

Men and women threw their children from windows and jumped after them through the flames that swept across the yard, and set their clothing ablaze. When the firemen obtained the mastery the dead bodies of nine, already mentioned, were taken out of the ruins. Several were injured. The scene of the calamity, the like of which has not occurred in the city since the tenement house fire in Canon Street a year ago and the Turner Hall disaster about the same time, is approached through a narrow alley hardly wide enough to allow the passage of a portly man. Between two tall tenements, No's. 35 and 33 Madison Street, a back door open directly upon the narrow hallway in the rear tenement where the fire obtained its start. Plumbers were at work at the foot of the stairs thawing out frozen water pipes and for this purpose used gasoline. The vessel was by some means upset and became ignited which was the cause of the explosion which blew in the door of the saloon. In an instant black smoke rolled up the long stairway, drawn onward by the drought caused by an open window in the top story. There was a momentary hush as the frightened plumbers hurried into the yard. A man sitting by the bar room stove slammed the hall door on the advancing fire. Immediately there was a wild rush overhead and the sound of breaking glass, and the air was filled with the wails of the imprisoned men and women, the shrieks of the frightened children and the cries for help of the bar-keepers and plumbers who run through the street to a near police station. The clang of the fire bells filled the street and the narrow alley became filled with firemen and police struggling to bring help to the imprisoned and burning tenants. They came too late, the fire finding vent through the open doors and windows of the untenanted ground floor of the house and through the door had seized upon the shutters, window frames and wooden floors of balconies outside, licking them up like so much tissue paper, and reaching upward toward the floors where the frightened men and women huddled together, afraid to venture out on the fire escape that was itself aflame, while the flames within the house were plainly visible through the uplifting doors then being fast consumed.

Eight families occupied a house, two on each floor. On the second floor the Egans and Muldoons, had at the first alarm, escaped through the window. Mrs. Mary Egan, widow, and her four grown children, Margaret, Thomas, Joseph and John, reached the ground in safety by a quick jump. Mrs. Muldoon, who is over eighty years old, was less fortunate. Seizing her two granddaughters, Annie, aged ten, and Kate, aged seven, she sprang from the fire escape, but in the fall sprained or broke her leg and crawled away with difficulty. On the third floor, Mr. Regan, who lived alone, escaped with his neighbors the McKenna family, likewise by jumping. James, aged 9, Hugh, aged 4, and the baby, were thrown through the window by Charles McKenna, their eldest brother, a lad of 15. The mother was sweeping in the yard when the fire broke out. She rushed to the stairway, but was met by a solid sheet of flame, and realizing the danger of her children roused them by shouting before they knew of their danger, the mother appealed to the son to throw the children to her and jump himself, while the baby, frightened by the cries of the others who were alarmed at the smoke which was fast filling the room, constantly cried with its little arms outstretched, "Mama" "mama." The boy quickly measured the distance to the ground from his perch, and taking the baby up first tossed it out and it fell into the arms of its mother, who caught the other children as they were sent to her one by one, and finally broke the fall of Charles as he leaped, and all escaped unhurt. Cassidy and another family of Egans lived on the fourth floor and Mrs. Ellen Sheridan and four children on the fifth. At the first alarm she sought to escape with her children by the stairs, and then tried the scuttle of the roof. Both failed to afford exit, and closing the door of the room she and her children were suffocated with smoke. All of the Cassidy family jumped except two boys, aged six and eight, who were burned to death. The Egans also leaped, except a child two years old, who suffocated. Offi-

cer Thomas Barrett saved two children from the second story by the fire escape, but the flames drove him away with burned hands. The fire only lasted half an hour. The bodies were recovered and presented a horrid spectacle. Some instances of remarkable bravery and quick wit were developed during the progress of the flames.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

A Land League meeting was held to-day near Killarney, at which 1,000 persons were present.

The Rappahannock River, Va., is closed with ice eight inches thick. There is a great scarcity of firewood.

Some additional legal steps were taken in the St. Louis Times case in court, but the cause was put over until to-morrow.

During the senatorial elections in Bava, Brazil, there was fighting between various factions. Thirty-five persons were wounded.

Seventeen gambling houses are running in open violation of law and defiance of the police in St. Louis. It is estimated \$10,000 change hands there nightly.

General and Mrs. Garfield attended a family reunion on New Years at Solon, Ohio, at the residence of Mrs. Mary Larrabee, a sister of General Garfield.

The Supreme Court of the United States reassembled to-day, after the holiday recess. Woods will probably take his seat on the bench on Wednesday or Thursday.

At Memphis Henry Burton found Mr. Tate in bed with his wife this morning, and shot Tate twice and Mrs. Burton once. Tate returned the fire, killing Burton.

The New England Associated Press has leased the Western Union wire from New York to Boston and employed operators for day and night service at each city on the route.

Despite the unfavorable declaration of the Porte and Greece relative to arbitration, the powers have not abandoned negotiations for compromise between the two countries.

The distribution of the standard dollars from the United States mints during the month of December, amounted to \$1,807,481. In December, 1879, it reached \$1,935,921.

General Charles B. Stuart, the eminent civil engineer, is dangerously ill at the Forest City House, Cleveland, with little hope of recovery. His family has been sent for.

Late last night a fire broke out in a laundry at Little Rock, Arkansas, and for a time the building seemed doomed, but by the efforts of the fire department the flames were extinguished.

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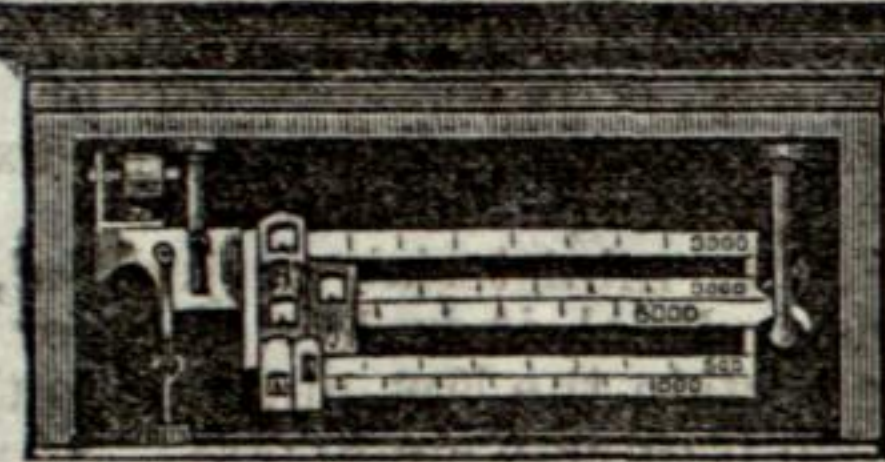
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