

TURNER TELLS HOW HE WAS CLUBBED.

Serving Ten Days on the Island—His Head and Body Sore from Policeman's Beating.

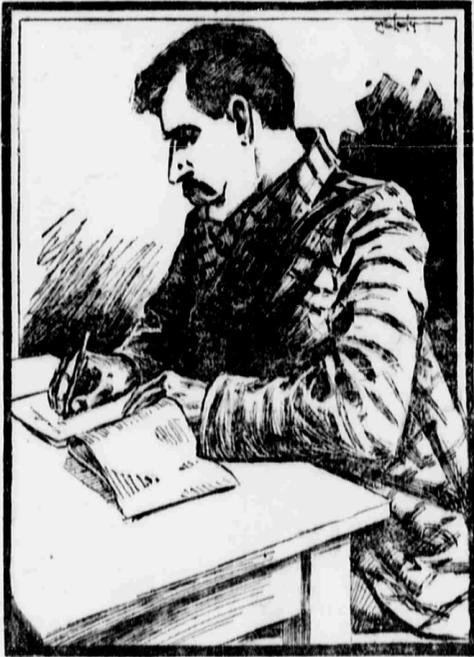
Benjamin Turner was brutally beaten by Policeman John T. Carberry, of the West Forty-seventh street station, on Sept. 15, in Sixth avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets. Detective Michael J. Coyne assisted in the arrest.

An Evening World reporter witnessed the assault. Then he went to the West Forty-seventh street station house to protest he was ordered out. Detective Coyne threatened to lock him up if he dared to appear in court in the case.

The reporter told Magistrate Mott what he had seen, when the case came up in the West Side Court Monday morning. Despite this evidence Turner was sent to Blackwell's Island for ten days.

Charge were preferred against Carberry and Coyne yesterday by The Evening World reporter at Police Headquarters. President York, of the Police Board, has directed Chief Devery to investigate the matter.

An Evening World reporter interviewed Turner on the island today and took his statement. Turner's story, which he will swear to, is given herewith:



BENJAMIN TURNER.
(Writing his statement for The Evening World.)

STATEMENT OF TURNER, CLUBBED BY CARBERRY.

I, Benjamin Turner, of 743 Sixth avenue, came out of my room about 11 o'clock. As I was coming down Sixth avenue I met a poor man. He asked me for something to eat.

I told him that any of the stores would give him something. He said they would not. I walked over to one of the stores and asked them if they didn't have something to give a poor man who was hungry. They told me to go across to the restaurant and the man would give me something. I went over and the proprietor said he had nothing.

I went across to another store and got some crackers, and in the store they told me if I would go over to the restaurant the man there would give me something. I went over to the restaurant again and he told me to get out. I came out and walked up the street a little way and stood with the bag of crackers in my hand for a few minutes, when the officer came up and cursed me and told me to move on.

He didn't give me time to take a step before he struck me in the face with his clenched fist and staggered me backward. Before I could regain my feet he struck me again and knocked me down. Then he jerked me to my feet, and catching me by the lapels of my coat, mammed me down face first on the sidewalk.

I staggered to my feet and he dragged me out in the street and raised his club and struck me a blow over the eye with it, causing the blood to flow.

The blow did not knock me down. He then said: "You'll knock your head off!" He raised his club again and struck me across the head, knocking me down and scattering the crackers over the street.

Then he dragged me over to the middle of the street, punching me with his free hand all the time.

I begged him not to hit me any more, and some one came out of the crowd and caught my hand that was free and twisted it up behind my back, causing me to cry out with pain.

They put a steel handcuff on me and dragged me up to the corner.

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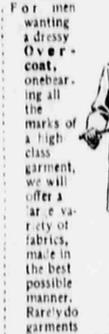
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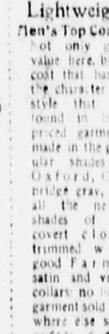
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If you think you don't want it just now, pay a deposit, save half of later prices, and we will hold the garment for you until you need it. One dollar during this sale will buy as much as you will later on.

In the Millinery Store.

We are glad to hear so many commendatory remarks passed about the showing this fall. It repays us to the utmost for our great care in its selection. Everything here in this department is the acme of correctness, and again everything correct is here. We are going to quote to-morrow some great values taken from among that great assortment of women's ready-to-wear hats, and also some among those for misses and children.

At upward from 98c.—Are various styles of women's felt brim, stitched felt and fancy satin crown hats, trimmed with polka dot, felt silk, mulls, wings, etc.

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At 98c.—French back, flare sleeves; separate collar, in black and colors.

At 2.25, 2.49, 2.98—Fine Botany and Twilled Flannel; French back, pearl buttons on front; new fall colors.

At 3.98, 4.49, 4.98—Fancy Flannel, tucked, stitched, embroidered in dots and figures.

Collars and Cuffs. Our Famous Army and Navy Brand—If there is one thing in your wardrobe that you can save money on, and lots of it, it's on these collars and cuffs. They are actually selling elsewhere at 15c. for collars and 25c. for cuffs. The brand name is different—that's all. You can buy these 4-ply collars and cuffs, men's and boys' sizes, with 40 styles to select from here at Bloomingdale's for Collars, 10c. each. Cuffs, 18c. per pair (or 6 pair for 1.00).

Gold-Plated Hat Pins, 5c. variety of new designs, including Filigree, Knot and Flower designs, 8c. set with amethyst, turquoise, sapphire and garnet stones; manufactured to retail from 15c. to 25c.

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Horseshoe Brooch Pins, 39c. and 49c. plain and set with stones, manufactured to retail at 50c. to \$1.00.

Gold-Plated Shirt Waist Sets, 6c. consisting of 1 pair of Cuff Buttons, 3 Studs and Collar Button set with turquoise and assorted stones.

Shirt Waist Sets, 10c., 15c. and 25c., consisting of 1 pair of Cuff Buttons, 3 Studs, 1 Collar Button, some plain and some set with assorted stones.

Men's Bath Robes, \$1.66. The bath robe has become a man's "Needful." It is one of those garments which was made purely for comfort and convenience. You can buy one here to-morrow for very little money. The materials and workmanship may be relied upon to be the very best. The bath robes at this price constitute twelve different styles of manufacturers' samples—an endless number of each style; beautiful colors; price, 1.66.

Fine French Clocks, \$3.95. For to-morrow only we will place on sale genuine FRENCH REGULATOR TRAVELLING CLOCKS, with visible escapement, glass case, mounted in gold plate, each clock in a travelling case, at 3.95. These clocks have heretofore sold at \$8.00 and \$10.00 each. As a special attraction to our clock department we offer them at the price above.

As the quantity is limited, we are obliged to limit one clock to a customer and positively refuse to sell to dealers.

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Gas Reading Lamps, consisting of one brass column base, 6 feet of best quality moiré tubing, goose neck and socket, gas globe and holder and gas burner, all ready for use, special 98c.

The "Starlight" Reading Lamp, including a "bright" incandescent gas burner and mantle, complete, 1.65.

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The "Starlight" Incandescent Gas Lamp, the best ever manufactured, consists of one Starlight burner, one Starlight mantle, Mather's chimney, opal eye shade, 10-inch opal eye shade and patent by-pass, which means you can set the flame any size, worth regularly \$1.75; our price, all complete, ready for use, 95c.

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Macy's

Millinery Opening.

Continuation of the China, Glass and Silverware Sales.

Women's Pedestrian Skirts.

Double-faced Camel's Hair Cloth, blue gray and brown, tailor-stitched, at \$4.85.

Double-faced Cloth, blue and gray, tailor-stitched, worth \$9.50; our price \$6.98.

Double-faced Oxford Cloth, top of skirt stitched in yoke effect, bottom faced and finished in point style, finished with several rows of stitching, worth \$10.00; our price \$7.48.

Double-faced Oxford Cloth, flare poise style, finished with several rows of stitching, worth \$12.50; our price \$9.11.

Women's Fall Weight Shaped Ribbed Vests, high neck, long and short sleeves; Pants to match, French bands, knee and ankle length, at 46c.

Women's Three-quarter Wool Shaped Ribbed Vests, high neck, long and short sleeves, hand-croch ted silk edging around neck and down front; Pants to match, French bands, ankle length, at 94c.

Men's Natural Half Wool Merino Shirts, ribbed bottoms; pearl buttons; Drawers to match, double gussets and taped seams, 73c.

Men's Three-quarter Natural Wool and Camel's Hair Shirts, ribbed bottoms; Drawers to match, double gussets and taped seams, 94c.

Men's Natural Wool Shirts, excellent quality, ribbed bottoms; Drawers to match, \$1.24.

Children's Natural Half Wool Vests, pearl buttons, silk binding around neck; Pants and Drawers to match, size 18 at 24c; other sizes up to 34, 5c. rise on each size.

Children's White Merino Vests, ribbed bottoms, Drawers and Pants to match, taped seams, size 18 at 20c; other sizes up to 34, 5c. rise on each size.

Children's White Three-quarter Wool Vests, ribbed bottoms, pearl buttons, silk binding around neck; Pants and Drawers to match, taped seams, size 18 at 44c; other sizes up to 34, 5c. rise on each size.

Children's Cashmere Dresses, full skirt, trimmed with braid, buttons and plaid taffeta; red, royal navy and brown, sizes 4 to 14 years, \$1.96.

Children's Granite Cheviot Dresser, round yoke and berth, trimmed with braid; gored skirt, red, blue and brown, sizes 4 to 14 years, \$3.91.

Children's Serge Dresses, round yoke and berth, trimmed with braid; box-plaited gored skirt, navy and black, sizes 4 to 14 years, at \$4.88.

Children's Royal Granite Cheviot Dresses, tucked red taffeta silk yoke and collar, sleeves and belt trimmed with braid; gored skirt, sizes 4 to 14 years, at \$6.18.

Children's Cheviot and Serge Sailor Blouse Dresses, trimmed in a large variety of pretty styles, sizes 4 to 8 years, \$3.74 and \$4.88; sizes 10 to 14 years, \$4.39 and \$5.85.

Misses' blue and black Serge Skirts, flounce style, trimmed with strap of taffeta silk, 30 to 36 in. length; at \$2.61.

Children's black Cheviot Skirts, tailor finished, gored style, 26 to 39 in. length; at \$3.91.

Eastern Wool Blankets. Ten-Quarter size, \$1.44. Eleven-Quarter size, \$1.88.

Fine California Wool Blankets. Ten-Quarter size, \$2.99. Eleven-Quarter size, \$3.74. Twelve-Quarter size, worth \$4.75, at \$3.99.

All-Wool California Blankets. Ten-Quarter size, \$3.59. Eleven-Quarter size, \$4.54. Twelve-Quarter size, at \$5.47.

Luxurious Lamb's Wool Blankets. Ten-Quarter size, \$4.54. Eleven-Quarter size, \$5.63. Twelve-Quarter size, at \$6.72.

New Upholstery Goods. Irish Point Lace Curtains, large assortment of newest designs, worth \$9.50 per pair; our price \$7.49; better qualities, worth \$12.50 per pair; our price \$9.98.

Fine Real Renaissance Lace Curtains, worth \$8.50 per pair; our price \$6.99; better qualities, worth \$20.00 per pair, our price \$15.98.

Irish Point Vestibule Lace, 30 inches wide, worth \$1.60 to \$2.00 per yard; our prices \$1.29 to \$1.59.

Cotton Cobelin Tapestry Furniture Covering, 50 inches wide, worth \$1.35 per yard; our price 96c.

Silk and linen Taffeta, rich, solid colors, suitable for draperies and furniture covering, 50 inches wide, worth \$2.50 per yard; our price \$1.99.

Mercerized Tapestry Portieres, extra heavy quality, worth \$15.00 per pair; our price \$12.74.

Embroidered Satin Mantle Lambrequins, heavily fringed, worth \$6.50; our price \$4.48.

Four-fold Japanese Screens, covered with embroidered black cloth, 5 1/2 ft. high; our price \$2.98.

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ON THE ISLAND.

Mostest but Unfortunate Man—Wife Died and Left Him with Five Children.

With his wrists, face and head still bearing the marks of the vicious assault of Policeman John Carberry, Benjamin Turner, who was arrested on Sixth avenue on Saturday morning last, is now an inmate of the workhouse on Blackwell's Island, where he was sent in default of a fine of ten dollars imposed upon him by Magistrate Mott in the West Side Court on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Dejected and melancholy, Turner has lost none of his determination to seek justice. He is not content to meekly become a victim of police brutality.

The curses heaped upon him by Carberry as he swung his club above Turner's head, his threats to "knock his head off his shoulders," the stinging blows and kicks are all too vividly impressed upon his mind for that.

HAS FIVE CHILDREN.

Turner is evidently an honest but unfortunate man. Only a short while ago he lost his wife. She died leaving him with five children. He was then employed on the "L" railroad.

A week ago he found a home for his children in New Jersey, where they could receive more care than he could give them. They had just left their home at 74th Street when Turner's ill fortune led him into the pathway of Policeman Carberry and his club.

It might be more accurate to say, however, that Carberry went out of his pathway to assault Turner since he hurried across Sixth avenue to berate, threaten and finally assault Turner.

"I had just left my home and was going to answer an advertisement for a gardener in order to be near my children when the assault upon me occurred," said Turner to-day. "It was all so sudden I can scarcely realize it yet. I have heard of police brutality, but never dreamed what the reality would be like. Now I know."

HIS WRISTS SKINNED.

"Here I am with my wrists skinned where they put the nippers on me; with my head still sore from the bruises and—out the worst of all are the statements made by so-called witnesses in court, all of the real witnesses who saw me thrown down, struck, and saw my arm bent behind me until I thought it would break know those statements were false."

"It doesn't look as if there was much chance for a man to receive justice where the police can knock him down, beat, kick and strangle him and then have him sent to Blackwell's Island by a Magistrate. All this, too, without the slightest provocation."

NO PROVOCATION.

"Yes, I will swear it. Carberry had no cause to even lay a hand upon me. Even had I deserved it I would not have retaliated. It seemed as if he was influenced and eager to spend his anger upon some object when he saw me leave the restaurant on Sixth avenue and heard a waiter speak in an ugly tone to me."

"Suppose he had assumed a well-dressed, wealthy man as he did me, would he escape and the rich man be sent to the workhouse?"

"You know a man thinks of these things on the island. But, of course, the police don't dare pick out the rich and influential as victims for their clubs. They are too shrewd."

HE WILL TAKE OATH.

Turner is ready and willing to swear that he was assaulted brutally while standing helplessly upon the sidewalk by Policeman John Carberry in uniform. That he was cursed, threatened, beaten, clubbed, knocked down, punched, had his arm twisted and that Detective Michael Coyne aided in the assault and placed a pair of nippers upon his wrists, twisting them until the agony was excruciating, and that he was taken to court and there sworn against falsely.

All this, and he never even spoke an angry word, knowing that his life might pay the forfeit if he should do anything physical ill, told in the suit of a conspiracy assaultants.

No to-day Policeman Carberry walks his beat swinging his club, while his poor victim, suffering mental as well as physical ill, sits in the suit of a conspiracy assaultants.

For Turner does not regret that his

COYNE'S RECORD.

Michael J. Coyne is one of the "reform" policemen, having been appointed during the Roosevelt regime on Nov. 2, 1898. Following is his record as told by the books of the Police Department:

1897 Jan. 25—Fined a day's pay for not properly patrolling.

April 21—Charged with being absent from post. Charge dismissed.

June 22—Fined to report dead dog on beat. Fined half day's pay.

Aug. 17—Fined five days' pay for sitting down when he should have been patrolling.

1898 Feb. 7—Fined one day's pay for not properly patrolling.

Nov. 25—Reprimanded for not reporting snow and ice on sidewalk.

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