

## MAJOR FIGURES IN THE LEO FRANK CASE

### LEO FRANK AND FAMILY

**Leo M. Frank:** twenty-nine-year-old superintendent of the National Pencil Company; accused of murdering Mary Phagan

**Lucille Frank:** Leo Frank's wife

**Moses Frank:** Leo Frank's uncle; owner of the National Pencil Company

**Rachel and Rudolph Frank:** Leo Frank's parents

**Emil and Josephine Selig:** Lucille Frank's parents, in whose home Leo and Lucille Frank lived

### MARY PHAGAN AND FAMILY

**Frannie Coleman:** Mary Phagan's mother

**John W. Coleman:** Mary Phagan's stepfather

**Mary Phagan:** thirteen-year-old worker at the National Pencil Company; murdered at the factory on April 26, 1913

### ATTORNEYS AND OFFICERS OF THE COURT

**Henry Alexander:** handwriting analyst and defense attorney for Leo Frank

**Reuben Arnold:** defense attorney for Leo Frank

**Paul Donehoo:** Fulton County coroner; conducted Mary Phagan's inquest

**Hugh Dorsey:** Atlanta's solicitor general; prosecuted the case against Leo Frank

**Herbert Haas:** defense attorney for Leo Frank; corporate attorney for the National Pencil Company

**Henry Harris:** secretary of the Georgia Board of Health; conducted autopsy of Mary Phagan's body

**J. W. Hurt:** Fulton County medical examiner; participated in autopsy of Mary Phagan's body

**Louis Marshall:** attorney and president of the American Jewish Committee; took Leo Frank's case before the Supreme Court

**Leonard S. Roan:** judge; presided over Leo Frank's murder trial

**Luther Z. Rosser:** defense attorney for Leo Frank

**William Smith:** attorney for Jim Conley

### INVESTIGATORS

**James Litchfield Beavers:** Atlanta police chief

**John Black:** police detective; first to question Leo Frank

**Newport Lanford:** chief of detectives in Atlanta's police department

**W. W. "Boots" Rogers:** police officer

**Harry Scott:** Pinkerton detective

**John Starnes:** police detective

### POLITICIANS

**John M. Slaton:** governor of Georgia

**Tom Watson:** Georgia politician; published anti-Semitic magazines and worked against Leo Frank and his supporters

### **NATIONAL PENCIL COMPANY EMPLOYEES AND ASSOCIATES**

**Robert Barrett:** eighteen-year-old factory worker; discovered evidence in the metal department

**Jim Conley:** janitor; prosecution's star witness against Leo Frank

**Helen Ferguson:** sixteen-year-old factory worker and close friend of Mary; testified for the prosecution

**Dewey Hewell:** sixteen-year-old former employee; testified for the prosecution but later said that she had been threatened and bribed for her testimony

**Grace Hicks:** seventeen-year-old worker; identified Mary's body

**Magnolia Kennedy:** fourteen-year-old worker; identified Mary's hair on lathe; testified for the defense

**Newt Lee:** night watchman; first suspect in the murder

**Alonzo Mann:** fourteen-year-old office boy

**Lemmie Quinn:** foreman

**Herbert Schiff:** assistant superintendent

**Monteen Stover:** fourteen-year-old worker; testified for the prosecution

### **OTHER MAJOR WITNESSES**

**Annie Maud Carter:** inmate who received love letters from Jim Conley; testified that Conley confessed to her that he killed Mary

**George Epps:** fifteen-year-old newsboy; testified that Mary was afraid of Leo Frank

**Will Green:** carnival worker; claimed to have seen Jim Conley attack Mary

**Minola McKnight:** cook for the Seligs and Franks; gave police a statement against Leo Frank and then told reporters she had been forced to lie

**William Mincey:** insurance salesman; claimed Jim Conley told him he had killed a girl on the afternoon of Mary's murder

### **REPORTERS**

**Britt Craig:** reporter for the *Atlanta Constitution*; accompanied police when they responded to initial report of Mary's murder

**Harold Ross:** reporter for the *Atlanta Journal*; removed from the police station notes found near Mary's body