

FIRE KING'S WIFE TO HIS RESCUE.

She Flatly Contradicts the Evidence of Glueckman, Rosenbaum and Milch.

Declares They Never Discussed Plans for the Suffolk Street Blaze in Her Presence.

DEFENCE TRYING TO PROVE AN ALIBI.

Mrs. Hirschkopf Says She and Her Husband Spent the Day and Evening Before the Fatal Fire with Friends at Coney Island.

Mrs. Adolph Hirschkopf, wife of the "King of Fire Bugs," was on the stand in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court yesterday. She testified on behalf of her husband in his trial for murder by arson.

The witness flatly contradicted the evidence of "Shine" Rosenbaum, Max Glueckman, Samuel Milch and others of the "gang." She denied their testimony about the alleged conversations held in her presence before and after the fire in Suffolk street, in which little Lizzie Jaeger lost her life.

She also added a link to the alibi that the attorneys for the defence are attempting to establish. She swore that on May 30, 1894, she and her husband awoke early, dressed, and in company with Mr. and Mrs. Pierson, spent the day at Coney Island.

It was a warm night, and all the windows were open. About 5 o'clock in the morning Mrs. Hirschkopf, the defendant, and Rosa Linter, Mrs. Hirschkopf's sister, were awakened by fire engines passing the house.

"Did you see them the day after the Suffolk street fire?" "No, sir."

"Did you ever say in their presence that no man but your husband would have made such a fire; that he was a wretch, and that he was burning up little children?"

"I never said such a thing in my life."

When Mr. Davis took Mrs. Hirschkopf in hand for cross-examination, her entire manner changed. She grew firm and resolute, answered the questions put to her in the severest of tones, and generally showed that she cared but little for the man who had worked up the case against her husband to send her husband to the electric chair.

Mrs. Hirschkopf began Mr. Davis, in his most pleasant manner, "weren't you arrested about two months ago and bound over to keep the peace?"

"Yes, but that was because a man named Moses had to do with me in my street, and when he saw I wouldn't have it he called me a vile name. I just grabbed him and gave his whiskers a good strong pull."

There was a sensation in court about this time. It was occasioned by the entrance of John R. Fellows, fresh from Chicago, and a life of white flannel, worn in a negligee shirt and in his hand carried a pocket watch.

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A number of witnesses with unpronounceable names were called. They identified Rosenbaum and Glueckman as two men who had been at Kleinrock's the night of the fire. All denied that Hirschkopf had been there.

The amount specifically stated in the nine counts presented to-day was \$25,000.

MORELAND ADMITS HIS GUILT.

Sensational Ending of Pittsburg's Ex-City Attorney's Second Trial.

Pittsburg, July 13.—The second trial of ex-City Attorney W. C. Moreland and his assistant, W. H. House, jointly charged with misappropriating money said to belong to the city of Pittsburg, was called in Quarter Sessions Court to-day.

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65274. all the shortages on which the Commonwealth is short to be able to secure positive evidence. The first trial of the defendants was had in February last, and resulted in acquittal.

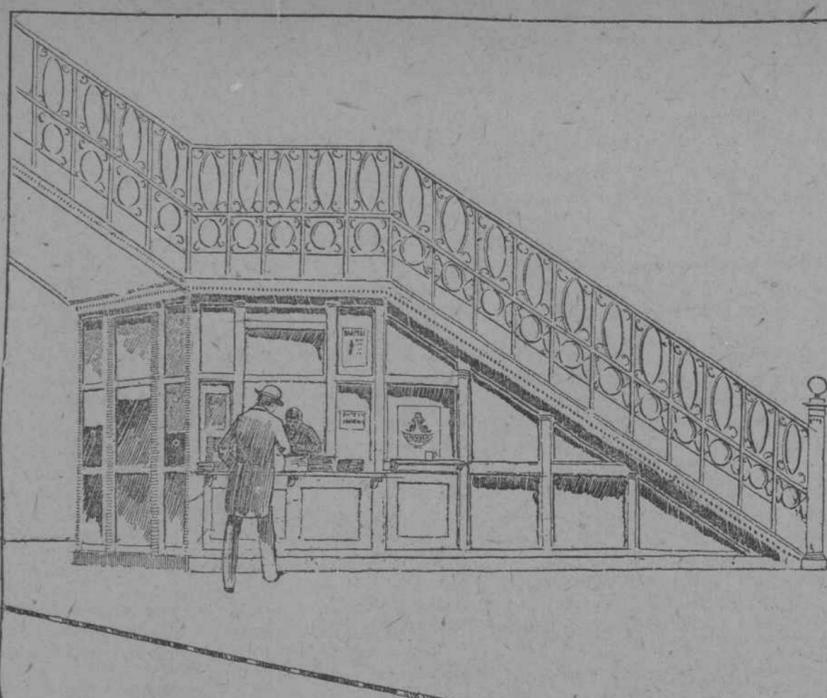
Major Moreland was not present to-day. When he was called in by Secretary Keenan, his counsel, addressed the court, saying: "May I please Your Honors, wish to enter a plea of guilty for Mr. Moreland."

The court accepted the plea and the attorneys quickly left the room. The totally unexpected development caused a sensation.

The trial of House was then taken up. He entered a plea of not guilty, and the selection of a jury was begun. The maximum penalty attached to Major Moreland's confessed crime is five years imprisonment and fine according to the amount of the city's claim against him.

Southern Spindles Shut Down.

Fall River, Mass., July 13.—Secretary Keenan, of the Fall River Cotton Manufacturers' Association, has received a letter from a Southern cotton manufacturer in which the writer states that 1,945,000 out of a total of 2,500,000 spindles in the South have agreed to shut down 50 per cent of the time between July and October.



HOW ONE OF THE PROPOSED "L" STATION KIOSKS WOULD LOOK.

GEORGE LORD DAY WEDS.

Well-Known New Yorker Marries Mlle. Millant in Jersey.

The Bride Reported to Be a Resident of the Town of Courbevoise, France.

LITTLE KNOWN OF THE WEDDING.

The Couple Believed to Have Met Shortly After Mr. Day Met with a Nearly Fatal Accident While Hunting.

MR. MUMBY'S STORY.

"Day went abroad," said Mr. Mumby, still, matrimony is always within the range of human endeavor, you know. He didn't say anything to me about marriage.

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STORMY TALK ON KIOSKS.

Arguments Against Their Beauty Made by Alderman Ware.

Others Urge That the City Should Put Up the Privileges at Auction.

COMPARED TO THE HEINE FOUNTAIN.

One Alderman Says They Are Much Less Artistic—Adjournment with No Discussion.

ACTOR SHEDS REAL BLOOD.

Leon Fleming Cuts Himself During a Sketch. Ransome Impersonates Hanna.

Stage News.

Grace Russell, extensively reported as a society belle of Washington, appeared with Leon Fleming at Koster & Blal's last night in a sketch burlesquing the Belasco method of training actresses.

While giving an imitation of Richard Mansfield in the death scene from "A Parisian Romance," Mr. Fleming cut his hand severely with a wine glass.

Quick to avail himself of the political situation, John W. Ransome, the comedian, impersonated Mark Hanna at Proctor's Pleasure Palace last night.

Helen Lowell and Ed S. Abeles, latest recruits from the legitimate, made their vaudeville debut at Keith's in a sketch well adapted to their abilities.

There were several new-comers at Hammerstein's roof garden, but Fregoli, the impersonator, was as usual the drawing medium.

Jennie Yeaman was to have made her roof garden debut at the American, but, owing to the rain, the performance was given in the theatre.

At Terrace Garden "Nanon" was revived by the German Opera Company, with an increased chorus and orchestra.

Marie Ray, who arrived here last Thursday with a London music hall indorsement, made her debut at the Casino last night in "In Gay New York."

Robert Graham, secretary of the Church Temperance Society, of which Bishop Potter, its president, spoke in favor of the kiosks, and especially of the plan to distribute free ice water.

"Don't you think it would be better if the city should undertake this work, instead of leaving it to an individual or corporation?" asked Mr. Ware.

"Certainly," replied Graham, "but there is a bird in the hand; yours is a bird in the bush."

O. J. Gude said he was willing to pay big money for the privilege and wanted a chance to bid for it.

Henry C. Miner and Joseph Brooks have purchased the McVicker Company's interest in the American Theatrical Syndicate. This gives them all the syndicate's property.

The first two companies opening under their direction will be the organization presenting J. Cheever Goodwin and Wilson Morse's musical comedy, "Lost, Strayed & Stolen," at the Fifth Avenue Theatre.

During the Chicago engagement the Hollandis will present a new play by Henry Guy Arletton, entitled "Two Men of Business and a New Play, entitled 'A Superfluous Husband,' by Clyde Fitch and Leo Detrichstein, will provide this organization with plenty of material to be carried down.

A floating roof garden. Steamboat Grand Republic to be Fitted up for Vaudeville Entertainments.

A floating "roof garden" is the latest novelty offered to the public. The steamboat Grand Republic is to be fitted out with a stage on the hurricane deck and every night the audience will be carried down the bay or up the Hudson, combining a sail with a vaudeville entertainment.

The first trip of the floating garden will be illuminated and decorated after the style of land roof gardens and dressing rooms, calcium lights, drop curtain, etc., will be provided for the performers.

The first trip of the floating garden will be made Thursday night, the boat leaving West Twenty-second street at 8:15, and the Battery 8:30. The performers include Walter Rogers, conductor; the Clellian Quartet, George W. Day, Yale Banjo Trio, Layman, impersonator; a mixed quartet, and an orchestra of twenty musicians.

BIG ANIMALS WITH EYES OF BLAZING FIRE.

The Pest Assumes Proportions of the Sea Serpent to Sing Sing Farmers.

They Declare It Is of Large Size, and Claim It Cannot Be Killed by Fire or Poison.

NEW YORK PARKS IN ITS PATH.

Agriculturists of the Hudson Who Have Lost Grain and Grass Advise Authorities of This City to Expect an Invasion.

Sing Sing's farmers are in terror of the army worm. The finest crops of the most prosperous farms have been destroyed by him, and he is after the others now.

Mr. Coddington, at Whitson's, who has studied the army worm and its army, says it has scouts, skirmishers and an advance guard. He claims the march is planned in advance to the southeast always.

The army worm's first appearance at Sing Sing was on July 3, on the farm of Robert G. Mead. Mr. Mead was proud of his eye, and taunted his friend, Abraham Hyatt, with its richness.

Walter W. Law's farms are at the southeast of Mead's, and the worms attacked them by night. First they destroyed the oats; then they ate the barley, the timothy and mixed grass.

"The army worm does not like clover," the naturalists say. He liked the mixed clover of the Briar Cliff farms. "He works by night, and hides by day," say the naturalists. He is working by day in Ryder's farm.

There were twenty-five acres of oats in Mr. Law's farm; where the oats were twenty-four acres of barley in the same farm; there is no barley there now.

The army worm did not touch Mr. Law's eye. He had feasted on Mr. Mead's, which was better, and would not be satisfied with a minor quality. The army worm is fastidious. He likes the corn of Sing Sing, his buckwheat, and even his potatoes.

Professor Edmund B. Southwick, the entomologist of the New York City parks, said yesterday that he was not afraid of the army worm, because grain was the insect's special food.

Mr. Southwick says that the army worm is going southeast, but he will visit New York, and that all the rolling on the lawns and in the parks threatens will not save Central Park.

"Dig trenches around Central Park while there is time," Mr. Coddington says.

Banker Bloodgood ill. Prostrated as the Result of Overwork and the Hot Weather.

John Bloodgood is ill with nervous prostration at his home, No. 3 North Washington square. He is the senior member of the well-known banking firm of John Bloodgood & Co., in the Mills building, Broadstreet.

It was first reported yesterday that he had suffered a stroke of apoplexy, but his ailment is the result of overwork and the extreme heat.

Amusement Notes. Al Hayman and Charles Frohman have closed contracts with H. Beerboom Tree and his new Her Majesty's Theatre Company for a twelve weeks' tour of America, beginning in November.

Mr. Tree will close his management of the Maymarket Theatre at the end of the month. His new theatre is now in course of construction. While in this country Mr. Tree will produce "The Seats of the Mighty," from Gilbert Parker's book.

For his next American tour Mr. Tree has secured Mr. Mark Harvey, Sammie Taylor, Charles Groves, Frederick Kerr, Gilbert Hare, Frank Gilmore, E. Vivienne Reynolds and Frederick Thorne.

The Russell Brothers have a new sketch, with which they will open the season at Weber & Fields' Broadway Music Hall.

The first production of Lillian Russell's new opera, "An American Boy," will be given in Stratford, September 14. "Der Waldmeister" and "Das Modell" are to be translated and added to her repertory.

Perhaps the "New Woman" will be a stronger woman than the old one. Certainly, fresh air and the right exercise will do much for her.

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