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ONE KILLED AND SCORE INJURED IN NEW YORK BRICK BUILDING FIRE

Dead Woman is Miss Julia Isola, Crushed by Leap From Third Floor

ALL HER FAMILY FAILED TO LOCATE FIRE ESCAPE

Others in House Suffer Bad Bruises and Burns Before Rescued by Firemen

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
New York, April 6.—One young woman was killed and 20 persons injured in a fire that destroyed the old-fashioned four-story brick tenement at 125 Pearl street early today. Many of the injured were firemen who were buried or overcome by gas. Many thrilling rescues were made by the firemen.

The dead girl is Miss Julia Isola, 23, who was crushed to death when she leaped from the front window of the third floor of the blazing building.

The seriously injured are John Gatzert, overcome by gas while fighting flames in the basement, and in a precarious condition; Tony Benize, inmate of the house, seriously burned on face and hands and injured internally; Charles Morgan, five years old, burned on face and hands and body, condition serious; Martha Morgan, 14, face and body burned; Mrs. Martha M. organ, 60, suffering from shock, broken leg and burns on hands and face; Hannah Hanlon, leg broken; Mrs. Mary Conway, slight burns of face and hands.

The Isola family lived on the second floor. They opened the side windows, but, there being no fireescape there Rudolph Isola, accompanied by his father, two brothers and two sisters and Thomas Sweeney, a nephew, ran into the hall. The fireescape was in the back, but, confused by the flames, they ran to the front. Rudolph threw open the window and he and his father hung out with the intention of jumping and then catching the girls, but the firemen called to them to wait, as a ladder was about to be put up. Julia saw the flames coming nearer and leaped out of the window, falling crushed at the foot of the ladder that was being raised. She died in the ambulance on the way to the hospital.

The other members of the family were taken safely down the ladder by the firemen.

Arrested for Sunday Playing.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
McAllister, Okla., April 6.—At the close of a game here yesterday between the New York National League team and the Muskogee Western Association team, the sheriff served warrants on all participants for violating the Sunday law. Bonds were provided for all the arrested parties, and the New York Giants were allowed to continue their journey.

ACTRESS YAWNS AND HER JAWS GO SNAP.

New York, April 6.—A yawn caused the dislocation of the jaw of Miss Laura La Biers, who plays Cleopatra in "The Soul Kiss" at the New York theatre. Miss La Biers tripped off the stage Saturday night after having sung. She was weary and just as she entered the wings she yawned. The young woman next her heard an incoherent cry and a sound as of a bone snapping. Turning, she saw Miss La Biers' mouth wide open and her lower jaw turned to one side.

The stage manager hurried in front of the curtain and called for a physician. There was one in the house, and for 15 minutes he worked over Miss La Biers, finally getting her jaws into their normal position.

VIRGINIA JUDGE SHOT BY NEGRO

While Hunting Railroad Camp for Murderer Wanted in West Virginia

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Roanoke, Va., April 6.—James Moorefield, a justice of the peace of Clinchport, was shot dead at a railroad camp occupied by negroes at Speers Ferry. He and two other men went to the camp to arrest Frank Brown, alias John Blake, wanted in West Virginia for murder. As the men approached the camp they were fired on from the window and Moorefield's companions fled. Next morning Moorefield's dead body was found near the camp, with two bullet holes in it. His watch and pistol and money had been taken.

Two men in the camp were arrested and a posse started in pursuit of Brown. He was captured in Tennessee, six miles away, and all three men were brought to jail here.

REQUISITION FOR GOV. WM. TAYLOR

Commonwealth's Attorney Wants Him Brought Back to be Tried for Murder

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Frankfort, Ky., April 6.—When Judge R. L. Stout convenes court today it is understood, Commonwealth Attorney Franklin will ask Gov. Willson to make requisition on Gov. Handy, of Indiana, for the return of ex-Gov. William S. Taylor, under indictment in the Franklin circuit on the charge of having conspired with Caleb Powers, Jim Howard, Henry Youtsey and others to murder Gov. William Gobel in February, 1906.

Insurgents Active in Korea.

Tokio, April 6.—Advices from Seoul say insurgents are showing increased activity in the neighborhood of Seoul, several minor fights having occurred lately.

HOW MANY RAILROAD MEN ARE OUT OF JOBS?

Chicago, April 6.—On seventeen representative railroads of the United States, constituting one-third of the mileage of the country, the total number of employees is 18 per cent. smaller than on June 30, 1907. This statement is based on authoritative figures just obtained by the Chicago General Managers' association for the information of its members.

The railroads from which reports were received traverse practically all parts of the country and the figures are said by railroad managers to be fairly typical of railway conditions generally. The percentage of men laid off is much the same among all the lines, running from 15 to 5 per cent. of the number employed last June. In one or two instances the figure is larger. On some of the roads not included in the list the percentage of men discharged is known to be as large or larger than those reporting. Among these is the Pennsylvania.

The total mileage of the seventeen railroads amount to 71,872 miles. On June 30, 1907, the number of men employed on these roads aggregated 581,713. At present the number is 476,947, a decrease of 104,766. The number of idle employees at present is probably in the neighborhood of 345,000.

SIR HENRY SICK MAN, IT IS SAID

Prime Minister Leaves Office and Cabinet, According to Custom, Resigns

(By Cable to The Times)
London, April 6.—Great Britain is in peculiar position, being without either premier or ministry. The long-expected resignation of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, prime minister, has just been announced. According to the court circular, he resigned on the urgent recommendation of his medical advisers.

As the constitution provides no automatic successor, it rests with the king to appoint a new head of the government and, in the custom, the whole cabinet resigns with the premier, and no step to appoint a ministry can be taken until Herbert A. Asquith, chancellor of the exchequer, who has been summoned to Balfour for the purpose, has seen the king.

The position of the country is unprecedented, there being no previous instance of a change occurring in the premiership while the sovereign was abroad.

Sir Henry's condition remains unchanged, according to his physicians, Chancellor Asquith, who has been acting premier for some time, will leave for Balfour probably today.

Ends Dramatic Chapter.

London, April 6.—The passing of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman from the prime ministry brings to an end a dramatic chapter of English history. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman was the first liberal prime minister since Lord Rosebery, who gave up the office in 1895. The Bannerman government combined quite a few facts and added new features to the English government. All of the elements of opposition unite to make common cause against the old government and, when joined together, formed a working which speaks very well for Bannerman as a leader.

The Bannerman government, it has been stated, combined too many factions and too many facts. Sir Henry was not only the leader of the house of commons, but also its father, for he replaced Sterling without interruption ever since he entered the house in 1868. Throughout his political life he has been a staunch radical and his views were never allowed to weaken or waver.

Sir Henry's early years in parliament were not eventful. He became famous at first through the rare gentility of his manner and his hospital-

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HELIE IS TO PAY, SAYS PRINCE

If He Doesn't Get Madame Gould and Her Barrel Pretty Soon

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
New York, April 6.—The fluctuating affairs of Mme. Anna Gould and Prince Helie De Sagan took a turn decisively for the prince yesterday, when she consented to their public appearance together for the first time since their arrival in New York.

After listening to the pleas of her brother Edwin that she give up the prince, she went to the Hotel Plaza. When she returned to the street an hour and a half later, it was in the company of her suitor. The pair remained together several hours.

This meeting came after a scant half hour as a long session with Edwin was evidently prearranged, and it is regarded as a direct stab at George Gould's opposition to Prince Helie's suit, as well as that offered by the family in general.

The prince has changed his plan for sailing on La Provence Thursday and announced he would remain in New York indefinitely. Prince Helie is, in fact, still afraid his departure for France ahead of Mme. Gould would be the signal for the family to bring such pressure to bear on Mme. Gould in his absence that, after all, the marriage might be forestalled, and on that account he intends to see that Mme. Gould sails for France ahead of him. The prince's own explanation for this move is characteristic.

"It would be indelicate," he says, "for me to precede Mme. Gould on the journey. It is not plain what they would say—the good goddess—that Mme. Gould is pursuing the prince? Truly that is a calamity to be guarded against."

The prince has not, however, given up his booking on La Provence, which sails next Thursday.

"There is still time, I think," he told the reporters, with a smile, "and if not, well, Helie is to pay."

Joins Elks, Loses His Pulpit.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 6.—The Pine Plains Baptist church has just requested the resignation of its pastor, Rev. Mervin Jacobs, because he joined the Poughkeepsie lodge of Elks, although warned before by his parishioners to keep out of the order.

NO PEONAGE IN NORTH CAROLINA MR. OVERMAN TELLS SENATE TODAY

BIG TELEGRAPH STRIKE MAY COME

Newspaper and Commercial Operators in Chicago Start Effort for Various Things

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Chicago, Ill., April 6.—Members of the local union of telegraphers, at a meeting here, adopted resolutions recommending that a strike be declared against the Western Union on June 1 unless there is a 10 per cent. increase in wages from those paid March 1 of last year, an eight hour day for day work, seven hours for night and split shifts, extra work at the rate of seven hours a day, five typewriters, and equal pay for male and female employees.

A copy of these resolutions will be sent the various posts throughout the country, asking them to take similar action.

HIGH OFFICERS IN LAND FRAUDS

Counsel for Schneider Says Some Big Men Will Figure In Case Before It's Over

Washington, April 6.—That officials high in the government service will be involved in the land fraud cases was the statement made today by Judge Campbell, of San Francisco, who is appearing as attorney for Joast Schneider, one of the four defendants. This was made known by Judge Campbell during the examination of one of the witnesses called during the selection of the jury.

The work of securing a jury in the case had taken on a serious aspect. Eleven men were seated in the jury box when court adjourned last Friday, but three of those were excused as soon as court opened. The venire of 100 men was exhausted by noon and 100 more were rounded up during the recess.

CHICAGO'S DIVINE RITS

Chicago, April 6.—"What is the highest ambition of the so-called select set to throw themselves away on debauched and depraved foreigners?"

This question was asked by Dr. Emil G. Hirsch yesterday in the course of a discussion of international marriages.

"Our society leaders have no room to criticize," he continued. "Their standards of morality are by no means the highest. They spend years and fortunes searching foreign halls of nobility for a count or a no-count, a baron or a no-baron with whom they can make a match for their daughters."

"What do they generally get in the end? This craze for marriage with titles is a necessity to comprehend. We read of the sort of men our American heiresses get for husbands. It is rare that they amount to anything. Yet the would-be countesses are as crazy for them—more so, in fact—as they ever were."

"It is hard to get into these 'select' circles. It is lucky for Jesus that he does not live today. Our rich men's clubs would raise objections to him. They don't admit Jews, however, you know. They would keep the Nazarene out from their club."

Indignantly Scores Department of Justice Spies That Have Been Working in South

REFUTES SOME CHARGES CIRCULATED LOCALLY

Senator Milton Sworn In as Successor to Late Senator Bryan of Florida

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Washington, April 6.—In the senate today Senator William H. Milton, successor to Senator Bryan, of Florida, was sworn in.

Senator Overman, of North Carolina, replying to charges printed locally, declared no peonage exists in North Carolina and scored the spies of the department of justice who have been making investigations in the south.

Senator Warren reported the army bill and gave notice he would call it up at an early date.

Senator Perkins reported the fortifications bill from the appropriations committee.

Senator Elkins, chairman of the interstate commerce committee, reported back to the senate the bill to modify the Sherman law, and at his request they were referred to the judiciary committee.

Tarheel Man's Vigorous Words.

Washington, April 6.—"I for one am tired of making these appropriations to send out long-haired men and short-haired women to spy upon our people and slander them."

With these words Senator Overman, of North Carolina, closed a speech in the senate in which he answered charges that various conditions as to peonage existed in North Carolina. Senator Overman arose to a question of privilege, and read an article in a local paper dealing with peonage in the south and purporting to give a confidential report on peonage conditions to the department of justice by Assistant Attorney General Russell.

In this report it was set forth that peonage existed in North Carolina as well as other southern states, and the conditions were represented as serious. Senator Overman replied only to that portion of the report and of the article relating to peonage in North Carolina. He declared there was not one word of truth in it; that no peonage existed in his state; that there had been no convictions for peonage in that state. He denounced assertions that peonage prevailed in North Carolina as a slander upon the people there.

He declared the attorney general himself had set forth the facts in the matter, showing there were no convictions for peonage in North Carolina in a manner directly contrary to the statements printed and which he arose to refute.

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WILL CAMPAIGN WISCONSIN IN BIG BALLOON.

Chicago, April 6.—"Milwaukee's lay mayor," Mr. Becker, will campaign for the governorship in a balloon. He has placed an order for a duplicate of the largest balloon in the world and will christen it "Wisconsin." His plan is to use the gas bag for transportation from town to town in northwestern Wisconsin, where the roads are muddy and hard to travel in late spring and early summer.

"No doubt my enemies will say this is done for sensation," said Mayor Becker, "but the truth is I am looking for safety and quick travel in a country difficult of access. I have stamped northern Wisconsin for good roads, and I know how much the people up there need them."

NEWS SUMMARY OF COMING WEEK

Washington, D. C., April 6.—A number of important cases will be taken up by the United States supreme court when that body reassembles today. Foremost is the case of Bradley W. Palmer versus the state of Texas, involving the right of the Waters-Pierce Oil company to do business in Texas.

During the week the American battleship fleet will conclude its target practice at Magdalena bay and prepare for the final lap of the long trip to San Francisco. According to announcement of the navy department stops will be made at San Diego, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara and Santa Cruz.

The political activity of the week will be confined principally to the republicans. State conventions of that party for the selection of delegates to the national convention are to be held in New York, Massachusetts, South Dakota and Virginia. The "insurgents," led by Gov. Crawford, will control the convention in South Dakota, and it is expected the eight delegates chosen will be for Taft. Virginia also is looked upon as favorable to the Taft movement. The New York convention will, of course, endorse Gov. Hughes for the presidential nomination and will bind its delegates to vote for him. Gov. Hughes will be permitted to make his own selection of the four delegates-at-large and it is expected Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, State Chairman Woodruff, President Schurman of Cornell, and ex-Gov. Frank S. Black will make up the "big four."

There will be a heated contest in the Massachusetts republican convention, which will meet in Boston Friday. The Taft men will fight for instructions, the opposition will oppose them, and there may be a compromise under which Secretary Taft may be mentioned in a merely complimentary way. Or it is regarded as possible there may be no mention

made at all. In that event it will, in that event it will be regarded as something of a setback for the Taft boom. More than ordinary importance is attached to the action of the Massachusetts convention because of its probable influence on the conventions to be held later in other New England states.

Secretary Taft and William J. Bryan, regarded to date as the leaders in the race for the presidential nomination on the republican and democratic tickets respectively, will be active on the stump during the week. Secretary Taft, who has been in the middle west several days, will penetrate as far as Nebraska and will be heard in Omaha and other large cities. Mr. Bryan is scheduled to spend four days of the week touring New York. This will keep him there until the evening of the democratic state convention and is intended to give encouragement to his followers who will take part in the gathering. It is hardly expected, however, that it will result in any very strong endorsement of the Nebraska man from the state convention.

Gov. Johnson, of Minnesota, another of the candidates for the presidential nomination, will take a trip south for the purpose of speaking at the dedication of the Minnesota monument on Shiloh battlefield. Before returning it is expected he will be heard in political addresses at several points.

Events of the week that will interest followers of sports and athletics will be the fight between Jimmy Britt and Paekie McFarland in San Francisco, the amateur court tennis championships in New York, the opening of the baseball season in the South Atlantic league.

A carnival and pageant in celebration of the tenth anniversary of the first introduction of automobiles in New York will open in that city Monday and continue through the week.