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PRESENT PHOTOGRAPHS

Swear Hole Appeared Weeks After Date of Fatal Smudge in Big Tube.

Public Service Commission engineers to-day swore that a drill driven through the concrete wall of the subway under Longacre square did not cause the big subway blow-out of Jan. 6, when one woman was killed and hundreds were almost asphyxiated by smoke and gas.

The engineers swore, and they had photographs to back their assertions, that a puncture of the cable ducts was not made by a drill until Jan. 25, nineteen days after the accident.

This testimony was offered to discredit the two witnesses produced by Col. Hayward, counsel for the legislative committee which is investigating the Public Service Commission. It also tended to discredit the efforts of the District Attorney's office, which furnished Col. Hayward with the witnesses.

Col. Hayward's witnesses, two former employees of the Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins Construction Company, which is connecting the old and the new subways under Longacre square, swore that they drove a drill through the wall of the old subway and short circuited the feed cable Jan. 6.

Andrew Velt Jr., assistant division engineer, and Robert L. Dixon, a junior engineer, both in the employ of the Public Service Commission in supervising the work of connecting the subways, gave corroborative testimony.

Dixon said that on Jan. 25, at 9:30 A. M., he carefully examined the south side of the subway at Forty-second Street, where the Holbrook concern is breaking through the duct.

"There was a puncture in the duct at that hour," testified Dixon. Andrew Kellach said he made an examination of the following morning and found a break in the duct. He found a hole in the duct, and he found a hole in the duct, and he found a hole in the duct.

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FUGITIVE ARRESTED AS DYNAMITER AFTER A WORLD WIDE CHASE



SHIP'S NOBLE STEWARD FREED SO HE CAN POUR CHIANTI FOR CARUSO

Duke's Son Accused of Smuggling, but That Can Wait While Enrico Eats.

As a consequence of the leniency of United States Commissioner Houghton, Enrico Caruso, who sails tomorrow on the Italian liner Duca D'Aosti for Naples to fill an engagement at Monte Carlo, will enjoy the services of the only steward of noble blood aboard the ship and the only man who knows how to twist the spaghetti and pour chianti as the great singer likes it.

Commissioner Houghton to-day paroled in custody of the liner's steward until March 25 Emilio Silenzi Rossler, eldest son of the Duc de Silenzi, whose big castle near Genoa hasn't seen the wandering son of the house since he departed some months ago to spend a comfortable fortune.

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FOR SON'S SAKE, SLAYER GIVES UP AFTER SIX YEARS

Madelina Will Take Chance With Jury Rather Than Disgrace Boy.

Frank Madelina, who left a prosperous business in Steubenville, O., and returned voluntarily to New York to stand trial for murder, hoping to clear his name for the sake of his ten-year-old son, Pasquale, will not have to wait long to learn his fate, Assistant District Attorney Embree, who has charge of the case, said to-day. As soon as the witnesses can be found and subpoenaed Madelina will be tried.

In the meantime he will have to remain in the Tombs without bail. Tomorrow he will be arraigned to enter a plea. He is under indictment for killing Joseph Pappa Dec. 18, 1908. The killing occurred in a saloon at No. 129 Hester Street, of which Madelina was part owner. He claims he acted in self defense.

Madelina made this statement: "I knew I was innocent, for Pappa was trying to kill me with a gun when I fired, and when I fired it was as much in fear of what the Black Hand would do to me if I remained as anything else. Now I believe the old Black Hand that I used to see about the saloon are gone."

"The thing that finally decided me was this boy of mine. I couldn't bear the idea of the boy living under a name other than his own. Then I have ambitions for him. He is going to be a doctor and I wanted to get him back to New York City so that I could send him to New York schools to prepare for entering Columbia University. Now I am here, and I expect that when I am tried I will be acquitted."

Madelina was taken before Judge Malone in General Sessions to-day by Detective Armstrong. His wife and son were at Headquarters to accompany him to court. He pleaded not guilty and went to the Tombs to await trial.

blowing smoke was driving office folk from the big twelve-story building at Nos. 71-73 Murray Street, next door, and the crowd packed City Hall Square.

The crowd was not disappointed in its lust for thrills. Fifteen men from Engine Nos. 27 and 29, under the leadership of Acting Chief O'Hara and Battalion Chief Walsh, began an inch-by-inch fight up the fire escapes with heavy lines of hose. Three pipes were dragged to the second, third and

THRILLING ESCAPES IN DOWNTOWN FIRE, GIRLS ARE RESCUED

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Fourth fire escape platforms respectively. Time and again the flame belched out into the faces of the fighters, forcing them to give round and descend the iron ladders; each time they fought back, while a deep throated cheer from the packed thousands on Broadway rewarded them. On occasions, they were completely mantled in winding sheets of fire, from which it seemed they could not emerge alive.

But after half an hour of bitter work they had the flames under control at 12.45. No estimate of the damage has yet been made.

While firemen were still searching for a woman believed to be missing, Joseph Capello appeared on the street before the building to explain her disappearance. His mother, he said, had been working on the fourth floor and he had run up from the second floor to help her from the building. Their way to the street via the stairs cut off, the boy piloted his mother to the roof. There an iron ladder led to the top of the adjoining building, at No. 67. Up this the lad helped his mother and they descended to the street.

Tramps in Fire Trap. Five Hoops From Basement of Milford Town Hall.

MILFORD, Conn., Feb. 19.—Five tramps, locked in a basement, nearly lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the town hall early to-day. Using an iron bar wrenched from their bunk, they tore a hole through the ceiling and crawled out to safety. Two were slightly burned.

The fire was first discovered in the rooms of the G. A. R. on the top floor where a banquet was held last night. The loss was \$50,000.

BERLIN WAR OFFICE CLAIMS GAINS ON WESTERN FRONT

Declares That Lost Trenches Have Been Regained and Many Prisoners Taken.

BERLIN, Feb. 19 (By wireless telegraph to Bayville, L. I.).—The official statement given out to-day by the German army headquarters says: "On the road to Arras and Lille the French have been thrown out of the position of the German trench which was occupied by them on Feb. 18."

In the Champagne district removed attacks made by strong French forces broke down completely under German fire. One hundred additional prisoners fell into German hands. Short sections of the German trenches which were taken by the French on Feb. 18 were partly reconquered.

In the reported attack on Bouresches and Vauquois six officers and 219 unarmied men were captured.

To the east of Verdun, near Compeux, the French, after a short-lived success under heavy losses were repulsed.

In the Vosges the Germans stormed "Wald 99," to the south of Lunan, and took two machine guns.

The Germans yesterday occupied Hagenau, in the Russian Province of Alsace.

The engagements of the previous day with the retreating Russians in the northwest of Grodno and to the west of Andriewka are nearing their end. The battle to the northwest of Andriewka continues. South of Myrskow the Germans drove the Russians out of several villages.

To the north of the Victoria, in the Russian Province of Polesie, the Germans captured the town of Ruzhica and the station of Ruzhica.

From the region on the south of the Victoria, in Poland, there is nothing new to report.

IRISHMAN WHO TOOK TRENCH SINGLE HANDED GETS VICTORIA CROSS.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—To Lance Corporal Michael Leary of the Irish Guards has been awarded the Victoria Cross for bravery at Oulshay Feb. 1.

Leary, according to the official account, formed one of a storming party which advanced against the German trenches. He rushed to the front and, having secured the trench, he captured the second barricade, which he captured after killing three Germans and taking two others.

SALTS IF KIDNEYS OR BLADDER BOTHER

Harmless to flush Kidneys and neutralize irritating acids.

Kidney and bladder weakness result from acid urine, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter the acid from the blood and pass it to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; gaining steam in difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness most often tells off it because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, it is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of acid salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs, which they are normally again.

Red Salt is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by acid irritations. Red Salt is especially for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Have you a pleasant, effective, non-water-drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.—Adv.

Sunday World Wants

UP-STATE BOARD TRIMS HIGH COST OF TELEPHONING

Concludes Case and Starts Compiling Figures for Benefit of Overcharged Public.

Another step was taken toward the ultimate victory of The Evening World in its long fight for reduction of the telephone rates in this city when the up-State Public Service Commission closed its prima facie case at a hearing in the Metropolitan Tower to-day.

The Commission will now compile its figures based on the reports of its experts and within a week will submit to the New York Telephone Company an estimate of the amount that should be taken from the profits of the corporation every year and distributed among patrons in the form of a reduction in rates.

It will then be up to the New York Telephone Company to accept these figures or seek for a compromise.

John L. Swayze, counsel for the company, said to-day that he did not think there would be any serious dispute about this phase of the matter.

If the Commission's figures are accepted by the corporation without material revision experts will be set to work to revise the tariffs downward with all possible speed.

Martin W. Littleton, in announcing that the Commission had closed its prima facie case, asked if the New York Telephone Company would accept the figures given by the expert witnesses and, if not, the Commission would attempt to have these figures changed. He said that both sides had agreed that the value of the land owned by the company be put at \$5,000,000 and that the cost value of the company's plant had been put at \$27,000,000, to which sum certain additions must be made.

Mr. Swayze said that if the commission will indicate what it considers a fair value of the company's property and what it would consider a fair return on the valuation the company would be prepared to give a quick answer. It was then agreed that the preparation of the commission's figures would be completed at once. The commission will fix the valuation of the company's plant in this city at some-where between \$7,000,000 the minimum and \$10,000,000 the maximum.

"The great hope of the company," said Mr. Swayze, "is for ending as quickly as possible all this turmoil. On the part of the company there will be every effort made to meet the Commission and the public fairly and squarely. We realize that the testimony already presented will involve a cut in rates and I hope we can get together without delay."

GROSS'S NURSE FAILS TO CONVINCE JURY

Denies She Waved Kisses to Employer, but Jurors Just Won't Disbelieve Guide.

A jury in Justice Gott's part of the Supreme Court refused to find to-day that Miss Ray Stone, a middle-aged woman, had been nothing more than a nurse to Ferdinand L. Cross, wealthy jeweler of Maiden Lane, who was sued for divorce by Anna Florence Cross.

Miss Stone vigorously insisted that she had been only a nurse to Cross.

"The only time I did anything that could have been misconstrued by anyone," said Miss Stone, "was when I patted Mr. Cross on the back when he was feeling badly over financial troubles and told him not to worry."

Miss Stone denied that she had waved kisses to Cross as she stood on the porch of his cabin at Schrono Lake, in the Adirondacks, and he stood in his boat fishing. Frederick Jenks, an Adirondack guide testified that every time Cross yanked out a fish he waved a kiss to his nurse and she returned one.

GIRL INJURED AT FIRE.

Four Firemen Overcome at Blaze in Newark.

Four firemen were overcome and several girls slightly injured in a two-alarm fire this afternoon at the trunk factory of L. Goldsmith & Son, Cherry Street and Morris Canal. The fire started just after lunch hour, and about three hundred employees left the building in safety. Several girls were slightly injured in getting out of the burning building. The damage is about \$15,000. A lighted cigarette thrown under a trunk in the stock room started the fire. Chief James Pagan was on a ladder near the third story. Brooklyn firemen were called to the station.

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BRITISH CAPTAIN REPORTS HE SANK GERMAN SUBMARINE.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 19.—Capt. J. W. White of the British steamer Overdale, came into port to-day with a story of how he sank a German submarine on New Year's day. The captain said he would ask the British Government to reward him.

The Overdale, he said, was in collision with the submarine during a heavy storm on the following coast. The freighter drove over the deck of the submarine and the undersea craft disappeared. Two blades of the propeller were broken and the Overdale was in drydock at Queenstown for three weeks.

BUKOWINA CLEAR OF RUSSIAN TROOPS, ALL REPORTS AGREE.

LONDON, Feb. 19 (Associated Press).—All reports agree that the Austrians have forced the Russians entirely out of Bukowina. The Russians claim that they retired in good order, but they would not deny their retreat. Several weeks ago the occupation of Bukowina by the Russians and the presence of the Austrians near the Rumanian frontier was hailed as a situation which should justify the entry of Rumania into the war on the side of the allies.

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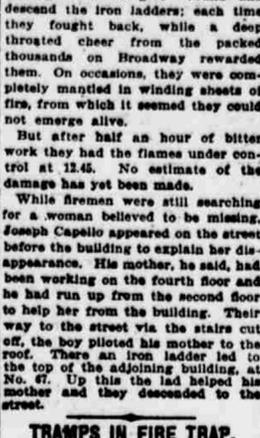
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PARKER.—On Feb. 17, JAMES PARKER passed quietly away, at 11.30 P. M., at his residence, 128 West 81st St. He was born in Roseville (Tallow), County Waterford, Ireland; he obtained fourth place at the local examination in Trinity College, Dublin, at that time a youth of 17 years; eldest son of William H. Parker, Solicitor of Roseville (Tallow), County Waterford, Ireland; in his early career in this country he spent seven years as superintendent of Fifth Ave. Street Car Line, after which he became chief inspector of the Metropolitan Street Railway for the last 23 years or more; estimated by all his associates and survived by his wife, Anna Parker (nee Disney).

Funeral on St. Malachy's Church Saturday at 10 A. M. Interment Calvary, Friends and relatives invited to attend.



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