

OUNTY AND HOUSE ROUT TWO ROBBERS

Charles M. Jesup's Silver Twice Saved from Thieves, Once by Odd Midnight Alarm.

NEGRO "MAMMY" A WRESTLER

Threw Out Big Man Who Was Trying to Gain Entrance to Her Master's House.

But for the loyal vigilance of an old negro mammy and the noxious activity of a mob of burglars might have reaped a rich harvest from the stores of silver and jewelry in the home of Charles M. Jesup, No. 124 East Thirty-sixth street, early yesterday morning.

Charles M. Jesup is about to remove his manufacturing plant to Mount Vernon and will make his home there when the plant is completed. His residence in East Thirty-sixth street, a four-story, old-fashioned New York house of brown stone front, is in the market, but the servants are instructed to permit no one to inspect it without a card from the real estate agents, in whose hands it is for sale.

When two men asked the Jesups' maid, a negro, ten days ago for permission to go through the house they had no card from the agent, and after the maid had consulted Aunt Sylvia they were denied permission to enter. Immediately they went next door, No. 126 East Thirty-sixth street, and, saying they were city surveyors, were allowed to go into the back yard.

To "aint goin' thro' yere, Mister Man, 'til I see red hair," said Aunt Sylvia, grasping like a trained wrestler. She pitched him out in the yard and slammed the door after him. He and his companion had to climb back over the fence. They are believed to be the burglars.

When Mrs. Jesup retired Tuesday night to the front room, Aunt Sylvia, who was a fortune in silverware, much of it antique, and which has been in the Jesup family for generations, on the first floor, and a great deal of valuable jewelry was in the drawers of the furniture in her room.

There was also a very active mouse in the bureau. He scurried and gnawed in the stillness of the night and made Mrs. Jesup so nervous that she could not go to sleep. At one o'clock she heard her son enter the house and called him. Young Jesup pulled out all the bureau drawers and shook the bureau until it seemed that the mouse must have fled. Then he went to bed in an upper floor.

But the mouse began again, scratching with its feet as it scurried about, and gnawing the wood. Mrs. Jesup got up, took her pillows and coverlets and went to an unoccupied bed in the rear room on the second floor. She was just falling asleep when she saw through the transom in the passage way between the front and rear rooms a light in the room below. She just left. Then she heard some one moving about.

CAUGHT CARRYING OFF DR. LAVINDER'S BAG

Man Who Made Off with Instrument Case in Grand Central Station Is Arrested.

Dr. Charles H. Lavinder, of the Marine Hospital Service, at Stapleton, S. I., was in the waiting room of the Grand Central Station yesterday afternoon when his wife and friends who had gathered to see them off for the West. As he walked toward the train she turned his back on a bag he had placed on the floor and which contained instruments and a case of medicine.

As he did so two men stooped near the bag, shook hands, and with mutual good-wishes, one picked up the bag and strode off, while the other sauntered away in an opposite direction. Detectives Leary and Young saw them.

Leary followed the man with the bag, arrested him at the door and brought him back to Dr. Lavinder, who identified the man. The man said he was Edward Sutton, of No. 21 West Forty-third street. The man whom Detective Young followed escaped.

GIRL CATCHES THIEF.

He Steals Coat and Furs After Having Received Alms.

James Brown, a tramp, was arraigned in Yorkville Court yesterday, charged with having stolen a coat and some furs belonging to stenographers in the Church Temperance Society, at No. 21 Fourth avenue, where he had obtained a meal ticket.

RING STOLEN IN CHURCH.

Gem Was Suspended from Neck of a Holy Statue in St. John's Church.

Slovak thieves entered St. John's Catholic Church in Seventy-second street, near Third avenue, on Tuesday afternoon and stole a diamond ring, which was suspended from the neck of one of the holy statues.

Father Prout said that the ring had been hung on the figure at the request of the sister, despite his opinion that it was unsafe.

Wants Court to Get His Watch.

Magistrate Brown, in West Side Police Court, yesterday, received a letter from W. Everett Morris, of Long Branch, N. J., in which he states that while a passenger on a westbound Forty-second street car, on March 17, he was robbed of a gold watch and chain. He states he believes his property is in a pawn shop near Forty-second street, and if you look up this kind of business I will be pleased to hear from you.

Will Be Examined on Theft Charge.

On a charge of stealing a \$20 gold watch from Thomas McGuire, a real estate agent, of No. 148 Eckford street, Brooklyn, in a saloon at Twenty-third street and Thirtieth avenue, last Sunday, Thomas Booth and John J. Conroy were held in \$1,000 bail each for examination to-morrow by Magistrate Barlow, in Jefferson Market Court yesterday.

Four Held as Pickpockets.

On a charge of suspicion of picking William Brandt's pocket of \$100 yesterday on a Delancey street car, Henry Gordon, twenty-three years old, of No. 33 East Thirtieth street, Edward Lynch, twenty-four, No. 218 East 17th street, James Murray, twenty-four, of No. 211 East Twelfth street, and Hyman Rosenfeld, twenty-two, No. 32 Ridge street, were arraigned in the Essex Market Court yesterday and held in \$1,000 bail for examination to-day.

COUNT AND COUNTESS WHOSE SON DISAPPEARED



Mrs. Gyula de Festetics.

NO PAPERS SERVED, ASSERTS COUNTESS

Wife of Count Gyula de Festetics Not Agitated Over the Disappearance of Son Dwight.

NO ACTION CONTEMPLATED

Legal Proceedings Will Be Ignored by Comtesse, Who Expects Her Son To Be Returned.

Countess Elsie H. de Festetics, wife of Count Gyula de Festetics, of a noble Austrian family, who on Tuesday failed to return his nine-year-old son, Dwight L. H. de Festetics, to the care of his mother, at her apartment, No. 214 West Eighty-second street, and thereby caused a sensation, dispelled much of the mystery of the alleged abduction yesterday.

Dwight L. H. de Festetics was taken by his father on an excursion, as had been his father's custom since he and his wife separated. As customary, Count de Festetics did not return the boy to his home. He has not since been heard from, but the Countess declared yesterday through her daughter, Elsie C. H. de Festetics, that she had been served with no papers in an action brought by her husband for the possession of her son, nor did she expect to be. She said Dwight would undoubtedly come home.

There has been more or less legal application about the troubles of the Austrian nobleman and his family, but there is nothing on record to show that an order was issued about the Countess for her to show cause why the custody of Dwight L. H. de Festetics should not be turned over to his father.

Countess de Festetics occupies a modest flat in West Eighty-second street. It was said yesterday that she was too ill to be able to explain. She said: "The report that we have employed private detectives with a view to locating Dwight is not true. He went away with his father on Tuesday, as was customary. When he did not return there was no unusual alarm. The report that papers have been served is not true. We have nothing to say. My brother did suffer a severe illness, but he is all right at present. A great deal of talk has been made about a subject that does not interest the general public."

Count de Festetics is said to have taken his son to the home of a friend in Greenwich. He was not seen for some time, but he is in the city, and his great flowing side whiskers, is always a conspicuous figure.

BOARDER SHOTS LANDLADY.

Refuses to Leave When Ordered to Do So and Fires Five Shots at Woman.

Mrs. Mary Repp, who keeps a boarding house at No. 324 Second avenue, was shot four times yesterday by Pedro Laprine, a cabinet maker, and one of her boarders, who is in Bellevue Hospital in a critical condition.

Mrs. Repp had asked Laprine to leave her house, because he had caused her trouble. This he refused to do and the police were sent for, but they said they had no right to put the man out. He refused to leave the house all day, and when Mrs. Repp again asked him to leave he fired five shots at her. He fled, but was caught and locked up.

The European Edition of the Herald.

In addition to its full cable service daily, publishes supplements with the arrival of every mail, containing an epitome of the news from all parts of the Union.

Mrs. C. T. Jennings Accuses Maid.

Mrs. C. T. Jennings, of No. 106 West Sixty-fourth street, whose husband is a member of the Stock Exchange, appeared as complainant in West Side Court yesterday against her maid, Alice White, whom she accused of stealing a \$300 pair of diamond earrings from Mrs. Edna Patterson, who was Mrs. Jennings' guest. The case was put over until to-day.

Caught in Woman's Wardrobe.

On the complaint of Mrs. Sabina Schrader, of No. 672 Stebbins avenue, who said she found him trying to hide in a wardrobe in her bedroom, Edward Ryan, alias Joseph Green, thirty-four years old, was held in \$1,000 bail for trial on the charge of attempted burglary, by Magistrate Whitman, in the Morrisania Police Court, yesterday.

Boys Held as Horse Thieves.

Thomas O'Brien, seventeen years of age, of No. 17 Pitt street, and Thomas Hession, twenty-five, of No. 29 Wyckoff street, Brooklyn, were held in \$1,000 each in Tombs Police Court, yesterday, on suspicion of being ring-leaders of a band of youths that has been stealing ungarled teams in Park row in the early mornings.

Youths Held as Burglars.

John Meagin, aged nineteen, and William Davis, seventeen, charged with robbing the home of James Kayser, of No. 72 West Eighty-ninth street, of \$50 in clothing and jewelry, were held by Magistrate Brown, in West Side Court yesterday in \$1,500 bail each for further examination to-day.

TUG SAVES YACHT AND NINE MEN

Captain John Sablich, of the Swatara, Makes Perilous Rescue Off Delaware Breakwater.

SAW THE MASCOTTE'S FLAG

Small Pleasure Craft Going South for Sponge Fishing Almost Founders in Gale Which Stripped Her Bare.

COULDN'T TELL DIFFERENCE

Declares Accused Man Acted as Though He Had Been Drugged and Not Intoxicated.

FIND GLOVE IN WRECKAGE

Three Bodies Already Swept Ashore from the Schooner Lady Antrim.

WHISKS OFF GOLDFARB'S SINS

Real Estate Dealer's Experience with "Doctor's" Silver Handled Broom Costs Him \$150.

ADRIFF IN A BLIZZARD.

Abandoned Schooner's Crew Were Three Days in a Jolly Boat.

THREE LOST IN ATLANTIC STORM

Dory of the Fishing Schooner Etta Mildred, Hidden by Mist, Not Seen Again.

Whisked Off His Sins.

"He told me," said Goldfarb, "that I had a whole lot of sins and that I should get a brush and he would sweep up the sins; then, when I was cleaned, he would treat me as a physician. I went and got a silver handled whiskbroom for \$5, but it has cost me about \$150. He used to brush me with it often."

Gales Cause Widespread Damage on Newfoundland Coast.

St. John's, N. F., Wednesday.—An equinoctial gale raged last night and to-day over the whole coast, causing widespread damage. Shipping reports from various centres show that several vessels have been wrecked and wharves and other structures property destroyed. Two vessels, the Scintilla and the Rover, are missing, and it is feared that both have foundered with their crews.

Held for Cruelty to Horse.

Nathan Machin, twenty-five years old, a driver, of No. 302 Cherry street, and Michael Kleinert, of No. 60 Rivington street, were held in \$500 bail each yesterday on the complaint of Dr. Glibo, Jr., of No. 11 East Eleventh street, on a charge of ill treating a horse. Glibo noticed that the animal Machin was driving had sores on its mouth and legs and he had Machin arrested. Kleinert owns the horse.

FED THE MAJOR ON 'FAKE' WHISKEY

Bartender Testifies to Giving Harmless Mixture to Army Officer Now Before Court Martial.

COULDN'T TELL DIFFERENCE

Declares Accused Man Acted as Though He Had Been Drugged and Not Intoxicated.

DRY GOODS, & C.

Several witnesses brought from Syracuse for the prosecution gave testimony yesterday at the trial by court martial of Major David Price, Artillery Corps, in the Army Building. Major Price is charged with conduct unbecoming an officer, intoxication and a violation of a pledge of total abstinence.

Charles Pryor, night clerk and bartender in the Mansion House, at Syracuse, testified that he saw Major Price at the Mansion House about the middle of February, when he served him and two travelling salesmen with two rounds of drinks. Major Price, he said, had the appearance of being dozy.

Major Price and the salesmen left the hotel after having the drinks, but the witness could not say whether the defendant went to the Yates Hotel, where he was a patron.

Joseph Kelly, a bell boy in the Yates Hotel, said the Major wanted something to put him to sleep. He went out and got some powders and gave them to the Major.

"What was his condition as to sobriety?" "He walked all right, but he looked as if he was under the influence of some drug. His eyes kept rolling about and he kept talking to himself."

Martin Lennan, a bartender in a Syracuse saloon, said he had seen Major Price in the saloon on several occasions, and that he always appeared dozy. He was always served with a combination mixture out of a special bottle, consisting of ginger ale and Jamaica ginger. Lennan said it was prepared in the saloon.

"Was not whiskey also sold in the saloon?" "No, whiskey was not sold in the saloon," said the witness.

"Why, certainly," said the witness. "We had all brands of whiskey which we could sell. When a man came in looking dozy we would hand him out the false whiskey bottle, containing the ginger ale and Jamaica ginger. If he made a howl we would hand him out the real stuff. If he didn't say anything we didn't argue with him."

"How do you know that Major Price was dozy and not under the influence of liquor?" "I have seen a great many dope fiends and could easily tell."

"Do you know whether or not Major Price's action was produced by drinking but whiskey?" "Well, I don't think so. He generally sat at a table and looked dozy. He never said anything to anybody."

Captain A. Z. Bawley, Artillery Corps, who served under the accused, testified that he found Major Price at Yates Hotel on February 18 and he appeared to be either under the influence of liquor or drugs, or probably both.

Policeman John Fleming testified as to the arrest of Major Price. He said he was the accused when brought to Police Headquarters.

"Do you know what charge was preferred against him?" "I do not," said the witness.

"Did he appear to be intoxicated?" "No, he did not appear to be intoxicated."

"Do you know if he was arrested on the complaint of a woman?" "A woman came to Police Headquarters when he was brought there."

It is said the defence will try to prove that Major Price was drugged, which prevented him from making his inspections. The case will be continued to-day.

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Saucepans, 7-qt., 40c.
Roasting Pans, 16-in., 40c.
Dish Pans, 14-qt., 40c.
Rice Boilers, 3-pt. size, 48c.
Tea Kettles, 7-qt., 75c.
Pudding Pans, 7-qt., 21c.
Bread Raisers, 14-qt., 90c.
Lipped Saucepans, 2-qt., 10c.
Colanders, 11-in., 21c.
Pie Plates, 11-in., 8c.
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