



Husband of Woman Stabbed to Death Held as Suspect 10,000 Homeless by Chelsea's Big Blaze Are Given Aid 11 Fishing Boats Caught in Storm Are Still Missing

WEATHER—Cloudy to-night; Tuesday fair.

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WIFE STRANGLER, HUSBAND STABBED, SLAYER A SUICIDE

Man Returns Home to Find Assailant Bending Over the Body of Woman Whom He Had Strangled to Death With a Towel.

Charles Palter entered his home at No. 127 West Twenty-eighth street here this afternoon and found his wife dead, strangled with a towel.

HARD TIMES SEND DIAMOND FIRM INTO BANKRUPTCY

Receiver Named for C. F. Wood & Co., Maiden Lane Dealers.

An echo of the Hard Times period was heard in the United States Court to-day when a receiver was appointed for the firm of Charles F. Wood & Company, dealers in diamonds, at No. 1 Maiden Lane as the result of the filing of an involuntary petition in bankruptcy by creditors.

R. COUNT TRIAL HURRIED ALONG BY THE JUDGE

Justice Lambert Cuts Lawyers Short When They Delay Matters.

The trial by jury of the suit brought by Attorney-General Jackson to oust Mayor McClellan and seat Willem R. Hearst, on the ground that the latter was counted out, was begun to-day before Justice Lambert in the Supreme Court.

BENNING'S RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—The Wrestler (9 to 2 and 3 to 1) 1. Workman (3 to 1 for place) 2. Servile 3.

THEY ALL LOOK ALIKE TO MARY. This is the title of the next song to be given with the new York Sunday World. Words and music composed by Maurice Shapiro.

"KID BURNS," OFF STAGE, DID NOT PAY POKER DEBT

Victor Moore, a Red-Hot Sport Evenings and Matinees, Is Sued for a Paltry \$138.

DOES HE OWE "MARY?"

Fay Templeton's Name Is Dragged Into the Case by an Ungallant Lawyer.

Victor Moore, who is appearing in a Broadway production in which he interprets the role of a race track plunger and a red-hot sky-limit sport, was the defendant to-day in a suit for the recovery of a paltry \$138, lost in a poker game in the Belleisle Hotel.

First he admitted that he had been stung consistently in a series of poker games in the Belleisle and Gerard, but denied that he had lost a total of \$138. He said he thought he owed the \$138 which he had not made good, and which he intended to take his time in settling.



FAY TEMPLETON.

Justice Lambert, who presided at the second trial of Roland Molleux, came from far away Eretonis.

The City of New York—the most interested party in the suit—was not represented at the counsel table. For the State they appeared Attorney-General William S. Hearst, Clarence A. Shearn and former Deputy Attorney-General C. A. Dolson. Mr. Hearst was represented by Melvin G. Pallister and Hector M. Hittinger.

Against these were Eugene Lamb Richards, Jr., ex-Justice G. D. B. Harbrouck, of Dutchess County, and Henry W. Herbert.

Slain Woman and Husband Who Is Held as a Suspect



Mrs. Isaac Lieberman.

HACKENSCHMIDT WOULD WRESTLE GOTCH AGAIN

But Wants Robert Edgren, of The Evening World, as Referee.

LONDON, April 12.—Hackenschmidt, the Russian Lion, on landing in Plymouth, to-day, said:

WOMAN MURDERED; JEALOUS HUSBAND HELD AS A SUSPECT

Mrs. Antoinette Lieberman, a beautiful and dashing young woman, was stabbed to death in her bed at her home, No. 706 Courtlandt avenue, the Bronx, to-day. Her husband, Israel Lieberman, a shirt waist dealer with a store at No. 759 Melrose avenue, is under arrest as a suspect. He was arraigned before Magistrate Breen and remanded to the Coroner.

The police have learned that Lieberman was extremely jealous of his wife, who was fond of attending dances and parties. He complained that she did not pay enough attention to his business.

FAMILY OF FIVE ADRIFT IN SOUND?

Man, Wife and Three Daughters Reported Blown Far From Shore in Skiff.

NORWALK, Conn., April 12.—Jacob Roe, an oysterman, reports that a man, his wife and three daughters were carried far out in the Sound by the gale yesterday, while raving in a skiff.

SHERRY SUED BY HIS WIFE FOR DIVORCE

Restaurateur Asked to Pay \$10,000 Alimony and Fees and \$500 a Month.

TRY TO AVOID PUBLICITY

Case Goes Over for a Day, and Counsel Agree to Make No Statement.

Papers have been served on Louis Sherry, the noted Fifth avenue restaurateur, in a suit for divorce by his wife, who asks \$10,000 temporary alimony and counsel fees and \$500 a month.

Jacob Newman, private secretary to Supreme Court Justice Foster, is attorney for the plaintiff, and last week served papers on Louis Sherry. He left the Justice's chambers to-day in company with a small man of foreign appearance, who is a familiar figure at Sherry's restaurant, bound for the court house.



LOUIS SHERRY.

In the court-house he was again approached, being at the time with Franklin Bein, who represented the defendant.

Instead of T. W. Rowlette, who was named as counsel in the papers filed, "Isn't it true?" Newman was asked, "that you have been retained as Mrs. Sherry's lawyer because of your position as secretary to Justice Foster, the idea being that you will be able to keep the matter quiet?"

"Absurd, absurd!" said Newman, with some heat, and his small foreign looking companion became very excited. He spoke in a pronounced French accent. "There is no divorce," he cried, waving his arms. "There is no divorce!"

Inquiries for the proprietor at Sherry's to-day were met with the answer that he was not in and would not return until to-morrow, but the failure of a brick which he had propped against the door of his office to keep the door closed was the means of disclosing his whereabouts.

CHELSEA QUICK TO RECOVER FROM RAVAGES OF FIRE

Needs of 10,000 Homeless Sufferers Met, as Cities of Massachusetts Rally to Aid of Burned City and Roosevelt Sends Offer.

SEARCH RUINS FOR MISSING; ONLY THREE KNOWN DEAD.

Scores Injured in Panic as Blaze Raged Recovering—Fifty Babies Left in the Streets Are With the Police—Loss Fixed at \$5,000,000.

Roosevelt Offers Nation's Aid To People of Stricken City.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—President Roosevelt to-day sent this telegram to Mayor Beck, of Chelsea:

BOSTON, April 13.—Although more than 10,000 persons were made homeless, and hundreds of buildings, including residences, business blocks, churches and public institutions were destroyed in the fire which practically wiped out a third of the neighboring city of Chelsea yesterday, a careful estimate by the insurance adjusters to-day places the property loss at approximately \$5,000,000, on which there was insurance to the amount of \$3,500,000.

The relief work early to-day took on a substantial form and by noon the situation was well in hand. There was clothing in abundance, temporary shelter had been provided for the homeless and so bountiful was the supply of food brought into the stricken city that no one went hungry.

For a fire of such magnitude the casualties were remarkably small. Up to noon to-day the number of dead was three. It is possible that the death list may be larger, and as a number of persons are missing, it is feared that the bodies of some of these may be found in the ruins, a thorough search of which was begun to-day.

One striking feature of the disaster was the fact that fifty babies ranging in age from two months to two years were found on the streets, evidently abandoned by parents as the latter sought to rescue others of their families. Seven babies were born in the city as the fire raged.

Acting Gov. Draper announced this afternoon that the funds for the relief of Chelsea can and will be raised in Massachusetts. The chairman of the Relief Committee also stated that all the money needed will be forthcoming. Offers of financial assistance were received during the day from several Massachusetts cities.

RESULTS OF BIG BLAZE THAT SWEEPED CHELSEA.

Ten thousand are homeless. Three dead and many missing. Fifty seriously injured. Fifty babies abandoned. Three hundred tenements burned. Thirty churches destroyed. Three hundred and fifty acres fire swept. Five million dollars in property lost. Water supply cut off.

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