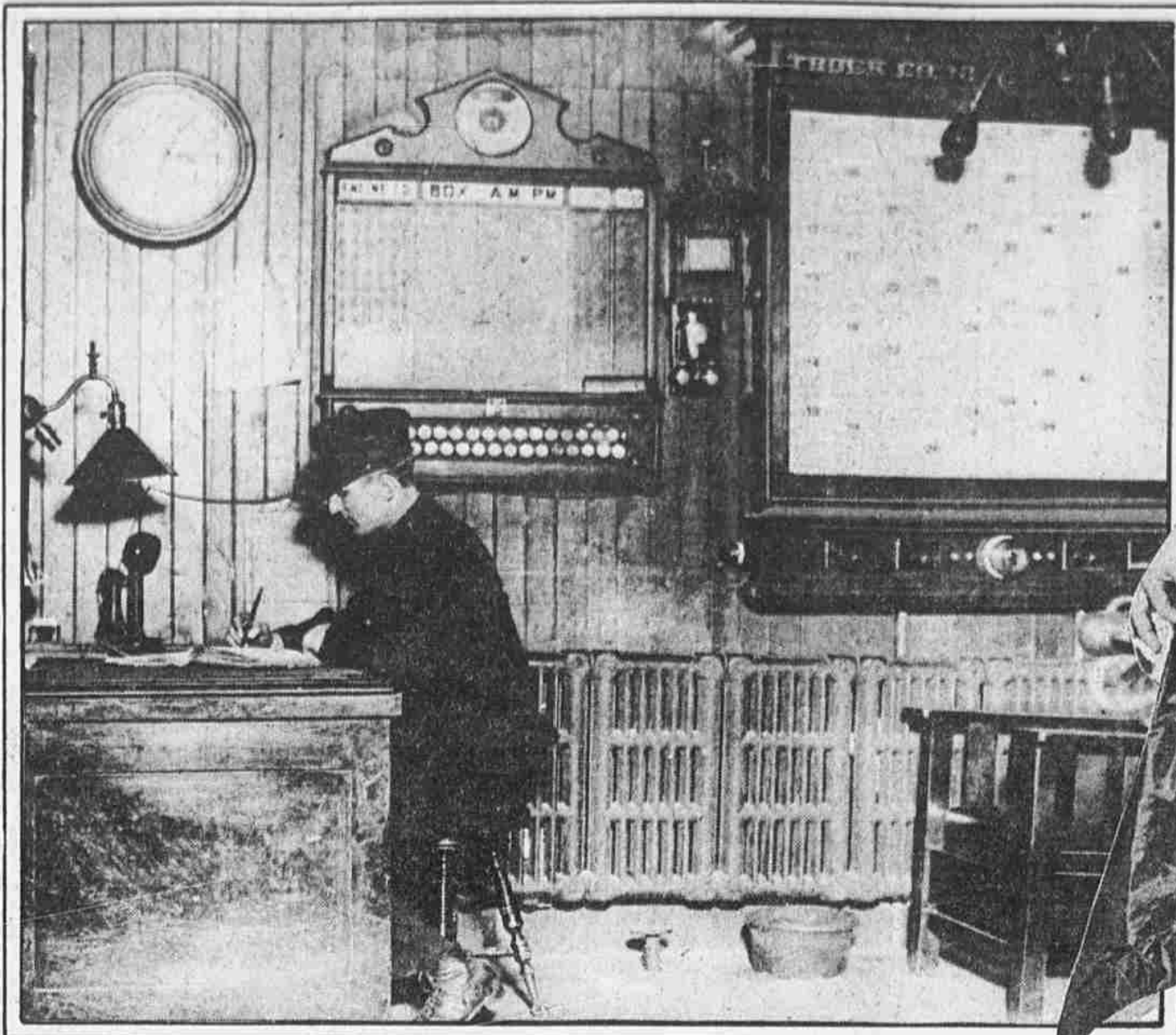




GLIMPSES OF A FIREMAN'S LIFE SHOW WHY HE IS ASKING BETTER CONDITIONS FROM THE CITY



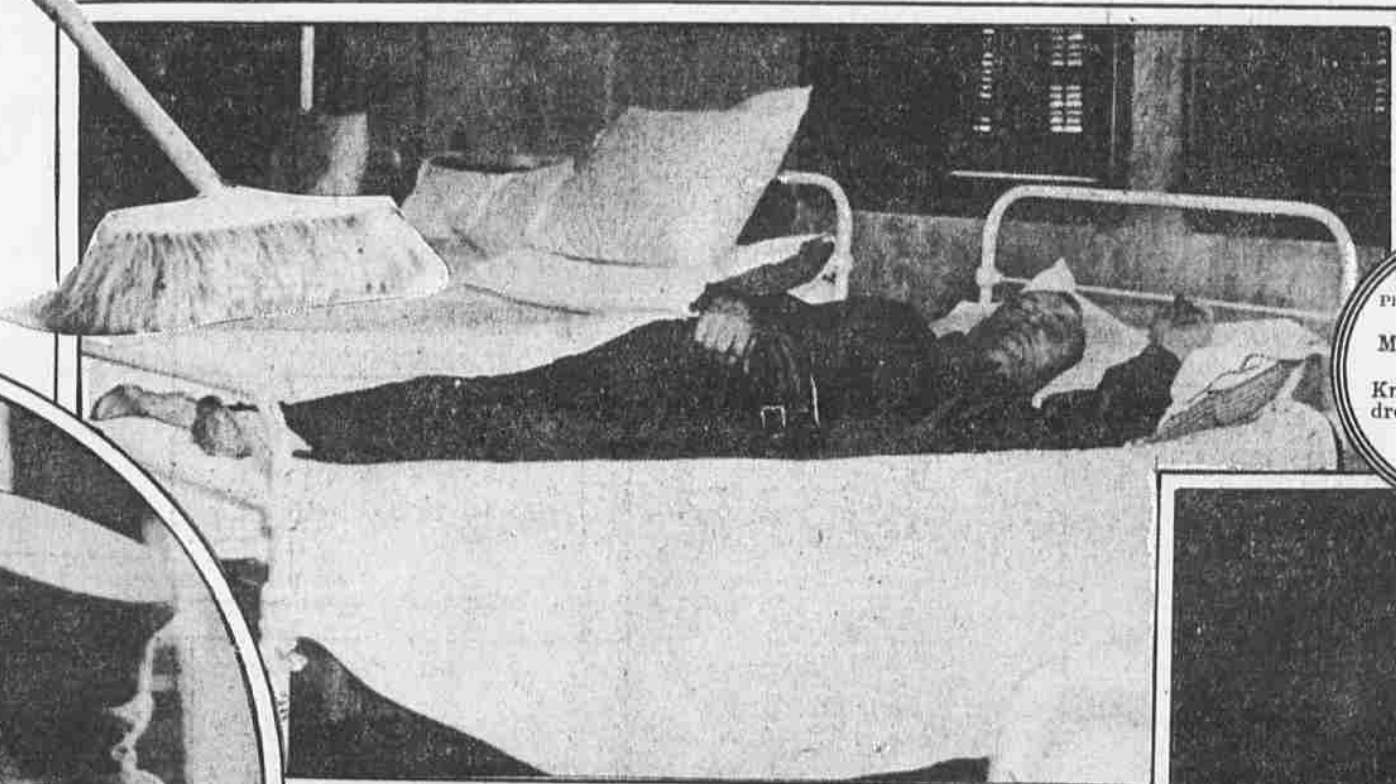
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PART OF HIS 21 HOURS OF DUTY
No fireman is permitted to sit down as long as there is a speck of dirt anywhere in the quarters.



ON WATCH DUTY
Here he does a four-hour trick, having his ear constantly set for the tinkle of the "joker" alarm or the big gong overhead.



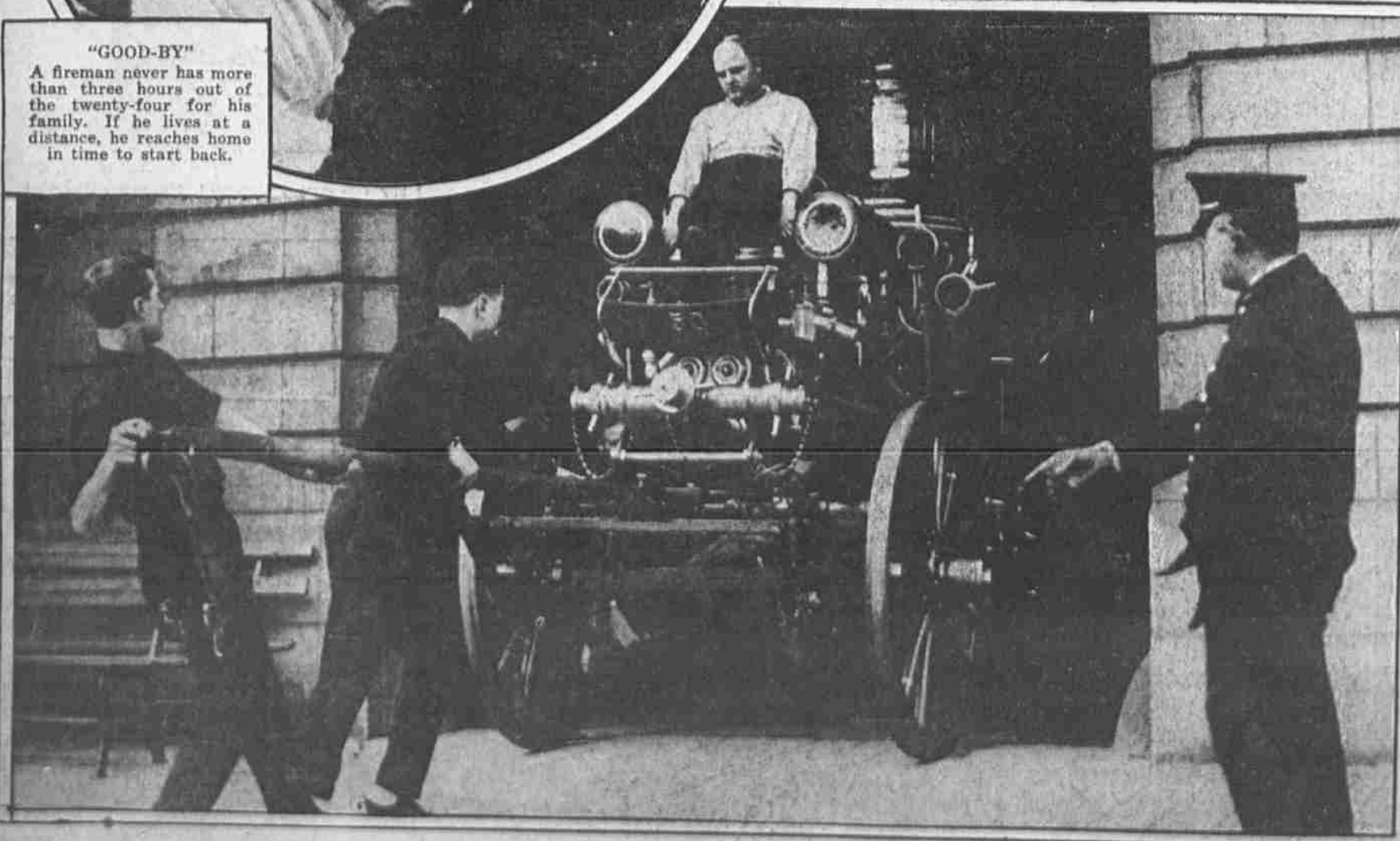
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Mlle. ELVIRA AMAZAR
Known as the best dressed woman in Russia.



ALL SMOKE-EATERS MUST SLEEP WITH THEIR CLOTHES ON
Then, too, they are awakened by every alarm, no matter what section of the city it is rung in from, night or day.



"GOOD-BY"
A fireman never has more than three hours out of the twenty-four for his family. If he lives at a distance, he reaches home in time to start back.



ENGINES GET THEIR BATH FIRST, HORSES NEXT, FIREMEN LAST
The first job on coming in from a fire is to put the apparatus in readiness for instant use again, no matter how tired or water-soaked the company's men may be. All this they do for \$75 to \$90 a month.



MR. AND MRS. NLIINSKY: "SO THIS IS PHILADELPHIA"
Mr. N. is the celebrated dancer with the Russian ballet, though he didn't look like it when he arrived at Broad street yesterday.