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BRAVE MEN MEET DEATH

Five Lives Lost in a Factory Fire in Chicago.

FOUR OF THE DEAD WERE FIREMEN

The remarkable act of Gallant Fire Captain Hermanson—While Balancing Himself on a Ladder He Caught a Falling Girl and Carried Her to the Street.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The interior of the Exchange building, a seven story structure at the corner of Van Buren and Franklin streets, was destroyed by fire yesterday, entailing a loss of \$375,000 upon the owners and tenants of the building and causing the loss of five lives, the fatal injury of two others and the injury of six other people, all of whom are expected to recover.

The dead are: Patrick J. O'Donnell, lieutenant of engine company No. 2; Martin Shorick, pipeman; John Downs, pipeman; John Prendergast, pipeman, and Kittie Landgraf.

The firemen were crushed by falling debris. Kittie Landgraf jumped from the fourth story window and was injured internally. She died at County hospital.

Garry Neil jumped from the fourth story window. He was internally injured and had his left arm broken, and will probably die. Nellie Turner jumped from a third story window and received internal injuries that will prove fatal.

The following were overcome by smoke, but will recover: Aggie McClain, Olga Kellar, Hattie Brennan, Edna Ritter and Mary Pink. Daniel McNally, driver of No. 8 engine, was buried beneath the debris, but will recover.

It was a few minutes before 9 o'clock when Rose Bruno, employed by Stern & Beis, wholesale clothiers, noticed that the corridors were filling with smoke. She ran into the workroom, where thirty girls were working, and alarmed them. Instantly there was confusion. Although every effort was made to control the frightened girls, several opened the windows and climbed out on the ledges. One of the first to do this was Nellie Turner. She screamed for help, and some one on the ground shouted for her to jump. She grasped the ledge and swung herself off from the stone ledge on which she had stood, and hundreds on the street cheered.

She descended and Officer Flaherty, who was on the fire escape, started up to assist her. He was too late. She suddenly lost her balance and fell. Officer Flaherty tried to catch her, but failed. She was picked up unconscious.

The escape of Olga Kellar is regarded as marvelous. She was employed by Stern & Beis, and when the room where she was working began to fill with smoke she ran to one of the windows overlooking Van Buren street. She threw up the sash and climbed out on the ledge, clinging with one hand to the narrow strip of wood on the outside of the sash. She saw a few feet below her the ladder on which two firemen stood, and she prepared to jump.

"Wait; don't jump!" shouted Captain Hermanson, who had almost reached the window.

Great volumes of smoke poured out of the window where the girl stood, and at times her form was entirely obscured. After her cheer went up, Captain Hermanson she climbed up. He had almost reached the girl when he heard her scream, and as he looked up he saw her reel and release her hold on the window sill. She had been overcome by the smoke, and had fallen. Captain Hermanson braced himself, and as the unconscious form dropped, he seized it with his right arm. The effort nearly cost him his own life, for he narrowly escaped falling. From hundreds of throats cheers were heard as the brave captain descended the ladder with his burden.

By noon the firemen thought the worst of the day's battle was past. They were mistaken. Shortly before 1 o'clock a large safe on the fifth floor fell to the fourth, carrying it and the third, second and first floor with it. Five men, members of engineering company No. 2 were working on the ground floor, and were buried beneath the brick, stone and timber. All were killed but McNally.

After nearly an hour's work the rescuers had opened a passageway through the debris and succeeded in getting close enough to where the firemen were buried to assure themselves that Lieutenant O'Donnell was alive. He was just able to talk, and it was with great difficulty that his words could be heard. Gradually the lieutenant's voice became weaker, and his reply to the last questions were scarcely audible. The fire soon broke out again and the rescuers were compelled to abandon their work. O'Donnell's dead body was recovered at 7 o'clock last night.

There were forty-seven tenants in the building, but many of these were agents of foreign manufacturers, and their losses will be small. The heaviest losers are: Kuhn, Nathan & Fisher, owners of the building, \$100,000; D. H. Arnold & Co., clothing suppliers, \$50,000; Stern & Beis, wholesale clothing, \$50,000; Broadhurst, Lee & Co., cotton and woolen goods, \$25,000; S. D. Stryker, dry goods, \$20,000.

Locked in a Burning Building.
WINSTON, N. C., Nov. 23.—At a branly distillery in the mountain section of Stokes county a 140-gallon still took fire. The cap was blown off, and the building was soon filled with flames. The owner was standing near the still, where his two sons lay asleep on the floor. The burning liquid ran over the two boys. The father and his sons made a rush for the door, but it was locked, and by the time they succeeded in opening it the three men were burned so badly that they will die. The house and its contents, including several hogsheads of fruit, were burned.

United for an Eight Hour Day.
BALTIMORE, Nov. 23.—Seven hundred clothing cutters, members of Cutters' union No. 89 and Assembly 1,113, Knights of Labor, formed an amalgamation last night at a meeting held in Carroll Hall, and were admitted to membership in the United Garment Workers' organization, which is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. A move will now be made for the establishment of the eight hour day in the tailoring establishments of Baltimore.

Durrant's Sentence Again Postponed.
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Theodore Durrant was again brought into the superior court yesterday to be sentenced for the murder of Bianche Lamont. The prisoner's counsel requested further time to prepare affidavits in support of a motion for a new trial, and the entire matter went over until Wednesday next.

A PRETTY PICTURE.

Two Little Children Made Strong and Well by Dr. Greene's Nervura.

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MRS. H. SILVER'S LITTLE ONES.

Strong, vigorous and healthy children are what we all want, and how to keep our little ones in good health is a question of the greatest interest to us all. Children are peculiarly liable to nervous disorders; they become nervous, restless, fretful, cross and irritable; their night's sleep is not calm and restful, but they toss restlessly from side to side, murmur or talk in their sleep and wake tired and unrefreshed in the morning. They have an irregular appetite, grow thin and



MRS. H. SILVER.

pale, look slight and puny, and their growth and development become stunted.

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Mrs. H. Silver, of 142 Lewis St., New York City, was not only restored herself to health by Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, but her two children, whose portraits are here given, were made strong and well by this grand medicine. Mrs. Silver says—

"I was nervous for four years so that I could do nothing. I went to different doctors, but none could help me. I read so much in the papers about Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy that I thought I would try it. After the first bottle I felt relieved, so I used a couple of bottles more and now I am all right again. I thank Dr. Greene's Nervura for the good it did me."

"I also have two little girls who were sick, weak and run-down, to whom I gave Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. It did them so much good that I cannot be thankful enough. It made them well and strong again, and they are now, thanks to this wonderful remedy, healthy and vigorous. Before I took Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy I could not eat or sleep. I could not do my housework, but now I am like a different woman. I give this testimonial that other sufferers may read it and know the good Nervura did me and my children."

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CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Eugene V. Debs spoke in Central Music Hall last night to an audience that taxed the seating and standing capacity of that hall. Most of the leading labor organizations were represented, and the reception accorded to the leader of the American Railway union was enthusiastic to the extreme.

Eight carloads of Debs' friends went down to Woodstock to greet him on his release from jail, and several thousand men were at the station of the Northwestern road when the train bearing Debs and his friends arrived at 7:30 o'clock. The reception of Debs as he stepped from the train bordered on the frantic. Hundreds of men pushed and struggled to get a grasp of his hands, many of them hugged him, and some went to the extent of kissing him. Finally he was tossed upon the shoulders of four men and, followed by a dense throng that never for an instant stopped its shouting, he was escorted to the hall, about a mile distant. The warmth of the reception at the depot was repeated when he entered the hall. The speech delivered by Mr. Debs, which was received with much applause by the audience, was in substance as follows:

He commenced by saying that in the light of recent judicial proceedings he stood stripped of his constitutional rights as a free man, and shorn of the most sacred prerogative of American citizenship; and what was true of himself was true of every other citizen who had the temerity to protest against corporation rule, or question the absolute sway of the money power. It was not the law or the administration of the law which he complained. It was the flagrant violation of the constitution, the total abrogation of law, and the usurpation of judicial and despotic power by virtue of which he and his colleagues were committed to jail against which he entered his protest. He had been denied a trial. He was charged now with conspiracy, and if guilty should go to the penitentiary. He wanted to be tried by a jury of his peers, and all he asked was a fair trial and no favor. (The conspiracy case is still undisposed of in the United States court.)

He then spoke at great length of personal liberty and in defense of the American Railway union, saying it would have triumphed but for the interference of the federal authorities, which he characterized as "an exhibition of the debauching power of money."

This demonstration, he said, meant that the American lovers of liberty were setting in operation forces to rescue their constitutional liberties from the grasp of monopoly and its mercenary hirelings; that the people were aroused, in view of impending perils, and that agitation, organization and unification were to be the future battle cries of men who would not part with their birthright.

Were he a criminal, guilty of crimes meriting a prison cell, had he ever lifted his hand against the life or liberty of his fellow men, had he ever sought to flinch their good name, he would not be on the platform. He would have fled from the haunts of civilization and starved in a cave, where the voice of his kindred was never heard. But he was standing before his hearers without a self accusation of crime or criminal intent fostering in his conscience, in the sunlight once more, contributing as best he could to make this "Liberation Day" a memorial day.

Before leaving the jail yesterday Mr. Debs reiterated his assertion that he would never again accept money from a labor organization for services rendered. He intends to earn his living by publishing a weekly industrial paper, of which he will be the editor also. First, however, in response to many requests, he will make speeches in most of the big cities of the country. "I never intend to accept an other political office," said he. "I have one desire only, and that is the unification of labor. To that end I shall devote my life. Under no circumstance will I ever again lead a strike."

On the Lookout for Cuban Filibusters.
LEWIS, Del., Nov. 23.—The deputy collector of customs here has been informed from Washington that the John W. Foster has cleared down the Delaware, and is expected to take aboard somewhere around the Breakwater a party of Cuban sympathizers, which she will deliver on board the Norwegian vessel Leon, now lying off shore. The Leon is expected to take the men to Cuba. The deputy collector is instructed to keep a sharp lookout for the Foster, and if possible ascertain her destination and purpose.

The Czarevitz Much Worse.
ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 23.—Drs. Simanovsk and Sherseloffsk, court physicians, have gone to Abbas Tuman, in the Caucasus, in obedience to a summons to attend the Grand Duke George, the czarowitz, whose condition has become very much worse. The dowager czarina, the grand duke's mother, and her daughter, the Grand Duchess Xenia, and her husband are also hastening to the czarowitz's bedside.

Killed in Self Defense.
LAMBERTVILLE, N. J., Nov. 23.—J. M. Harrison shot and instantly killed William Boyd about midnight at Mount Airy, two miles from here. The murder was committed in self defense. Both are colored men. Boyd was intoxicated, and threatened to kill Harrison with a long knife. Harrison drew a revolver and fired five times, killing Boyd instantly. Harrison gave himself up to the police.

Brakeman Stabbed by a Tramp.
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 23.—John Greenwood, a freight brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio, had a desperate fight with a tramp near Conneillsville. The tramp was trying to steal his way from Conneillsville to Cumberland. Greenwood was stabbed twice in the shoulder and once in the hand. He assailant was overpowered after a desperate fight and locked up in the Uniontown jail.

Rev. Hyatt Smith Adjudged Insane.
BOSTON, Nov. 23.—The case of Rev. Frank Hyatt Smith came up in the United States circuit yesterday before Judge Nelson, on the question of the sanity of Mr. Smith. The court adjudged the defendant insane, and he will be taken to the government asylum at Washin-ton immediately.

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A Railroad Official's Experience.



M. R. EDWARD EDMONDS, long connected with railroad construction in Nebraska, writes: "My heart troubled and pained me for 15 years. Shortness of breath was the constant and most common symptom. Intense, excruciating pain, generally followed my severe exertion. Fastness, hunger without any appetite; fluttering that made me clutch my breast, and palpitation that often staggered me as if I would fall, were frequent attacks. Again, everything would turn black if I arose from a stooping posture quickly. Sleepless nights with their **Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Restores Health.** prostrating unrest were numerous and I could get no rest day or night. I consulted leading physicians and tried advertised remedies. They gave me no relief. One of Dr. Miles' circulars described my case so exactly that I took Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and I am now a well man. I hope every one troubled with heart disease will try Dr. Miles' remedies. If they will write me personally, I will gladly give them full details of my experience." **Edw. Edmonds.**
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