

EAST SIDE BLOCK SWEEP BY FLAMES

Frame Buildings Between East Ninth, Tenth, Washington and Stark Stricken.

SEVERAL ARE BADLY HURT

Three Horses Burn—Sleepers First Aroused by Cries of Other Lodgers Leap to Safety.

All Accounted For.

With the force and swiftness of an explosion, flames swept the greater part of a block of frame buildings confined by East Ninth, East Tenth, Washington and Stark streets at 11 o'clock Tuesday night.

Flames curling up from the southwest corner of the warehouse were first noticed at 10:55 by Chris Smith, 37 East Ninth street, who turned in an alarm from a fire box.

When the fire was eating swiftly into a row of two-story roominghouse buildings on Washington street, the warehouse and all buildings destroyed were supported by piling which gave an underdraught to the flames and nearly resulted fatally for occupants of the dwellings.

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