

NEW WITNESSES COME TO AID OF MRS. STILLMAN

Buffalo, N. Y., March 21.—(U. P.)—Two new important witnesses in the Stillman divorce scandal were discovered here today. They are two prominent men, friends of the Stillmans, who declared they were prepared to refute James A. Stillman's attack on the legitimacy of 2-year-old Guy Stillman.

The men, who would not permit their names to be used, said they were guests at the Stillman home in Ponatic hills during the early part of 1918 and that they were prepared to swear that the multi-millionaire banker and his wife, Mrs. "Fifi" Potter Stillman, were both at that place during that time.

Letters written by the men to relatives, mentioning the fact that the Stillmans were together in their automobiles, have been turned over to Mrs. Stillman's attorneys.

Stillman is alleged to contend that Guy, who was born in November, 1918, is the son of Fred Beauvais, French-Canadian guide, whom Mrs. Stillman met at the Stillman country home near Montreal.

The Buffalo men, who said they knew Beauvais, declared they would also testify regarding his high character.

MRS. LEEDS DROPS FROM SIGHT, FEARING SLEUTHS
Miami, Fla., March 21.—The specter of publicity has reached out and driven one of the main actors in the Stillman divorce drama into parts unknown.

The refugee is Mrs. Florence Leeds, the other woman in the complex Stillman case, with its ramifications of two blonde infant sons.

Meanwhile "Modesty," the palatial steam yacht of James A. Stillman, leading New York banker, which a few weeks ago was the scene of many happy parties with Mrs. Leeds and her two-year-old son, Jay Jr., active participants, dropped anchor quietly this afternoon in the Bay of Biscayne.

INTEREST IN VESSEL WAXES
Less than a month ago the arrival of the New York millionaire's craft, would have been an event. Today when the vessel came in there wasn't a ripple of interest—the glamor was lost because Mrs. Leeds and her son were missing—only the crew was in evidence.

The woman who is said to have been James Stillman's inamorata, departed from the yacht along the Florida coast. Fleeing from here she has made another effort to escape wagging tongues and prying eyes—the interest of all those who have followed the disclosures in the Stillman divorce suit.

FLEES FROM PRYING EYES
Unable to find peace and happiness—the thing she craved—along the quiet waters of Biscayne bay, Mrs. Leeds left Cleveland villa here with her son. She tore herself away from those wagging tongues and prying eyes.

Even with the great wealth at her command she was unable to escape the footfalls of detectives who have been employed to shadow her every movement.

FINDS RELIEF IN VILLA
Mrs. Leeds has traveled many miles in an effort to avoid her pursuers, but each time she has found that she was far from keeping her plans secret. The Stillman yacht placed at her disposal failed to free her from the mysterious individuals who have repeatedly appeared when she felt herself secure in a new home.

When she took up her home in the Cleveland villa she breathed a sigh of relief, it was learned today.

She told her friends that she was happy for the first time in many months, and expected her husband, "Mr. Leeds," but those who were in close touch with her since her arrival have been unable to recall any Mr. Leeds.

SEEN WITH JAMES STILLMAN
But on many occasions Mrs. Leeds was seen with James Stillman and the couple moved in the same group at a number of dinners and parties until the banker returned to New York.

With his departure, Mrs. Leeds engaged a bodyguard for herself and infant son. And to one of the private watchmen on an estate near Mrs. Leeds' villa she explained that she would be alone until her husband returned, and she suggested that any automobiles stopping at her villa be given special attention. One of those who were familiar with Mrs. Leeds' affairs said that she was considerably nervous for at least two weeks before she fled. She was deathly afraid that some "game" was being played in which her son Jay Jr. would be taken away from her.

DETECTIVES FOLLOW HER
Several days before she fled from Miami she dismissed her chauffeur and drove her automobile herself—she would not trust the wheel to anybody.

An acquaintance of Mrs. Leeds said today: "Mrs. Leeds complained that she was being watched and followed at every move. She found a detective looking over her shoulder as she sent a tele-

gram and from that time she never left the house without a bodyguard.

"Before Mrs. Leeds decided to flee her pursuers little Jay Jr. was a familiar figure about the fashionable Flamingo hotel."

Many of the guests recall the blonde youngster who promised to play such an important part in the Stillman marital troubles. "And today, with the return of the Stillman yacht, came the first news here that Mrs. Leeds had been, or is to be, named as co-respondent in Mrs. Stillman's suit."

Also it was learned that Cleveland villa is said to be let to another. Mrs. Leeds was much impressed with her new home, but recently changed her mind about purchasing it. It is now back in the hands of agents with its recent occupants attempting to elude the spotlight of publicity.

As far as can be learned Mrs. Leeds left here Friday.

HIGHER UPSOUGHT IN KRONKHITZ CASE

Providence, R. I., March 21.—The confession of Roland R. Pothier, former bugle sergeant of the 312th Replacement Engineers, that he shot and killed Major Alexander P. Kronkhitz during the target practice at Camp Lewis, Wash., October 25, 1918, has only convinced department of justice officials that Pothier took this means of shielding an unnamed person or persons "higher up."

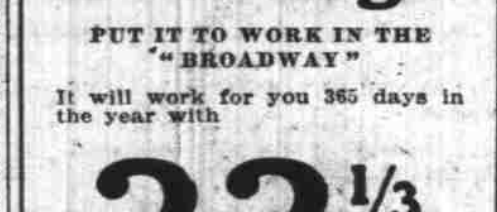
A chain of evidence, in which there are missing links that the department's bureau of investigation is trying to find, is said to involve a commissioned officer and perhaps others in the alleged crime. Arrests in other parts of the country are expected, though the agents here would divulge no information beyond vague hints of "one higher up."

The department investigations began after a second court of inquiry had exhumed Major Kronkhitz's body and decided that he could not possibly have inflicted the wound from which he died.

Pussyfoot Johnson Still on Sick List

Hampton, Mass., March 21.—(U. P.)—Physicians today reported no change in the condition of William E. (Pussyfoot) Johnson, famous anti-rum crusader, who has been ill here for the last week with acute laryngitis and bronchitis.

There'd be more spring poetry, if more words rhymed with



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SOVIET RUSSIA IS REORGANIZING

By Henry Wood
United Press Staff Correspondent
Paris, March 21.—(U. P.)—Soviet Russia is in the strangest position internationally since its establishment. It was pointed out in diplomatic circles today.

The factors which have brought about this situation were cited, as follows:

- Signature of the peace treaty with Poland and Ukraine.
- Establishment of trade relations with Great Britain.
- Arrangement of a commercial pact with Germany.
- Approach of a trade agreement with Italy.
- Apparent crushing of its most serious internal revolution.

FRANCE REMAINS HOSTILE
Despite the rapprochement of her neighbors with the Bolsheviks, France continues to maintain uncompromising hostility with them and, according to those in a position to speak with au-

thority, she will consider dealing with the Soviets only if they assume full responsibility for the debts incurred in France by the czarist regime. Meanwhile, the French are officially viewing their neighbors' dealings with Russia with the most intense disfavor.

Diplomatic investigation has revealed that the Bolsheviks, through a complete network of perfectly organized messenger routes, is in constant and rapid communication with the radical elements of every European country. This has been established not only by the French, Italian and Swiss governments, but by the American legation in Bern. The latter has made a full report to the state department.

COMMUNICATION ESTABLISHED
Cut off from quick and direct communication with the rest of Europe through the telegraph, telephone and mails, Russia solved the problem by employing couriers who cover established routes from Moscow at intervals of a week or less. The complete itinerary and schedules of these routes have been obtained.

The headquarters of the Soviet European communication service is in Berlin, under direction of Wladimir Kopp. The service is divided into two sections—Northern and Southwestern Europe.

The routes for the former section are: Berlin, Copenhagen, Stockholm, Helsingfors, Terioki, Petrograd, Reval, Narva, Moscow.

Stettin, Reval, Narva, Moscow, Berlin, Helsingfors, Terioki, Petro-

grad. Verbalon, Kovno, Moscow. Dansig, Kovno, Moscow. Koenigsberg, Kovno, Moscow.

In each of the larger European cities the Bolsheviks now maintain an open bureau with a regular representative, who maintains contact with the local radical elements. There is Kopp in Berlin, Litvinoff in Copenhagen, Stroehlin in Stockholm, Fanchelievitch in Reval, Kraasin in London, Pinkus in Prague, Wilkopp in Amsterdam, and Bogotolsky in Switzerland. Vorofsky, the new Soviet minister of commercial relations to Italy, will take charge of the Soviet bureau in Rome.

MAX ABANDON COMMUNISM
Simultaneously with the crushing of the revolt centering in Kronstadt, Bol-

sheviki are reported to be preaching the abandonment of communism in favor of a new doctrine to appease the peasants, who constitute the vast majority of Russian citizens.

Premier Lenin, in an address in Moscow, was reported today to have advocated dropping communism to take up "peasant proprietorship." Further he was alleged to have urged liberal concession to foreign capitalists. "The communist congress before which he spoke was said to have endorsed his speech."

William Aldrich, aged 2, choked to death in Spokane when a portion of peanut lodged in his throat. Efforts of two doctors to remove the obstruction failed.

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—With the coming of Spring days every woman will want a good supply of inexpensive Tub Frocks and Aprons to wear about the house. A special group of just such garments will go on sale at this store tomorrow at a price which enables one to buy several at a small outlay. Made in the popular slip-over styles with side or front fastenings, short sleeves, V neck, patch pockets. Good quality light crepe percales. — Priced special \$1.98

Center Circle, Main Floor

Easter Millinery Opening

—Stunning Hats for the Easter season in a multitude of charming models portraying the newest modes of the moment. Tailored, Dress, Semi-Dress and Sport Hats. You will enjoy seeing this notable collection, and we will take pleasure in showing you the beautiful creations. Gage, Curtis, Cupid, Highland, Rawak and many other artists have contributed of the best productions for this notable display of spring modes.

MILLINERY SALONS
SECOND FLOOR



Captivating New Easter Modes In Ready-to-Wear

—The Premier Style Show of the Easter season, presenting for your inspection a wonderful collection of the favored fashions in Women's Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Blouses. The woman of discriminating taste who selects her apparel with care, will find here exclusive models from the leading designers. Visit the Garment Store and view this notable display.

Easter Sale of Women's Low Shoes

—Regular \$7.50 to \$11.50 Grades

\$3.98

—On Sale, First Floor

—No matter how well supplied you may be you cannot afford to miss this remarkable sale! Footwear from our regular stock—odd lines—not all sizes in each style, but there are all sizes in the sale. Patent Pumps with turned soles and baby Louis heels—White Washable Kid Pumps or Eylet Ties with full Louis or baby French heels—Patent Colt Colonial with beaded buckles—Dull Kid Pumps with beaded vamps and Louis heels—Black Kid Pumps with military heels—Dark Tan Calf Laced Oxfords with military or low heels—225 pairs all told. Shoes selling heretofore at \$7.50 to \$11.50 the pair. On sale at \$3.98 pair. ALL SALES FINAL.

\$3.98

Women's Suits

\$28.50 \$39.50
\$46.75 \$58.50

—AT \$28.50—New Suits of Wool, Velour, Tricotine, Serge and Tweed materials. Attractive styles, braid and button trimmed.

—AT \$39.50—Suits of Checked Velour in a smart flare model, trimmed with buttons. Full gathered skirt. Patch pockets. Popular colors.

—AT \$46.75—Blue Tricotine Suits in the latest straightline effects with slashed panel and narrow belt. Beautifully tailored.

—AT \$58.50—Navy Blue Tricotine Suits with full box coat. Trimmed with rows of braid and piping. Cream broadcloth vestee.

Women's Coats

\$23.75 \$35.00
\$48.50 \$59.50

—AT \$23.75—Plaid Coats in the full loose effects with large collars. Also Velour Capes with coat fronts and round yokes.

—AT \$35.00—Covert and Serge Coats with loose or shirred backs, cape or scarf collars, narrow belts. Good range of new colors.

—AT \$48.50—Two-tone Bolivia and Velour Coats with narrow belts and scarf collars. Also loose styles. Tan, blue, rose, reindeer.

—AT \$59.50—Dressy coats of Tricotine and Gabardine. Large cape collars of silk or self material. Dolman sleeves. Full silk lined.

WOOLENS

Suitings, Coatings, Skirtings In All Desirable Weaves

Main Floor—Aside from learning what the new fabrics look like, our shopping will give you many valuable ideas and will acquaint you with the various materials to be used for Spring wearables. We have a particularly fine assortment of the new Plaids, Stripes and Checks now so much in demand, ranging in price from \$1.98 to \$6. These range in width from 45 to 56 in.

—Dress Skirts accordion plaited for \$1.00 if material is purchased here.

Canton Crepe—the Season's Most Wanted Silk

—Full assortment of the wanted colors, including navy, gray, brown, tan, sand, Harding blue, copen, and the new sport shades. White Canton Crepe makes wonderful sport garments on account of its superior wearing quality and beautiful finish. 40 inches wide. Priced \$4.50 to \$5.50 yard.

—And Taffetas!

—No scarcity of navy blue and gray here! We show an exceptionally good quality of Taffeta in the 36-inch width at \$3.00 the yard. Other grades in all colors at lowest prices. Let us supply your needs in Spring Silk.

Your New Corset

is an important item in your Spring wardrobe, the selection of which should be given careful consideration. Consult our expert corsetiers—any one of them will be glad to give you the benefit of her wide experience and help you choose the model best suited to your figure requirements.

—New Spring models in Gosnard, Bien Jolie, La Camille, Adeline, Nemo, OWK Special Corsets now on display.

—Dept. Second Floor.

Sale of Boys 2-Pant Suits \$10.85

Main Floor — Why not get your boy one of these serviceable, good looking Suits for Easter? Latest Norfolk models with all around belts. Blue Serge, Tweed and Homespun materials in grays, browns and blues. Mostly all have a pair of pants. Ages 7 to 17. Special \$10.85

\$3.50 Pants \$1.29

—Full cut Knicker Pants in fancy mixtures. Formerly \$3.50. Priced special at, a pair \$1.29

Armour's Star Hams

33c Lb.

—The Ham "What Am"—choice of Eastern pack—sugar cured, corn-fed. Medium sizes, weighing about 12 pounds each. 250 of these good Hams ready Tuesday morning. Priced \$3c special now at, pound 33c

Model Grocery, Fourth Floor

New Angora Scarfs

—The ideal shoulder Wrap for Spring and Summer wear. Copen, navy, brown, gray, tan, royal—plain colors, also checks, stripes and plaids. Some have borders in contrasting shades. Made with pockets and belts and fringed ends. Prices range \$2.25 up to \$9.95

Main Floor

Spring Sale of Curtains And Draperies

Third Floor—Nearly every home has needs for new Curtains and Draperies for Spring. The wise woman will save many a dollar by attending this sale and at the same time get draperies of the highest quality.

Irish Point Curtains \$5.50 Pair

—Beautiful assortment of patterns to select from. Mounted on heavy quality imported nets, 2 1/2 yards long. Curtains selling heretofore at \$10.00. Priced special now at, the pair \$5.50

Filet Net Curtains \$2.95 Pair

—Very fine quality Filet Net Curtains, cream and ecru. Pretty allover lace effects, suitable for any room in the house. Formerly \$4.00 and \$4.50. Priced special now at, the pair \$2.95

Marquisette Curtains \$3.95

—Dainty Curtains for bedroom, living room, dining room or cottage. Many attractive designs with hand-drawn work and lace edges. \$3.95 Were formerly \$6.00 a pair, priced now \$3.95

Couch Covers \$3.95

Third Floor—Full size Couch Covers in various color combinations. Formerly \$5.00 and \$6.00. Special at, each \$3.95

—Chenille Table Runners at \$3.98

Cretonnes at Low Prices —New Spring Patterns

— 60c grades at 39c	— \$1.25 grades at 90c
— 75c grades at 50c	— \$1.50 grades at \$1.30
— 80c grades at 60c	— \$1.75 grades at \$1.35
— \$1.00 grades at 75c	— \$2.00 grades at \$1.65
— \$1.15 grades at 85c	— \$3.00 grades at \$2.00