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## "Ruby," Taken In Raid, Proves To Be "Harry"

Prisoners in Greenwich Village Surprise Detectives — Sleuths Spend \$64 For Drinks.

New York, Feb. 7.—Joseph Mastie and Dewey Hughes, detectives from headquarters, sat in the Black Parrot Tea Shoppe, 46 Charles street, before dawn waiting for the show to start so they could stop it. They were there to make the third of eighteen Greenwich Village raids arranged by Inspector Underhill and the Washington Square Association.

It was two hours before the show started and the detectives had to pretend to take eight drinks of whiskey apiece at \$8 a drink in order to disarm suspicion while they waited.

After the eighth drink Ruby appeared and as soon as Ruby started to dance the detectives saw that the time for action had come. They lined Ruby up with two women entertainers and Lucy Smith and Patricia Rogers, alleged proprietors of the place, gathered three men who were to take part in the show, into another group and called a patrol wagon.

The other women prisoners were intensely amused when Ruby was turned over to the mother of the Charles street police station to search, explaining that Ruby was a man.

Ruby turned out to be Harry Bernheimer, of West Hoboken, who said he was a female impersonator and his arrest was a deception of the men arrested. He is also a female impersonator, and said to be known as Rose Budd in Greenwich Village.

All the prisoners were charged with disorderly conduct and released in bail. The two women who are said to run the place also were released in bail. The other women, Teddy Seelye and May Reynolds, were arraigned in Women's court and committed to the Florence Critchfield Home pending investigation.

**JUDGE MONEY DEAD.**—Mr. Justice Montpel, superior court judge and presiding judge in the court of King's Bench, died yesterday of heart disease at San Juan, Porto Rico, while on a cruise to the West Indies convalescing. According to cable advice he died on board the S. S. Megantic.

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**NOTICES OF Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents**

**MARRIAGES**

**LEAHY-FRENEY.**—In St. Peter's Church on February 7, by Rev. George Coffin, C. S. R., Miss Bertha E. Freney to Frank M. Leahy, both of St. John.

**BIRTHS**

**BUCHANAN.**—To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel U. Buchanan, 278 Main St., on Feb. 6, a daughter.

**DEATHS**

**OROURKE.**—In this city on Feb. 6, 1923, Mary A. Orourke, leaving one brother to mourn.

**CAMPBELL.**—In West Somerville, Mass., on Feb. 6, Matthew Campbell, funeral services at home of his sister, Mrs. C. E. Knight, 54 Paulina St., Wednesday, Feb. 7.

**COBBETT.**—Suddenly at the General Public Hospital on Feb. 6, 1923, Barbara Corbett, widow of Thomas M. Corbett, aged 62 years, leaving two sons and one daughter.

**BLAIR.**—Entered into rest on morning of February 7, 1923, Eliza M. Blair, daughter of the late Robert and Mildred Blair.

**SULLIVAN.**—In this city on Feb. 6, 1923, wife of James Sullivan of Gardiner's Creek, St. John Co., leaving husband, two brothers, two sisters, three sons and three daughters.

**GOFFREY.**—At Matagonish Road, on Feb. 6, 1923, after a short illness, Maria Lucilla, wife of John Goffrey, aged fifty-three years, leaving her husband and two brothers to mourn.

**MATHIESON AND STAFF.**—St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 7.—Plans for a match with Oscar Mathieson, world champion skier, will be made soon by Art Staff of Chicago, it was indicated here today after the annexing of the United States indoor professional skiing title by Staff last night.

## FRENCH TANKS IN ESSEN



France did not attempt to grasp control of the rich Ruhr district without a show of force. The pictures show a scene in the streets of Essen, the great German steel centre and the home of the Krupp armament plant.

## LOCAL NEWS

**Hockey tonight at Arena.** No band. Carleton Cornet Band Mammoth Minstrel Show, (50 voices) City Hall, West End, Thursday, 8 p.m. 9129-2-9.

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**RADIO CLUB.** Regular meeting at Board of Trade rooms tonight, 8 o'clock. Radio concert. 9115-2-8.

**Good skating and tobogganing on Lily Lake tonight.**

**IN CHANCERY.** Argument of counsel was heard today in the matter of among Brothers, vs Stanley before Chief Justice Hagen. J. F. H. Teed addressed the court for the defendant and E. E. Smith of St. Stephen for the plaintiff. The court considers.

**Saw Skaters and The Queens.** Don Armstrong of the Gyro club, returned to the city on Monday from Montreal where he went to watch Charlie Gorman in the Canadian Amateur Skating championships. He said this morning that Charlie was doing fine work and that Jack Redfern, his trainer, was working hard and keeping him in first class condition. He had great hopes of Gorman making a fine showing in the international meet at St. John, Kaskey, he said, was a human whirlwind and in his opinion was the fastest thing that had been seen on skates for some time in this part of the amateur world.

**LATE SHIPPING.** Arrived Today. Sch. C. MacGillivray, 307, Hamilton, from New York. Sch. Frederick H. 426, Hawa, from Coastwise—Str. Bear River, 70, woodworth, from Digby; gas sch. Walter, C. 12, Belding, from Chancery Harbor.

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**MAINE NOTES.** S. S. Inca sailed last night for New York. The Canadian Otter sailed this afternoon for Cardiff and Swansea via Halifax.

**THE THORALD.** The Thorald shifted this afternoon to Long Wharf to load for Cuba. The Gracia will shift some time today to McLeod's wharf to complete discharging her cargo.

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## PROCESSION BIG FEATURE OF CARNAVAL

Merchants Planning Well for the Torchlight Parade

Route to be Followed, and Other Matters—The Shea Boys Coming From Lake Placid for the Lily Lake Meet.

Plans for the big torchlight procession to be held in connection with Carnival Week are proceeding apace, so H. Everett Hunt, chairman of the committee of the Merchants' Association handling the matter, said this morning. Three prizes have been offered for the first of the four regattas with the best entry, \$15 for the best private turnout, and \$10 for the most ridiculous. The judges will be Mayor N. P. McLeod, J. O. Skinner, F. W. Daniel and R. A. Macaulay. The committee in charge regrets very much that Major N. P. McLeod will be unable to marshal the parade, but Commissioner Marshall is considering having mounted policemen assisted by several others at the head of the procession.

The following organizations have agreed to enter the parade: Gyro Club, Boy Scouts, Power Boat Club, R. K. Y. C. G. W. V. A., Y. M. C. A., East End Improvement League, South End Boys' Club, Garrison Sports Club, Hardware Clerks' Association, Y. M. A. Knights of Columbus, Men's Club of the Church of the Assumption.

**BOYS IN COURT.** Two juveniles were before the magistrate this morning charged with loitering and begging in the streets. It is alleged that the boys annoyed patrons of theatres by passing by the streets by begging for money to attend the shows. They were severely lectured by the magistrate and sent below.

**PHARMACY ACT.** The N. B. Pharmacy Society is giving notice of legislation to amend the pharmacy act so as to permit the society to hold personal property to the extent of \$25,000, the examination and licensing of certified clerks, and the registration and licensing of corporations engaged in business as druggists and of second stores.

**OFFICERS ELECTED.** At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, St. John, yesterday, the following officers and directors were elected: John B. Eagles, president; Mrs. Alice Eagles, secretary-treasurer; Directors: Mrs. Edmund Fawcett, Fred W. Munro, H. Usher Miller, Mrs. Myles, A. B. Farmer and Mrs. Bonnell. The president and vice-president were re-elected. Mrs. Eagles was appointed to succeed Mr. Farmer, who resigned after officiating in that capacity for many years. Yearly reports were submitted and routine business transacted.

**ON MISSIONS.** Rev. William MacLaughlin C.S.S.R., returned yesterday enroute to Newfoundland where he will conduct a series of missions. He is enroute to St. John, where he will be stationed in London, Ontario, but on his return from Newfoundland, he will go to Montreal, as he has been transferred to the Redemptorist parish there. This morning he was joined by Rev. Andrew McCann C.S.S.R., who arrived from Toronto and will accompany him to Newfoundland.

**ELEPHANT TUSKS FOUND AT OXFORD.** London, January 1.—(By mail).—The teeth of one of the largest species of British elephants have been recently excavated in the Deer Park of Magdalen College. Some laborers digging for the paths of a new college garden, came across the teeth lying in untouched terrace-gravel about 4 feet below the surface of the soil.

A casual onlooker ventured to doubt whether the first tusk found was ivory. The teeth were found in a row, as the excavator, and he forthwith proved his point by driving his pick into the soil, breaking it up to make more gravel. Fortunately attention was drawn to the site before the whole of the other tusk shared the same fate; four molar teeth were found close by. The tusk was saved by casing it in plaster of Paris before removing it from the ground. Its rubbery interior was removed and replaced with reinforced plaster, which makes an effective filling to the tooth. The outer casing of plaster was then carefully taken off, and the result is a memorial to the earliest recorded inhabitant of the College site. It is now exhibited in the College library.

The part of the tusk that was preserved measures 3 feet 9 inches in length, nearly 19 inches in girth, and has a maximum diameter of 6 1/2 inches. Its gentle curve shows that it belonged, not to a mammoth, which had much-curled tusks, but to the species known as elephants anti-quas, of which another fine example, now in the British Museum, was excavated at Chatham during the war-time. The Chatham tusk was 7 feet 6 inches long, 24 inches in girth and 16 1/2 inches in diameter. Judging from the known weight of the tusk of large African elephants, such a tusk must have weighed nearly 200 pounds.

Associated with the two tusks were numerous fragments of darkened wood, but nothing in a fit state for preservation, except the two upper molars. A third molar is remarkably because the crown is worn obliquely at half a right angle to the vertical side of the tooth. It looks as if, through some mishap, the tooth had cut its way through the gum slantwise. And this again suggests a personal problem. Does a large animal suffer toothache more acutely than a small one?

**WOMEN AS EXPLORERS.** RANGE EMPIRE. Lady Dorothy Mills, who has just returned from a long expedition to the interior of the Southern Sahara, is the latest of a long line of English women explorers, who have followed the tradition of women explorers in going south, for women seem to prefer to take the dangers of the tropics rather than to face the discomfort of cold and ice.

English women explorers have come from all ranks, from earls' daughters to women like Mary Slessor, a one-time mill girl in a Dundee jute mill, who went out to West Africa as a missionary. She finally died among the natives who had learnt to love her with the devotion which the Semite natives showed for R. L. Stevenson when they built a road to his memory.

The most erudite English woman explorer at present is no doubt Miss Gertrude Bell, a daughter of Sir Hugh Bell the ironmaster. There are few men who know as much about the Middle East as Miss Bell. During the war she became a kind of female counterpart to Colonel Lawrence, and when the British Government took over the administration of Mesopotamia, Miss Bell, who had been assistant political officer at Baghdad in 1917, was given an important post, and finally took her seat on Sir Percy Cox's Council.

Mrs. Rosita Forbes caused a great stir in Egypt during the war, as a great help to the British cause. She was a long time in the desert, and was a serious man.

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## RISKS LIFE TO SAVE HER CAT

Daughter of Morgan Partner Succeeds in Rescuing Tabby in Fire.

New York, Feb. 7.—Members of the Nassau Country Club assisted in saving furniture from the former summer home of Henry C. Martin, on Town Pass Road, Glen Cove, L. I., when fire broke out in the house, and one of them, Richard L. Davidson, daughter of William H. Porter, of J. P. Morgan and Co., risked her life to save that of a cat.

The cat was crouching on a second floor window sill. Smoke billowed out of the broken window behind it and flames were licking upward from the windows of the first floor.

Headless of the danger and the remembrance of her friends, Mrs. Davidson dashed into the smoke-filled doorway of the house. She groped her way up the stairs and into the room, in the window of which the cat was marooned, and she leaped from her arms and clutched the animal in her arms.

She was half strangled when she emerged, blackened by smoke, and her heavy coat was smoldering in several places, where sparks had fallen on it, but she was unharmed.

The fire department of Sea Cliff and Locust Valley were called on to help the Glen Cove firemen fight the flames, but their efforts to save the house were futile. It was destroyed and only a few articles of furniture were saved. The damage is estimated at more than \$50,000.

**YESTERDAY IN PARLIAMENT.** Ottawa, Feb. 7.—(Canadian Press).—In the House of Commons yesterday a bill amending the immigration act and designed to enable Canada to exclude any class of immigrants desired without involving the country in international difficulties was introduced by A. W. Neil, independent member for Coquitlam, at the opening. He read the bill and explained its provisions.

Debate on the address continued by W. T. Lucas, Progressive member for Victoria, Alberta. He expressed disappointment that the speech from the throne contained no reference to tariff reductions. He urged a thorough investigation of the Bank Act, equalization of the federal and provincial rates, and a serious study of transportation problems.

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