too, has been marked out as a victim that her money may fall into hands that have been outstretched for years to receive it. This woman has made a great many queer remarks to her lawyers. One is at least worthy of consideration and investigation: "Some day," she has said a dozen times, "some day I'll find out the man who was with my father just before he died, and who inflicted such wounds on him that the sheets were saturated with his blood." Before going into the details of this story it might be well to say that William H. Stuyvesant, lawyer, counsel for Mrs. Green, says there is nothing romantic or visionary about her. She is a wonderfully practicable and sensible woman, and he believes that what she says she at least believes is true, and not the creation of an excited or overwrought mind. As against this one of two executors of her father's estate, Henry A. Barling, says this morning with emphasis: "Mrs. Green is crazy. She is either crazy or a liar." "Way, her father had not been dead twelve hours before she said in an interview of his cause, she is crazy. Listen, here is her story:

went on. On this letter my old book-keeper, who is now dead, wrote the following indorsement: "This was written when Mr. Robinson was yet warm." "I don't say anything more," put in Mr. Richmond, and then it was requested that all further inquiry be made of the late book-keeper. "I have her authority," said a wealthy resident of the same town, who has an extensive business interests in New York city. "It was while Mr. Robinson was in this city that he became so ill that he thought it necessary to send for his daughter—his wife had died years before when the young woman arrived she found her father in a serious condition, and the story he told her then has been what she has since told me. He told her all her life; and that day her terror was born. He told her that he was in the power of a band of conspirators. In detached sentences the man, whose life was almost gone, told her the story of the plot, and he told her that she must watch her step, too, should be forced to follow him. He gave her what advice he could but his mind was almost gone and he was unable to give either great mental or physical effort. Then it was just before he died that he told her about the room at the foot of the stairs, and he told her that he had called upon him. He advised her to marry her present husband, because, he said, he could be trusted, and then, after telling her that all his property should go to her, he said he intended to have such men as Henry Grinnell, of New Bedford; Mr. Green and a member of the law firm of Day & Lord, as the executors and trustees. He felt uneasy about his will when he wanted to look at it before he died, in order to make quite sure things were as he had intended. So he sent for her. He was suspicious to the last. There was something he feared, something which he would not tell her. He knew he was dying a victim, but he wanted to have his property go to his daughter. When the will was brought into the house he was dead and it was given into the possession of one of the servants of the house. Not until it was probated was it known that it had been changed from what the dying man had wished, and it was discovered that the executors and trustees, instead of being the men named, were two of Robinson's clerks and one of his servants, who were to receive \$100,000 each, and that \$100,000 out of the great fortune was to go to the daughter out-right. Then the conspiracy, to use Mrs. Green's own language, for this is her own story, began. Beyond Sydney A. Howland, living in New Bedford, he came suddenly and mysteriously. His death was as sudden as her illness, and she died without having spoken to one of her friends or relations.

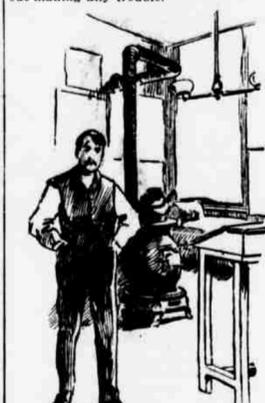
SIMMER WILL MOVE.

Judge Fitzsimons Orders Out His Policy-Dealing Tenant.

Cannot Afford to Have Even a Suspicion Against His Property.

"The World" Discovered the Game and Notified the Owner.

John Simmer, who rents the small storeroom and apartments running back on the ground floor of 345 East Thirty-third street, is going to move out without making any trouble.



"The World" discovered and proved that Simmer was running a policy shop there, and called to the attention of the owner, Judge James M. Fitzsimons, of the City Court.

"After going to the house last night with 'The World' reporter and satisfying myself that Simmer had something to do with the policy business," said the Judge this morning, "I went back alone and told him that under the circumstances he would have to move out. When I reached the room a few months ago Mr. Simmer kept a little candy and nut store in the front for a while. A few weeks ago this was abandoned, presumably because it did not pay."

"A man named William G. Galt sub-lets from Simmer, and is a painter. I don't know anything about his connection with policy deals. Last night Simmer swore to me by all that was good and holy that he had never sold a policy slip in the house; that 'The World' man was lying. I don't know whether to believe him, but I thought in the end that he had better get out, and he said he would within the few days the laws allow him. I cannot afford the merest suspicion of winking at such use of my property, and the safest way is to have him out of the house."

SHERMAN MARTIN BURIED.

Funeral of the Young Son of Bradley Martin This Morning.

Funeral services over the remains of Sherman Martin, son of Bradley Martin, who died last Friday night at his father's residence, 22 West Twentieth street, were held this morning at Grace Church, Eleventh street and Broadway.

There was no scene either at his house or at the church. The young woman with whom he registered at the Morton House last week, and who was with him on Friday afternoon during his illness, remained in the vicinity of the Martin residence all morning.

She paced up and down the sidewalk, but made no attempt whatever to interview any of the Martin family, or to make any demand for a settlement.

The pall-bearers were William Cutting, Jr., A. A. Burden, Julien T. Davis, Henry M. Sands, Brookholst Cutting, Robert L. Cutting, Jr., and Duncan Cameron. Fourteen carriages followed the casket, which was covered with flowers, from the house to the church.

Rev. Dr. Huntington, assisted by Rev. Welles, officiated at the services. The interment was at Greenwood Cemetery.

TRIED TO KILL A DETECTIVE.

Masterston a Agility Saved Him from a Stiletto.

Detective Masterston, of the Mulberry street station, had a narrow escape last night. He had arrested Rocco Pepe, of 23 Prince street, for a violation of the Excise law. Some of the men who had been in the room of the prisoner followed the officer to the station. When but a few feet from the steps some one called to him from across the street, and as he turned he saw a man beside him in the act of stabbing him with a stiletto. He jumped aside and struck the assailant's hand, knocking the weapon to the roadway. The next moment he had the fellow by the collar and dragged him to the station.

The man gave his name as Joseph Carlo, of 123 Thompson street, and said he wanted to kill the officer for arresting his friend Pepe. Carlo was arraigned in the Tombs Police Court to-day and was committed for trial.

Minister Accused by a Woman.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 24.—Rev. J. J. Torres, pastor of the most fashionable colored church in Memphis, was arrested yesterday and taken to Bhatie, Miss., where he is charged with beating a woman. It is alleged he drove Nina Hall, a member of his congregation, who he was pastoring.

JAPS AT LAI-CHOW.

Third Army Said to Have Landed Near Cheefoo.

Mikado Questions China's Faith in Speech to Parliament.

Said to Be After Warships While Professing to Desire Peace.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A despatch received here from Shanghai says that the Third Japanese army is reported to have landed west of Chefoo and to have captured Lai-Chow, a seaport town of China in the Province of Chan-Tung, on the south shore of the Gulf of Pechili.

TOKIO, Dec. 24.—Parliament was opened to-day by commission. The speech from the Throne briefly refers to the victories achieved by the Japanese troops in every engagement, and says they are steadily pressing forward in the enemy's territory, adding that it is especially satisfactory to note that in spite of cold and hardships the forces are more than ever distinguishing themselves by their valor.

It says the relations of Japan with the neutral powers are more friendly than ever. The revision of treaties on long cherished desires has been accomplished with some countries, and with other States the negotiations for this purpose are making favorable progress.

In conclusion the speech says: "Having been placed in such a glorious situation we wish more than ever to promote the civilization of the country, and enjoin Parliament to take notice of the state of affairs at home and abroad, and by securing harmony between the Government and the people assist in the furtherance of the Imperial wishes."

The Government is still sceptical in regard to China's peace overtures, and points out that no authoritative statement has yet been made by China in regard to the mission, and that while China now professes to desire peace, the Government of the Government of Japan that China is negotiating for the purchase of an entire squadron of the Chilean Navy, and the agents of Col. von Hennel in E. Europe, it is added, are trying to enlist a number of German officers for service in the Chinese army and navy.

THE ARMENIAN INQUIRY.

Question of Appointing an American Delegate Still Unsettled.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 24.—Chelik Bey, President of the Court of Cassation, and Djelaleddin Bey, President of the Correctional Section of the Court of Appeal, have been appointed members of the Armenian Commission in the place of Abdullah Pasha, who has been recalled on account of the representations of Zekki Pasha, the commander of the Turkish troops, said to be responsible for the Armenian massacre, and will be examined by the Commission.

The Italian Government has just appointed a Consul for Italy at Erzerum, and he will probably follow the Armenian Commission. It is stated here that the question of the appointment of an American delegate to accompany the Commission, or to make an independent investigation, is still unsettled. United States Minister Terrell, had a conference with the Sultan yesterday evening, and the matter will be considered at a council of the Ministers to-day.

In view of the severity of the Winter the American delegates to the conference will visit the mountain districts of Saxony.

SCORES OF LIVES LOST.

Further Reports of Storm Ravages in Europe.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The telegraph lines in the north are still down, and the full amount of the damage done by the storm is not known. It is estimated, however, that from fifty to one hundred persons lost their lives during the gale. The weather chart today shows that a heavy disturbance is coming from the Atlantic.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 24.—The storm news received to-day from various parts of the coast shows that the damage done has been much greater than at any time in the history of the city. The sea has been washed away from fourteen to twenty feet in every direction and many of the vessels have been destroyed. The German bark Caroline has been wrecked off the coast. Ten of her crew were drowned and seven were saved. Several vessels in distress have been sighted at various points.

Pall Mall Gazette's Tribute to the Late Mrs. Astor.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The Pall Mall Gazette, this afternoon, says: "The death of the late Mrs. William Waldorf Astor caused anxiety to her relatives and friends for some months past, though during the summer she was strong enough to welcome and entertain the whole staff of the Pall Mall Gazette at Cliveden. Whether in her New York home, or in doing the honors of the American Legation at Rome, or in her English houses, she won affection on all sides."

Mrs. Ormiston Chant, London Reformers, Is Criticized III.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Ormiston Chant, who became prominent by the warfare which she waged through the London County Council on the Empire Theatre, eventually succeeding in having the application of the establishment for a drinking audierium license rejected, is criticized III.

Seely to Be Sentenced at 2 P. M.

Samuel C. Seely, the defendant bookkeeper of the show and Lasher book, will be sentenced to-day at 2 o'clock in the United States Court. He desires to go to the Kings County penitentiary, so that his wife may visit him without great expense.

Kill that Cold with Baker's Expectoration.

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LYING IN WAIT FOR SANTA CLAUS.

Seven Bold Boy Burglars. Forgot Little Dina, Both Gas Jets Turned On.

They Broke Into a Toy Factory and Had Fun with the Toys.

They Then Packed Up a Lot and Took Them Home.

Seven little boys, all Italians, their ages ranging from seven to sixteen years, were arraigned before Justice Ryan, at the Tombs Police Court to-day on a charge of burglary.

They visited the burned-out store of Holz & Freihold, Broadway and Leonard street, last evening, and climbed up a ladder to the second story. They then made their way to 251 Broadway and broke into the toy factory of A. S. Fernon & Co. The Paris Manufacturing gun and makers and importers of toys, on the same floor, was also broken into.

The little fellows played drums, spun tops and amused themselves generally with the Christmas goods until they became tired. They then packed up as much of the stuff as they could carry and went home.

Morris Lofano, sixteen years old, of 35 Crosby street, became frightened and notified the police of the Elizabeth street police station, yesterday afternoon.

The stolen goods were found at the home of the boys, and they were taken into custody with the rest.

When arraigned in court to-day three of them bid to be held up to enable the judge to see them. They appeared in court to-day, and they were held up to enable the judge to see them.

NO HORSEPLAY ON EXCHANGE.

Stagnation in Stock Trading Saddens the Brokers.

The horseplay usually indulged in by the members of the Stock Exchange on the eve of the Christmas holidays was dispensed with to-day. The brokers, after their long experience during the current year, are not in a frivolous mood, but have their minds intent on business, which is not forthcoming.

Less than a dozen trades were effected to-day, and only in one or two instances were the fluctuations worth recording. Sugar declined 3-4 and port of Flushing was greatly damaged. The German bark Caroline has been wrecked off the coast. Ten of her crew were drowned and seven were saved.

TRIED TO GET IN BY FORCE.

Reilly's Head Cut Either by His Wife or Her Friend.

Albert Schenk, a hostler, of 334 East Forty-ninth street, was held for trial in the Yorkville Court to-day, charged with assaulting Farrell Reilly.

Reilly's wife left him Thanksgiving Day and went to live with Schenk. The deserted husband discovered their whereabouts, and when he caught was told he could sleep in the kitchen if he behaved himself.

Yesterday Reilly went out and did not return until 3 o'clock this morning, when he found the door locked against him. He attempted to force his way in and received a blow on the head which opened his skull. Reilly fled from the house yelling "Murder" and a policeman, attracted by his cries, took Schenk into custody.

In Court Mrs. Reilly said she was the one who struck the blow, but Schenk was held just the same.

PRISONERS PANIC STRICKEN.

Incipient Fire in a Police Station Creates Wild Alarm.

A dozen excited and badly frightened female prisoners, created a lively racket in the women's department of the Eldridge street police station at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

Matron Mames and a few prisoners, who were awake at that early hour, discovered this sheet of smoke coming into one of the cells from a crevice in the ceiling near the skylight. In a short time the place was full of smoke.

The inmates shouted loudly for assistance and made frantic efforts to break out of the barred doors. Sergt. McCoy had a squad of men on hand in a few minutes. The male prisoners were marched out under escort to another part of the building.

The fire, which originated in the roof of the station-house, was soon extinguished. The damage was trifling.

SNEAK THIEF USED A GUN.

Matzaro Stole a Sweater and Tried to Shoot the Shopkeeper.

Tony Matzaro, of 44 Madison avenue, was arraigned at the Tombs Police Court to-day, charged by Israel Eder, of 39 Mulberry street, with robbery and felonious assault. Matzaro made off with a sweater and when Eder gave chase, turned and fired two shots at him.

The storekeeper gave up the chase at this point, but Policeman Frank O'Donnell took it up and captured Matzaro at Baxter and Bayard streets. He was held for trial.

Holiday Hours at the Post-Office.

To-morrow, Christmas Day, the General Post Office and all sub-stations will be open for the regular postal business until 10 o'clock in the morning. The usual first morning deliveries at 6 and 9 o'clock will be made and collections taken up for the regular outgoing mails.

BOTH CAN TEL MORE FACTS.

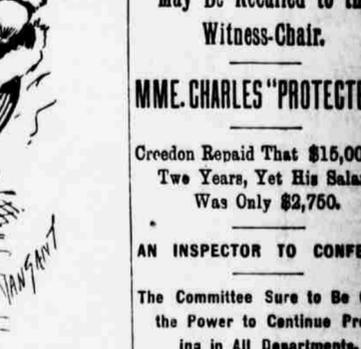
Schmittberger and Crendon May Be Recalled to the Witness-Chair.

MME. CHARLES "PROTECTED."

Crendon Repaid That \$15,000 in Two Years, Yet His Salary Was Only \$2,750.

AN INSPECTOR TO CONFESS?

The Committee Sure to Be Given the Power to Continue Hearing in All Departments.



It seems to be settled now that when the Lexow Committee resumes its sessions on Wednesday Mr. Goff will certainly continue his search for corruption in high places in the Police Department.

In the first place, Capt. Schmittberger's denial of the statements made by Emma Charles, the former proprietress of the notorious "House of All Nations," in the Tenderloin Precinct, and his allegation that her charges against him were prompted by a high police official, out of revenge for the testimony which he gave before the Committee on Friday last, call for further explanation, and it is probable that the Captain will be recalled and asked to give more information upon this point.

Mr. Goff intimated that he had been told by the close of Friday's hearing that he might want him again. Who this high official may be has not yet been brought out, but the public is already sufficiently familiar with Capt. Schmittberger's relations with his superiors from the testimony which he has given before the Committee, to know the identity of the person to whom he alludes.

Crendon Has More to Tell. Then, too, it is said that Capt. Crendon, in telling how the blackmailer business was worked in his case, further revelations just as startling as any which have been reported by the family in comfortable style.

If he is as frank as Capt. Schmittberger in telling how the blackmailer business was worked in his case, further revelations just as startling as any which have been reported by the family in comfortable style.

It is generally believed that the paneling in police circles, which has been on the increase ever since the Committee started its work, is further strengthened by the report that during the past week the Committee will concern itself only with official witnesses.

TOOK POISON IN HIS CELL.

Yohody Knows How Dr. Halves Got the Morphine to End His Troubles.

Dr. Frederick Halves, of 1,024 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn, was removed from a cell in the East Sixty-seventh police station at 2 o'clock this morning to the Presbyterian Hospital suffering from morphine poisoning.

At the hospital it is said he may still be in the hands of the doctor, who has made a clean breast of the corrupt methods of the Department have obtained.

The counsel of the Committee have also practically given the assurance that they will not be asked to give their testimony in the case of any other witness who has been made a clean breast of the corrupt methods of the Department have obtained.

SUICIDE OR ACCIDENT?

A Death in Brooklyn Which Has a Mysterious Look.

Corner Kene, of Brooklyn, was informed to-day of the death of Stephen Hagan, a clerk, thirty-eight years old, of 123 East 12th street.

It is supposed that the death was caused by an overdose of colchicum taken by mistake. The police say, however, that there are circumstances which lead them to believe that the death was a suicide. Hagan had been out of work several weeks and had become despondent.

On Friday night, according to his wife, he went to a store to get some medicine and took poison by mistake. Coroner Kene will investigate.

Railroad Official Killed.

MALDEN, N. Y., Dec. 24.—William Shannon, superintendent of the Erie and Westchester Railroad, was killed three weeks old of Malden, December 24th, while returning from work in a hand-car. He was struck by a south-bound special. The other men manning the engine were not hurt.

Dr. McGilvin in Newburg Church.

Rev. Dr. McGilvin will take the pastorate at St. Mary's Church, at Newburg, Jan. 1, and expects to stay there until a vacancy is left for him in some New York church.

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