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GREAT FIRES.

List of the Great Fires of the World from B. C. 1897, to A. D. 1876.

ASIA.

Sodom and Gomorrah, B.C. about 1897. (Genesis, xix.)

Palestine—Jerusalem. Three large fires. The first was the entire destruction of the city (or town) by the Israelites, B. C. 1400; the second was the burning of Solomon's temple by the Chaldeans, B. C. 586; and the third, the entire destruction of the city by the Roman army under Titus, A. D. 70, when, during the siege and conflagration, 1,100,000 Jews perished by sword and fire.

The "Holy Places" (Jerusalem), burned by the Saracens, A. D. 1244. During 564 years thereafter, no considerable fire is recorded in Jerusalem, or until A. D. 1808, when one broke out in the chapel of the Armenians, and nearly the whole of the sacred edifices were destroyed. There is no record of fire in Palestine since A. D. 1808.

Arabia—Medina, A. D. 1858, the celebrated mosque containing the tomb of Mohammed, entirely destroyed.

Asia Minor—Tarsus, A. D. 1878, January 26; loss, $750,000.

Smyrna, July, 1841; 12,000 buildings burned. July 3, 1845, 4,000 houses, many shops and much merchandise. August 27, 1860; 700 houses, etc., destroyed.

Hindostan—Previous to A. D. 1800, four large fires are recorded; between 1800 and 1837, three. A fire in Surat in 1837, destroyed 6,000 buildings and 500 lives. Bombay had 200 houses burned October, 1845; and Peschawar was almost destroyed in 1875.

Assam—Ghergong, February 28, 1803; earthquake, fire, explosions, loss of life. "Incredible damage."

Burmah—Ummerapoora, March, 1310; city destroyed.

China—Canton. The first fire recorded was A. D. 1808, when the palace, harem and 200 adjoining houses were burned, the fire arising from lightning. March 3, 1820, 15,000 houses, factories and temples destroyed. November 2, 1822, 13,070 buildings burned, including the East India Company's and other European factories and 30,000 chests of tea; 500 lives were lost; loss to the East India Company alone, $5,000,000. In 1836, a fire destroyed 1,500 buildings. December 14, 1866, the foreign factories were burned by the natives.

Hongkong, December 28, 1851: part of the Chinese quarter destroyed. November 28, 1867, a fire caused the loss of $750,000.

Hankhow, A.D. 1864: 1,500 houses and much other property destroyed.

Japan—Jeddo. The great conflagration of 1856 destroyed, in two days, 100,000 buildings, including many costly palaces and temples.

Yokohama, November 30, 1866: 50 acres were burned over in the European quarter; loss, $2,500,000.

Batavia—Moxudabath destroyed March, A.D. 1763.

Sumatra—Beenculen. Great fire, 1753.

Australia—Melbourne and Ballarat. Many large fires (mostly incendiary) in these towns, and throughout Australia, in 1860. Jackson Town, 1853; Brisbane, 1861; Sidney, June 29, 1864; Newport, 1848—the loss in the last case was $100,000.

New Zealand—Auckland. The place nearly destroyed by fire in 1848; and there were two conflagrations there in 1874. Dunedin; two large fires, 1861—1866. Tunaru: nearly destroyed December 7, 1868.

Phillippine Islands — Manila. Many storehouses burned in 1799; 10,000 huts burned, 1833; a large fire, 1864; 6,000 houses destroyed, 1865; and an extensive conflagration, 1870.

Mauritius—Port Luis. Two great fires, 1816-1817.

AFRICA.

Egypt—Five large fires are recorded previous to A.D. 1800, commencing with the destruction of the larger library at Alexandria, B.C. 48, during the occupation of Julius Cæsar. Seneca states that the number of volumes was 400,000, and A. Gellus, 700,000. This fire appears to have occurred accidentally, through burning vessels drifting on shore. A fire, January, 1875, destroyed cotton stores in Alexandria, value $150,000.

Cairo, March 29th, 1824: palace, magazines and stores burned, followed by explosions, and the loss of 4,000 lives.

Ramle, April 27th, 1870: the new palace of the Viceroy destroyed, loss $1,500,000. Besides those here enumerated, there are recorded two great fires in Africa previous to A.D. 1800, and four since that date, mostly in the southern part of the continent; one of them, at Cape Town, in 1875, destroyed fifty houses.

Canary Islands—Teneriffe. In 1815 a large convent was burned, and many lives lost.

EUROPE.

Italy—Rome. Fifteen conflagrations previous to A.D. 1800. The first was B. C. 390, when the city was burned by the Gauls. In 13-14 B.C. a fearful fire followed immediately the falling of an amphitheatre, by which latter accident 50,000 persons were either killed or maimed. The most remarkable conflagration of Rome was that in the reign of Nero, July 19-24, A.D. 64, which burned eleven out of fourteen districts. A fire A. D. 80, lasted three days. Since A. D. 1800 no fire is recorded in Rome, except a slight one in 1823.

Other parts of Italy—Nine large fires previous to 1800; of which one at Florence in 1767 was remarkable through a menagerie being burned and the liberated animals killing 100 persons. No other fires are recorded in Italy, outside of Rome, since 1800.

Greece—Four large fires previous to 1800; none recorded since.

England—London. One hundred and seventy-five large fires are recorded in this city previous to 1800; the first two being A. D. 798-803, and without details. London burned and the buildings on it were rebuilt six times, viz.: A. D. 1130, 1212, 1504, 1633, 1725 and 1765. The great fire of 1666 burned six days, and caused a loss of $58,350,000. Of this loss, one-fifth is set down by Hone as the value of St. Paul's Cathedral. The fire extended from the Tower to Temple Church, and from the northeast gate to Holborne bridge—an area of 436 acres. Besides the royal proclamations, there were fifty-four books and poems written on this fire, in Latin and English.

From 1759 to 1800 fires became much more numerous, frequently six or seven large ones occurring in a year. There are 194 records from 1800 to August, 1876, an average of two and a half per annum. After 1823 there is a marked decrease, rarely more than two or three great fires happening per year up to 1849; in some years only one, and in 1828 none. The years of this period in in which there was only one fire recorded were 1831, 1835, 1839, 1842, 1844, 1846—and one previous to this period, 1817. In 1834 the old houses of Parliament were burned, and Westminster Abbey was saved with great difficulty. In 1841 a portion of the Tower and its barracks were burned, 280,000 stand of arms and much other property. After 1849 the annual number of considerable fires is generally four, five or six; and in 1893 there were eight, and in 1860 ten. Commencing with 1870 (three), there is again a notable decrease of the fires, if compared with the immense increase of the city: thus—1871, five; 1872, two; 1873, two; 1874, four (including the "fireproof" Pantechnicon); 1875, (two); and in 1876 (to August), seven.

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