# MRS. LYON'S ARREST.

### A Former Fond du Lac Music Teacher in Trouble in New York.

### It Looks Like a Most Remarkable Case of Mistaken Identity.

*From The New York Herald.*

"She has a remarkable face—one in ten thousand. No one would forget such a countenance. I am satisfied that she is the thief," said Justice Welde.

"And I'll wager $100 to $1,000 that it's a case of mistaken identity," replied Counsellor Van Cott.

"It cannot be a mistake."

"I will stake my life that it is."

The sleek-looking justice yawned and lolled back in his easy chair lost in the recollection of some pleasant trifle or other.

It looks as if an extraordinary case of mistaken identity has come to light through the arrest and imprisonment of Mrs. Harriet E. Lyon upon the accusation of Mrs. Emma G. Nichols. On Feb. 24 of last year Mrs. Nichols, who lives in a handsome flat at No. 218 East Seventieth street, went to an employment agency in East Eighth street and announced that she wanted a general servant. In the afternoon an elderly woman called upon Mrs. Nichols with a ticket from the agency and was engaged under the name of Emma Steckler. Three hours later the servant disappeared, and with her went a $70 silk dress and $50 worth of cutlery and silverware.

While Mrs. Nichols was riding on a Third avenue elevated train on Monday last she saw a woman who looked just like Emma Steckler and had her arrested. The prisoner declared that she was Mrs. Harriet E. Lyon, a hard working music teacher, of West Farms. She protested her entire innocence of wrong doing, and in the Harlem police court swore that she was sick in bed at the time Emma Steckler robbed Mrs. Nichols. The complainant examined the features of the prisoner, studied her form, listened to her voice and noted her gestures. Then she swore that she was positive that Emma Steckler stood before her. The agitation and agony of the prisoner were pitiful. She pushed back the frizzes from her bold brow and called upon her accusers to look into her face and see if they were not mistaken. Mrs. Nichols was more positive than ever. Mrs. Swartz, who lives in the same house with the complainant, swore that she conversed with Emma Steckler, who "talked like a blue streak," and she was positive that the thieving servant and the prisoner were the same person.

So the little, elderly woman was led to a dripping prison cell, where she passed the night.

Twenty-four hours later she was committed to await the action of the grand jury, and was released upon $1,000 bail, furnished by her landlady.

A Herald reporter set out yesterday to learn the real facts in the case. He went to Mrs. Lyon's house first.

The road from Tremont to West Farms sprawls roughly between rocky fields, with here and there a house or a clump of trees. Those who live along that highway are mostly good folks, who have to work hard to keep bodies and souls together. Here and there a trim cottage keeps watch over a stunted garden. In one of the little two-story structures that are strung like a white and brown necklace over the brow of the farm land lives Mrs. Harriet E. Lyon with her young sister-in-law, Miss Belle Lyon. Mrs. Lyon is a music teacher and Miss Lyon is a seamstress. The two ladies have worked hard for five years in the same house. All the neighbors respect them and speak their praises. When a Herald reporter called at the cottage yesterday he was ushered into a pretty little parlor. The mantel was covered with pretty cheap ornaments, arranged in a fashion that showed good taste. A Bible lay upon a little table. Upon the walls hung refined pictures. The open piano was strewed with classical music. Through an open doorway clusters of dainty tropical plants could be seen in the tiny dining-room.

MRS. LYON'S SIMPLE STORY.

Then Mrs. Lyon entered. She was a short woman of about forty-eight years. Her features were strong and dark. Her eyes were brown and deeply set beneath her brows. Her mouth was wide and straight, and her lips very thin. Over the forehead hung loose false frizzes, darker than her own hair, which was scant and slightly mixed with gray. There was an indescribable expression of some old haunting sorrow upon the thin, wan face. The hands were lean, but were white and fine.

When the reporter explained his errand Mrs. Lyon sat down, and in a clear, low voice told her story.

"I call God to witness that I have been mistaken for some other person," she said. "I would give all I possess to know who it is I resemble so much. She must be a very wicked woman to see in the papers that I was sent to prison, and not to come forward to clear me."

"I was once the wife of Frederick R. Taylor, of this city, but Judge Cardoza divorced us upon my application about eighteen years ago. Then I married Leroy Lyon, who was a dealer in stoves. Six years ago he went to Texas, and, with the exception of one letter, I have never heard of him since. At first I and my sister-in-law, Belle, supported ourselves by sewing but later on I made use of my early education and gave music lessons in East Seventy-fourth street. Five years ago I came here and have stayed here ever since. I teach piano playing, and when my pupils are not many I help Belle to sew. We have to struggle hard, but, thank God, we are honest and can look the world in the face.

THE STRANGE RECOGNITION.

"I went down town last Monday to pay a small sum to Lawyer Leggett, who had done me some service. Then I called at the store of Mr. Gordon, the piano dealer, in East Fourteenth street, and paid my piano rent. Soon after I got on a Third avenue elevated train to go home. I saw a good-looking young lady staring me in the face in an anxious way. I thought she was impudent, and I stared back. Then the lady leaned over and said: 'Ain't you Emma Steckler?' I replied: 'No, my name is Mrs. Harriet E. Lyon.' The lady talked very fiercely, apparently about me, to another lady who was with her. Then I got up and sat beside her. 'Do I look so much like this Emma Steckler?' I asked. 'It is very strange, but this is the second time to-day that I have been mistaken for another person. A woman stopped me on Fourteenth street this morning and asked me if my name was Mrs. Maria something. The lady, who turned out to be Mrs. Nichol, got up and spoke to the brakeman at the door of the car. I could distinctly hear her ask if she could get a policeman at the station. When she came back to her seat I said, 'I hope you are not going to arrest me for Emma Steckler. I am Mrs. Lyon. I think you are going to make a mistake.' At the station she sent for a policeman and I got off and waited in the ticket office until he came. Then I was taken to court."

After the first examination I was sent to a horrible cell. The vault leaked and the water poured over the floor. I had to sleep on two boards, and being sick, I suffered dreadfully. Then I was put in a dry cell with a woman who kept picking vermin off her clothes all the time. I almost died of shame and fright. When I stepped out of my cell the first person I met was my good faced kind landlady, Mrs. Maury Boyers. She furnished $1,000 bail for me."

Here the little music teacher covered her face with her hands and burst into tears.

IS IT A MISTAKE?

"Is it likely that a woman of my tastes and habits would hire myself out for a servant and turn thief?" she cried. "This is a cruel reward for all the hard work I have done. Why, I was sick in bed with pneumonia at the time when Mrs. Nichol says Emma Steckler robbed her. The robbery occurred on Feb. 24. Now, my birthday was on Feb. 14, and we had a grand celebration, with music and something to eat. All the neighbors came in. The celebration was postponed from Feb. 14 to Feb. 17. It was on Wednesday. I wore very light clothing that night and on Sunday I was sick in bed with pneumonia. Dr. Norman Freeman, of West Farms, attended me. I did not get out of bed until March 5, and the doctor waited on me every day. He will prove my words. Belle was also here and so was my little chore girl, Anna Collins. They both will swear that I never left my bed from Feb. 21 to March 5. On the day when the robbery occurred my tongue was so much swollen that I could hardly speak. Mrs. Boyers called on me that day and will tell you the same thing."

Miss Belle Lyon said that she would swear that the music teacher did not once get out of bed from Feb. 21 to March 5. The two ladies cried heartily over their trouble. Mrs. Lyon then showed her bible. On the fly-leaf was written a certificate that Mrs. Harriet E. Lyon was confirmed in St. Paul's church,

AT FOND DU LAC, WIS.,

on June 2, 1874.

After this Belle threw a shawl over her head and piloted the reporter to the house of Mrs. Boyers. That good natured housewife was hanging clothes on a line in her yard, which consists of an eighth of Westchester county. While her pretty children climbed on the reporter's back and butted his legs Mrs. Boyers called Heaven to witness that there were not two more honest or more worthy ladies on the face of the earth than Mrs. Lyon and Belle.

"They work night and day," she said. "This fine lady ought to be ashamed of herself to send an innocent woman to prison. I tell you that there has been a terrible mistake made. Mrs. Lyon was sick in bed from pneumonia, and could hardly sit up at the time Mrs. Nicholas was robbed. I called upon her on Feb. 24. It was just a week after the party. I remember well that I said, 'My dear, how jolly you were a week ago to-day!' Mrs. Nichol's tongue was terribly swollen and she could just speak and no more. Oh, my God, to think that one woman will be so sure of a face she only saw once as to send another woman to a prison and blast her life!"

THE TIME FIXED.

"What time did you call on Mrs. Lyon that night?"

"At 6 o'clock. She was then in bed. She was not dressed and was very weak."

Dr. Norman Freeman is a frosty bearded physician, well known in West Farms. He sent a certificate to the court saying that Mrs. Lyon was sick in bed from Feb. 21 to March 5, and that he attended her every day. He had daily entries copied from his diary. The court refused to admit the certificate.

"I want an oath!" cried Justice Welde.

Before the doctor could get to court Mrs. Lyon was committed. He is positive that it is a case of mistaken identity.

Detective Campbell, of the Fifty-ninth street station, said to the reporter that when the robbery occurred Mrs. Nichol told him about it. She said that Emma Steckler had a sort of German accent. Mrs. Lyon has nothing of the kind. Mrs. Nichol said that one of the thief's shoulders was higher than the other. Mrs. Lyon's shoulders are both even.

"I told her," said the detective, "that if she ever saw Emma Steckler and was sure of the face, to never let go of her till she had her locked up. Mrs. Nichol told me since that she examined the face of every woman she saw in a crowd, and that if she saw the thief she would make sure of her."

## NEW COUNTY OFFICIALS.

### The Jefferson County Government and Its Past Political History.

WATERTOWN, Jan. 3.—To-day the new officers of Jefferson county were sworn in and took charge of their respective offices as follows: Sheriff, John D. Bullock; treasurer, August Tanck; register, J. R. Garrity; clerk of court, Wm. Bieber; county clerk, Jackson Jones; superintendent, Jas. Sheridan; coroner, W. W. Woodman; surveyor, K. P. Clark; district-attorney, John G. Conway. Of the above all were elected on the Democratic ticket except Mr. Bullock, who is a Republican and the fourth county officer of his political faith elected in the county since 1860. In 1866 the Republicans elected their treasurer and surveyor, the former by 33 majority and the latter by 2. In 1878 the Republican candidate for district-attorney, A. G. Steiner, was elected over his Democratic opponent, W. H. Rogers, by 28 majority, and at the late election John D. Bullock, Republican candidate for sheriff, was successful over Peter Imig, Democrat, by 96 majority.

RACINE, Jan. 3.—The new county officials took office this morning when Adam Schneider succeeded John Donald as sheriff, W. C. Palmer succeeded E. C. Peck as county clerk, T. McKearney, H. A. Cooper as district attorney. James McLearen relieved F. W. Bruce as clerk of the court, George Lesee became register of deeds, vice George A. West and Henry J. Herzog took charge of the county treasury. Schneider has reappointed Louis Clark deputy. He has already served in that capacity a term and was once condemned by Andrew E. Elmore as an unfit man for the office. Mr. Peck will act as deputy in the office that he has so long conducted and Charles Seaman will be deputy register of deeds'

### Suicide of Charles Eldred at Lowell.

Special Dispatch to the Sentinel.

WATERTOWN, Jan. 3.—At Lowell, yesterday, Charles Eldred, an unmarried man, aged 25, committed suicide by shooting himself with a shot-gun. He arranged a file in a vise, and, placing the ring of the trigger on the file, discharged the gun, the contents blowing the top of his head clean off and tearing one side of the face. The act was premeditated, as he bid his mother good-by, as he told her, for the last time. The deceased had been somewhat despondent and melancholy, lately, through failing health.

### Beloit's High School Damaged by Fire.

Special Dispatch to the Sentinel.

BELOIT, Jan. 3.—The high school building was damaged by fire and water, to the extent of $1,000 this forenoon. The fire started near one of the furnaces and worked into a partition. The insurance upon the building is $22,000, divided among several agencies. Repairs will be made so that the school can resume next week.

### Prosecuting Unregistered Pharmacists.

MADISON, Jan. 2.—Dr. O. E. Larkin, of Deerfield, Dane county, was fined $50 for violating the Pharmacy law, viz., selling poisons without being registered. This makes the eighth case under the law, in which the board has been successful in every case.

### The Case of Otto Ropier.

RACINE, Jan. 3.—The article in The Sentinel this morning in relation to the inhuman treatment of Otto Ropier had a salutary effect, and the unfortunate man, before noon, was provided with four suits of clothing, which were brought to the jail by men whose sympathies had been aroused by the story of his sufferings. He will be taken to the hospital for the insane at Oshkosh to-morrow. The feeling that the county officials charged with the care of the poor have failed to do their duty in the case is general and much harsh comment is heard.

### The Pepin County Seat Removal.

DURAND, Jan. 3.—The vote on the removal of the county seat has been recounted, and shows over 300 majority in favor of this place. The election will be further contested by the Plummer ring.

### Homicide in Self-Defense.

Bayfield County Press: Sheriff Gonyon was summoned to Mason on business, and when near that place met a Swede by the name of John Lofstrane, who surrendered himself to the sheriff, stating that the night previous he had shot a man in self-defense. It appeared that Lofstrane is a homesteader residing near Mason. Sunday evening two brothers—Swedes—by the name of Hans and T. Heardline called on him, and after partaking of refreshments, among which whisky occupied a prominent place on the bill of fare, prepared to depart for their home, two miles distant, and insisted on Lofstrane accompanying them. This he refused to do and they sought to force him. In the scuffle Lofstrane shot Hans Heardline three times and received in return some pretty hard usage. The Heardlines finally left, the wounded one apparently not dangerously injured, but died from the effects of the shot some thirty-six hours after. Lofstrane, on being brought before Justice Flanders, was discharged, the evidence being insufficient to warrant binding him over for trial.

### Coroner for Oneida County.

Special Dispatch to the Sentinel.

MADISON, Jan. 3.—Gov. Rusk to-day appointed Jacob Jewell, of Rhinelander, coroner for Oneida county.

### Hartford Items.

HARTFORD, Jan. 3.—Fred Rogers, son of Dr. E. M. Rogers, who is now a student of the college of physicians and surgeons in Chicago, passed the holidays in this city.

Christian Keuhfuss, a former resident of Hartford, but at present proprietor of a hotel in Cedarburg, was married on New Year's day in Milwaukee to Miss Christina Nehrhass, of this city.

### Obituary.

HARTFORD, Jan. 3.—Max Rosenheimer, a son of the late Lehman Rosenheimer, died at his home in Schleisingerville this morning from typhoid fever. Deceased was an active member of the firm of L. Rosenheimer & Sons. He was 34 years of age, and leaves a wife and three children. He will be buried at Schleisingerville on Wednesday.

### Other News in Brief.

Thermometers at Watertown marked as low as 30 degrees below zero on Sunday night.

The business men of Ashland have voted in favor of applying to the legislature for a city charter.

Jas. C. Grober, a farmer near Marshfield, died from the effects of an injury received while digging a well.

The residence of Mrs. Juneau, at Auburndale, was destroyed by fire. The loss—about $1,200—was nearly covered by insurance.

The Rev. Dr. Corwin has accepted an invitation from Gov. Harvey Post, at Racine, to preach a memorial sermon on Gen. Logan. It will be delivered at the Presbyterian church there next Monday morning.

A newspaper is soon to be published at Phlox, Langlade county. Father St. Louis has for a few years maintained a small job office at that place, and the new publication will undoubtedly issue from the same office.

### FOUND FROZEN STIFF.

HARRISVILLE, Mich., Jan. 3. — George Dow and Thomas Count were discovered yesterday in a ravine on Loud's branch, of the Detroit, Bay City & Alpena railroad. Count was frozen stiff, and Dow was nearly dead, though he may recover. The mercury this morning marked 12 degrees below zero.

### Advertising Agency.

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### THE ENGINEERS NOT TO STRIKE.

Special Dispatch to the Sentinel.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 3.—It was learned from a reliable source to-day that the differences between the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company and the engineers of the Pittsburg division of that road have been compromised, but the terms of the settlement are not known.

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### THE COAL POOL HEARING.

Special Dispatch to the Sentinel.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 3.—The hearing which was to have been held to-day in the equity suit of the commonwealth against the Trunk line and coal pools was postponed until Thursday evening next on account of the illness of Atty.-Gen. Cassiday.

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### SAFE-BLOWERS IN CINCINNATI.

Special Dispatch to the Sentinel.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 3.—Burglars last night blew open the safe at Meyer & Pressur's shoe store and secured $750. This kind of criminal work is quite common recently.


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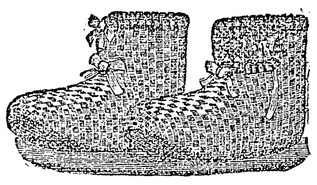

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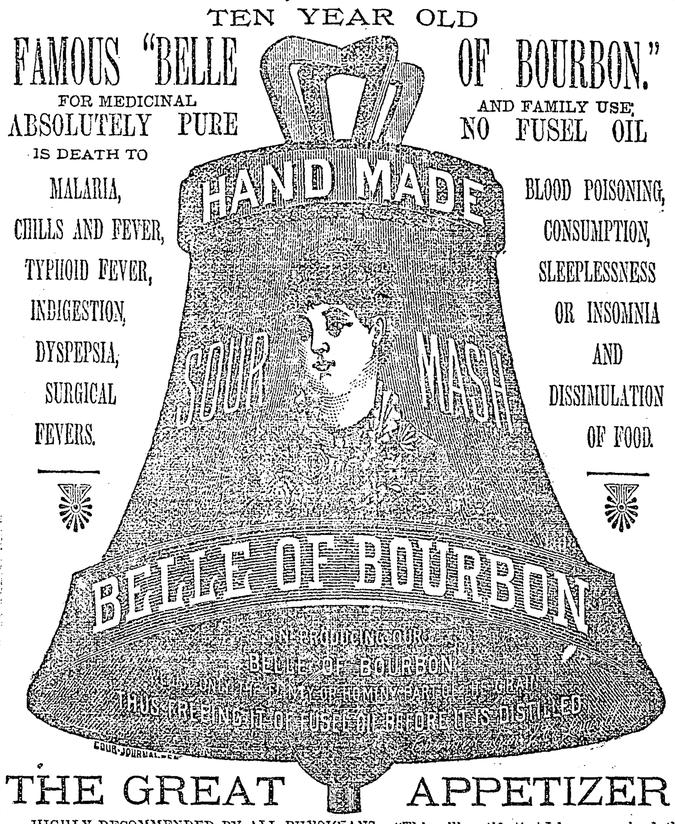


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