

BLOWN UP BY GAS.

St. Paul's Cathedral in Buffalo Destroyed By Fire.

The Entire Fire Department Called Out and the Citizens Are Greatly Excited—The First Explosion Occurred in the Main of the Natural Gas Company—St. Paul's Was One of the Finest Edifices in the State—No Estimate of the Damage as Yet.

(SPECIAL TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.) BUFFALO, May 10.—A terrific explosion on the main street line of natural gas main took place at 10 o'clock this morning. St. Paul's Cathedral, one of the finest edifices in the country, seven blocks away, was destroyed by fire and only the walls left standing. Dr. Pierce's Sanitarium was set on fire, and is now blazing fiercely. Another explosion has just occurred in Irliacker & Davis's extensive plumbing works, and other explosions are expected every moment.

The greatest excitement prevails throughout the city, and business is entirely suspended and stores deserted. The whole fire department has been called out, and there is work enough for another department. It is impossible to say now what the extent of the damage has been or will be. St. Paul's Cathedral was a splendid brown-stone structure, fully equipped, and had a famous spire—one of the highest in the country. The tower is Rev. Dr. Brown, recently called to St. Thomas's Church in New York.

At least a dozen other explosions occurred at different points throughout the city. LATER.—The flames and gas are now believed to be under control. The reasons assigned for the explosions in the breaking of a valve in the stand-pipe at East Buffalo, which controls the pressure of gas in the city pipes. Four firemen were badly injured in Pierce's Hotel by an explosion which occurred while they were putting out a fire.

New York Markets. WHEAT.—June options opened at 96 1/2c. Xc. below last night's closing quotation. Market strong and advanced to 97c. CORN.—Futures opened 4 points up on near months and 1 point up on later months. May, 95c; June, 95c; July, 10.00; Aug., 10.00; Sept., 10.00; Oct., 9.80; Nov., 9.80; Dec., 9.80; Jan., 9.80; Feb., 9.50. Market steady. LIVERPOOL STEADY.—Coffee opened about 15 points down on early months, and later months unchanged. May, 12.15; June, 12.45; July, 11.55; Aug., 10.90; Sept., 10.80; Oct., Nov., Dec., Jan., 10.55; Feb., 10.20; March, 10.25. Market steady.

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PSYCHOLOGY.—Pills—Line certificates opened at 8 1/2c.—last night's closing quotation. The market was strong and the quotation advanced to 8 7/8c.

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