

HEROIC RESCUES AND PANIC AT TWO BROOKLYN FIRES

Citizens Aid Police and Firemen in Work of Carrying Out Victims.

ONE RESCUER BURNED.

Children Handed From Window to Window and Others Go Down Ladder.

Eight persons, three of them babies, were saved early today in Brooklyn fires, citizens aiding policemen and firemen in the daring rescues.

Mounted Policemen Charles East and William Conway of the Snyder avenue station saw the glare from different posts, sent in simultaneous alarms and then made for the fire.

The front porch and dining room were blazing when Conway smashed in the front door. He dashed up the stairs through the smoke and aroused Becker and his wife.

BLINDED AS HE SOUGHT TO AWAKE BOARDERS.

Becker tried to arouse his boarders first and was blinded by the smoke before he could get out.

East fought his way back through the smoke and fire and found the brother, nearly unconscious from smoke, after he had broken in the door of their room.

The six families, including twelve children, made a rush for the hall, but the smoke drove them back into their rooms.

George Thompson, his wife, Bertha, their six-month-old son and a younger brother and sister, William, twelve, and Mary, fifteen, live on the top floor.

Thompson led his family across several windows, coping to the adjoining house, No. 170.

RESCUER OVERCOME AND BADLY BURNED.

Adnan T. Meisenger of No. 1223 Greene avenue, who had been in the house, ran to help save the children he knew were in the house.

Meisenger was overcome by fire and smoke on the second floor and fell unconscious, not being found until the fire was out.

Mrs. Halpin was afraid to walk the coping, and was standing screaming in a front window holding her two-month-old baby, Myrtle, when Henry Vaeth of No. 224 Knickerbocker avenue and Barney Scasiner of No. 35 Glen street saw her from the street.

Vaeth crawled to the window ledge, slippery with rain, and at the peril of his life swung himself to the rear window of Mrs. Halpin's flat.

Then came Mrs. Halpin's turn. Vaeth was so weakened by his exertions that he was unable to pass the woman to his companions.

On the second floor north was the body of Miss Mary Frederick, sixteen, who died Tuesday. It was thought that first the body would have to be removed to the street, but the firemen got the flames under control before this was necessary.

FRENCHER'S WIFE APPLIES VARIOUS ANIMAL UNIONS TO SPOUSE.

Mrs. Harriet A. Ellis, in a suit against her husband, the Rev. John Ellis, pastor of the First United Church of Chicago, has asked for custody of their daughter, said he was suffering from "neuritis" and spent two hours a day "doling up."

IS THE MODERN WOMAN BEAUTIFULLY DRESSED? What Artists Say About It

ALONZO KIMBALL, in the Second of a Series of Interviews, Declares She Is, but Condemns Freakish Fashions.



ALONZO KIMBALL

Gowns Now Worn, He Says, Are Elegant and Artistic, and a Peculiar Fact Is, Many of Them Will Never Go Out of Date.

Tailored Suits Look Best on a Girl With a Slender and Boyish Figure—Even the Big Hats With Plumes Are Approved.

Marguerite Mooers Marshall. Is the modern woman beautifully dressed?

She very much wants to believe that there never was a time when more labor was devoted to achieving the desired result.

And Harrison Fisher answers her that she is succeeding. Alonzo Kimball, the clever portrait painter, agrees with Mr. Fisher.

"I like the modern fashions," he admitted frankly yesterday. "They seem to me artistic and elegant. And there is one peculiar thing about them. There are many dresses worn to-day which will never date."

"Naturally, as a painter of portraits, I am in a position to notice this fact. A portrait, as well as an ordinary photograph, will look old-fashioned and out of date in a few years if the sitter wears certain sorts of costumes.

A COSTUME THAT ALWAYS WAS AND ALWAYS WILL BE RIGHT. "Now, look at this," said Mr. Kimball, led the way into his studio.

"That gown is an example of the not-for-an-age-but-for-all-time styles," he observed. "And plenty of women

are wearing such dresses this spring. "It seems to me that the modern woman is coming to resemble the modern man in this very respect of dress.

"The freakish fashions of today are quite indefensible. And yet I don't know that even the



MRS ALONZO KIMBALL

hobble is as bad as the hoop-skirt used to be." Then the painter took down some books with pictures of the beautifully dressed ladies of several centuries.

"But do you think our hats are beautiful?" I asked. "The large ones are not to be improved upon," declared Mr. Kimball.

"I've seen some that were," Mr. Kimball replied. "At least beautiful to the women who wore them. There is a certain type of woman with a slender and rather boyish figure who really looks better in the coat-suit, such as is worn by men, than she would in a one-piece, closely fitting empire gown which would show every bone and angle she possessed.

"That, of course, was absurd," added Mr. Kimball. "The freakish fashions of today are quite indefensible. And yet I don't know that even the

particularly like the high, plumed Gainsborough hats, which are as much in favor now as they ever were. I didn't like those small, steep-crowned things—some people called 'em beehives and some peach baskets—which the women wore a year or two ago.

Then Mr. Kimball ended the same way Mr. Fisher did. "It's not exactly clothes," he admitted, "but it has a lot to do with the modern woman's attractive appearance—her makeup. Of course, blue-white cheeks and purple lips are unappealing. But I like to see a woman who knows enough to darken her too light eyebrows and to manufacture a blush if she hasn't one."

F. L. TOWNSEND DEAD. Brooklyn Trust Company Official Was Prominent Church Worker.

Frederick L. Townsend, for thirty years an officer of the Brooklyn Trust Company and for many years paying teller, died today at his home in Ridgewood, N. J.

JAIL N. G. EVEN IN RAIN. Car Driver Says He'd Rather Be Outside in Any Kind of Weather.

When John Carney, driver of a Madison avenue car, was arraigned before Magistrate House in Centre Street Court today for driving a lame horse he was a picture of despair.

"It was a good night to be on the inside, no matter where you were," remarked Magistrate House.

"Not on your life," replied Carney. "I'd rather be on the outside looking in than on the inside looking out of such a place, no matter what the night was."

Magistrate House fined Carney \$2, which Lawyer Daly of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, which owns the horse, paid.

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