

THREE NO MATCH FOR DARING GIRLS WHO CAPTURE HIM

Pounce on Burglar and Show No Fear When He Tries to Fight.

CALDERS AID THEM.

Miss Melser and Miss Keene Appear as Witnesses

Against Him.

Some women faint when they see a burglar. Not so Miss Daisy Melser and Miss Lydia Keene in Flatbush. They pounce on him and help hold him until the police arrive.

The episode which resulted in the capture of the man occurred last night in the home of Harry J. Humphrey, No. 285 Parkside avenue, Flatbush. Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey were at a theatre in Manhattan at the time. Miss Melser, who is from Illinois and is a niece of theirs, came home with Miss Keene, who lives at No. 380 Parkside avenue, and two young men, Frank Johnson of No. 296 State street and another named Campbell, to get ready for a dance at the Knickerbocker Field Club.

As soon as they entered the house they saw a flickering light on the second floor which should not have been there. Miss Melser, who discovered it, called to the others and while Campbell went to hunt for matches, Johnson and the two young women went up to investigate. They hid for a moment in a doorway, and when they saw a man crawling out from under a bed and try to speak to the girls.

When he was within easy range Johnson and the two unfrightened young women leaped on him like hungry panthers and bore him down. The man put up a fight, but the three were too much for him. They held his arms and legs and begged his blows while Campbell telephoned to the Flatbush police station.

Detective Brierton responded and managed to release the grip of the captors and take his man to the station. There he said his name was Walter Brown, twenty years old, of No. 59 Fort Greene Place. He said he knew one of the servants in the house and was making a call. It was found that he had forced his way into the cellar and then broken a panel of a kitchen door to gain access to the upper part of the house.

13 SENTENCED FOR FRAUD.

Former Hoboken Election Officials Get Eighteen Months Each.

Thirteen election officers of Hoboken, convicted of frauds at the primary elections, were sentenced to-day before Judges Tennant and Sullivan in the Court of Common Pleas to terms of not less than eighteen months or more than three years.

The court-room was crowded with politicians and friends of the convicted men. Several lawyers made impassioned pleas for lenient sentences. All of the men sentenced were William M. Maher, Leo Duffy, Alfred Lehman, Gustav Ising, Patrick Connell, Jeremiah Ryan, Joseph Brancato, Joseph Cassidy, Thomas O'Reilly, John Matthews, William Burtis, Thomas F. Brady and Louis Baeder.

FRUIT JUICE DEALERS SUED.

Government Asks \$100,000, Alleging Import Undervaluations.

Two suits, aggregating \$100,000, brought by the Government to-day against the J. S. Johnson Company, in the Federal District Court, allege that the company imported fruit juices in violation of the tariff laws for fifteen years by improperly classifying and undervaluing pineapple juice from Nassau.

TWO JERSEY TOWNS SHAKEN.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 26.—Reports of mysterious chain tremors which shook houses and broke windows were received here last night from Wildwood, N. J., and Ventnor, a suburb of Atlantic City.

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If Good Cooking Wins Votes for Women They Will Get the Franchise in 1915



The Most Delightful, Delicious, Tempting, Refreshing Feature of the Suffragists' Cosmopolitan Fete Is the Perfectly Prepared Food.

By Marguerite Mooers Marshall. All hail to thee who'er thou art! If friend, we greet thee hand and heart, If stranger, such no longer be, If foe, our love shall conquer thee.

That's the official greeting of the Cosmopolitan Fete of the Woman Suffrage Party to New York. But after my tour of the Seventy-first Regiment Armory yesterday afternoon, when the fete opened, I decided that the party poet had missed a trick. She should certainly revise her fourth line to read as follows:

"If foe, our FOOD shall conquer thee!" The most delightful, delicious, tempting, tremendous, ravishing, refreshing, prodigious—the most completely cosmopolitan thing about the Cosmopolitan fete—is the food. Never again let anybody dare to say that suffragists can't cook! From sauerkraut to salted peanuts, from popovers to pickles, the suffrage menu is one landfall of a success. Let the most hardened antiwit his way around the armory, and—if he lives—he will vote for the suffrage amendments in 1915.

Appropriately near the entrance is the cooking contest display. Yesterday it consisted of bread, biscuit and muffins. There were two prizes, the first a bit of silver, the second a piece of fine china. How the judges, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, Mrs. Medill McCormick and Dr. Anna Shaw, can conscientiously refuse to award a prize to any one of the golden loaves, the symmetrical biscuits, the melt-in-your-mouth muffins—I for one can't imagine!

PIE AND COOKIE CONTEST IS ON TO-DAY.

To-day the pie and cookie contest is on. To-morrow loaf cakes will compete for supremacy. On Saturday layer cakes will be exhibited. Any one, whether she wants a vote or whether she doesn't, is free to enter the contest. But let me warn you that the suffragists are culinary champions.

If there is a "villa," the fete name for "booth," in the whole armory which doesn't sell something good to eat, I failed to discover it. In the German villa, for instance, arranged by the Thirty-first Assembly District of the Woman Suffrage party, Mrs. Bertha von Zastrow will sell you fresh German puddings. Every afternoon there is kaffee klatch at the villa. The sauerkraut is as truly Teutonic as Mrs. von Zastrow's accent.

Just around the corner is the country store, managed by Mrs. Frederick Gillette. Here you can buy sauerkraut, fresh eggs, suet, jellies, preserves and marmalade and sauerkraut sauce. The last is guaranteed "very spicy" by pretty Miss Elizabeth De Groff, its inventor.

Sandwich girls extend you mute invitations to visit the Dutch windmill, in charge of the Twelfth Assembly District of Brooklyn, where you may absorb sodas, frappes and cool and hot drinks. At the Russian Villa the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, plus a Russian bear, invites you to take tea. The bear may growl about the climate, but he never bites anybody except critics. He's a literary bear, not a literal one, although he looks the part.

Then you can have sauerkraut a la Queens Borough's Swiss Villa, more tea at the Chinese Villa of the Twenty-ninth Assembly District, still more tea in Staten Island's Japanese Villa, yet again tea, plus candy, ice-cream, cake, coffee and chewing gum, in the Turkish Villa, presided over by the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Assembly Districts.

Romany punch awaits you at the Gipsy Villa, arranged by the Fifteenth, Seventeenth and Nineteenth Assembly Districts. Fruits, nuts, oils and sweets are yours to choose among in the Borough of Manhattan's Italian Villa, and even the Mon's League for Woman Suffrage has caught the culinary contagion and offers cool drinks and sandwiches at Colonial Villa. The French Villa, in charge of the Second Club, Eighteenth Assembly District, Brooklyn, is fully supplied with chocolates.

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PAY "HELD OUT," KILLS EMPLOYER'S CHILD WITH BOMB

Turns Deadly Missile on Man He Charges With Inspiring Crimes.

Nicholas Piccarelli, otherwise known as "Zump," whose testimony on the trial of Angelo Sylvastro, a member of the Black Hand gang that terrorized the east side last fall, revealed the workings of the gang, is again a State's witness. This time he is testifying against Antonio Levatino on trial before Judge Malone in General Sessions, charged with attempted extortion and setting off a bomb at No. 29 Prince street.

Levatino is alleged to have been one of the leaders of the gang. It has been testified that he dictated the threatening letters demanding money that were received in advance of the bomb explosions.

Michael Vollani, keeper of a drygoods store at No. 30 Prince street, received one of these letters last March and when he paid no attention to it a bomb was exploded in his store.

"Zump" frankly admitted to-day that he had been a thief for eight years past. He told the jury that he was testifying because he felt "owed" on Levatino, whom he said "owed" him \$100 for planting a bomb. Once, he said, in a spirit of revenge he had exploded a bomb in Levatino's home because of his continual "holding out" on him.

Levatino's little child, a girl, died from fright as the result of the explosion, "Zump" said.

Besides "Zump," the two other reformers on the gang, Alfred Schliman and Tony Sadatini, will testify against Levatino. It was these two who told the jury in the Sylvastro trial that "they had no more regard for human life than they did for the life of any insect."

POLICEMEN DISMISSED FOR LETTING CAPTIVE ROBBER HOLD THEM UP

Had a Trial Before the Mayor of Summit—Supposed Burglar Caught Here.

SUMMIT, N. J., March 26.—Patrolmen John J. Gannon and William J. George of the local police, who were held up and cowed by a stranger on the night of Feb. 21, were dismissed from the force to-day by Mayor Francis H. Bergen, before whom they were tried. The Mayor allowed George thirty days in which to apply for reinstatement as a new man.

Gannon and George were looking for suspicious persons, as a result of the many burglaries that had occurred, when they met a suspicious looking man carrying suitcases, and he, it is said, is the burglar who had been operating here and was subsequently arrested in Manhattan. While Gannon and George were questioning him a negro chauffeur drove up and stopped to speak to the policemen. The man under suspicion entered the car with George to go to police headquarters, and in the shift of positions he drew a revolver and took command of the two policemen and the chauffeur. He forced Gannon to step aside and the chauffeur to drive off with George and himself until they reached a deserted section, where in an old barn he made the chauffeur bind up George, after which he bound the chauffeur and escaped.

A superstitious member of the Telegraph Bureau said he believed the number ought to be changed or taken down.

The so-called "hoodoo figures" were put up just before March 1. A few days afterward Vincent Valentine, a policeman on duty at the switchboard in Miller's office, lost his daughter Vivian, seven months old, who died of pneumonia at her home, No. 634 Sixty-second street, Brooklyn.

On March 6, Frank Duffy died of pneumonia at the Duffy home, No. 382 Grand avenue, Williamsburg. Frank's brother Thomas has a desk in Miller's office.

On March 8 David Allen, seventy-three years old, the father of Capt. William Allen, in charge of the Telegraph Bureau, died.

POPE PIUS TO APPOINT TWELVE NEW CARDINALS

Pontiff Decides to Hold a Consistory in About a Month to Name Princes of Church.

ROME, March 26.—It was tentatively decided to-day by the Pope to hold a Consistory either at the end of April or the beginning of May unless unforeseen circumstances should intervene.

It is assumed that about a dozen Cardinals will be appointed.

'QUAKE PANIC IN MESSINA.

Earth Shook With Storm Drives People From Homes.

MESSINA, Sicily, March 26.—A shock of earthquake accompanied by a violent storm caused a panic to-day among the inhabitants of this district, most of whom fled to the open country. When the storm subsided it was found that the damage had been insignificant and that nobody had been injured.

TUG CHASES AMERIKA TO SHIFT PASSENGERS LEFT ON THE DOCK

Big Ship Also Slipped Away With Some Who Tarried Saying Farewell.

Much excitement attended the sailing of the Hamburg-American liner Amerika this morning. When she pulled out from her pier at Hoboken, the captain didn't know it, but she had on board a number of people who had gone to say good-by to friends. The captain didn't know, either, that more than half a dozen of his passengers had been left behind.

Several persons came rushing down the pier as the gangplank was hauled up. Others followed, to be greeted by the siren of the big ship as she dropped out into the stream. There was a racing and chasing on the pier; there were hoarse and feminine shouts from the deck of the Amerika. Charles Pringle, son of Sir John Pringle, the banana king of Jamaica, cried for a tug. He was on the pier.

Considerable "rustling" ensued among the men of the Hamburg-American Line, and soon a tug was puffing and blowing in pursuit of the Amerika as she made her way gracefully down toward the ocean. She was overhauled near the Battery and the transfer of those who wanted to go and those who didn't was made, and everything was as gay as dinner time in a smooth sea.

Among the passengers of the Amerika were Mrs. Thomas J. Croston Jr., widow of ex-President Grover Cleveland, her daughter, Miss Esther Cleveland, and son, Francis Grover Cleveland. Reginald de Koven, the composer, and his wife were other passengers, as were Carl Hagenbeck and wife. Mr. Hagenbeck was once a hunter of wild animals in the jungle, which he gathered for circuses, his own and others. He still deals in wild animals, but has other people to hunt them.

DOESN'T LIKE AMERICA AND HE BOASTS OF IT

Englishman Says We Can't Take Away the Trade of South America.

Sailing on the Hamburg-American liner Amerika to-day was one passenger who doesn't like this country and who wasn't at all backward in saying so. He is Howard Colerston, representing a firm of English clothing manufacturers. He had just returned from a trip through South America.

"People here," he said, "complain of the lack of interest in England and Germany over the Panama-Pacific Exposition. On the other hand our shipping men wish to discriminate against the vessels of both countries in the matter of tolls through the canal. You boast of the big business this country is going to do with South America after the canal is completed, the business which now belongs to England and Germany. The American Trade Tour Company, with the approval of the State Department, is going to have a floating exhibit through South America."

"My inquiries into this exhibit got me the information that nothing but American products will be carried. Believe me, Americans have a great deal to learn of the ways of South America before they can get inside the business which has been so long cared for by England and Germany."

NEW GUINNESS SUSPECT IS CLOSELY WATCHED

Arrest of Woman Thought To Be Indiana Murderess Held Up Pending Laporde Police Inquiry.

NEWVILLE, Pa., March 26.—Strict surveillance of the woman suspected of being Mrs. Belle Guinness's Portland, murderess, was maintained by the Northwest mounted police to-day, while Clinton Cochran, former Marshal of Laporde, was spending here to identify her. The woman is on a homestead near here. Cochran, who knew Mrs. Guinness well before wholesale crimes were discovered at her "murder farm," is expected to reach Neville to-morrow. En route to Neville he was inclined to be sceptical, but declared he believed that Mrs. Guinness is still living, and that the suspect under surveillance here may be the much-wanted woman.

The woman, suspected by local authorities is said to bear a marked resemblance to Mrs. Guinness, whose photographs were sent here from the Indiana city. She has made no attempt to avoid interviewers, but, according to the police, has made contradictory statements. She has not been arrested.

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WRECKED TROLLEY CAR ON 60-FOOT TRESTLE TO MAKE IT STOP

Man Threw Plank on Track and Nearly Plunged Scores to Death.

Jacob Rockmaker's violent effort to stop a street car on the trestle on Jersey City Heights early to-day endangered the lives of 100 persons and resulted in his arraignment before Judge Warren in the First Criminal Court, Jersey City, on a charge of placing an obstruction on the tracks of the Public Service Corporation. He was held in \$1,000 bail for examination to-morrow.

Rockmaker works in a rubber factory and lives at No. 44 Park avenue, Hoboken. After an evening spent in Jersey City he started home shortly after midnight, climbing to the Beacon avenue station of the Jackson avenue car line. The station is on a trestle sixty feet above the street.

It happened that Rockmaker was the only person on the platform. After he had waited a considerable time a crowd came on the car from Jersey City, packed to the platforms. The car struck the plank and the trestle truck was derailed.

Fortunately the motorcar had shut off power for the station stop. The wheels remained on the ties, but the car had a dangerous lean toward the edge of the trestle and a sixty-foot drop to the street. The frightened passengers piled out on the platform while Policeman Murphy, who had run up to the station when he heard the splintering of the plank and the din above the car, sought other means of transportation to their homes. The street railway managers said in court to-day that if the car had been going rapidly it would probably have been thrown off the trestle by Rockmaker's stopping device.

Rockmaker's actions attracted attention. When questioned he admitted that he had thrown the plank on the track for the purpose of stopping the car. Murphy hustled him to a police station while the passengers who had been on the car sought other means of transportation to their homes. The street railway managers said in court to-day that if the car had been going rapidly it would probably have been thrown off the trestle by Rockmaker's stopping device.

COURT HOLDS DRIVERS WHO ATTACKED BRAUN

"Bridgie" Webber's Former Partner Is in Danger Because He "Snitched."

"Rachel" Braun, a former partner of "Bridgie" Webber, and now proprietor of a saloon at Broadway and Fifty-eighth street, appeared to-day in the West Side Court against Walter Clarkson, driver of a motor car, No. 112 West One Hundred and Fourteenth street, and Frank Krotel, also a driver, of No. 604 East Fifteenth street, whom he charged with attacking him last night. Both were held in \$1,000 bail for the Grand Jury.

Braun, who is believed by the underworld to be a "snitch" to the District Attorney's office, Manistrate Simms, that he had been terrified by the men on two occasions and that they had threatened to "get him." Clarkson, he said, tried to "get" him early yesterday, and, falling, came back last night with Krotel and several friends to "pull off the job."

But Braun charged for the police and Captain of Detectives Kerr and Detectives Owens and Devaney came in time to witness the attack upon him.

LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Take a glass of Salts to flush Kidneys if Bladder bothers you.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the waste in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary troubles.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine that no longer irritate, thus ending bladder disorders.

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