

"RUDE" ROBBER IS IDENTIFIED.

Calm Nerve of the Waldorf-Astoria Thief Puzzled the Police.

GRINNED AT DETECTIVES

As Thus He Spoke: "B'Gosh, I'll Make Somebody Jump Higher'n a Young Steer."

KNOWN TO PINKERTON MEN.

Detective Butler Says He Is J. H. Pearson, Who Was Arrested in Philadelphia in 1885.



The Waldorf Burglar.

The "Rude Robber," as the detectives call the man who was caught last night...

His characterization of himself as a "brave" showed him to be a humorist...

They took him down to Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday morning...

It appears that "John Scott" was not an unfamiliar figure about the Waldorf-Astoria...

As responsible was the appearance of the alleged "robber" that the Waldorf-Astoria...

ESCAPING GAS IN A SEWER EXPLODED.

Two Men Narrowly Escaped Death. Firemen Were Unable to Quench the Flames.

Two employees of the Union Gas Company of Brooklyn, narrowly escaped serious injury yesterday...

ESCAPED MURDERER SLAYS IN HUNGARY.

Stefanko, Who Got Out of Jail at New Brunswick, Is in a Rock Bound Dungeon.

George Stefanko, who murdered Steve Nagy in the woods near Perth Amboy...

FIREPROOF GREENBACKS.

Roll Containing \$550 Taken Intact from a Burned Building.

BATTLE WITH LAW BY TWO WOMEN.

Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Vermeule Will Know Their Fate This Week.

ARE CHUMS IN PRISON.

Both Are Making Clever and Game Fights Against the Penitentiary.

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Two women, whose life stories are intrinsically interesting, whose personalities are quite so, because both are young and pretty...

Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Sarah Strahan, of Atlanta, Ga., the former home of the prisoner, has been with her daughter more than a month...

STAMP COLLECTORS "RUN" ON POST OFFICE.

Long Line of Eager Philatelists Purchase Uncle Sam's Supply of "Discontinued" Stamps.

The sale of periodical and newspaper stamps, the use of which has been discontinued by the Government...

TORONTO PHYSICIAN SAID TO BE INSANE.

His Nurse Could Not Control Him, and He Was Sent to Bellevue for Observation.

Dr. Alexander T. Stewart, of Toronto, Can., was sent yesterday morning to the insane pavilion at Bellevue Hospital...

300 CHINAMEN RUSHED THROUGH THIS CITY.

Bound from Canada to Mexico, and No Chances Taken of Their "Dropping Off" Here.

Three hundred Chinamen passed through this city yesterday on their way to Mexico, where they will be employed as laborers on the Mexican Central Railroad.

TRIED TO STRANGLE HERSELF. A young woman claiming to be Rose Henry, of Astoria, jumped off the pier at Flushing Friday night...

FOUR DUMB WITNESSES TO THE MURDER OF A MAN AT MIDNIGHT.

An Undertaker Gagged and Killed in a Room with His Pet Dogs.

THEY GAVE NO OUTCRY.

A Monkey Also Saw the Tragedy, but if It Chattered No One Heard It.

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Henry Knaus, an undertaker, was murdered and robbed in the rear room of his business place, at No. 1350 Old Broadway, early yesterday morning.

Those who have investigated the crime are wondering how it was that the murderer was not torn to pieces by three dogs that were in the room...



Exterior View of the Undertaker's Shop Where the Murder Was Committed.

The basement door to the shop on Old Broadway was found locked on the inside after the murder.

Knaus's gold watch and had detached it from his vest's waistcoat for that purpose.

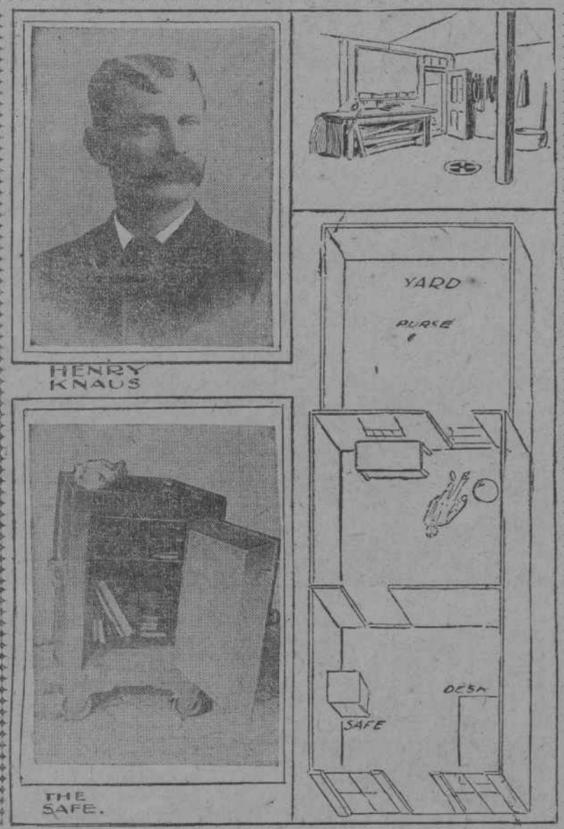
Other than the three dogs there was a small monkey, which occupied a cage placed high up on a table, where he could have a good view of the proceedings.

Singular Absence of All Noise.

Mrs. Knaus says that she did not hear her husband enter the house, nor did she hear him fall when he was struck.

Movements of the Negro Wetherford. Mrs. Walsh was at the bar in her husband's absence.

Was a Convivial Undertaker. Knaus is known all over the neighborhood as a "good fellow."



The Murdered Man and the Scene of the Tragedy.

The Maltese cross in the upper picture shows the spot where the body of Henry Knaus was found...

After he and Wetherford parted, as the negro says they did, in front of Walsh's saloon, the next thing Knaus was when his wife went downstairs to search for him.

Wife Took the Murder Calmly. Mrs. Knaus went calmly upstairs and told her brother, Charles Dempewolf...

Inspector Kane and Captain Steinkamp were called to the scene of the crime...

Public Mass Meeting to Help Senator Ford. Upper West Side People Will Appoint a Delegation to Go to Albany.

A public mass meeting will be held in Lenox Lyceum, Madison avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Edward Rod, the distinguished French novelist, will be expected to arrive in this city to-day on La Normandie...

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MECHANIC'S STRIKE CRAZY PRINCESS TO CK AT ALBANY. SAILS FOR AMERICA

Amsterdam Avenue Dealers Watching Closely the Four Track Bill.

THEIR BUSINESS STAKED

Unless the Companies Yield Part of the Street to Traffic There Will be None.

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The merchants of Amsterdam avenue demonstrate that this will practically exclude "carriage traffic" from the avenue...

No coachman is going to take spirited horses through this narrow street...

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Louise, Daughter of Belgian King, Is Coming to This Country.

WHAT WILL THE 400 DO?

She Continues to Contract Enormous Debts Which Her Royal Father Has to Pay.

ELOPED WITH AN OFFICER.

First She Married a Dissolute Noble man and Subsequently She Left Him for Lieutenant Matschich.



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Again comes the report that Princess Louise, of Belgium, wife of Prince Philipp, of Coburg, daughter of the King of Belgium, is coming to America...

The report comes from a reliable Belgian authority that the Princess has left Nice, having sailed for America...

The King of Belgium has contracted with the National Bank of Brussels for a loan equal to a quarter of a million dollars...

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