

THE GIRL LOVED BEAUTIFUL THINGS

And This Love of Beauty Caused
The Downfall of Dolores
Peters

STOLE VALUABLE OBJECTS.

Woman from Whom Taken Will Not
Prosecute—"My Object is to Keep
Girls Out of Prison."

New York, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Mary R. Wright, widow of J. Hood Wright, founder of the hospital bearing his name, last night recovered gems, jewelry, lace, bric-a-brac and other valuables worth \$5,000, taken from her home, No. 715 Fifth avenue, before last May. Only very few of the articles had been missed.

To learn that she had been robbed was a very great surprise to Mrs. Wright, but not more so than when she discovered from detectives that Miss Dolores Peters, 20 years old, formerly a governess of the Wright home, was under arrest, charged with the robbery.

Miss Peters' arrest was the result of her report a week ago that she had lost a diamond ring. Detectives sent to question her, found the girl living in a small furnished room, but surrounded with a multitude of objects of great value.

Upon an umbrella with a gem studded handle, they noticed initials "M. R. Wright," and identified the initials as those of Mrs. Wright. Then, taking a photograph of Miss Peters, they went to see Mrs. Wright.

Mrs. Wright remembered having lost the gemmed umbrella, and was amazed when told that Miss Peters had it. Visiting the room of the young woman, she identified many articles as her own.

When confronted by Mrs. Wright, Miss Peters faintly and was revived by her former employer, who declared she would not prosecute the young woman.

"My object is to keep girls out of prison and not to send them there," said Mrs. Wright. She said the girl had borne an irreproachable record, and was a highly accomplished in music and languages.

"It was so beautiful that I could not bear to have it," is part of the confession attributed to Miss Peters. The selection made substantiated her claim to love of the rare and beautiful as her temptation, for she had taken only very remarkable gems, lace or pieces of bric-a-brac. Among the former is a freak gem, a composite of diamond, emerald and amethyst, which is valued at \$600.

WEALTHY MAN POSSIBLE VICTIM OF KNOCKOUT DROPS

New York, Dec. 19.—A man, believed to be Burton Mansfield, about 60 years old, living at 161 Bedford street, Brooklyn, and doing business as an importer at 23 East One Hundred and Fortieth street, Manhattan, was taken to Bellevue hospital early today, suffering from a badly fractured skull, and was dressed, wore diamonds and other jewelry, and had \$1,500 in his pockets. The police say that the man visited the Union Square hotel and was later found unconscious on the walk by a citizen. They arrested Carl Firdank, a porter of the hotel.

The hospital officials said that Mansfield could hardly recover. He showed no signs of having been drinking, but they were not sure that he had not been a victim of knockout drops. Owing to the patient's weakened condition it was said an operation would not be attempted until later in the day.

The porter, Firdank, told the police that a cab early this morning with Mansfield in it, drove up to the hotel. The cabman asked him to assist Mansfield into the hotel, explaining that his fare had said he lived there. The porter says he did so, and once in the hallway, the cabman under pretense of stopping his horse, which he said was walking away, ran out and disappeared. A bell boy told the porter that Mansfield was unknown at the hotel, and then the porter said he took Mansfield out again in the street. Shortly afterward he saw Mansfield fall.

Detectives and the police are working on the theory that Mansfield was assaulted before he was placed in the cab.

Night Manager Dankberg, of the Union Square hotel, said:

"This man was brought here in a cab about half-past 12 o'clock. The cabman said he got him at the Hotel Manhattan. The cabman escorted him alone to the door of the hotel. Then Porter Firdank went out, and so did a bell boy. Both said the man did not live in here. Then they called me and I also failed to recognize him. 'Take me back to the Manhattan, then,' the man said to the cabman. He appeared to have been drugged. He was standing unsteadily against a pillar when he fell over backward. Then I called a policeman and he called an ambulance. I suppose they arrested the porter for want of somebody else to take."

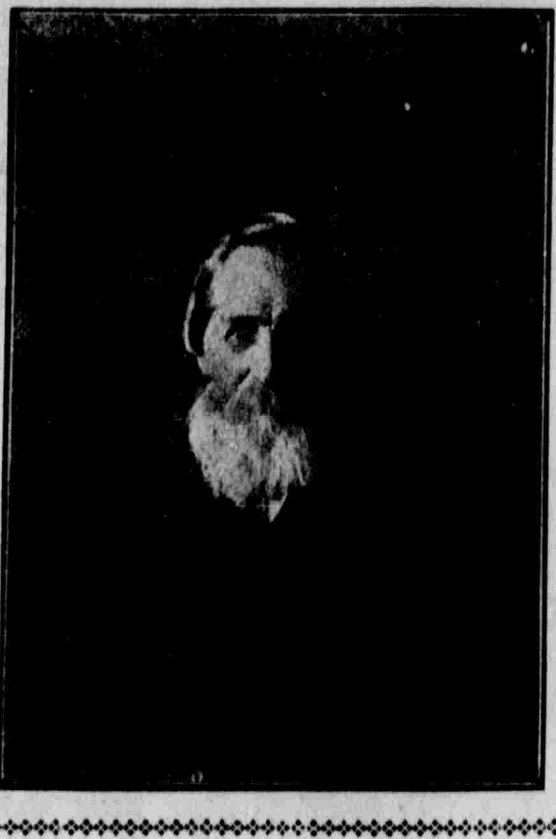
BOSTON'S DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Says He Will Ignore Custom and Conduct Office in Accordance With Law.

Boston, Dec. 19.—"I intend to ignore all customs established by my predecessors. Where the statute falls to give me authority to direct payments by the county treasurer, custom cannot give me such authority. This office is to be conducted during my administration in accordance with the law."

This declaration by the newly elected district attorney, John B. Moran, last night, accompanied an announcement by him of several radical changes in the conduct of the district attorney's office.

OBITUARY.



CHAS. C. COWLEY.

Charles C. Cowley, an honored and respected citizen of Venice died at his home Dec. 18th, after an illness extending over a period of several months. Funeral services were held Dec. 6, at 1 p. m., from the Venice ward meetinghouse. The speakers were Elders G. F. Jackson, A. W. Buchanan, Jr., G. Brugger and Bishop H. H. Bell of the Glenwood ward. All of the speakers referred to the noble character of the deceased and offered words of comfort to the bereaved.

Mr. Cowley was born Nov. 17, 1824, in the Isle of Man, England, where he joined the Church in his youth. He came to Utah in 1850 and settled in the Seventeenth ward of Salt Lake City, where he remained until 1859 when he removed to Lehi. After residing here for a short time he was called to settle the Dixie country. About twenty years ago he came to Sevier county and settled in Venice, where he remained until his death. Brother Cowley was always a faithful and energetic Latter-day Saint. He is survived by his wife, seven sons and thirteen grandchildren. Six of his children have preceded him to the other side.

Mr. Moran claiming that his predecessors in office have been guilty of authorizing payments over which they have no control.

In his announcement the district attorney declares that he will not, because he has not the authority, to authorize the bills presented by interpreters and medical witnesses in payment for their appearance before the grand and petit juries; he also refuses to authorize the payment of witnesses traveling expenses beyond the limits of the state; declines to authorize police officers to draw money from the county treasurer to pay the expenses incident to bringing to this state any offender captured outside the boundaries of the commonwealth. In this last contention Mr. Moran is supported by the attorney general, Herbert Parker.

Mr. Moran's claim is that under the statute, interpreters and medical witnesses in the courts are entitled to only ordinary witnesses' fees.

The medical examiners in Suffolk county receive \$4,000 a year for their services and this, Mr. Moran claims, is sufficient compensation for the work they do. They have been accustomed to receive \$15 for each time they testify before the grand jury and \$25 for each appearance before a petit jury.

PAINTINGS AND SCULPTURE.

Do Not Have to be Marked "Copyright" to Protect Them from Piracy.

New York, Dec. 19.—Judge George C. Holt, in the United States district court yesterday, handed down a decision that paintings and sculpture need not be marked with the customary "copyright" notice in order to protect them from piracy. The decision sustained an action brought by Emil Werckmeister against the American Lithograph company and the American Tobacco company, the plaintiff charging violation of his copyright.

PLYMOUTH CHURCH.

Beecher's Old House of Worship is in Sore Financial Straits.

New York, Dec. 19.—Historic Plymouth church has come to such financial straits that a meeting was held last night in Brooklyn to devise ways and means to increase the revenue which have so dwindled as to show a deficit in the last year against a surplus 30 years ago when Henry Ward Beecher was paid a salary of \$100,000. The meeting was in no sense a reflection on the ministrations of Dr. Willis, but rather an endorsement of his untiring efforts in the face of extraordinary adverse circumstances.

The old Brooklyn Heights families who were the mainstays of Plymouth have disappeared through death or removal. This was the explanation made by Deacon S. V. White, who presided over the meeting at which Dr. Willis, Gen. Horatio G. King and Col. William C. Gehrer were the most striking figures.

The deficit in the Plymouth exchequer from 1900 to 1905 was \$8,000. For the present year it has been \$1,900. Bend P. Blair, who read the financial statement, outlined a plan which he believed would bring in greater revenue. There are now 46 pews which are expected to produce \$11,000 but produce \$5,000 because occupied by strangers who do not contribute.

Dr. Willis said his salary was \$3,000 and he received about \$3,500 from a syndicate which prints his sermons. He expressed willingness to bear his share of the burden. The Blair plan will be outlined more fully next week.

TELLER ARRESTED FOR THEFT.

New York, Dec. 19.—Frank A. Gay, Jr., receiving teler of the Monroebank, was arrested yesterday charged with stealing two five-dollar gold pieces from the bank.

Kaufman Mandell, the president of the bank, said last night that he did not know whether any more money was missing, and would not know definitely until Gay's books were examined. Gay, Mr. Mandell said, had come to the bank highly recommended from the New York County National

bank, where he had been employed for three years.

CHARGES OF FRAUD IN MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTY

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 19.—Charges of fraud in the management of property said to be worth more than \$5,000,000 and comprising more than 7,000 acres of the most fertile citrus lands and waterways in southern California, in Riverside and San Bernardino counties, have been the basis of a petition filed in the federal court here today.

The action which asks for the appointment of a receiver and which was filed by Matthew Gage and his wife, Jane Gage, is directed against the following: The Riverside Trust company, the Northern Counties Investment company, the Riverside Orange company, Thos. H. G. Newton, Wilson Crawford, Jos. Gurney Fowler, Richard L. Harrison, Edwin Waterhouse and W. H. Winterbottom, all of Great Britain and Ireland.

It appears, according to the petition, that Matthew Gage, owner of the 7,000 acres of land in question, had expended large sums of money in cultivating and developing the property and being financially unable, after a time, to care properly for his holdings, on his own account formed what is known as the Riverside Trust company, interesting English and Irish capital to take over the lands and waterways and proceed with the work of development.

In detail the petition recites charges of insincerity on the part of the defendants. Mr. Gage asks that a receiver be appointed to take charge of the property until such time as it can be sold, and he given his share from the disposal of the holdings, which he estimates to be worth about \$2,250,000.

AMMON PETITIONS FOR RELEASE

New York, Dec. 19.—Robert A. Ammon, who is serving an indeterminate sentence in Sing Sing, yesterday pleaded in the supreme court that he was unjustly in prison. Ammon was convicted of being connected with the Franklin syndicate, and sentenced in 1903 to not less than four years and not more than four years and six months imprisonment. Yesterday was his third appearance since then in the supreme court to ask for his release. He said that he had been sentenced under the law governing indeterminate sentences, which was not on the statute books when the alleged crime for which he was convicted was committed.

JEWISH RELIEF FUND.

New York, Dec. 19.—The contributions to the fund for the relief of Hebrew sufferers in Russia yesterday was \$4,235, bringing the grand total up to \$1,176,532. The largest contribution yesterday was \$7,722 from the Orthodox Jews of St. Paul, Minn.

The benefit given by Samuel S. and Lee Shubert for the Jewish sufferers in Russia yesterday at the Casino netted about \$2,500 which will be turned over to Jacob Schiff.

ESCORTED OUT OF BUTTE.

Armed Miners Compel Thomas A. Crowe to Leave Town.

Butte, Dec. 19.—Thomas A. Crowe, a well known miner and former militiaman of Idaho Springs, Colo., was escorted from Butte early this morning by a number of armed miners. He was badly beaten.

Grave Trouble Foreseen.

It needs but little foresight to tell that when your stomach and liver are badly affected, grave trouble is ahead, unless you take the proper medicine for your troubles as Mrs. John A. Young of Clay, N. Y., did. She says: "I had neuralgia of the liver and stomach, my heart was weakened, and I found just what I needed, for they quickly relieved and cured me." Best medicine for weak women. Sold under guarantee by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept., at 56c a bottle.

CHICAGO CITY COUNCIL TURNS MAYOR DUNNE DOWN

Chicago, Dec. 19.—For the first time in its history the city council of Chicago last night refused to confirm an appointment made by the mayor.

Mayor Dunne sent in the name of John F. Finerty to succeed John Minwogen as a member of the board of local improvements. By a vote of 46 to 28 the council referred the nomination to the committee on special assessment for consideration and report. The roll call showed this committee stands 7 to 6 against the confirmation of Col. Finerty. The issue raised by the majority was that Mr. Minwogen was a capable official and should not be removed for political reasons. Two Republicans voted with the minority and six Democrats with the majority. But Mr. Minwogen, whom the Democratic mayor wanted to remove, is a Democrat and Col. Finerty is known as a Republican.

The only other instance in Chicago history when the appointment of the mayor was even fought in the council was in 1876 when there was a conflict as to whether Monroe Heath or F. H. Colvin was mayor of Chicago. It was when at the time of the adoption of the general corporation act and Mayor Heath named Capt. Hickey as chief of police. The Colvin adherents tried to defeat his confirmation but failed.

LOST IN DEEP SNOW

A Transcontinental Automobile Party
In Mountains of Arizona.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Flagstaff, Ariz., says: A transcontinental automobile carrying Percy F. Mogar and the New York and David F. Fassett of Lansing, Mich., is lost in the deep snow in the mountains west of here and the automobilists have been heard from since Friday when they left Williams for Flagstaff. A relief expedition with food, blankets and shovels started yesterday in the midst of a blinding snowstorm. Other parties are hunting for two other men lost in the mountains.

NO CATTLE ON ANGEL ISLAND.

San Francisco, Dec. 19.—All the cattle have been removed from Angel island by order of Gen. Funston, commanding the department of California, because 99 per cent of the animals were found to be affected with tuberculosis. Gen. Funston appointed a board to examine the department of California, and after a thorough examination 98 head of cattle on the island, including milk and dry cows and calves, found 99 per cent to be infected. Their removal resulted in the order for the immediate removal of the animals and Gen. Funston ordered all the animals removed on or before Dec. 30. The herd was kept on Angel island to supply the garrisons about the harbor with milk.

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Coughing Spell Caused Death.

"Harry Duckwell aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat, Dec. 19th." Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

Dancing Carnival.

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		\$5.50 size, on sale.....	\$5.50
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