

WOMAN BURNED IN CIGAR STORE

Cigar Lighter Sets Mrs. Frank's Veil and Hat on Fire in Jersey City.

Mrs. Edna Frank, 33, of No. 165 Van Nostrand Avenue, Jersey City, was screaming from a Schulte cigar store at No. 221 Newark Avenue, that city, shortly after noon to-day, the hot side of her face and head enveloped in flames.

While in the store buying Christmas presents she inadvertently approached the flame of a cigar lighter, which ignited her veil, and her hat also caught fire.

Before Policeman Gollity and George Hoff, manager of the store, smothered the flames Mrs. Frank's face was badly blistered and the hair was burned from the left side of her head. She went home in her car.

COUNTING UNION BALLOTS.

Contest for Presidency of Local Labor Council Not Yet Decided.

The count of ballots in last night's election of the new Central Trades and Labor Council was in progress all day at Beethoven Hall. The rival candidates for president are Edward J. Hannah and John Sullivan. The former represents what the workmen call the conservatives, and Sullivan a national official of the old central Federated Union of New Britain and Sullivan a national official of the New York Workers' Union. There are twenty-one candidates, two of whom are women.

HIS PRESCRIPTION BLANKS CUT DOWN

Doctor Objects Vainly to Restriction of 100 for a Period of Three Months.

Judge Julius Mayer in the Federal District Court denied to-day the application of Dr. Melville A. Hays, a physician of No. 124 Audubon Avenue, Manhattan, for a mandatory order directing Charles R. O'Connor, Prohibition Director for New York State, to furnish him with all the liquor prescription blanks he needed.

Dr. Hays contended that, under the

Volstead Act, no regulation could be made limiting the number of blanks a doctor could use. Dr. Hays said that in February, 1920, he was given a book of 100 blanks. In May he was refused a book because, according to a new regulation, one book had to last for three months. Assistant United States District Attorney Barnes said that Dr. Hays could, in the advent of an epidemic, obtain all the blanks he required.

ATE HAND BOOK EVIDENCE.

Court, However, Believed Detective and Convicted the Prisoner.

"How do you expect to convict this prisoner when he has eaten the corpus

delicti?" Justice Kernochan asked Detective Frederick Russell to-day, when August Baer, a baker of No. 1483 Avenue A, was arraigned in Special Sessions on a charge of bookmaking. Detective Russell had testified that he arrested Baer at 84th Street and 2d Avenue after seeing him accept slips of paper and money from various persons he met at the corner. Russell declared Baer crammed all the slips of paper into his mouth, chewed them up and swallowed them.

Despite the lack of evidence, however, Justice Kernochan, Edwards and Murphy decided to take the detective's word for it, convicted Baer and sentenced him to sixty days in the workhouse. Then they suspended sentence because Baer's family needs his earnings.

WILSON'S STATUS AS A MEDIATOR

State Department Now Says He Will Act "Personally" on Armenia.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—State Department officials said to-day that a misconception had been placed upon their statement yesterday as to whether President Wilson would act officially or personally in naming a

mediator to act for him in an effort to settle the trouble between the Armenians and Turkish Nationalists. They said the President would act personally and not officially in appointing a mediator, but explained that it would be difficult, of course, to differentiate between Woodrow Wilson personally and as President of the United States.

Should the negotiations not be concluded before President Wilson returns next March 4, the mediator appointed by him would continue to act as his representative.

PRIEST'S PLEA SAVES HERO.

Contracted Drug Habit in Hospital Recovering From Wounds.

A plea by Father Francis P. Duffy, Chaplain of the 165th Division in the World War, to-day saved Thomas Mooney, twenty-one, No. 167 East 52d Street, former member of the 89th Regiment, from prison. He had been arrested while taking cocaine and it was charged a quantity of the drug was found in his possession.

When he was arraigned in Special Sessions, Father Duffy told of Mooney's war record, which included hard fighting, five bullet wounds and his reported death. For two years he was in the hospital and by reason of his sufferings, Father Duffy said, had contracted the cocaine habit. The justices sent Mooney to Riverdale Hospital in an effort to rehabilitate him.

Funeral of Dr. Louis A. Dreyfus. Flags on Staten Island ferries and at the St. George and Manhattan terminals were at half staff from 1 to 5 o'clock this afternoon as a mark of respect for Dr. Louis A. Dreyfus, President of the Staten Island Civic League, whose funeral was held from his home in Howard Avenue, Grimes Hill, Staten Island. Rabbi Stephen S. Wise officiated.

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 - Rezell Toilet Soap 16c
 - Pyorrhoid Tooth Powd. 79c
 - Derin's Rouge (Brunette) 40c
 - Dier-Kiss Face Powder 57c
 - Dier-Kiss Talcum Powd. 25c
 - Johnson's Baby Powder 19c
 - Frostilla 24c
 - Fond's Cold Cream (sm.) 24c
 - Fond's Cold Cream (lrg.) 47c
 - D. & R. Cold Cream 43c
 - Hind's Honey & Ala. Cr. 39c
 - Mennen's Shaving Cr. 45c
 - Pompeian Massage Cr. 69c
 - Java Rice Powder 39c
 - La Blache Face Powder 57c
 - Mulsified Coconut Oil 39c
 - Pebeco Tooth Paste 39c
 - Kolyon Tooth Paste 23c
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 - Witch Hazel 39c
 - Bicarbonate of Soda 15c
 - Powdered Borax 20c
 - Peroxide of Hydrogen 25c
 - Scidlitz Powders 29c
 - Castor Oil 25c
 - Fluid Cascara 45c
 - Bromo Seltzer 43c
 - Castoria 27c
 - Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—1.50 size — 89c
 - Danderrine 82c
 - Eskey's Food 69c
 - Mellin's Food 65c
 - Lavoris 89c
 - Listerine 45c
 - Horlicks Malted Milk 79c
 - Nujol 89c
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