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CRIPPEN READY TO RETURN

Murder Suspect Will Make No Trouble.

REMAINED FOR 15 DAYS

Ethel Leneve is too ill to appear in court, and was sent to a hospital—relatives urge her to tell all.

Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, who, with Ethel Clara Leneve, was arrested on the steamer Montrose, announced in Quebec, Canada, that he would not resist extradition to England to stand trial for the murder of a woman, believed to be the missing wife, Belle Moore.

Crippen was remanded for fifteen days. At the expiration of that time he will be sent back to England, unless in the meantime he decides to fight extradition.

Crippen's companion in flight was to have been arraigned, but her custodians reported to the court that she was too ill to appear.

The authorities are confident that the woman will give no more trouble than Crippen promises to, and that as soon as the fifteen days of grace provided by the extradition laws of Canada have expired both prisoners can be returned to London without any hitch.

When Crippen and the girl were arrested on board the incoming steamer Montrose they were charged with an identical crime, the murder and mutilation of an unknown woman. It had been expected that both would be arraigned at once, and deported upon the steamer Royal George, that will sail for England Thursday. However, Dew, the Scotland Yard inspector, received instructions which changed the program.

The English officials do not wish anything done that would give the appearance of "railroading" the prisoners. They wish the formalities of extradition followed to the letter, so that the prisoners shall not escape through any technicalities of the law.

Clara Leneve was transferred from the Provincial jail to a hospital. The girl scarcely has been able to stand since her collapse, when she was taken into custody. Her condition has excited much sympathy, and the jail keepers suggested to the court that she be sent to a hospital, where she could receive medical attention, of which she is plainly in need.

The court granted the request, and went further in making known its intention to send an official to the hospital to take her answers to the same formal question that were asked of Crippen in open court. This will spare the woman the shock of appearing in court, and under the circumstances it is deemed advisable not to aggravate the strain under which she is already suffering.

The girl's family in London appears to be doing all in their power to aid her and at the same time to promote the cause of justice. During the day she received three cablegrams from her relatives. One of these messages urged her to tell everything and another besought her to remember her own family, not matter how great might be her love for Crippen.

Dr. Hawley H. Crippen and his typist, Ethel Clara Leneve, attired in boy's clothes, were arrested by Canadian police on board the liner Montrose off Father Point, Quebec, being charged with the murder of the physician's wife, Belle Elmore Crip-

DR. HAWLEY H. CRIPPEN.

Alleged Murderer and Map of Ocean Pursuit.



pen, the flesh of whose body was found buried in quicklime in the cellar of their London home.

Dr. Crippen took his arrest quietly. "I am the man," he said, when approached by Chief McCarthy and Chief Dennis, of the Dominion police, and being pointed out as the fugitive by Inspector Dew, of Scotland Yard.

Miss Leneve was found in her stateroom, dressed as a boy and badly frightened. She collapsed utterly when placed under arrest. Becoming hysterical, she was given in charge of a physician, who will remain at her bedside.

It is reported that Dr. Crippen admitted knowledge of his wife's tragic death, but how far his confession went is not disclosed.

Miss Leneve denied having any connection with the crime. A quantity of jewelry was found in her stateroom. Belle Elmore owned many diamonds, which were not found in the London home.

The arrest was made in full view of Dr. Crippen's fellow passengers. He made no resistance.

Dr. Crippen, attired in a great coat, was on deck. Inspector Dew recognized him, and at a nod the officers placed him under arrest.

They then proceeded to Miss Leneve's cabin, where she was found attired in boy's clothes. She also was taken into custody.

Immediately a simple signal, previously arranged, was sent out by wireless from the Montrose, and in a few seconds the wireless was carrying the news of the arrest to all parts of the United States and Canada and over the seas to England, where the outcome of Inspector Dew's trip was awaited with the greatest anxiety.

Highest Cathedral Tower.
The highest cathedral tower in the world is that of Ulm, in Austria. It is taller than the Washington monument and the pyramid of Khufu, at Gizeh. The Eiffel tower is the only modern construction which surpasses it in height.

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14 BURNED BY VITRIOL

Wagon Upset and Children Were Covered With Acid.

TWO DIE OF INJURIES

Ten Children Fearfully Injured, and Men Who Tried to Rescue Them Also Badly Hurt.

Fourteen persons, ten children and four men, were terribly burned by vitriol through the upsetting of a supply wagon of the bureau of fire at Eighteenth street and Ridge avenue, Philadelphia. One of the men, Richard Grear, of 826 North Hutchinson street, a fireman, and all of the children were riding on the wagon when the accident took place. The three others were burned in their efforts at rescue.

Of the injured children, two died at St. Joseph's hospital, where all fourteen persons were taken. It is probable that all will be marked for life by the terrible burns inflicted upon them.

The dead are Catherine Daniels, nine years old, and Raymond Dager, seven years old.

Three of the injured are men who went to the rescue of the children, and were painfully burned about the hands, arms and feet.

Grear is the father of five of the children, whom he had allowed to ride with him while delivering supplies of the chemical to the various engine houses. It was spilled over the children when the wheel came off the wagon and sent children and carboys and vitriol into the street together.

Grear left the supply house with his wagon loaded up with four ten-gallon glass carboys, eight five-gallon cans and a barrel of the chemical. On his way uptown to distribute it among the engine houses of the northwestern section of the city he stopped at his home.

Children of the neighborhood, including his five daughters, besought Grear to take them for a ride on his wagon, and, although it is forbidden by the rules of the bureau to allow any person but the driver on the wagon, he consented.

Accordingly the ten children clambered aboard and sat wherever they could find room. Young Raymond Dager sat on the barrel and others on the wooden castings of the carboys or on the floor of the wagon.

As the wagon crossed Eighteenth street the wheels became locked in the grooved trolley tracks. Grear turned the horse sharply to pull off the track, and the rear axle broke. The wagon dropped with a crash and then rolled over on its side. The shock broke the glass carboys and knocked the plug from the barrel, so that the fiery liquid poured out in a flood.

Raymond Dager was thrown from his perch on the barrel and spurt after spurt of the acid spouted from the open bung hole all over his head and body. It was in this manner that he suffered the burns which caused his death.

The contents of the carboys quickly flooded the wagon, and there was no escape for the huddled children, whose screams of agony aroused the neighborhood and could be heard for blocks. Grear was hurled backward from his seat by the shock of the wreck and directly into the whirling pool of acid. Blinded by the fluid and crazed by their pain, neither he nor the children seemed able to get away by leaping from the wagon.

DOG FINDS 3 BOYS' BODIES IN SAND PILE

Smothered by Cave-in While at Play.

Three little boys who had been searched for high and low since they were missed from their homes on Madison street, in Brooklyn, Monday, were found dead in a nearby vacant lot, where a sand embankment had fallen upon them while they were at play.

The presence of the bodies in the sand pile was discovered by a dog playing with his boy master in the lot. The dog gave the alarm, and policemen and firemen dug the crushed forms from the sand.

It is supposed the boys had been attempting to tunnel the sand pile, and that it had caved in upon them. The dead children were Alfred Sohn, 9 years old; his brother, John, 6, and Harold Vechas, 9.

NAMES BERRY FOR GOVERNOR

Keystone Party Nominates a State Ticket.

PLATFORM RAPS BOSSES

Short Ballot and Revision of Charitable System Among Other Things Advocated—Convention Was Stormy.

William H. Berry, of Chester, former state treasurer, swept the convention of the new Keystone (third) party in Philadelphia and landed the gubernatorial nomination by a lead of 50 votes over his nearest competitor.

The first ballot showed a total of 96 votes for Berry, 46 for Rudolph Blankenburg, of Philadelphia, and 22 for George W. Guthrie, former mayor of Pittsburg. There were 177 delegates present, representing 51 counties.

D. Clarence Gibboney was nominated for lieutenant governor; John J. Casey, of Wilkes-Barre, for secretary of internal affairs, and Cornelius D. Scully, of Pittsburg, for state treasurer.

Mr. Berry later appeared before the convention, and after a ten-minute outburst of enthusiasm had subsided promised the delegates to stump the state from end to end, thanked them for the honor they had conferred upon him and predicted that the end of bossism had come in Pennsylvania.

The session, which was held in Witherpoon hall, Juniper and Walnut streets, lasted from early in the morning until late at night. From the first tap of the gavel, when John O. Sheatz, former state treasurer and chairman of the temporary executive committee of the new party, called the delegates to order until the final motion to adjourn, the convention hall was a continuous scene of stress and turmoil. Factions without number fought valiantly for their own individual interests, and several times the arguments became so heated and personal that only the cool headedness of a few of the leaders saved the assemblage from a stampede.

Roosevelt vs. Bryan.

The most serious clash came late in the afternoon, when Frank M. Ritter, of this city, introduced a resolution endorsing Theodore Roosevelt. There was immediately a division of the delegates along party lines, and there were shouts from all corners of the room of "Why not Bryan also?"

Several delegates wanted to speak at the same time, and the pounding of the gavel was lost in the uproar. Finally Henry C. Niles, of York, chairman, succeeded in preventing open hostilities, and the resolution was laid on the table amid the hisses and jeers directed at Mr. Ritter.

The platform, in brief, is as follows: Vigorous denunciation of the Republican and Democratic state tickets. Condemnation of "boss rule," and assertion that both old party tickets and platforms were "dictated by the same authority" and both made in the interests of the liquor business.

Abolition of party square and adoption of short ballot. Civil service laws to apply to every employe in the purely administrative service of the public.

Local option to govern the sale of intoxicating liquor.

Standardization of the public school system.

Election of United States senators by popular vote.

Revision of the tax laws and enactment of laws to prevent evasion of taxes.

Creation of a public service commission.

Simplification of city governments and right of recall to affect municipal officers.

Regulation and improvement of the minor judiciary, including administration only by men learned in the law.

Just and liberal appropriations for charitable purposes, but careful revision of the system and regulation of appropriations to private charities.

Better labor laws, including improved employers' liability laws.

Broke Neck Wrestling.

Harry Coleman broke his cousin's neck in a wrestling bout and is in jail at Pittsburg, awaiting a hearing on a formal charge of murder. The cousin, Joseph Smith, died, after lying unconscious for ten days.

The two are said to have been fast friends, but always disputing each other's prowess. It is expected that Coleman will be released after a hearing.

102 Cases of Ptomaine Poisoning.

Twenty-two new cases of ptomaine poisoning were reported to the board of health at Joplin, Mo., making the total number reported in the last seven days 102. Two deaths have resulted and several victims are in a critical condition.

WILLIAM H. BERRY.

Nominated For Governor on the Keystone Ticket.

HARDING NAMED FOR GOVERNOR OF OHIO.

The Republican nominee for governor of Ohio is Warren G. Harding, of Marion, once lieutenant governor.

Despite the strenuous efforts made by Senator Burton's Cuyahoga county delegation to stampede the convention at Columbus by Nicholas Longworth, and George B. Cox's every effort in behalf of Judge O. B. Brown, of Dayton, a combination of the "progressives" with the national administration men, broke up the fight on the third ballot.

Then Cox, yielding to the inevitable, cast the ninety-one Hamilton votes for Harding, and that finished it.

The continuation of the roll call was a joke. The withdrawal of James R. Garfield and Carmi A. Thompson before the beginning of the vote brought about a Garfield-administration combination that twenty-four hours before would have seemed to the delegates impossible. All the Garfield votes, outside the Cuyahoga delegation and a few that clung to the undeveloped candidacy of the former secretary of the interior, were cast for Harding.

The final vote was: Harding, 746; Brown, 220, and Longworth, 195. Joseph B. Foraker and numerous other recipients of surprise ballots, who had divided the scattering vote, were reduced to five votes between them. The nomination of the Marion editor was made unanimous.

Lieutenant Governor Francis W. Treadwell was renominated by acclamation.

For state treasurer, Rudy A. Archer, of Belmont county, defeated Richard Gilson, of Steubenville, by a vote of 628 to 438.

U. G. Denman, of Toledo, was nominated for attorney general by acclamation.

The defeat of Cox and the unequalled endorsement of the administration are regarded as a signal victory for Mr. Taft in his own state, and as opening a more hopeful prospect of beating Harmon, the Democratic governor, who is conceded by the Republicans to be a formidable opponent.

A Thoughtful Mover.

"Take this sofa on the first load and leave it on the sidewalk."

"What for?"

"So that any of our neighbors who wish to watch us move in may have comfortable seats."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

TRUTH.

Truth is so estimable a quality that it will not permit of any tampering. Like a mirror, to breathe upon it with cold falsehood only makes it reflect a dim image of its purity. An untruthful man is a man always to be feared.

State Library KILLS DOUBT AND SELF ON EVE OF WEDDING

Woman Shoots Physician and Commits Suicide.

Dr. George Murray Stuart, one of the most prominent young physicians of the fashionable East Liberty district in Pittsburg, was found shot dead in his apartments at 5604 Penn avenue.

Beside him lay the body of Edna Wallace, a middle aged woman. A shot through her right temple was apparently self inflicted, after she had shot and killed the doctor. A revolver lying by the woman's side strengthens the police in this theory.

The double killing occurred almost on the eve of Dr. Stuart's marriage to a Virginia society woman.

Edna Wallace was the proprietress of a resort at 222 Lambert street, and the police believe that jealousy of the doctor's approaching marriage prompted the double tragedy. The marriage was to take place August 10. The woman's body was removed to the morgue and that of the young physician was turned over to an undertaker.

Both bodies were found in bed. The police believe the shooting occurred late Sunday night or early Monday morning.

The discovery of the bodies was made by Dr. George W. Ely, a friend of the dead man, who, becoming alarmed at Dr. Stuart's absence, broke into his apartments.

MULE WRECKS MOTOR CYCLE

Kicked Machine and Riders Over a Steep Bank.

Clyde Jenness took his sweetheart for a ride on a motor cycle at Logansport, Ind., on Tuesday, and seeing a mule standing in the road, let in the gasoline and opened wide the exhaust. "Watch him run," he said, but when the mule did not run Jenness turned to pass the animal, fearing a collision. Just as he was opposite the mule, it let fly with both feet, striking the motor cycle amidships and hurling the riders over a steep bank. The machine was broken to pieces and the riders were badly injured.

TAFT AND T. R. TO MEET

Said to Have Accepted Invitation to Visit Lloyd C. Griscom.

The Post says that President Taft and Colonel Theodore Roosevelt have accepted invitations to meet at the summer home of former ambassador Lloyd C. Griscom at Black Rock, near Bridgeport, Conn.

The exact time of meeting is not known, nor whether there will be others of prominence in the party.

Found Missing Boy in Hospital.

Hollis Wyman, seventeen years old, a son of the Rev. W. T. Weyman, of Cherry Valley, Mass., who mysteriously disappeared Monday from the home of W. D. Starr, near Pennington, N. J., was located at St. Francis' hospital, Trenton. The lad was registered under the assumed name of Charles Baker. He is seriously ill.

Crane Picks Out Man's Eye.

While he was holding a crane which had been slightly wounded at Carrol town, Va., Joseph Warden, age 23, was unable to dodge its beak, and the bird pecked out his left eye. Because of sympathetic nerve trouble it is believed he may lose the other eye.

Cured Indigestion by Fast!

After fasting for twenty-one days to cure indigestion, H. S. merchant, of Catawissa, near Barre, Pa., considered him and started to eat again.

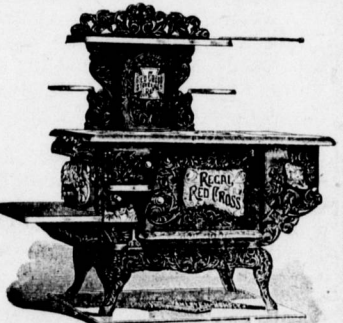
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