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Four Die In New Orleans During Downtown Fire

NEW ORLEANS, La. (AP)— Four persons, three of them women who leaped eight stories from a fiery window, lost their lives Wednesday when fire raced through the top two floors of a 16-story downtown building, officials said.

The early afternoon fire swept through the upper stories of the Rault Center building, the top floor of which housed a private club that witnesses said was nearly filled at the time.

Most of the patrons of the Lamplighter Club, which seats 100, were able to escape to lower floors and safety before flames blocked their paths, according to a survivor, attorney William Morgan. However, fire officials continued to search the upper floors of the five-year-old building for other possible victims.

At least eight persons, their downward escape apparently blocked by the fire, smashed their way to the building's roof and were rescued by helicopters, according to another survivor, businessman Cal Grevenber. The last two were lifted off just before the roof itself erupted into flame.

Five women, some with clothing aflame, sought to save themselves with desperate leaps to the roof of an adjoining building eight floors below. Three of them died, officials said, but two survived, their falls cushioned by rescuers who linked arms and tried to catch the women as they landed.

"We at least broke their fall," said one rescuer, Matthew Johnson. "They landed on top of us, but they're living—the ones we caught."

The two women were among five persons hospitalized in critical condition. The nature of their injuries was not immediately known.

The body of a fourth person, an unidentified man, was found in a 14th-floor stairwell, fire officials said. Police had reported earlier that all of the four deaths occurred as persons leaped from the burning building.

Cause of the blaze was not known, but officials said they were investigating the possibility the fire may have been related to one earlier in the day which was confined to a dressing room and extinguished quickly.

Asked about the possibility of arson, New Orleans Fire Chief Louis San Salvador said, "Any time you have fires in two remote areas of the same building, five hours apart, there is such a possibility. However, we may find some other reason. The two fires always could be coincidence."

TMA Gets Grant

GALVESTON—Gulf Oil Foundation has awarded the Texas Maritime Academy an unrestricted \$1,500 assistance grant.

Dr. William Clayton, acting TMA superintendent, said a portion of the grant will be used in the academy's student loan program.

Since 1967 Gulf Oil Foundation has awarded the academy \$8,000 in grants, scholarships and employe gift-matching programs.

Capt. C. R. North, director of operations for Gulf Oil's Marine Dept., noted the foundation will distribute more than \$2.5 million to students and institutions of higher education this year.

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Jobs 'Unlimited' For Technicians

Job opportunities are almost unlimited today for electronics technicians, reports the head of A&M's Institute of Electronic Science.

Arlie D. Patton said demand for skilled electronics technicians "is greatly improved, almost a complete about face from early this fall."

The 18-month technical school expects to graduate 13 students Feb. 23, and Patton noted industry already is in competitive recruiting. From past experience, he expects job offers to range from \$800 to \$850 a month, with \$12,000 a year jobs not uncommon after the student finished the company training program.

Students receive instruction in space-age electronics, he added, with heavy emphasis on integrated circuits and digital electronics.

Applications are now being

accepted for the spring term, beginning March 12. The students study for three six-month terms at the A&M Research Annex, 12 miles from the main campus.

Patton said total cost for tuition, books and supplies is approximately \$1,400. School costs and living costs for the 1½ years is approximately \$3,000, he noted, with several scholarship and financial aid programs available.

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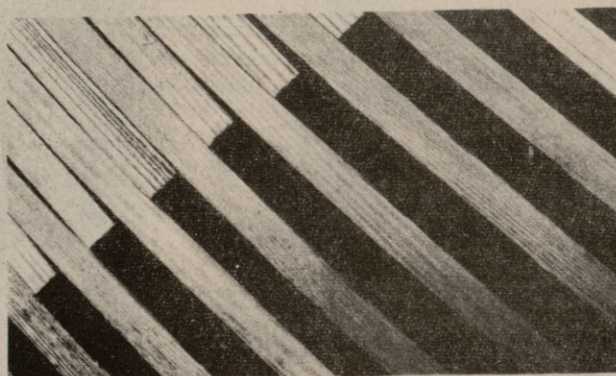
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