

BOGUS ROOSEVELT  
POSED AT CAPITOL

President Incensed to Learn  
that Double Was "Snapped"  
Talking to a Negro, While  
Police Looked On.

PEACE GUARDS RECEIVED  
BY EXCELLENT MAKEUP.

Moving Pictures Taken Sup-  
posedly to Be Used for Polit-  
ical Effect in South—Inquiry  
Under Way.

(Special to The Evening World.)  
WASHINGTON, May 19.—President  
Roosevelt is greatly perturbed and  
incensed over an incident which hap-  
pened at the east front of the Capitol  
this afternoon, and which, he says, reflects  
not only upon him personally, but upon  
the dignity of the office of President of  
the United States.

The occurrence involves the moving  
picture snaphot of a man impersonat-  
ing the President under circumstances  
which have led the Washington police  
to investigate the affair.

About noon there drove up to the  
Capitol in a specially appointed trap  
a man who to all intents and purposes  
was Mr. Roosevelt. Several policemen  
who were standing nearby thought they  
recognized him. Their belief that he  
was the President was the more  
strengthened when the man raised his  
hand and saluted.

Arriving in front of the Capitol the  
supposedly Mr. Roosevelt alighted from  
the rig and walked up and down the  
Capitol plaza, in apparent study and  
reflection.

Presently he was joined by a big  
burly negro, who walked beside him and  
entered into an animated conversation.  
The police drew nearer, but did not dare  
to interfere. They watched the couple  
in conversation, when suddenly, to the  
apparent relief of the officers, the sup-  
posed President walked to his horse and  
surriage and stepped in.

He was immediately followed by the  
negro, who in his haste dropped a huge  
revolver from his hip pocket. Stopping  
to recover the weapon, the negro jumped  
in and rode off at a fast pace.

The police had not recovered from  
their surprise until the two men were  
out of sight. Just then the officers happened  
to look about, and to their astonish-  
ment they discovered a third person  
carefully concealed in the alcoves of  
the main Capitol building just about  
to carry off a moving picture machine.

He had been during the peregrina-  
tions of the supposed Roosevelt  
and had been taking snap shots of the  
two men, one white and the other  
black, as they walked to and fro.  
Hastily strapping his paraphernalia,  
the moving-picture man got aboard an  
express wagon and drove off. Then the  
police realized what had happened.

The White House was telephoned and  
it was found that the man who had  
looked like Roosevelt had been seen  
at the Capitol at all, but a person rigged  
out to impersonate him.

The whole proceeding was done for the  
benefit of the moving-picture machine.  
It is said that the pictures will be ex-  
hibited throughout the country.  
It is claimed that they were taken for  
political effect in certain sections of the  
South.

MOTORMAN SET  
ON FIRE BY FUSE

It Blew Out on a Car in Brook-  
lyn, and the Man in Charge  
Had to Leap to Save His  
Life.

The motorman of open car No. 201  
of the Flatbush avenue line as he  
lingered this afternoon and a score of  
passengers were frightened into a  
stampede by the blowing out of a fuse  
in a controller box just as the car  
reached City Hall square, Brooklyn.

The fuse blew out with a loud re-  
port, followed by a flash of blue flame  
that enveloped the entire forepart of  
the vehicle. Alarmed by the explosion  
and the terrifying crackling of sparks  
the men and women in the car rushed  
the man in charge of the car, who  
in pell mell confusion fled the street.

As soon as the flames burst out about  
him the motorman endeavored to climb  
into the car through the front window.  
His clothing had caught fire and his  
beard was burning. The window would  
not open, however, and he was com-  
pelled to leap over the dashboard.  
Though his whiskers and much of his  
hair had been consumed, he refused  
medical assistance and went on with  
his car. An inspector of the road or-  
dered him not to reveal his name to the  
police.

NOT CORRECTLY QUOTED.

Error in Report About Proceedings  
of Webster Davis Against Boers.

A report was sent out to-day of the  
proceedings before Magistrate Cornell  
in Jefferson Market Police Court in the  
case of the complaint of attempted  
blackmail made by Webster Davis  
against Samuel Pearson and William  
Vanderhoof. The printed report that  
Magistrate Cornell expressed the belief  
that the accused men did not write  
blackmailing letters to Mr. Davis and  
that they are victims of a conspiracy  
was inaccurate. No such an opinion  
was expressed by the Magistrate.

Both sides in the hearing, the hear-  
ing was postponed until to-morrow  
afternoon. When the question of bail  
was brought up, Abraham Levy, coun-  
sel for Mr. Davis, said that he was  
willing that the defendants should be  
released in custody of their counsel un-  
less they could furnish bail at 3 o'clock  
this afternoon. At that hour bail was  
produced.

SUNDAY WORLD WANTS  
WORK MONDAY WONDERS.

SOCIETY WOMAN WHO MYSTERIOUSLY VANISHED  
WHILE WITH HUSBAND AT MORRIS PARK RACES.

(Photograph by Pach.)



Mrs. Herman  
Leroy Jones.

SHOT BY BROTHER  
IN A CARD GAME

In Quarrel Between Three  
Brothers One Is Fatally  
Wounded in the Abdomen and  
Two Are Arrested.

James Labretto is dying in Seney  
Hospital, Brooklyn, to-day with a bul-  
let wound in the abdomen, and his  
brother Michael, charged with the  
shooting, and his other brother, John,  
detained as a witness, are in Bergen  
street police station.

The three brothers were devoted, and  
never had there been a quarrel be-  
tween them that is known of until early  
to-day when they gathered in the  
saloon owned by John, at No. 238 Fourth  
avenue, Brooklyn. All night the cards  
had been dealt and money had ex-  
changed hands.

James is said to have questioned  
some play made by both his brothers.  
There came high words and then blows.  
The three brothers began fighting.  
James is said to have attacked Michael  
with his fist, and to have been the  
better of him, when Michael drew a  
forty-four calibre revolver and, it  
is alleged, fired it at his brother.

Three times Michael discharged his  
weapon. Two of the shots went wild,  
but the third went true and James  
fell with a great wound in his abdomen.  
Over him stood his two brothers,  
Charles Cally, of the Berget street  
police station, went to the saloon. He  
found James lying unconscious on the  
floor. Over him stood his two brothers,  
Michael still holding the pistol. They  
were endeavoring to bring the man  
back to consciousness.

Cally placed Michael and John under  
arrest and sent for an ambulance from  
Seney Hospital. After James had been  
taken away the policeman started for  
the station-house with his two pris-  
oners, when at the door he was sud-  
denly surrounded by half a hundred  
Italians, who demanded that the two  
men be set free. The Italians were in  
a high state of excitement and were  
threatening.

Fearing he was to be assaulted, Cally  
drew his pistol and pointed it at the  
crowd. The men rushed away from him,  
and then fell in behind him and with  
oaths and threats followed him to the  
door of the station-house. There they  
were dispersed by the reserve police,  
who charged upon them with night  
sticks.

FELLOWES, JR., MUST PAY.

Jury Decides Runabout Was His  
When It Was Smashed.

Cornelius Fellowes, Jr., must pay for  
the runabout and harness he bought of  
Samuel F. Smith, of the W. D. Grand  
Carrage Company, at the American  
Horse Exchange last August and which  
were smashed into small bits while  
on their way to him at Saratoga.  
The jury in Justice Davis's part of  
the Supreme Court so directed this  
afternoon by a verdict for \$224, being the  
price of the rig, and with interest.

HERO'S RECORD,  
39 LIVES SAVED

Capt. John Cooley, of Tugboat  
Bella, Rescues Drowning Boy  
After Hard Fight in Whirling  
Eddies.

Capt. John Cooley, of the tugboat  
Bella, who rescued ten men from the  
burning steamer Bremen during the  
Hoboken fire, has added another rescue  
to his already amazing record of  
thirty-eight whom he has saved from  
death.

The Bella was steaming past the  
foot of East One Hundred and Thir-  
teen street late yesterday afternoon  
when ten-year-old Angelo De Rosa, of No.  
345 East One Hundred and Tenth  
street, tumbled from the pier into the  
river. He was caught by the rushing  
current and whirled far out into the  
stream.

The boy disappeared beneath the  
water about fifty feet from the bow of  
the tug, when John Golden, a deck-  
hand on the Bella, was made aware of  
his peril and jumped overboard. He  
caught the boy as he came up, but the  
little fellow wound his arms around the  
man's neck so tightly that he could  
not swim. The pair were going down  
when Capt. Cooley leaped in after  
them.

The Captain had considerable diffi-  
culty in releasing the man and boy be-  
cause of the swift current and whirling  
eddies. When he finally secured  
Golden by the collar they were 100  
yards from the tug. He managed to  
keep them up, however, until ropes  
were thrown to them and they were  
hauled aboard the boat.

This is young De Rosa's second nar-  
row escape from death. A year ago his  
mother, two brothers and little sister  
were burned to death in a fire a few  
doors from his present home, and he  
was only saved through the heroism of  
Fireman Summerhayes, of Truck 14.

Capt. Cooley, in addition to a score  
of other rescues, has saved a number of  
men in the Hoboken fire, saved many  
lives at the sinking of the Bur-  
goyne. He was aboard the Atlas, of  
the Atlas line, when the two steamships  
collided. Among those he rescued at  
this time was Postmaster-General  
Pierce, of Jamaica, W. E.

LONDON STOCKS DULL.

American Loss Gain Made in  
Early Trading and Close Easy.

LONDON, May 19.—Money was in  
moderate demand in the market to-  
day and the supply was abundant. Dis-  
counts were steadier, owing to the con-  
tingent issue of \$12,500,000 of treasury bills  
and the condition of foreign exchange.  
There was a cheerful tone on the Stock  
Exchange, but little inclination to do  
business owing to the approach of the  
Whitsuntide holidays, followed by the  
Carnegie Company, at the American  
Home Bails suffered from profit-taking.  
Americans opened dull and a little  
above parity, relaxed in the absence of  
support, an closed easy. Foreigners  
were inanimate. Japanese securities  
were buoyant.

BANDITS CAPTURE  
AMERICAN CITIZEN

Wealthy Man Named Perdicaris,  
Living in Tangier, Morocco,  
Carried Off by the Notorious  
Brigand Raisuli.

TANGIER, Morocco, May 19.—An  
American citizen named Perdicaris and  
his stepson, a British subject, were  
carried off by the well-known bandit  
Raisuli and his followers last night,  
and doubtless will be held for a heavy  
ransom.

The captives were staying at Perdi-  
caris's summer residence, only three  
miles from Tangier, when the bandits  
attacked and captured them.  
Perdicaris is of Greek origin, but is  
a naturalized citizen of the United  
States. He is very wealthy and has  
lived in Tangier for years. He married  
an English woman, whose son is his  
companion in captivity.

Foreigners are much excited by this  
bold raid, so near Tangier, and attribute  
it to the supineness of the Government  
in failing to punish the bandits who  
last year captured Walter B. Harris,  
the correspondent in Morocco of the  
London Times, and their failure to deal  
with general lawlessness in the district.

Walter B. Harris, the London Times  
correspondent at Morocco, was led into  
ambush and captured in June of last  
year by members of the Darrouss  
Tribe, who handed him over to Raisuli.  
He was unharmed and was released,  
after being held in captivity three  
weeks, in exchange for sixteen native  
prisoners.

Raisuli has notified Mohammed el  
Torres, the representative at Tangier  
for foreign affairs of the Sultan of  
Morocco, that he requires the removal  
of the Sultan's troops from his district,  
the removal of the Governor of Tangier  
and the release of a number of im-  
prisoned bandits. When these condi-  
tions are complied with Raisuli will  
notify Mohammed el Torres of the  
course he proposes to pursue with the  
captives.

UNITED STATES CONSUL  
ACTS IN BANDIT CASE.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The State  
Department has received the following  
cablegram from United States Consul  
Gunnere, dated at Tangier to-day:  
"Mr. Gunnere and the British Min-  
ister are acting with energy in the  
kidnapping of Messrs. Perdicaris and  
Varley. They have sent a special car-  
rier to the court to inform the Sultan's  
Department to comply with all requests  
make in this matter and to insist that  
the terms demanded by Raisuli shall  
be granted in order to obtain the re-  
lease of the captives."

Acting Secretary Gunnere was in con-  
sultation today with Capt. Winslow,  
of the Navigation Bureau, respecting  
the despatch of a United States war-  
ship to Tangier to back up the Con-  
sul's demands. There are a number of  
British warships within a few hours  
sailing from Tangier, and it is supposed that  
Mr. Gunnere is co-operating with the  
British Minister there, and there was  
no hesitation on the part of the  
British Government in hurrying a  
warship to the scene.

NO TRACE OF THE  
WIFE'S LEGACY

Rev. J. F. Cordova, Eloping with  
Girl, Carried Off \$1,500, Be-  
sides Other Funds He Had  
Withdrawn from Deposit.

TRUNK WAS PACKED  
FOR A LONG JOURNEY.

Left in Great Haste, Evidently  
Fearing Frustration of Plans  
—Trustees Will Expel Him  
from the Pastorate.

(Special to The Evening World.)  
SOUTH RIVER, N. J., May 19.—To-  
day's investigation into the sensational  
elopement of the Rev. J. F. Cordova  
and Miss Julia Bowen, the pretty eigh-  
teen-year-old daughter of one of the  
trustees of his church, shows that the  
minister at least had made careful  
preparations for a secret departure  
from the village.

In his study, which he had kept  
locked for several days, his trunk was  
found, all packed for a long journey.  
A few hundred dollars which he had  
invested in a local building and loan  
association he withdrew several days  
ago, and there is no trace whatever of  
a \$1,500 legacy which his unfortunate  
wife received from the estate of a dead  
relative some weeks ago and which she  
turned over to her recent husband to  
place in the bank.

Apparently the departure of the  
couple was more precipitate than they  
had intended, and its suddenness was  
due to the growing suspicion of Trust-  
ee Bowen and his intimate friend,  
Trusted Carr. The latter, it appears,  
traced the couple to a rendezvous after  
Tuesday night's prayer meeting and  
confronted the couple.

Mr. Bowen was summoned and after  
rebuking the minister, ordered his  
daughter to go home. She didn't go,  
but later met Cordova at another ren-  
dezvous and went away with him. Had  
the original plans of the two been car-  
ried out, he believed the couple would  
have taken his trunk and Miss  
Bowen some luggage of her own.

So far the search for the couple has  
availed nothing. Not the slightest trace  
of their whereabouts since they left  
New Brunswick on the night train  
Tuesday night has been discovered.  
The police of this city, Philadelphia  
and Baltimore have been asked to try  
to find them and all the steamship  
agents are being watched, as there is a  
belief that the runaways will sail for  
Europe.

Cordova is a man who is easily identi-  
fied by description. He is a native of  
himself in public with Miss Bowen, who  
is twenty-seven years his junior, it is  
believed that he is a native of Phila-  
delphia. Complete descriptions of the pair have  
been sent everywhere.

The trustees of the First Methodist  
Episcopal Church will meet to-morrow  
and expel Cordova from the pastorate,  
and by members of the church. The  
majority of the congregation, who  
always have been in the church, his  
name with that of Miss Bowen as  
the work of scandal mongers.

EXPLOSION WRECKS  
GUNCOTTON PLANT

Thousands of Dollars' Worth of  
Machinery in the Works of  
the Petrofoid Company, at  
Newark, Destroyed.

(Special to The Evening World.)  
NEWARK, May 19.—A terrific explo-  
sion of guncotton in the plant of the  
Petrofoid Company, at Nos. 232, 234 and  
236 Thomas street, this city, to-day  
wrecked thousands of dollars' worth of  
valuable machinery and started a con-  
flagration which at one time menaced  
the entire manufacturing section in the  
lower part of the city. The force of the  
explosion was felt two miles away, and  
almost every window within a radius of  
a mile was broken.

There were a number of employees  
working in the buildings when the ex-  
plosion occurred, but fortunately none  
of them was injured save Florence  
Wrigley, a fifteen-year-old girl, of No.  
234 Thomas street, who was struck by  
flying debris and so badly hurt that  
she had to be removed to St. James's  
Hospital. The first reports of the ex-  
plosion were that several people had  
been killed and a score injured, and all  
of the ambulances in the city were  
called for their services, how-  
ever, the firemen had a harder task  
as the flames spread rapidly, and it  
was with great difficulty that they were  
controlled.

The Petrofoid company manufactures  
of combustible and explosive material  
in kept on hand in the three buildings.  
The exact cause of the explosion is a  
mystery. The Wrigley girl made a  
statement to the police that she was in  
the building at the time the explosion  
saw a quantity of guncotton into a  
box in a sack forty feet away when  
the explosion occurred and could not  
be seen again. The investigation is being  
made of a rigid.

The first report of the explosion re-  
ceived by the police was that it was  
caused by a quantity of guncotton in  
the Petrofoid plant, but which  
was not the cause. The Archaic  
works were only slightly injured.

FIREMAN GONE; ENLISTED?

Strange Theory as to Why Ken-  
nedy Disappeared.

The whereabouts of Paul J. Kennedy,  
a fireman attached to Hook and Ladder  
Company No. 2, is commencing to worry  
the officials at the Fire Headquarters.  
Deputy Commissioner Devine was told  
to-day about the case, which was on  
the trial calendar.

Capt. William Clark, of the Company,  
stated that Kennedy had not reported  
for duty since May 6. He believed Ken-  
nedy had re-enlisted in the United  
States army and gone to the Philippines.  
The case was adjourned.

MABEL HITE, WHO BOUGHT ART  
GEM WORTH \$1,000 FOR \$10.



GIRL HAD BOMB  
TO KILL CZAR

Young Woman Student, Daugh-  
ter of Leading Russian Privy  
Councillor, Confessed and  
Was Secretly Hanged.

BRENSLAU, Prussia, May 19.—De-  
spairing from St. Petersburg state that  
the plot of a young girl to kill the  
Czar with a bomb during the spring  
parade on May 10 was thwarted by  
the authorities.

The girl is reported to have been se-  
cretly hanged at once. The Emperor  
always reviews the parade on horseback, taking his position  
slightly to one side of the pavilion  
from which the Empress and Grand  
Duchess view the pageant. A grand  
stand is erected by the municipality,  
tickets of admission to which are pub-  
licly sold, the names and addresses of  
purchasers being taken by the police.

Persons seated in the loges or boxes  
in front could easily throw an object  
at the place where the Emperor stands,  
and the authorities, in consequence, re-  
serve the right to cancel the sale of  
tickets to these if the purchasers are  
not known to be absolutely trustworthy.

It was noted just before the arrival  
of the Emperor that Miss Merezhevsky,  
the daughter of a leading Russian  
privy councillor, who occupied one of  
the loges nearest where the Emperor  
would stand, was acting in a nervous  
and peculiar manner. The authorities  
risked a scandal by approaching her  
and placing her under arrest. A search  
disclosed a skilfully constructed bomb  
concealed beneath the front of her  
dress.

She did not deny her intention of  
hurting the bomb at the Czar, but re-  
fused to give any information. She  
had been an attendant at the  
courses in the women's university and  
is supposed to have joined the Nihil-  
ists. She was taken away by the au-  
thorities, and it was rumored immedi-  
ately after that she had been given a  
short examination and trial and hanged  
at once.

Her father, who is an aged and re-  
spected man, is completely prostrated.  
It is said anger at the government  
will also fall upon him.

BORROWS MONEY  
ON CRITIC'S NAME

Swindler Goes Among Theatrical  
Folk, Who Are Usually  
Wise, and Actually Succeeds  
in Beating Them of Cash.

Some swindler is fattening his purse  
by using the names of newspaper men  
in requesting loans from theatrical folk  
in some instances and from prominent  
politicians in others.

Within a week the name of a dramatic  
critic has been used three times and in  
each case money has been obtained.  
Take the swindler represented that he  
had been arrested for fast automobilism  
and lacked a portion of the \$5 that had  
been imposed, and once that he had  
discovered he had dined beyond his  
means. In each case a messenger was  
sent to the theatre with the spurious  
note late at night.

The name of a well-known newspaper  
artist was stolen to a note sent Sen-  
ator Platt requesting a loan. The Sen-  
ator happened to be away and on his  
return wrote the artist expressing re-  
gret that he was not at home when  
the request came.

These are the only cases which have  
come to light, and it is hoped that  
publicity now may prevent others.  
The four letters obtained have been  
turned over to the police, who have  
already instituted search for the im-  
postor.  
The name is an old one, having been  
worked several times before in this  
city.

PILGRIMS HOME  
FROM HOLY LAND

Mrs. J. G. Browne Dies Aboard  
the Grosser Kurfurst, but the  
Other 500 Delegates Arrive  
in Good Health.

Five hundred and thirty-eight of the  
500 Christian Endeavorers who sailed  
for Europe last winter returned to-day  
on the Grosser Kurfurst, of the Ham-  
burg-American line, landing in Hobo-  
ken. Those who did not return on  
the excursion steamer dropped off in  
various European points to prolong their  
individual tours.

Mrs. J. G. Browne, of Marshalltown,  
Ia., a delegate, died on board ship in  
mid-ocean. She was attacked with  
typhoid fever in Naples, and after in-  
sisting on returning with the excursion  
party became worse and died in medi-  
cal care. Her body was brought to  
New York and her husband notified.

The excursionists went to attend the  
Fourth World's Sunday-School Con-  
vention, held in Jerusalem on April 17, 18  
and 19. Fifty-three denominations were  
represented in the convention, including  
delegates from every country on the  
globe, except those in South America.

From the United States, England and  
Canada, 1,302 delegates answered the  
roll, and, as has been published in the  
telegraphic despatches, the United  
States carried away most of the official  
honors. E. K. Warren, of Three Oaks, Mich.,  
was elected Chairman of the Con-  
vention, and George W. Bailey, of Keokuk,  
Ia., was elected President of the  
World's Allied Sunday-School Association.

Rev. Dr. Da Costa's Condition.

The Rev. Benjamin F. Da Costa, who  
has been in St. Vincent's Hospital  
for the past two weeks since his return  
from Rome, was reported to-day to be  
in the same condition as in the past few  
days.

HARD TO  
BE GOOD  
STEADILY

But one can get relief from the ills  
caused by  
COFFEE

by quitting for 10 days and  
using  
POSTUM  
FOOD COFFEE

If that 10 days shows you some  
FACTS

Perhaps you may conclude it's more  
fun to be well than to drink an  
occasional cup of Coffee.  
However, that's your business.

"There's a Reason"  
for POSTUM.  
Get the little book "The Road to  
Wellville, in each pkg.  
World's Fair Exhibit, Space, 103  
Agricultural Building.

GIRL WILL KEEP  
\$1,000 ART GEM

Mabel Hite, Actress, Who  
Bought a Higneron Picture  
for \$10, Vows She Does Not  
Intend to Return It.

Manager Smith, of the Knickerbocker  
Art Gallery, No. 7 West Twenty-ninth  
street, has located the attractive and  
handsomely gowned young woman who  
purchased a \$1,000 Higneron in his art  
gallery a few days ago for \$10. She is  
Miss Mabel Hite, who sings and dances  
in "The Venetian Romance" at the  
Knickerbocker Theatre.

An Evening World reporter called on  
Miss Hite at her home, No. 23 West  
Forty-fifth street, to-day, and learned  
the story of the purchase, and, inci-  
dentally, the young woman's intention  
to cling to her bargain with a peculiar  
tenacity.

Miss Hite is petite and she has as  
knowing a little wink as ever twinkled  
over the peak of a Jenny Wren. She  
used this fascinating little contortion  
and a stamp of the foot when she said:  
"Do you think I would be such a daffy  
as to give back my Higneron just be-  
cause I was knowing enough to recog-  
nize a bargain when I saw it. Not a  
bit. I have given the little gem to  
mother for a birthday present and  
there it is above the sideboard," and  
the charming young lady pointed to  
"In a Wine Cellar," that Mr. Duffy  
of the art gallery, had sold for \$10.

In one corner of it was a card in-  
scribed "Many Happy Returns of the  
Day, from your affectionate daughter,  
Mabel."

Gem Caught Her Eye.

"I did not go to the art gallery to  
buy a picture," explained Miss Hite.  
"I went there to get a cozy corner. I  
guess it was Mr. Duffy who showed me  
around. He was quite the haughty  
person and seemed the connoisseur of  
art. As I was looking at the costly  
and the pictures, my eye fell on this  
little painting. It lay in a corner cov-  
ered with dust and cobwebs. I said:  
"Now, I am not what you would call  
an art collector, but I know a painting  
from a dab, and I tell a Corot from  
a Van Dyke, but I know a painting  
from a dab, and I tell a little flicker  
in this picture caught my eye. I looked  
close and felt that some of the pictures  
I have home in Kansas City are  
worth \$20 and \$30 for them."  
"So I asked the man how much. He  
said, rather loftily, 'Oh, about \$10.'  
"Give it to me, please. I would like to  
bring it home," I said, and he did it up  
in a piece of paper. I had a cab waiting  
outside, and I guess I almost ran out  
of the store with my little bargain. I  
felt that the picture was worth at  
least \$50."

Looked as if He Would Cry.

"I didn't think much more about it  
until I read in The Evening World that  
I had bought a Higneron worth \$1,000.  
That to be nice, I went around to see  
Mr. Smith. He would not believe me.  
He said he had seen our show and  
admired me and my wink especial-  
ly. I curtseyed and said I was sorry  
his Mr. Duffy had made a little mis-  
take. He said he was sorry, too, and  
he looked as if he was going to cry. I  
said I liked the picture and guessed I  
would keep it. He said he would be very  
much obliged. He would not return it.  
He even intimated that he would sue me  
if I didn't give it back.

"But the picture is mine. I bought it in what the lawyers  
call good faith and intend to hold it  
even if he should go to law. I guess I  
Mr. Smith had noticed my wink he  
wouldn't think I was a great art  
collector. He would not have noticed  
it if he had not seen my picture."

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