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EXTRAORDINARY MEASURE

NINE PRISONERS, TWO OF THEM WOMEN, ARE ARRESTED FOR STEALING BOY ON NOVEMBER 29—THE BOY IS LOCATED AND RETURNED TO HIS HOME.

New York, Dec. 9.—Nine prisoners, two of them women, who were captured yesterday in Manhattan when 8-year-old Giuseppe Longo, kidnaped from his home on November 29 last, was recovered by detectives, were held in bonds of \$10,000 when arraigned before Magistrate Tighe in Brooklyn today.

Extraordinary precautions were taken to protect the prisoners from violence when they were brought before the magistrate. The doors of the court room were locked and a special detail of policemen guarded them.

Among the nine prisoners the police believe they have the leader of a band of desperate blackmailers which is believed to have kidnaped Michael Rizzo from his home in Brooklyn at the same time the Longo boy was stolen.

The police said the Rizzo boy would be restored to his parents by noon today, but up to that hour the father had received no word of his lad.

He said he had last heard from the kidnapers on Thanksgiving day when they telephoned him and demanded \$15,000 ransom.

The children's society has preferred a charge of "improper guardianship" and taken possession of Giuseppe on these grounds, because it was feared the parents of Giuseppe might change their minds about having him testify against the men who were holding him in captivity.

After Magistrate Tighe had heard testimony from the police he held the prisoners in \$10,000 each for an examination next Monday.

DAY ELECTRIC CURRENT TO START NEXT MONDAY

The Electric Light Company is to begin a day current on next Monday. This has long been needed in Washington and its installation will be a pleasure to all kinds of business. Mr. H. B. Charles, the new superintendent of the plant, is a hustler and under his administration this enterprise will doubtless go forward.

Fifteen

days to Xmas

Dec. 10

Don't Put Off Shopping Till Too Late

Her Handwriting.

Is your wife economizing? I think so. She now writes eight words on a page of letter-paper instead of only six—Washington Star.



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MUSIC MASTER MONDAY NIGHT

It may seem impossible to secure such a popular attraction for our Washington, the way we have managed to do it is to have, instead of the whole company, just one man, George Klerman, the impersonator.

Those who have seen him say that he portrays the story so as to bring to us the whole personality of the masterful Wainfield himself.

From the time he leaves his fame in his own country, and goes forth as an unknown music master, in search of his wife and child, his lack of selfishness is beautiful. Blending no one but himself for his sorrow, he endures all sorts of hardships with such cheerfulness and pathetic hopefulness that his audience really learn to love him.

When his daughter comes to him for lessons, he recognizes her, yet sees that she has wealth and position, which he cannot hope to give her, so hides his identity. His love will creep out and the scenes of her lesson are incomparable.

So on to the beautiful end of the story every line is fraught with human interest and full of such infinite tenderness and purity, that no one can listen without being spellbound.

There is no doubt of the play being entertaining. The question is which part of the play is most interesting.

Every citizen of Washington should avail themselves of this opportunity to see this play of not only national, but also world-wide popularity.

Tickets on sale at Hardy's drug store Monday, a. m., December 12. Reserved seats 50 cents; general admission 35c; children 25c.

INTERESTING NEWS

ITEMS FROM AURORA

The snow Sunday morning caused some to prepare for cold weather.

The farmers of this section will be in a better position to fight the meat trust next year than ever before.

Why not have a universal stock law and starve the stock thieves? We have no fence law all ready, and hurray! for keeping the roads by taxation, too. What is going with the roads the convicts worked?

Hog killing seems to be the order of the day.

What are they going to teach a teacher to teach next? There must be a limit somewhere.

Hurray! for those gentlemen that are going to give the people parcels post. Who are they?

Ice in the creeks made the boats late Saturday.

Mr. C. R. Candy has gone down the river to spend the week fishing.

Mr. Sylvester Hudnell of Aurora, came up to see his brother, Charles Saturday.

Opossum hunting seems to be the popular sport lately. We could almost supply President Taft with a banquet.

A barge is loading on lumber at Mr. Toher's mill.

Why did Mrs. Eddy believe she had pneumonia?

Fish seems to be very scarce this fall.

What kind of law was it we voted for May 26th, 1908? Anti-whiskey or anti-open saloons? It seems the latter is all we got anyway.

Mr. G. came down Sunday, but we reckon he won't come so often after Christmas.

LITTLE SNODE

Is improving.

The many friends of Dr. W. F. Small who was recently operated on at the Washington Hospital for strangulated intestine will be delighted to know that he is getting on nicely and is expected to be out again within the next few days.

Dr. Small is one of Washington's popular and efficient physicians.

ANOTHER BOY IS HONORED

Charles J. Moore of this city, the speedy center of the High school football team has been elected captain of the team for the year 1911.

Of him the Norfolk Virginian-Pilot has the following to say of him: Moore has played a consistently good game this season, and well deserves the honor his teammates have bestowed on him. The team did not lose a game this season, and the only time they were tied was when they went out of their class for a game, holding the William and Mary College team to a 5 to 5 score.

They hold the undisputed intrascholastic championship of the state for besides cleaning up the high schools in this section they defeated the Richmond Highs, 15-0.

He is the son of Mrs. J. B. Moore of this city and his many friends here rejoice at his good fortune. Washington boys always make good and our young friend is no exception.

IS CRITICALLY ILL AT HIS HOME IN AURORA

Mr. Bryan W. Miller one of Aurora's popular and esteemed citizens lies critically ill at his home near that town. On last Saturday his leg was amputated by Drs. A. K. Taylor and Thomas Potter for gangrene.

While the operation was successful today the reports from his bedside are not favorable for his recovery.

Dr. Taylor was sent for a few days ago to amputate the leg further up but on examination the physician stated that on account of the weakness of the patient he could not perform a second operation. His condition this morning is precarious and there is no hope entertained for his recovery.

Mr. Miller is not only the justice of the peace for Aurora but one of its energetic farmers as well as popular citizens. It is to be hoped that he will recover.

THIS ROBBER A SHYLOCK

Pollett, Ill., Dec. 9.—"Hold up your hands!" commanded a harsh voice, "and give me all you've got."

A revolver swung before Richard Womfoyle's face at 7 o'clock last night while he was on his way home in a dark road to Forest Park. His assailant had on a blood-red mask.

It was no time to flicker or parley; Wofogile handed over a package he carried. The bandit seized it with a gruff "thanks" and ran. Wofogile watched his supper a pound of beefsteak disappear in the darkness, and then went back to the market and bought another pound.

MR. J. T. CAMPBELL IS QUITE SICK

News reaches this city of the illness of Mr. J. T. Campbell at his home in Hunters Bridge, this county.

Mr. Campbell is the father of Mr. J. S. Campbell of this city. His friends wish him a speedy recovery to health.

TWO CASES OF SMALLPOX REPORTED AT EDWARD

Dr. W. H. Dixon, of Edward, this county, has reported to the county superintendent of health, Dr. P. A. Nicholson, two cases of smallpox at Edward, N. C. They are both white people.

A bill granting women the right to vote for city and communal officers has been favorably reported in the French Chamber of Deputies. The Paris suffragette is not demonstrative but she appears to have powers of persuasion.

They will never again try to carry an election in Great Britain by the shrieking "American dollars." Like the aristocracy, the proletariat takes very kindly to the idea.

THE NEW FENCE

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FIRE OF LAWYERS

Mrs. Glover's Home Life is Exposed at Trial.

THREATENED HUSBAND

STARTLING SECRETS OF GLOVER HOME EXPOSED IN COURT — MRS. GLOVER SAID THAT HER HUSBAND WAS NO GOOD AND WANTED TO GET HID OF HIM.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 9.—Instead of Hattie Leblanc being on trial for the murder of Clarence F. Glover, it appeared today as if Mrs. Lillian M. Glover, the dead man's widow, was the real defendant in the case.

Through the lips of relatives of the girl now on trial for her life startling secrets of the Glover home as it was constituted before the tragedy have already been revealed.

Further testimony of same character, detailing the alleged strife between Glover and his wife and the unhappy life that Hattie Leblanc led while a maid in that household was given today by Mrs. Irene Leblanc, shameshenceleC, coutst all Langley, the accused girl's elder sister.

Mrs. Langley testified that Mrs. Glover told her that her husband was "no good," and that she wanted to get rid of him, and that she said the day before the murder.

"He has had his dinner, but it is coming for his supper, but it is the last time I will get his supper."

Mrs. Langley testified that Hattie Leblanc told her that if she were convicted on account of Mrs. Glover she would kill herself.

"Hattie said if she was convicted on account of Mrs. Glover she would destroy herself," declared the accused girl's sister.

Lillian Leblanc, the fourteen-year-old sister of Hattie Leblanc, was called to the stand and gave startling testimony as to statements that Mrs. Glover had made derogatory to her husband shortly before he was killed.

DON'T

Give me your gold or silver for a Christmas present. I had rather have something better. Why couldn't you have thought to have had a nice photograph of yourself for me, you know that I like the looks of your profile, and then if I should have gotten lonesome at any time, I could look upon your likeness and just imagine you were here, and it would be such a consolation and then to know I would have this to keep all my days.

BAKER'S STUDIO

MRS. H. BONNER ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Herbert Bonner entertained the Bridge Club at her home corner of Second and Washington streets last evening from eight to twelve. The guest of honor was Mrs. F. E. Rleson of Wilson, N. C.

No social function of the season was more enjoyable and all present voted the hostess a vote of thanks. Delicious and tempting refreshments were served. Quite a number were present.

MR. A. F. GURGANUS NEW SUPERINTENDENT

Mr. A. F. Gurganus has been elected superintendent of the Christian Sunday school. He will fill the position with credit and ability and has the best wishes of the Daily News.

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BRYAN PRAISES CHAMP CLARK

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 9.—Today's issue of the Commoner contains an article by William J. Bryan in which he exults over the dethronement of Cannonism and bids the Democrats under the leadership of Champ Clark to go forth to battle for a change in house rules. Mr. Bryan says:

"However people may differ as to the elements which enter into the Democratic victory won at the polls on November 8, there can be no doubt that Cannonism was overwhelmingly repudiated.

"The Democrats ought not to hesitate to root out Cannonism and establish representative government in the national house of representatives."

Mr. Bryan says the speaker should be simply the presiding officer, not boss, and should not appoint committees, adding:

"Champ Clark is just the man to lead in the inauguration of this report."

Church Services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Mr. S. P. Willis, Superintendent.

Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "And We Indeed Justly."

Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject: "He Saved Others, Himself He Cannot Save."

Sunbeams Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Ladies Aid Society Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Prayermeeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Everyone welcome at all services.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Elder M. T. Lawrence of Hamilton, N. C., will preach at the Primitive Baptist church on Market St., Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to be present.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. R. H. Broom, pastor.

The new pastor will preach his first sermon tomorrow morning at 11 a. m. and also at night.

Sunday school meets at 3 o'clock. E. R. Mixon, superintendent; H. C. Carter, Jr., assistant superintendent.

All invited to attend any and all services. Good music.

Doubtless a large congregation will greet the new pastor. Seats free. Polite ushers.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Rev. Robt. V. Hope, pastor.

The eleven o'clock services will be held especially for the Auxiliary to Christian Womans' Board of Missions.

All ladies of the organization are urged to be present. All visitors are cordially welcomed.

The usual services at 7:30. Bible school, 3 p. m., A. F. Gurganus, superintendent.

Under the leadership of Bro. Gurganus, his school is striving to become a "Front Rank" school.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Morning and evening prayer with sermon celebrated by the rector, Rev. Nathaniel Harding, Sunday morning and evening.

Sunday School meets at 3 o'clock. E. K. Willis, Jr., superintendent. Good music. All cordially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH — Rev. H. B. Searight, pastor.

Rev. H. B. Searight will occupy his pulpit at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and evening.

The subject of morning discourse will be "The Beauty of Christ."

In the evening Mr. Searight will deliver the first of a series of lectures on Orissa in the Life of Christ.

The subject of this address will be The First Visit to Jerusalem. There will be special music in the evening, and a Christmas offering for Home Missions.

Sunday school will be at the usual hour.

Cotton Market.

Seed cotton 5.50
Lint cotton 14.25
Cotton seed per ton, 23.00

NEW PASTOR HAS ARRIVED

Rev. R. F. Broom the new pastor of the First Methodist church, this city, arrived here yesterday afternoon on the Norfolk Southern train from Elizabeth City where he has been for the past two years presiding elder of that district.

Mr. Broom is the guest today and tomorrow of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Buckman on Second street. He is a native of Monroe, N. C., and has been a member of the conference for the past 21 years. He has filled some of the most important appointments. He has a wife and four children.

On account of the building of a new parsonage the family of the new pastor will not come to Washington until later on in the year.

Mr. Broom will preach at the Methodist church tomorrow morning and evening for the first time and no doubt he will be greeted by large congregations.

A cordial welcome is his from his parishioners.

MRS. M. M. DIMMOCK HAS PASSED AWAY

The remains of the late Mrs. M. M. Dimmock arrived in the city this morning on the Norfolk Southern train from Greensboro and were interred in Oakdale cemetery this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The funeral was held from the First Presbyterian church this afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. H. B. Searight.

Mrs. Dimmock passed away in Greensboro on yesterday at the home of her niece, Mrs. Murray.

For years she was an honored citizen of Washington and ever in the forefront both in church and state work. She was a woman of means and the news of her death will carry sorrow to her many friends.

Mrs. Dimmock was a woman of fine intellect, and magnetic disposition. Her demise has cast a halo of sadness over the community.

Thus another one of Washington's best citizens has answered the roll call.

THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN LEAGUE

The meeting of the Young Men's Christian League Sunday afternoon promises to be more than interesting.

The speaker for the afternoon will be Mr. Frank C. Kugler. His subject will be one to interest and instruct. He is a platform speaker of magnetism and all who hear him tomorrow afternoon will be amply repaid. Good music is promised.

Everybody is cordially invited to be present and take part in the services.

NEW RESIDENCE PRACTICALLY COMPLETED

The residence of Mr. M. M. Jones, being erected on Market street, Nicholsonville, is practically completed. It is one of the attractive homes in Washington.

Mr. Jones and family expect to occupy it by the first of January, next.

CONCRETE SIDEWALK ON BRIDGE STREET

A concrete walk is being placed on Bridge street from Main to Second. This will work quite a convenience to the public school pupils as well as the teachers.

A man hates to accept excuses just as much as he loves to give them.

If brevity be the soul of wit, President Taft clearly is not witty.

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WASHING

Washing machine advertisement.