

# RECORD OF FIRE LOSSES

## TWO MEN KILLED AND SEVERAL INJURED IN A BURNING BUILDING.

**A Large Flour Mill Destroyed—The Falling Walls Bury a Number of People in the Wreck—Fighting Fire in Hartford, Connecticut—Other Serious Losses.**

**POWERSVILLE, O., Dec. 8.**—At midnight last night an alarm of fire sounded calling the department to Anderson's flour mill, on Fourth street, near Market. A second and third alarm followed, calling every volunteer company to the scene. The firemen's efforts to subdue the flames were in vain, hence only adjoining buildings were looked after.

Company No. 1, with colored volunteers, were stationed in the alley, when, without the least warning, the west wall caved in. A terrible cry arose from the multitude, for it was believed that terrible work must have been done and so it proved, for at 2 o'clock this morning the following were taken from the ruins:

M. H. Anderson, proprietor of the mill, died this morning.

William Simpson, killed.

George Cirna, leg broken and internally injured.

Frank Fagan, back broken.

John Adams, colored, both legs broken.

John Scott, colored, internal injuries.

Pipeman Metzger, with wonderful presence of mind, jumped through a window and was slightly bruised. The loss is about \$19,000; insured for \$5,000. The mill was built by J. F. Towell thirty-five years ago as a warehouse. It was condemned twenty years ago as unsafe.

### A Fire in Hartford

**HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 8.**—Fire broke out at 6 o'clock this morning in the four story brick building No. 24 Mechanic street, and was not gotten under control until after four hours' hard work by the entire department. The building was occupied by a number of manufacturing concerns, among them being: E. H. Judd, tool and engine maker; The Eagle Hyelet company, and the Bonillate Box company. The building was owned by Fred C. Rockwell. The losses will aggregate \$25,000; fully covered by insurance.

### November Fire Losses.

**NEW YORK, Dec. 8.**—The Daily Commercial Bulletin says that the total fire loss during November reached \$16,903,975, an increase of \$8,000,000 over the same month last year. This is the heaviest November on record, except at the time of the Boston fire, and if the December losses this year merely equal those of 1885 the total fire waste of 1887 will be \$130,156,400, against \$116,600,000 for last year.

### Fire in a Dangerous Place.

**NEW YORK, Dec. 8.**—Word has reached here that while firing an honorary salute in the harbor at Smyrna on November 15, the chief quartermaster of the war ship Pensacola was badly burned about the face by fire on board, caused by the explosion of a rocket. The fire was near the powder magazine and was extinguished by the crew only after a sharp fight.

### A Small Blaze.

**ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 8.**—A fire broke out in the jannping room connected with the mounting department of Rathbone, Sard & Co.'s extensive stove works and badly damaged the building and machinery. Loss \$12,000; insured. The conflagration will not interfere with the business of the firm.

### Incendiary Fires.

**NASHUA, N. H., Dec. 8.**—The citizens of this place are greatly excited over the occurrence of three incendiary fires last night which kept the fire department on duty until this morning. The damage in each case was trifling. The police are making a thorough investigation.

### Coal Burned.

**FORT EDWARD, Ont., Dec. 8.**—Fire here last night destroyed 30,000 tons of coal, the property of the Grand Trunk road.

### Base Ball Meeting.

**CINCINNATI, Dec. 8.**—The arbitration committee of six delegates of the National League and American Association is in secret session at the Grand hotel to-day. The principal topic for discussion will be as to the demand of the minor league for recognition, and an equal status with the National League and American Association. Their petition asks for the privilege of reservation of players and the right of representation on the board of arbitration. Thirteen of these bodies are now operating under the articles of qualified admission, Interstate, Western, Northeastern, Pennsylvania State, Michigan State, Northwestern, Eastern, Southern, Ohio State, Northern Michigan, Kansas State, Southwestern, Northwestern, Northeastern of Vermont.

### Refuse to Renounce the Union.

**CHICAGO, Dec. 8.**—The employing printers of the city have issued an ultimatum to the compositors who have lately been on a strike. Before they will be employed they must sign a paper renouncing all allegiance to Typographical Union 16, and agree not to join any other union or association unless they give sixty days' notice to the employers. The men so far have refused to sign the agreement.

### Swindler Caught.

**LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 8.**—S. W. Ferguson, the young man who recently victimized a number of prominent citizens here out of a considerable amount of money by the check racket, has been arrested in Utica, N. Y., at the instigation of the authorities here, and will be brought back to this city. At the time of his arrest he was holding the position of traveling correspondent of the Utica Herald.

### Blackmailer Sentenced.

**NEW YORK, Dec. 8.**—James McCollough, a tailor, who called on Mrs. Jennie McKinley, of 165 East Sixty-ninth street, and threatened to give her husband certain information unless she paid him \$250, has been sentenced to state's prison for two years and three months.

### Revolver Shooting.

**BOSTON, Dec. 8.**—F. E. Bennett's second day's revolver shooting resulted in 867 points out of 1,000, including 52 bull's eyes. This is nineteen less than his Monday score, but twenty-six better than Paine's best record.

### Appointed His Daughter.

**TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 8.**—United States Marshal Gordon has appointed his daughter Alphonsine as his deputy. She is just out of her teens, pretty and smart.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Topics of the Times Given in a terse and spicy manner.

A cancer hospital has been opened in New York.

Victor Drury, the labor agitator, is dying in New York city.

Hog cholera is reported prevalent in seven counties in Illinois.

By the explosion of a mill boiler at Hagsville, Ga., three operators were killed.

A falling tower at Thomasville, Ga., killed four men and seriously hurt three others.

The first prisoner confined in the new jail at Fostoria, O., escaped through the ventilator shaft.

National Barbers' convention at Buffalo, N. Y., resolved to affiliate with the Federation of Labor.

Frank Klein, train robber, hunted for four years, was captured at Muskogee, I. T., by Indian police.

Atlanta city council refused to re-elect United States Senator Joseph Brown to the local school board.

George Field, one of the oldest members of the Chicago board of trade, is dead at the age of seventy-one years.

Cincinnati's committee are at Washington, presenting their claims for the Republican National convention.

A heavy sea at Coney island, N. Y., almost ruined the Hotel Brighton and damaged the Marine railway. Loss \$150,000.

J. B. McDonnell, alias McDonald, was arrested at San Francisco with a plate for engraving fac-similes of \$5 Bank of England notes.

Ottawa, Ont., college will be closed for one month on account of the typhoid epidemic, throwing out 400 students, mostly Americans.

Alphonsine M. Gordon, a beautiful young lady just out of her teens, has been appointed deputy United States marshal at Trenton, N. J.

At the Louisville municipal election Hon. Charles D. Jacob was elected mayor by a plurality over Avery, the Republican candidate of 4,000.

At a meeting of the Ohio club in New York last night, resolutions of regret and condolence were passed on the death of Algernon Sullivan.

The old Herr mill, near Troy, O., used by the state as a stable for canal horses, was burned and six horses and two mules perished in the flames.

The C. H. & D. Railroad company filed a petition at Dayton, O., to foreclose the \$450,000 mortgage on the Dayton, Fort Wayne & Chicago.

At Nicholasville, Ky., a little son of John Dickerson emptied rat poison in a barrel of flour. The family of four and a lady visitor are dangerously poisoned.

A band of counterfeiters have been captured at Nanticoke, Pa. Their den was in a cave on Millcreek, where good imitation silver dollars were made.

Edward Brown and John Kerrigan were crushed to death at Philadelphia by the fall of a heavy hoisting machine. Peter Trainor and John Morley were seriously injured.

Ku-klux band stormed the house of the Williams Brothers, colored, at Lake, Miss. Benjamin Griffith and John McCrany, of the assailants, were killed. Both the negroes escaped.

Boiler in the Hagersville (Ga.) oil mill exploded killing three negroes. The mutilated body of one was thrown 400 feet. An oak tree near by, two feet in diameter, was torn up by the roots.

After studying celestial mysteries in the Sunday-school at Indianapolis, the almond-eyed heathen Chinese were found by the police deeply engaged in a celestial game of chance. They were taken to jail.

By a dynamite explosion on the Pittston branch of the Lehigh Valley railroad, near Wilkesbarre, Pa., Section Foreman Mike Sweeney, of Philadelphia was killed, and five Italian laborers seriously hurt.

### The Weather.

**WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.**—Indications—Threatening weather, with light rains or snow, light to fresh winds, generally southerly, slightly warmer.

### FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Quotations of the Money, Stock, Produce and Cattle Market for Dec. 7.

**NEW YORK**—Money 5 per cent. Exchange steady. Government weak.

Currency sixes, 119 bid; four coupons, 124 1/2; four-and-a-half, 107 bid.

The stock market opened dull and weak on selling by bear traders, which continued at intervals throughout the morning. Prices went steadily down and at noon were off 3/4 to 1/2 per cent. Since noon there has been a firmer tone and a partial recovery.

Bur. & Quincy... 129 1/2; Michigan Central 87 1/2; Central Pacific... 89 1/2; Missouri Pacific... 90 1/2; C. C. & I... 53 1/2; N. Y. Central... 108 1/2; Del. & Hudson... 102 1/2; Northwestern... 107 1/2; Del. Lac. & W... 12 1/2; do preferred... 141 1/2; Illinois Central... 115; Ohio & Miss... 24 1/2; Kansas & Texas... 19 1/2; Pacific Mail... 38; Lake Shore... 94 1/2; St. Paul... 79 1/2; Louisville & Nash... 62 1/2; Western Union... 77 1/2.

### Cincinnati.

**FLOUR**—Fancy, \$3 75; 24 00; family, \$3 35; 20 00.

**WHEAT**—No. 3 red, 81 1/2; No. 2, 85 1/2; 80.

**CORN**—No. 3 mixed, 53 1/2; No. 2 mixed, 54 1/2; No. 1 mixed, 55 1/2; No. 2 white, 52 1/2; No. 3 white, 51 1/2.

**PORK**—Family, \$14 75; 15 00; regular, \$15 00; 15 12 1/2.

**LARD**—Kettle, 7 1/2; 7 1/4.

**POULTRY**—Common chickens, \$3 00; 2 50 per dozen; fair to prime, \$2 75; 2 50.

**WOOL**—Unwashed fine merino, 17 1/2; one-fourth blood clothing, 23 1/2; medium delaine and combing, 23 1/2; fine washed fine merino, X and XX, 23 1/2; medium clothing, 22 1/2; delaine fleece, 22 1/2.

**HAY**—No. 1 timothy, \$13 00; No. 2, \$12 00; No. 3 mixed, \$11 00; No. 4, \$10 00; wheat, oats and rye straw, \$3 50; 3 00.

**CATTLE**—Good to choice butchers, \$3 00; 2 75; fair, \$2 00; 1 75; common, \$1 00; 75; stockers and feeders, \$2 50; 2 00; yearlings and calves, \$2 00; 1 50.

**HOGS**—Select butchers, \$5 00; 4 50; fair to good packing, \$3 50; 3 00; fair to good light, \$3 00; 2 50; common, \$3 00; 2 50; culls, \$1 50; 1 00.

**SHEEP**—Common to fair, \$3 00; 2 50; good to choice, \$3 00; 2 50; common to fair lambs, \$3 50; 3 00; good to choice, \$4 00; 3 50.

### Pittsburg.

**CATTLE**—Steady; prime, \$4 50; 4 00; fair to good, \$4 00; 3 50; common, \$3 00; 2 50; feeders, \$2 50; 2 00; stockers, \$2 50; 2 00; receipts, \$4; shipments, 3 1/2.

**HOGS**—Steady; receipts, 9 00; shipments, 8 50; Philadelphia, \$7 00; 6 50; Yorkers, \$5 50; 5 00; common to fair, \$5 15; 4 75.

**SHEEP**—Fair; receipts, 4 00; shipments, 3 50; prime, \$4 00; 3 50; fair to good, \$3 50; 3 00; common, \$1 00; 92 00.

### New York.

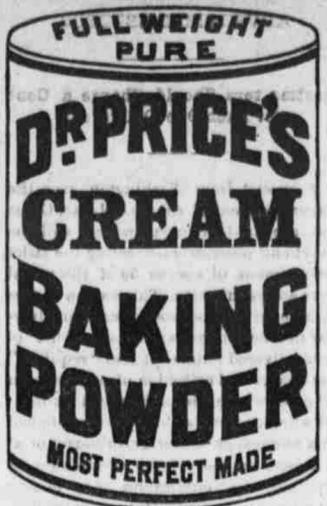
**WHEAT**—No. 1 state red, 95 1/2; No. 2 red winter, 94 1/2; January, 93 1/2.

**CORN**—Mixed, 55 1/2; January, 55 1/2.

**OATS**—No. 1 white, 48 1/2; No. 2, 46 1/2; 45 1/2.

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