Panic-Stricken Employes Leap From Upper Floors to Awful Death.

50 INJURED; MORE TO DIE

Within Ten Minutes of Outbreak of Plames Lives of 25 Persons Are Blotted Out in Newark, N. J., Building Fire.

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The elevators made one trip, but took down no passengers and never came back. The only exit was by the fire escapes, the lower platforms of which were IS feet from the street.

Onto these overcrowded and steep lanes, scorched, dancing hot by the jets from lower windows, pressed forward a mob of women blind with panic, driven by the fire and the others behind them.

A net had been spread beneath the windows and the girls began to jump, "like rats out of a burning bin," was the way a fireman described the descent.

Many Leap Clear to Death.

a thick treacle, rolled upon the heads of those below them and cascaded off the ire escape to the pavement 60 feet be-

Some of them stood in the windows outlined against the flames and jumped clear. Others jumped from the landings, still others from the steps where they stood. The air was full of them and they fell everywhere—into the net, on the necks of the firemen, and 15 of them on the hard stone slabs.

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When the awful rain ceased there were eight dead in the street, and the guiters ran red. Seven were so badly crushed they died in hospitals.

Pifty are still under surgical care.
The dead are: Sadle Hauso, Sarah Creeran, Gertrude Denton, Millian

Creeran, Gertrude Denton, Millian Walters, Sophia Madusky, Ida Woolsey, Mary Kavansugh, Rey Davidson, Rose Cleary, Theresa Tortorella, Sophie Niciwak, Matilda Otto, Katherine Diehn, Carrie Pobrecut, Mrs. Francis Krathia, Abbie Washington, Mrs. Alice Nelson, Mrs. Bessie Rosing, Mrs. Marrie La-

Panie Strikes Other Factories.

Clouds of smoke and showers of burning embers rained down on neigh-boring roofs. As the news flew, panic spread to other factories, where many of the girls in peril had friends and relatives and several firms had to shut down for the day. Thousands flocked to the fire and made the work of the firemen and police more difficult. Italian silkworkers knelt in

streets and prayed. Priests and cler-gymen worked their way through the press to give the last consolations to those of their different faiths. Ambulances and automobiles, commandeered for emergency service, were hurrying in opposite streams to the hospitals and back again.

Before any order could be restored, every police reserve in the city had been called out and it was not until tonight that an estimate of the prop-erty loss could be ventured. The fire department now estimates \$165,000, but o statement from the owners and ten-

ants is yet available. 200 Employed in Firetrap

The building's first and second floors were occupied by the Newark Paper Box Company. The third floor was oc-cupied by the Aetna Electric Company, makers of lamps. The fourth floor was used by Louis Wolf, a manufacturer of underclothes. It is believed the blaze started on the second floor, in the rear, among a lot of rubbish. Within a minamong a lot of reconst. Within a min-ute or two after it was noticed it had made its way into a lot of waste paper, from which it connected with the upper floors. In all, about 200 persons were employed in the building.

Jennie Gill, who was employed by Wolf, said she was in a room on the fourth floor with Anna Hague, the forewoman, and Anna Smith and Au-

gusta Ebert. Miss Hague discovered smoke and

Panic-stricken, she mounted the sill tain faltering which seems to indicat and plunged into space. Miss Gill went to a fire escape and was about to leap when the firemen raised a indder and brought her down.

One of the spectators said that at least 15 girls had jumped from the fourth floor. They staked at the win-dows until, frenzied by the flames behind them and nearly suffocated by the smoke, they leaped to the street. With the exception of two girls em-ployed by the Actna Company, all the employes on the first and second floors of the building escaped unburt.

Twenty-four of the injured were taken to St. Michael's Hospital. Of these two died Life nets were put into use immediately after the arrival of the firemen. Perhaps 30 lives were saved in this way. One girl, Hattie Delahy, was badly hurr. She miscal-culated the leap and struck the edge of the net, falling to the pavement. Hoppie Diehl was also injured when

the last rites to seven of the victims. The priest-worked nobly, helping the firemen to reach parts of the building where others of the injured might be.

The wooden floors were soaked with oil drippings from the machinery and the flames ate their way through them like pasteboard. When they warped and weakened, the weight of the machinery tore them free from the walls and they fell into the basement in a horrible tangle of hot iron and man-

Sadie Benson, an employe of the Actna Electric Company, was cleaning an electric light fixture in a gasoline bath. The gasoline took fire—she does not know how—and trickled in a little right of the court the floor where rivalent of flame onto the floor, where stood a full can of gasoline.

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Ine can explosed and the outling liquid flew far and wide. Lewis Coxe, an employe of the box factory on the second floor, was standing in the hali-way at the time of the explosion. The shock was strong enough, he said, to hurl him against the wall, but the girls

ostairs at their whirring sewing ma-lines heard nothing. Gertrude Malbauer, who kept her head and was saved by jumping from the fire-escape into a life net, told of what she saw.

Explosion Is Not Heard.

"I think there were about 85 of us in Woif's factory, most of us operat-ing sewing machines," she said. "We NEWARK N. J. Nov. 26.—In ten minutes 25 girls were burned alive this
morning or crushed to death on the
pavement by leaping from the windows
and fire escapes of the four-story factory building at Orange and High
streets, occupied on the top floor by an
underwear manufacturing concern.

It was on the top floor where the
death list was heaviest. The lower floors
were occupied by two paperbox concerns and two electrical fixture factories.
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Windows.

Fireman Brown, who turned in the alarm, was at work directly opposite the windows of the engine house where he is stationed. He saw a girl rush out of the factory into the sireet, screaming and wring, her hands. Brown did not wait to ask questions; he turned in an alarm and then dashed up the fire-escape.

Already he found 40 girls at the fourth-story windows, some of them so dazed with terror that they had not the wint to pull down the sashes and climb out. Brown smashed in the windows and began pulling the girls through out. Brown smashed in the windows and began pulling the girls through out. Brown smashed in the windows in the file past him.

The floor was far from cleared, but the heat had grown so intense that the skin was beginning to crackle from Brown's face. He pulled himself up to the window for a last look in, but at the windows.

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David Levy, president of the Wolf
Manufacturing Company, and Alfred M.
Wolf, secretary-treasurer, broke into
tears when they were asked for an estimate of the loss.

"What is loss in the face of this disaster" said Mr. Wolf. "What is any
investment against the life of one of
those poor girls." When we can talk
coherently we'll give out a statement."
Frederick Weimar, chief inspector of Frederick Weimar, chief inspector of the public prosecutor's office, is mak-ing an investigation to determine the responsibility of the tenants and own-ers.

came out of the windows like DILWORTH TEAM WINNER

Score In Indoor Baseball Game Is

15 to 1-McKenzie Fans 22. Striking out 22 hatters, establishing a sew record, McKenzie, the Dilworth Derbles' tall pitcher, last night brought victiers in the Indoor Baseball League game at the Armory by the score of 15 to 1. Hits were scarce, a total of only eight being made by both teams. Bases on balls and errors were much more numerous

Patty, twirler for the soldiers, was generous to the Derbies, giving 12 passes to first, seven of which came in the first infirst, seven of which came in the first in-ning, forcing in the four runs made. Pive hits were made by the Derbies. Only one extra base hit was made, that a three-bagger by Briggs, of the Derbies. The battery work of both feams was the feature. Stiversy receiver for the soldiers, caught several men off, first base and

threw out two trying to steal second. Patty struck out 12 men. Vancouver got three hits, but they figured in geting the lone run. The players were:

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SNOW FALLS ON HEIGHTS Council Crest Covered to Depth of

Snow started falling on Council Crest late last night and at midnight the ground was covered to the depth of an inch. Three hours later the white blanket was nearly two inches deep. The temperature was about 30 degrees. No snow fell below Portland Heights.

Several Inches.

PACK UPPER HOUSE IS PLAN

(Continued From Piret Page. Hemmerde, the Liberal member for Den bighshire, like Andrew Bonar Law, is giving up a certainty and will attempt to wrest the Portsmouth seat from Lord Charles Beresford.
On the whole, it seems improbable there will be any great change in the position

of the parties of the parties.

The report is circulated in Unionist quarters that, unless there is some substantial change in the strength of the parties, the leaders have agreed again to confer and thus avoid the necessity of calling in the King to intervene in a stream situation before the coronation. grave situation before the coronation The "American dollar" still plays a prominent part in the campaign. The Tories continue the cry, but with cer

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Injured Brakeman Dies.

Ernest Boylen, a brakeman IS years old, died at St. Vincent's Hospital last night following amputation of his right leg. While attempting to couple cars Eugene McHugh, a foreman in the employ of the Aetna Company, was among the first to realize the seriousness of the situation, and guided several score of girls to safety down a fire escape.

Among those who were early at the gene was Rev. F. Quirk, assistant of his relatives.



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EMPEROR'S SPEECH CAUSE OF DEBATE

Reichstag Makes Attack on Divine Right Theory as Propounded.

BELIEF SHOWN TO EXIST

Many Germans Stand Ready Approve of William's Utterance at Koenigsberg-Bitter Controversy Is Aroused.

BERLIN, Nov. 26 .- The Reichstag | the people was occupied today with a discussion of the speech made by Emperor Wil-liam at a provincial dinner at Koenigs-berg, August 26, during his tour of Eastern Germany. flicting sentiments aroused by his re-markable utterances intimating a con-tinued belief in the divine right of kings, was given full play.

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The debate was bitter throughout.

In his Koenigsberg speech the Emperor, after saying that his grandfather had seen in himself the chosen instrument of heaven and so proclaimed that the Prussian crown was bestowed upon him by God's grace alone. Into upon him by God's grace alone, inti-mated that the convictions of Emperor William I and his own were identical,

Galleries Are Crowded.

"Considering myself as the instru-ment of the Master, regardless of pass-ing views and opinions, I go my way which is solely devoted to the prosperity and peaceful development of our fatherland."

In anticipation of a prolonged discus-

ion, the House met two hours carlie than usual. Few of the members were were absent and the galleries were

Herr Ledebour, one of the Socialist leader Bebel's most gifted lieutenants, supported the Socialist Interpeliation, inquiring what the Chancellor thought of the Emperor having departed from his declarations made in November, 1968, through Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollwegg, concerning his majesty's position in the state.

played in future in making such utter-

Emperor's Right Conceded. Herr Ledebour said there was no objection to the Emperor speaking as much

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as he chose on all possible subjects which His Majesty thought he under-

stood.
"None of our opponents," he continued,
"plows so thoroughly the soil wherein
social democratic seed is to be sown as
Emperor William II." "It was, however, unfair," the speaker raid. "that those undertaking to reply to the Emperor should be prosecuted on the charge of insulting His Majesty." He demanded that the Emperor should not interfere in the affairs of the state contrary to the provisions of the constitution.

tion.

Herr Ledebour spoke mockingly of the Hohenzollern family cult deriving its powers from the most high. He concluded:

"Elector Brandenburg obtained the Prussian crown from the Roman Emperor through benging and whining, and by all means of hirligue at the court of Vienna."

Emperor Is Defended.

Replying, Chancellor Von Bethman-Hollweg defended the Emperor and asserted that the Socialist interpeliation was inspired by republican sentiments rather than by anxiety for the integrity of the state.

The Chancellor denied that the Koenigsberg speech constituted a breach of any promise that His Majesty had made.

Describing the growth of the state, the Chancellor said the Kings of Prussia in a century long development had grown into an intimate connection with

"This development," he continued, "was not on the theory that the people gave themselves to the monarchy, but throughout the unequaled labor of the great culers, the House of Hohenzollers as sustained by a tenacious and efficient population.

"Thus arose the Prussian state, which loes not know the idea of a sovereignty of the people. The Kings in their relations to the people are Kings in their own right. It must not be wondered at that in our day when democratic tendency appears to treat the King as the official of the people, the King of Prussia strongly emphasizes his consci-ousness that lie is not subject to popuar sovereignty.

"The personal irresponsibility of the King and the independence of the sovereignty of his monarchial rights are fundamental principles of our political life, which remains alive in the constitutional development."

Street Filling Contract Begun.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 26 .- Moffatt & Parker, contractors for the im-provement of Washington street, are laying a track down Washington street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, for hauling the dirt from above Eleverath street to fill Twelfth. Excavating will commence Monday morning. There will be a cut of about 17 feet near the Huntley place and that of Mack Howell, both of which border on this street, and also of the

Waterway Delegates Quash Attack in Resolutions.

BOARD CRITICISED

Demand Is Made on Congress for 14-Foot Channel Lakes to Gulf, With Lock Sills Adapted to Depth Not Less Than 24 Feet.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 26.—An attack on President Taft was thwarted at the final session of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterway Association convention here this afternoon, after the resolution committee had asked approval of its report. Friends of the Chief Executive rushed to the platform and appealed to the delegates to eliminate what Governor Deneen, of Hilnois, termed an "insult."

debate, follows: "And in bitter disappointment and in sorrow we are compelled to deplore the course of the Executive in delaying the creation of the board provided for in the last rivers and harbors act, and in finally appointing a board which proved unfriendly to our policy, and our projects, despite our patriotic effort to aid him by information concerning these physical and commercial conditions better known to us than to tions better known to us than to

Leo Ressieur, of St. Louis, in defending the resolutions, said the President had delayed the appointment of the engineers for five months and that two of the Army Engineers on the board were known to be unfriendly to the

Congressman Bartholdt said the section did an injustice to the President, that President Taft, by the wording of the act, was compelled to name the chief of the engineers of the Army as one of the board. He appealed to the convention to vote to eliminate "the harsh and untrue words."

H. T. Rainey, Representative in

said the men were prejudiced against the waterway. He said the resolution as read should be adopted. Governor

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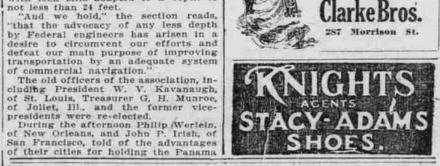
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