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DEATH HOLDS A CARNIVAL

Sudden Destruction by Fire of the Windsor Hotel in New York City.

LARGE NUMBERS OF GUESTS PERISH.

The Windows Were Crowded with People Witnessing the St. Patrick's Day Parade, Many of Whom Jumped from Windows and Roof to Instant Death.

New York, March 18.-Flames, which originated from the igniting of a lace curtain, burst forth from the secon.! toor of the Windsor hotel, at Fortyseventh street and Fifth avenue, shortly after three o'clock vesterday afterneon, just as the St. Patrick's day parade was possing the building, and in a few moments they had leaped to the roof and enveloped the entire Fifth avenue and Forty-second street front of the hotel. Ten minutes later the flames were roaring through the in terior of the hotel, and all escape by means of stairways and elevators was

Wild Scenes of Excitement.

There was the wildest scene of excitement within and without de build Hundreds of guests and employes were in the hotel when the fire broke out, and for many of them to escape was simply impossible. Probably from 10 to 15 lives were lost within a half hour, and 30 or 40 persons were injured in jumping from the windows and in rushing through the roaring names in the corridors and on the stairways. Died at Near-by Residences.

Many who were injured died later at near-by residences and athospitals and others who made wild leaps to the stone sidewalks were so padly injured that they are still hovering between life and death. It may be 24 hours and more before the complete list of fatalities becomes known, and it will be loaser than that before it can be ascertained definitely how many charred bodies are in the mass of fallen mason ry that marks the spot where the hotel stood:

A Spectacular Scene.

The fire was the most spectacular that could be imagined. When it broke out Fifth avenue was crowded with people watching the St. Patrick's Day parade, and every window in the front of the hotel facing Fifth avenue was filled with spectators. The day was all that could be desired, and an unusually large number of people were on the streets on that account, a faci which interfered not a fittle with the movements of the firemen and police.

Drove the People from the Streets. As soon as the flames were liseov ered shooting from the windows, that part of the St. Patrick's Day procession which was near the building came to a balt, and in a few minutes the parade was disbanded, for the police came rushing toward the fire from every direction, and as far as they were able, drove the people from the streets.

The Fire Engines Appear. One alarm after another was turned in, and the first of the fire engines seenc. The engines caused a wild plication, and in a moment climbed to a friend asserted that it was a case of self-scramble among the paraders and the window and leaped. She furned possession. Best on Watchman. ctators as they rushed along the street and fell into positions for ser-

In addition to the regular guests of the hotel the windows were crowded by a large number of spectators, residents of this city, who had congregated there to witness the parade.

Panie-Stricken Guests.

Soon after the first alarm was given people in the lower floors of the hotel, who had easy access to the streets and to the stairway, commenced to pour out of the building in great numbers, but it very soon became apparent that a great majority of the occupant of the hotel were either panic-tricken or unable to make their way to the ground floor. Windows were thrown up on every side of the building, and guests, mostly women, in all stages of terror, made their appearance and uitered frantic appeals to the crowd be-

low for assistance.

Failed to Break Their Anful Fall. As the flames gathered about them they became more and more terrorstricken, and presently some of their stood upon the narrow window sitls and beckoned to the spectators that they were about to leap. Men collected upon the sidewalks ready to render any assistance they could, and in the mean time some of the women left the window sills and dropped to the streets. In most instances the efforts to catch them and break their awful fall were walk, and in most cases broken 'imbs were the result.

Many Cases of Heroic Rescue.

As soon as the firemen could get their scaling ladders into position they climbed the sides of the building and entered at every window where there was an unfortunate guest appealing for assistance, and many cases of heroic rescue were witnessed by the throng in the streets.

Taken to Helen Gould's Residence. At the corner of Forty-seventh street and Fifth avenue, directly across from the hotel is the home of Miss Helen Gould, and at her direction many of the injured were carried the v. and were treated by physicians and nurses whom she had sent for. In the mean time the chief of police had telephoned to every hospital in the city asking that assistance be sent. Ambulances forced their way through the crowds as quickly as possible, and the rejured people who had made the frightfui leaps from the hotel windows were placed ir them and removed to the

hospitals. Leaped from Windows and Roof.

peared at the windows of the sixth and seventh stories and even on the roof and leaped to the streets from those points. Very few of them scaped either instant death or injuries which resulted in their death in a short time

The Entire Building in Flames.

In the meantime the entire building was being enveloped in flames, which shot out from every window, and formed a picture which struck terror to all those who were witnessing it.

Fell With An Awful Crash.

Within 40 or 45 minutes after the ire broke out the walls showed every indication of falling, and presently, with an awful crash they struck the asphalt-paved street in front of the hotel, and caused the hundreds of pecnle who were standing there to scatter ir every direction. This fall weakened the walls on the Forty-stxthand Fortyseventh street sides, and they followed a moment later. When the walls fell the brick and morrar and twisted girders and corrugated iron filled the streets on three sides of the hotel.

Played Streams on Other Buildings. Firemen continued to play streams upon the flames and also mon all of the adjoining buildings, including Miss-Gould's residence, which seemel in imminent danger of catching fire, but the flames were brought under control before they could reach any of them.

A Hall Boy Gives the Alarm.

There were many thrilling scenes in the hotel during the early stages of the fire. A hall boy discovered the flames while he was passing along the fourth floor, immediately over the rooms occupied by President McKinley's brother, Abner McKinley, and his family. The boy pulled a chain attached to the fire alarm, out lie chain broke, and then he cried out an aborn; of fire, and ran to the floor below. The blaze was then licking up everything on the Fifth avenue end of the building, and the lad when he got to the floor above the main hall, ran into the American dining room, and gave the plarm to the guests there. Only a few persons were in the dining room at the time, and they escaped. When the boy reached the main floor, Warren Lehand, proprietor of the hotel, was in the rear of the long ball, and the boy chouted to him that the building was on five.

papers, and the boy then rushed down the basement stairway and alarmed the women who were at work in the laundry. It is believed that all of them escaped.

A Daring Rescue by Firemen

One of the most daring resears ctfeeted by the firemen occasion on the fifth floor on the Fifth avenue front. low, and two firemen mesercial in reaching the window underneatin. Our of them elimbed to the coping of the windowon which she was standing, a st then swing the women clear of the window, and landed her safely in the the resistance of several resumen, tism. St. Jacobs Oil did in." passed her to the street,

The First Horror.

The first borror occurr t just 12 minutes after the fire books out. A hand-once woman appeared at the wiedow of a room on the fouth floor. Sha held out her arms to the crowd telew. were not long in appearing upon the Then she raised her hands as if i, sup- Upon a man stating that he owned a mule, about fike a top, and struck the from railing in front of the herel. Her bedy seemed to be impaled there, but it fell off and into the arenway, she was deng. The woman was identified as Mrs. Amelia Paddock, of Irvington N.

Heroic Rescue of Several Women.

One of the most thrilling stenes of the fire-at a time when the building was a seething cauldron of flame-was the heroic reseue of several women from the upper stories. One had been It is easy, sure. It will vanish. Use St. carried down from the math story. Jacobs Oil for Neuralgia. It's done. Mrs. A. H. Fuller, of Pitt durgh, then appeared, with her maid, at the window of the fourth story. It seemed as age before the ladder was leavered age before the ladder was leavered. I am entirely cured of hemorrhage of Firemen ran up, and with great difficulty brought down Mrs. Fuller and Louisa Lindaman, Bethany, Mo., Jan. 8, '94. her amid. Just as she was gotten or of the window a middle-aged women s peared at a window just north ct (Ia.) Democrat. that at which the ladder was placed The woman, fearing that she would not be rescued, prepared to jump. She was warned to keep back, and became part ie-stricken, and stepped back into the dense smoke. A book and-bidder mar seeing the desperation of the woman seized a scaling tadder and went ut See! Bad sprain is cured. St. Jacobs Oil's story after story through the blinding magic worked it. seized a scaling tadder and went up smoke. He climbed to the coping just as the woman reappeared. Seizing her by the waist and holding tightly to the get into the ditch.-Town Topics. wall of the building, he crept slowly en the coping and passed the fainting woman to another fireman, who had braced himself to receive her. There was a dreadful suspense as the firemou drew the woman toward him, and finally had her safely on the ladder. A tremendous cheer went up from the

Other Brave Rescues by Firemen.

Fireman John Hanna, of the fire boat Zephar Mills, rushed through the smoke to the top floor, and found Night Watchman MacNichol, ha'f asphysiated. Hanna lowered him by means of a wire to the fire escape two stories below, and let himself down the same way. His hands were hadly cut by the wire. Then thanna assisted the old man down the fire escape.

Fireman William Kennedy, of Engine Company 23, researed a Mrs. Brans from the fourth floor of the hovel by means of a scaling ladder. His rescue was cheered by the immense crowd A crippled woman was found on the

floor of a room on the fourth floor unable to move, and was carried in safety to the street.

Assemblyman John H. Maher, Steriff Dunn and Police Commissioners Hess Sexton and Abell all assisted in taking Several occupants of the hotel ap- persons from the hotel.

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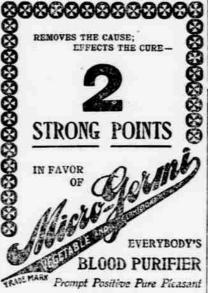
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