LOCAL MENTION. AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Academy-Charles E. Blaney's "More to Be Pitled Than Scorned," 8:15. Chase's-Polite Vaudeville, 8:15 p.m. Columbia - Henry W. Sayage's English Grand Opera Company in "Othello,"

Kernan's-Reilly and Wood's Company, Lafayette-"Running for Office," 8:15 p.m. National - Second week of "Mother Goose," 8:15 p.m.

Finest 60c. Xmas Candies, 35c. SHEETZ'S special will enable you to purchase Xmas Candies at a great saving. Order

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W. E. Portzman, twenty-five years old. Hving at 1918 6th street northwest, called at the Emergency Hospital this morning about 12:30 o'clock and was treated for a cut across his cheek. He told the police that he was assaulted by a strange man while at the corner of 14th street and Ohio avenue. His injury is not serious

Christmas Hams. Buy Dove Brand,

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Lovers of delicious meats will find it in-teresting and advantageous to visit T. T. KEANE CO.'S stalls, 34-51 Center mkt. & 9 Wholesale Row, tomorrow. Included in the holiday exhibit of choice Washingtondressed Beef, Southdown Lamb and Mut-ton, etc., will be two bullocks, whose live weight equaled 4,600 lbs. Also cooked "Smithfield" Ham, prepared in the proper way by an "old Virginia" recipe. Your in-spection is invited. Lowest consistent prices and satisfactory service. 'Phone 158

Orders for Meinberg's Fruit Cake And Pound Cake, 25c. lb.,

for Xmas, may be left at your grocer's, at 85 O st. mkt. or at the Bakery, 716 11th st. s.e.; phone E. 1227. These products in every way sustain the favorable reputation Jno. G. Meinberg's bakery goods have won. 25c. lb.

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Kenny's Handsome Xmas Picture Free Saturday, December 24. C. D. Kenny Co., Teas, Coffees, Sugars; 8 city stores,

Capital Traction car 327 collided with a dairy wagon in charge of J. Briggs at 7th and N streets yesterday afternoon. The wagon was damaged and a number of milk bottles broken, but nobody was hurt.

Great Bear a Pure Spring Water. 4 gallons for 50c. Office, 704 11th.

Coal! Coal! Coal! Our new branch, main corridor, Colorado building. Best quality and full weight. Prompt service. John Moran & Co., main

office, 2126 Pa. ave. Yard, 20th and K n.w. How Do You Feel? Oh! Not at All Well; My liver is bad. Use C-O's and live good.

Miller Oil Stoves. \$2.50 Gas Radiators. Gas Stoves, \$1.00, \$1.50. C. A. Muddiman & Co. 616 12th.

Get Your Xmas Ice Cream and Ices at Reisinger's. Brick Cream, \$1.25 gal. Individual blocks, \$1.50 gal. 235 G st. n.w.

CITY AND DISTRICT.

Peter Matthews, an elderly man who lives at 72 K street northeast and is employed on the new union station, complained to the police last night that he was assaulted and robbed of \$2.50. He said he was at work when a colored man attacked and robbed him. Matthews gave the police the name and description of his alleged assailant. He went to the Casualty Hospital and was treated for his injuries

William O'Grady, an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, was knocked dawn by a buggy at 12th and G streets northwest yesterday afternoon. He was only slightly injured

A wagon belonging to the Elite laundry and a street car collided at the intersection of 7th and D streets yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock. The wagon was damaged, but nobody was injured.

Susie Matthews, colored, eighteen years old, who lives at 1254 3d street southwest, was slightly burned about the right arm and face by the explosion of a gasoline stove while working in the McGill building about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The overturning of a lamp caused a blaze in the show window at the store of S. H. Scheer, 25 H street northwest, shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Goods in the window were destroyed and the building was slightly damaged. The total damage amounted to about \$150 and is cov-

ered by insurance. A blaze followed the overturning of a can of benzine in the drug store of Edward Green, 946 Virginia avenue southwest, last night about 9 o'clock. An alarm of fire was turned in from box 430, but the blaze was extinguished before the arrival of the nene and before more than \$5 damage had been done.

Elk Grove Butter Calendar is very artistic.

The Case Postponed.

Frank Leslie Fuller and George W. Marrow were arrested yesterday on two charges of obtaining money under false pretenses. and taken to police headquarters by Detective Grant. The men have been stopping at a hotel at 1222 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, and several days ago they started out to pass as many worthless checks as they could, so the police say.

Fuller, it is alleged, would state that his uncle had sent the check to him, and as they were drawn upon a southern bank, in several instances they were taken.

Charles Fleischman was not present, and as the police claim he was not present, and as the police claim he was the only complainant they could locate the case was passed until January 5 by Judge Kimball, and the police say that several persons who have been victimized will be on hand at that time to prosecute.

An Xmas Surprise.

Clark, Davenport & Co., corner 12th and F.

Advertisement.

same subject, gave special attention to the impediments which must be overcome in co-operative tree planting.

CHRISTMAS EXERCISES.

Closing of Friends' Select School-Award of Certificates.

Christmas exercises were held at the Friends' Select School yesterday, the program including songs and recitations. A large gathering, embracing the teachers and pupils and their friends, assembled in the new study hall of the school to celebrate the closing of school for the holi-

Many gifts for distribution among the Many gifts for distribution among the poor were brought by the children.

The following program was given: Song, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," by the school; recitation, "A Message to Mother Goose," by Judith Norment; song, "Three Kings of the Orient," by the primary school; recitation, "Old Christmas," by Ali Haidas Bey; German song, "Christmas Lullaby," by the German pupils; recitation, "Looking for Santa Claus," by Theodor Uhler; song, "The Christmas Tree," by the primaries; recitation, "Penelope's Christ-mas Dance," by Winifred Hyde; song, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," by the school; song, "Auld Lang Syne," by the

For high standing in conduct, attendance and scholarship term certificates were awarded. The primary pupils received nineteen, the intermediate thirty-four and the high school twenty-seven. This is the largest number ever recorded of certifi-cates awarded at the end of the first term, due largely, it is stated, to improved conditions resulting from the new building and alterations in the old ones.

HOLIDAY PROGRAM.

Preparations for New Year at Fifth Baptist Church.

The pastor of the Fifth Baptist Church, on E street near 7th street southwest, announces that New Year day the morning services will consist of a short sermon by the pastor, the roll call and a reunion. A copy of the pastor's "Motto for New Year Revealed and Souvenir Greeting" will be given each person present. New Year night the series of special revival services will begin. The church has engaged the Palley Quartet of Philadelphia to assist the pastor in these meetings, which will be held the first two weeks in January, and may be continued. A large chorus led by Mr. Dailey will also assist in the music for the meetings. Thursday night, December 29, 1904, the Christmas entertainment at the home church will be held, and Friday night the entertainment at the afternoon school will be held.

The Xmas Feast Will Be

most complete when you top off with deli-cious Connecticut pies. Mince and other kinds, -Advertisement.

Model Stable at Fort Myer.

Col. Charles Morton, 7th Cavalry; Major Thomas H. Slavens, quartermaster, and Capt. Charles P. Summerall, Artillery Corps. have been appointed a board to meet at Fort Myer, Va., for the purpose of reporting whether the type of stable recently constructed at that post for the artillery is satisfactory with regard to light and ventilation. The board is instructed to report the method employed in obtaining light and ventilation and what changes, it

The Elk Grove Calendar is a beauty .- Advt.

Surprised Mr. Brinkman.

Mr. Edward Brinkman of 41/2 street and Pennsylvania avenue was the principal of a surprise party tendered him last night by the Carpet Mechanics of Washington, the occasion being his twenty-eighth birth day. He was presented with a Masonic ring. Refreshments were served and a flashlight photograph taken of the entire party. President C. S. Roberts of the National Association of Carpet Mechanics was

Printing That Brings Best Results is cheapest in the end. Next time consult Byron S. Adams, 512 11th st. n.w.-Advt.

New Chicago Sleeper, C. & O. Ry., 2:30 p.m., only one night out .- Advt.

Treasury Council, N. U., Election.

Treasury Council No. 200, National Union, held its annual election of officers or Wednesday evening, December 21, and the following were elected for the ensuing year: President Theo. L. De Land; vice president. E. J. Pattee; speaker, G. L. Lohrer; recording secretary. W. Scott; financial secretary, J. W. Harsha; treasurer, N. C. Martin; chaplain, J. L. Heupel; usher, W. D. Ritner; sergeant-at-arms, W. Ludlow. W. Ludlow.

Trustees, E. J. Pattee, H. A. Singer, jr., J. P. Reed. Delegates to cabinet, George C. Havenner and Theo. L. De Land.
Delegate to Immediate Relief Associa-tion: J. W. Harsha. of officers will take place January 18, 1905.

How to Make Xmas Punch.

To secure the best results use "Old Braddock" Md. Rye for the Xmas punch. It's exceptionally rich and mellow. Best dealers -Advertisement.

Architectural Club Entertainment. The Washington Architectural Club held its annual Chirstmas entertainment last night. Mr. D. Wolfsteiner, Mr. Graham and other members of the club furnished a musical and literary entertainment, which was followed by a laughable pantomime representing an architect's office during a period. The entertainment was witnessed by an unusually large portion of the mem-bers. Refreshments were served and a hearty Christmas spirit prevailed.

V. Baldwin Johnson's Coal, 612 9th St. Tomorrow special for Christmas coal.-Advertisement.

\$1.25 Baltimore and Return.

B. & O. R. R.,
Saturday and Sunday, All trains both ways,
both days, except Royal Limited. "Houriy
service" Saturday.—Advt.

Officers Elected.

At a regular meeting of the David D. Porter Garrison, Army and Navy Union, the following officers were elected: James Campbell, commander; H. C. Jones, senior vice commander; Christian Olsen, junior vice commander; B. F. Wilson, officer of the day; James Stilwell, officer of the watch; J. Schoenthal, inspector, John Ash, chaplain; Wm. H. Coulter, quartermaster; executive council, J. C. Daley, S. J. Block, T. E. Lee

Delicious Butter for Xmas Dinner. The choicest butters of the leading creameries at James F. Oyster's, 9th & Pa. ave. "Four-leaf Clover" Creamery, in 5-lb. boxes, a specialty. Fresh Nearby Country Eggs.-Advertisement.

Men's Club Officers.

The Men's Club of Northeast Washington has elected the following officers for the ensuing three months: President, H. J. Robertson; vice president, D. W. Peters: recording secretary, W. H. Van Vlick; financial secretary, L. L. Dunning; treasurer, W. A. Moore; house committee, A. H. King, chairman; Eugene Walters and Samuel D. Gompers. The club was addressed by Mr. Ed Hay.

Southern Railway's Theater Train. Effective December 24 and every Saturday night thereafter until further advised, Southern Railway will operate theater train Washington to Leesburg, 11:40 p.m. This in order to take care of its patrons desiring

Co-Operative Forest Work.

to attend theaters in this city.-Advt.

At an open meeting of the Society of American Foresters last evening Mr. J. Girvin Peters made an address on "The Possibilities and Limitations of Government er," speaking particularly concerning the assistance given by the bureau of forestry through the offices of forest management

and forest products.

Mr. George L. Clothler, who spoke on the

COL. BROMWELL'S REPORT.

Road in Potomac Park and Tanks at Application for Release of Charles Jen-

White House. Col. Bromwell, the engineer officer in charge of public buildings and grounds, has reported to General Mackenzie, chief of engineers, the completion of the work of constructing the 15th street park roadway connecting the roadway in the Washington monument grounds north of the propagating gardens with the river road in Potomac

He also reports that the old iron tank formerly used for holding the house water supply for the Executive Mansion and the large wooden tank formerly used for hold-ing water for the use of the old hydraulic elevator have been taken apart and re-moved from the premises. These tanks have been stored in the attic of the mansion since it was remodelled in 1902.

Velati's Famous Candies for Xmas. Packed in fancy boxes, baskets and novelty receptacles, these delicious Chocolates, Bonbons and Caramels make most pleasing gifts. Early ordering is the most satisfac-tory. Store open evenings. 620 9th st. just above F. 'Phone 2081. Prompt service. Advertisement.

Fined for Shoplifting.

Carrie Miller told Judge Kimball in the Police Court this morning that Mabel Phillips, who is a clerk in a 7th street store where Carrie was charged with taking a pair of gloves from, was "telling a story' so as to damage her reputation. The Miller woman was arrested yester-day by Detective Trumbo as she came from the store and was taken to police head-quarters. Later she was released on \$10 Judge Kimball listened to the woman's story and then imposed a \$10 fine

Serve Elk Grove Butter at the Xmas dinner. -Advertisement.

Want Vestibule Street Cars.

A movement is under way to secure protection of street car motormen during the winter months. The Preachers' Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church last Monday held a meeting, when it was de-cided to call upon the street railway companies to provide vestibule cars in the cold season. Further consideration of the mat-ter will be given by the legislation com-mittee of the association at a conference late this afternoon.

\$1.25 To Baltimore and Return \$1.25 Pennsylvania railroad, Saturday and Sunday, tickets good on all trains except Congressional Limited, and good for return until Sunday night.—Advt.

Can Place Temporary Tracks.

Permission has been granted the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company to lay temporary tracks on Maryland avenue and across 9th street southwest and government reservation No. 199, for the purpose of unloading material on reservation No. 113. They are to be used only for the transportation of large quantities of building materials for use in the construction of the new buildings of the Agricultural Department, the National Museum and the District municipal building. Care will be taken to make them interfere as little as possible with traffic on the

Christmas Holiday. Greatly reduced rates via Southern Railway. Apply 705 15th st. and 511 Pa. ave .-

English Opera. "La Boheme" was repeated by the Savage English Grand Opera Company at the Cclumbia Theater last evening with only one change from the cast of Monday night-

quate interpretation by Mr. Savage's splendid company of singers gave pleasure to a large and enthusiastic audience. At yesterday's matinee Verdi's tuneful and ever popular "Il Trovatore" was sung with Mr. Sheehan as Manrico, Miss Brooks as Leonora. Miss Newman as Azucena and Arthur Deane as the Count di Luna. It was an excellent performance, the principals being in good voice and the large and efficient chorus singing the Anvil Chorus with stirring effect. Tonight Puccini's "Tosca" will be the op-

The beautiful music of Puccini and its ade-

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Highways and Byways of China.

Mr. Bailey Willis, who has recently returned from China after a year spent there in explorations for the Carnegie Institution, has arranged to address the National Geographic Society this evening. His subject will be "Highways and Byways of a," and the lecture will be illustrated with eighty pictures, many of them colored, which he took personally. The address is one of a series on the far east arranged for this season by the National Geographic Society, and will be at the National Rifles Armory, 920 G street, at 8 o'clock.

Baltimore and Return, \$1.25, Via Pennsylvania railroad, every Saturday and Sunday, all trains except Congressional Limited.—Advt.

Agreed to Pay Board Bill.

Araminta D. Easley of 401 G street northwest complained to the police yesterday that C. H. Gilbert, who is an agent for a local insurance company, had left her boarding house without paying his bill. Gilbert was arrested and presented be-fore Judge Kimball this morning. He agreed to pay the bill and was allowed

The Real Sentiment of Christmas s expressed in the gift of practical value. Start a savings account for some one with Union Trust & Storage Co., 1414 F.—Advt.

Fined Twenty-Five Dollars.

Theodosia Carter, a young colored girl, was arrested yesterday by Policeman Lynch and taken to the tenth precinct sta-The girl, who is employed as a domestic by Mrs. Marie Mader, was charged with taking various articles of clothing. She denied taking the clothing in question, but her record in the Police Court was against her, and upon one charge Judge Kimball fined her \$25 and on the other she demanded a jury trial.

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PETITION FILED.

kins Under Habeas Corpus Writ. A petition for the writ of habeas corpus has been presented to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia in behalf of Charles Jenkins, The latter, it is alleged, was arrested September 19 last on the charge of carrying about his person a deadly and dangerous weapon, under section 855 of the District code. He was arraigned and and the family of four came here to live. The man obtained employment in a car-riage factory and lived on Missouri avenue. Upon reaching Baltimore the prisoner said he was not married to the woman who had tried September 22, at which time he was found guilty under each of two counts—
"carrying deadly weapons" and "carrying dangerous weapons," and adjudged to pay a fine of \$50 on each count, or, in the event of failure to pay the fines, to serve ninety days in the workhouse on each count. In behalf of the prisoner it is contended that the conviction under noth counts is void.

The petition was signed by Frederick Collins. It was presented to the court through Attorneys J. E. Collins and W. H. Green.

Chief Justice Clabaugh directed that the writ issue. It is returnable at 11 o'clock the morning of the 27th instant. tried September 22, at which time he was ived with him as his wife for fifteen years. There was a bogus marriage ceremony performed, he said, at the house of a friend, who kept a saloon. Mrs. Gittere No. 1 displayed the certificate and was deeply affected when she heard that her alleged marriage was a bogus affair. She had believed she was Gittere's legal wife, and said she would call his relatives to prove that they, too, believed they had been legally married.

Elk Grove Butter stands first in merit.

Launches Cared For.

Two launches, belonging to the United States coast survey service, No. 22 and an unnumbered one, are at Bennett's boatyard for care during the winter. The launches have been in service during the summer months with the parties of engineers from the coast survey who have been employed in mapping the Potomac and its tributaries on both sides, preparatory to the issuing of new charts. During the winter the launches Lee, the retiring president; Mr. Prindle, Mr. Farnham and Mr. Barnard, the presi-dent-elect. College stories and songs were will be repaired thoroughly, and will be made ready for active service as soon as the weather permits.

\$1.25 Baltimore and Return,

B. & O. R. R., Every Saturday and Sunday. Tickets good returning until Sunday night. "Hourly service" Saturday.—Advt.

Held for Grand Jury.

Harry E. Evans was arrested last night by Policeman Darnell and sent to the first precinct station on a charge of larceny. Oscar C. Hutchinson, who lives at 2406 14th street northwest, was down in the south-west section of the city and fell in with Evans, and it is alleged by the police that Evans took everything of value that the

Judge Kimball held Evans to await the action of the grand jury under \$1,000 bond. Small's Christmas Flowers.

Latest New York novelties; American beauty roses, violets, orchids. J. H. Small & Sons, florists, 14th and G. Washington; Waldorf-Astoria and 1153 Broadway, New York. dvertisement.

Gift Palms at Special Price.

Blackistone's, 14th & H, is offering hand-ome \$3 palms, with jardiniere, for only \$2.50. -Advertisement. Employment Agency Regulation. In a recommendation submitted to the Commissioners. Major Sylvester, chief of police, seeks to make it a misdemeanor in the District for any employment agency advertising for help, male or female, and receiving money in advance, to fail to return the money within forty-eight hours upon demand, in case of failure to provide a position for the applicant. The fine to be imposed is fixed by the chief of police at from \$10 to \$50. The prohibition of the employment agency from requiring applicants to sign a contract or agreement of

Major Sylvester's proposal has been re-ferred by Commissioner West to the corporation counsel for an opinion, that of Mr. Reginald Roberts in the part | Shuffle's Celebrated Darlington Butter of Rudolph, the part for Mr. Sheehan. -the best and most delicious butter for

any kind is also suggested in the proposi-

Xmas feasts. Order a 5-lb. box. 320 Center Mkt., B st. wing. 'Phone M. 3826.-Advt.

To Be Made General Prison It is stated that as soon as the new and larger guard house at the Fort Washington coast artillery station is completed the post will be made a general prison for violators of military laws in the Department of the East. Now, owing to the limited accommodations at the post, only men who have been sentenced to short terms of imprisonment, varying from one to six months, are confined at the fort. era, with Miss Rennyson, Mr. Sheehan and

> Branch Office, Vt. Ave. and I St. Advertisements are received at The Star's branch office, King's drug store, corner Vercont avenue and I street, at regular rates. No charge for messenger.

> Columbus Warren, colored, fifty years old, living at 1124 Linger's court, fell from a wngon near Pennsylvania avenue and 20th street this morning and broke his right leg. He was treated at the Emergency Hos-

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NOT LEGALLY MARRIED.

Sale of Furniture at Sloan's.

Lehigh Alumni Club Smoker.

The Lehigh University Alumni Club gave

smoker at the University Club last night,

ts first of the season. It was so successful

that the club decided to hold monthly

smokers during the winter and spring. The

third Thursday of each month was selected

as night of meeting. Impromptu speeches were made during the evening by Mr. Ralph

appreciatively received, and the Lehigh yell

lowing officers were elected: R. P. Barnard

president; S. S. Vorhees, vice president; W. J. Douglas, secretary and treasurer, Among

those present were Messrs. Keys, Lee, Barnard, Anderson, Freyhold, Watson, Mo-

hun, Prindle, Lewis, Vorhees, John, Farn-ham, Bailey, Goss, Perley, Phillips, Doug-

"Holiday Rates" via "Atlantic Coast

Line." For information call at 601 Pa. ave.

A false alarm of fire was sounded from box 414 about 7:30 o'clock last night. The

fire and police departments responded and now the police are looking for the individual who violated the law.

CITY ITEMS.

A \$100,000,000 Deficit.

It is estimated by experts that the govern-

ment deficit for 1905 will amount to \$100,-000,000. The demand for Nat. Cap. Brewing

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fillings, 20c, each, delivered, HOLMES' BAK-

ERY, 1st and E sts. 'Phones, E. 1440 & 1441.

A street car and buggy collided at the intersection of 2d and Canal streets south-

west yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock. T. E. Trazzere of 456 Pennsylvania avenue

northwest was thrown from the buggy, but was not injured. His horse ran away

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The fire department received a call from

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the Board of Dental Examiners of the Dis-

trict of Columbia will be held at the Dental Department of Georgetown University Jan.

4, 5 and 6, 1905. Applicants must file their applications on or before December 28, 1904. W. E. Dieffenderfer, M.D., D.D.S., Sec.

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Candy, 10c. and 12c.; Layer Raisins, 10c.; Clusters, 18c.; Seeded, 7½c.; Currants, 7½c.; Figs, 10c.; Dates, 7c.; Oranges, 20c. doz.; Fruit Cake, 12½c.; Pound Cake, 12½c.; Eggs, 25c.; Butter, 25c.; 6 lbs. Prunes, 25c.; 4 cans Tomatoes, 25c.; 7 lbs. Buckwheat, 25c.; Potatoes, 65c. bu.; Hams, 11c. lb. J. T. D. Pyles' 7 stores, including 948 La. ave. de20-5t

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and damaged the buggy.

was heard at frequent intervals.

Trio Under Charges. Allen Simms and Henry Bruce, colored, Claim of Man Charged With Bigamy in who live in the country, were prisoners in Baltimore. the Police Court this morning. Policeman William C. Gittere, who was arrested in this city yesterday and taken to Baltimore

Leavell testified that each defendant was armed with a revolver last night, and an to answer a charge of bigamy, as stated in additional charge of breaking glass on the yesterday's Star, was taken before Magisstreet was preferred against Simms. trate Grannan, but the case was not heard. "He deliberately smashed a whisky bottle

Two months ago Gittere was married to a on Pennsylvania avenue," was the statewidow in Baltimore. She had two children, ment of the policeman.

Two other witnesses gave similar testimony, but the defendant declared that he did not break the bottle. A fine of \$5 was imposed. Jury trials were demanded in the concealed weapon cases, and bond was fixed at \$100 for their appearance. It is alleged that the defendants had trouble with other men near 9th street and Pennsylvania avenue, and that they were armed. When the policeman approached them they tried to escape by getting in a wagon and driving

away.

Lizzie Fields, colored, was called by
Bruce after the latter had been arrested
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