

New University Hospital, Baltimore, Where 60 Injured Firemen Were Taken Last Night and Today.

AN AWFUL HOLOCAUST

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Fresh relays of engines, men and horses are being rushed by special trains from Jersey City, New York and Brook-It will be three days probably betheir services can be dispensed

WATERFRONT A SEETHING MASS. Bulletin 1:30 p. m .- While the fire is believed to be under control, the water-

front is now a seething furnace. Great mills, steamships, wharves, long rows of cotton and great warehouses filled with merchandise are entirely aflame. the waterfront goes the shipping interests of this seaport, making a complete destruction of Baltimore's business distriet. The fire at this time is under control only in the sense that unless the wind changes flames cannot cross the river bounding the northeast business section and its confines. More than engines and trucks and crews have been brought from other cities to augment the local fire department, yet should the wind change, probably this great force of firemen and modern appliances will prove inadequate to save the residence section. Two hundred and fifty extra police arrived from Philadelphia this afternoon.

Merchandise, furniture and all man-ner of goods litter the streets and open spaces in the eastern extremity of the city this afternoon. Homeless families are rushing to and fro trying to locate property that was thrown into wagons and driven to outlying districts. Fabulous prices are paid teamsters for the use of vehicles. The wind has changed from east to northwest at 5 o'clock this morning, and diverted the flames to the waterfront and lumber district. The greatest excitement prevails and thousands are coming into the city from

BIG FIRES OF RISTORY.

Present Configuration Eclipses



City Hospital, Saratoga and Calvert Streets, Baltimore, Where Many Injured Firemen and Policemen Are Being Taken.

ton, Mass, November 9 to 11, 1872, loss, \$178,000,000; New York City, Decembers ber I to 8, 1881, 300 lives lost; Virg 16, 1835, loss about \$20,000;000; New City, Nev., almost destroyed by York City, September 6, 1839, loss, October 26, 1875, loss, \$2,000,000; for \$10,000,000; Pittsburg, Pa., April 10, fires in Michigan and Wisconsin, Company of the Property of the Propert 1851, loss, \$3,500,000; San Francisco, June 22, 1851, loss, \$3,000,000; Port-Them All. land, Me., July 4, 1866, loss, \$15,009.

The record of the big fires of the 009; Haverhill, Mass., February 17, 1882.

United States are the following: Bostown destroyed, loss about \$2,000,000;

great forest fires in Michigan, Septem ber 1 to 8, 1881, 300 lives lost; Virginia October 26, 1875, loss, \$2,000,000; forest fires in Michigan and Wisconsin, Octo-December 24, 1851; Washington, D. C., December 15, 1836, postoffice and patent office destroyed; Norfolk, Va., January 1, 1876, destroyed by fire; Seattle, Wash., June 6, 1889, loss, \$15,000,00; Paterson, N. J., February 9, 1902, loss nearly \$8,000,000.

Many Other Prominent Buildings Will hall. Be Added

A partial list of the buildings consumed is as follows:

Ambach Bros., clothing manufacturers. Conrad Zelas Sons, trunk manufact-Building occupied by Silberman &

Todes, dry goods. Thathelmer & Bros., dry goods, and the Florence W. McCarthy company.

Fussetbaugh-Blake company, wall pa Rasch & Garner, window shades.

R. Jandorf & Co., boots and shoes. James Robertson, manufacturing com pany, metals.

Kohn, notions H. Pretzfelder, boots and shoes, John Murphy company, publishers. Baltimore News company, booksellers

The Cushing company, booksellers, J. S. MacDonald & Co., jewelers, Goodyear Rubber company. Likes, Beranger & Co., clothiers, Welsbach company, jewelers. Consolidated Gas company, office build

Huylers, confectionery, P. Brau Hat company. Kanz Smith Piano company F. W. McAllister & Co., opticians.

Granger & Co., tobacco. Continental Trust company. Equitable.

Maryland Trust company. Alexander Brown Banking company.

Sugar & Shear, clothing. Stein & Co., umbrella manufacturers, M. Friedman & Sons. Crockin & Co., dry goods. . Schwarz Toy company. Mullins hotel. Bergunder Bros., clothing,

Lewis Loomer & Co., dry goods. Dry goods exchange. S. Neuberger & Bro., dry goods. A. Meyer & Co., druggists. Carrollton Chemical company. William T. Dixon & Bro., wholesale

Burger & Co., wholesale clothing. Blanke's saloon. Thomas Burke & Co., liquors.

James A. Geary & Sons' cotton mills Charles Burger & Co., clothing. American Cigar company, Cook & Sanderson, clothiers.

Daniel Miller & Sons, dry goods, Diggs, Curran & Co., boots and shoes. Nolan's restaurant. C. I. Davidson, gasfitting establish-F. S. Chelunes & Co., clothing dealers. Oppenheimer, Rosland & Co., whole-

W. C. Watson & Co., clothing. A. Federlicht & Co., woolen goods. C. J. Stewart & Sons, hardware. O'Connell & Bannon, restaurant.

Manufacturers' association.

Hopkins Savings bank.

Bullding occupied by Thoron Rogers & Co., printers. Mistory of the Configuration Which

change bank and the Merchants' and

THE CHICAGO FIRE.

Startled the World. Until now the most destructive and largest fire in American history was the great Chicago fire of 1871. More than

2,000 acres of buildings, business blacks and homes were swept out of existence. For two days the flames raged unchecked, licking up everything before them. It was not until the immediate supply of burnable material was con-

sumed and a heavy rain began to fall that the fire was checked at all. This great fire started in a small barn

on the west side of the city on Sun-day evening. October 8, 1871. A cow kicked a lamp over, and thus was started a fire that almost swept from

started a fire that almost swept from the map the second city of the United States. Everything being as dry as tinder because of a long dry season, the buildings burned like so much paper. The heat was so intense that stones crumbled to dust and the steel frames of supposedly fireproof buildings were melted. Burning firebrands floated across the river and started the conflagration on the east side. Thousands of people were made homeless.

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and destitution ran riot in the atreets, the waterworks were useless, and

the firemen were powerless to fight the sea of fire. A strong wind blew

sparks and fragments of burning wood

into new districts, thus the fire was

The loss caused by this great fire was estimated at \$200,000,000.

THE CITY WRECKED.

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go in Hopkins place. Stanley & Brown

Drug company building, across the street, was soon in ruins. On the Balti-

more street side of this block were the

Roxbury Rye Distilling company, the

building occupied by Silberman & Todes, the house of Allen Sons & Co., and the

M. Moses & Co. place. On the corner

was the building occupied by Messrs

Sugar & Shear and several other smaller

Dynamite Used.

and of the Record building opposite

were compelled to vacate by the flames

as were the occupants of the Calvert and

Equitable structures, two of the most

massive office buildings in Baltimore.

Crowds Interfere.

There were several times that force

sons insistent on getting near the scene

that passage of apparatus was impossi

ble. At last the order was given engine drivers to run the crowds down if they

surged into the streets. Several were

hurt by being run over.

would block the streets in such a way

spread in every direction.

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Allen & Gilbert-Ramaker Co.

Oldest, Largest, Strongest. COR. SIXTH AND MORRISON STS. Opposite Postoffice.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN ARE BOTH READY

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powers have assured France of their

concerns. All of these were swallowed moral support. The Japanese minister in an interview up in flame, the whole block being a says Japan will reject all attempts of mediation by France.

On the Bourse the most serious slump in 15 years has occurred. A general It was nearly 8 o'clock before Chief Horton decided to use heroic methods panic in all stocks is felt, but Russian and at that time he began fising dynamite. A number of buildings on securities have suffered most.

France has agreed with the other pow-

outh Chilles street between Gorman ers to land troops in China immediately and Lombard were blown up, but with-out effect on the spread of the conand Lombard were blown up, but without effect on the spread of the conflagration.

When the terrible tide of flame
reached Charles street it soon enguifed
the 11-story Union Trust building. At the 11-story Union Trust building. At the 11-story Union Trust building. At to answer inquiries regarding the Orient 8 o'clock occupants of the Daily Herald beyond that France will remain neutral. building at Fayette and St. Paul streets, Canadians Offer Service to Japan.

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 8 .- The Japanse consul here has received applications from 150 British Columbians to fight for the mikado in the impending war, They are from the officers and men at Esquimalt, B. C., the British North Pa-cific station, retired navy and army offihad to be exercised to keep the crowds cers, local militia volunteers and private from interfering with the firemen. Per-citizens. Applications are coming in at citizens. Applications are coming in at the rate of 10 a day.

Wants Japan to Strike the Blow. London, Feb. 8.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that an important council was held at the palace today at which the czar presided. A telegram Dynamite was freely used during the early hours of the morning and in endeavoring to keep the flames from sweeping from Charles street into Faywas afterwards sent to General Alexieff to scrupulously avoid any step provocative of hostilities.

ette, it was determined to dynamite the UNCLE SAM WILL LOOK AFTER IT. (Journal Special Service.)

Paris, Feb. 8.—It is announced that the United States embassy will protect the Japanese interests at St. Petersburg.

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fund the money paid in. If they ma-A Lutheran church at Broadway and Can-ton avenue caught fire at 3 o'clock. It is 360. As the sum of money on hand As the sum of money on hand would not mature even one contract the plan must result in someone being the loser. The idea that the securing of Lombard everything has been destroyed new members will go on forever cannot Inside Workings.

C. H. Gloss worked for the Home Buyers for three weeks during last October, and testified that he considered the scheme impossible and said: "No record of the contracts existed so that one could make any sense out of them tion in Baltimore. Those buildings were One series of 100 contract numbers had of the finest build and the fact that they been reserved for building a hotel to

"October 12 Mr. Wakefield made entries on a book, some of which were several months old, the business not being conducted on any system." The case is in progress this after-

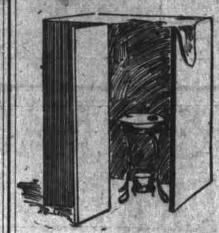
WILL ESTABLISH STATION.

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Feb. 8.—At the request Senator Mitchell a volunteer weather retail business, and east of Charles station will be established and equipped at Taislee, Lake county, Or.

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It Will clean all impurities from the body.

It will purify the blood and liver. It Will cure Kidney Trouble.

It will make beautiful complexion.

It Will cure rheumatism. It will relieve women of irregulari-

It will cure constipation. It will give new life to every or-

It will cure the worst cold. It will give you a better bath than any water on earth.

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CANADIAN MONEY RECEIVED AT PAR

DR. A. W. SMITH, RECENTLY OF BALTIMORE, SAYS THAT IT WILL TAKE YEARS TO REPLACE THE BURNED SECTION-"FIREPROOF" BUILDINGS SWEPT AWAY.

"I cannot imagine." says Dr. Alan Welch Smith this morning, 'how such splendid buildings as the Union Trust, the courthouse, the Consinental Trust, the international, and other supposedly fireproof edifices were swept away in a brief space of time by the conflagrawere easy prey to the flames is the best proof that the fire was one of the biggest and most vicious that has ever visited this country. The fire simply at the beart completely out of the business portion of the city. The courthouse was a magnificent institution, and cost \$3,750,000.

"I have known Fire Chief Horton since my boyhood, and know him to be a great fire fighter. He has been in the service for 40 years and has never received censure during his entire career. The fire is a great blow to Baltimore It will take many years to replace the buildings burned."

Dr. Smith was born, reared and educated in Baltimore, coming to Portland last September. He is a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons,

years he was assistant to Health Offi-cer Sydney O. Heiskell of Baltimore and later was assistant bacteriologist in the health department. In 1900 Dr. Miss Adele Bennett of this city, and after three years at his native city came to Portland to practice his

COUNTY JUDGE GETS MANY TO GO BOND

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., Feb. 8.-County Judge Hartman and Joe Jarks, who were ar-rested on the charge of conspiracy in onnection with the alleged Cunning ham land fraud case, waived the prelim inary hearing this morning, and each was placed under bonds. Twenty citizens signed Hartman's bond, making it \$80,000 when he only needed \$20,000.

SALT TRUST WOULD IGNORE THE DEALERS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., Feb. 8,-W. H. Hell-nan of San Francisco, representing the salt trust is in Pendleton, is trying to dispose of a few carloads of salt to sheep men and other consumers, over the heads of the wholesale men. The Grocerynen's association will probably hold a meeting this evening in protest.

Cures croup, sore throat, pulmonary troubles—Monarch over pain of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

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Famous Clothing Co. MORRISON AND SECOND STREETS.

Remnants at HALF PRICE

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NEW SPRING SUITS, LADIES'

JACKETS, ETC. TODAY AND ALL REXT WEEK WE WILL SHOW OUR NEW ABRIVALS IN SPRING SUITS IN ALL THE NEW SHADES, AMONG WHICE WILL BE FOUND CHAMPAGNE, LIGHT GRAY, PRUNE, PLUM AND NEW MIXTURES. QUE SUYERS MAYE SIMPLY OUTDONE ALL PREVIOUS EFFORTS IN THEIR BUYING THIS SEASON, AND NEVER HAVE WE BEEN ABLE TO SHOW SUCH A LARGE AND VARIED LINE OF NOVELTIES IN LADIES SUITS AS THIS YEAR. SEE MODELSON STREET WINDOW FOR DISPLAY IN THIS LINE. THE PRICES, OF COURSE, ARE RIGHT, AS THEY ALWAYS ARE AT THIS STORE.

A New Spring Showing

New Spring Coats for Ladies One of the nobbiest lines of Black Silk Coats, new cream and champagne-colored Coats for early spring wear, are an display here. Go where you will, you will not find the assortment and styles to select

Ladies' Walking Skirts A large shipment of Ladies' Walking Skirts, all the late this spring styles, made from the season's latest goods and will suit the tastes of the most critical. It will be a pleasure to us to show you these goods.

New Spring Wash Goods Every piece of Wash Goods on our shelves Monday will be new this season goods, and the like has never been exhibited in this store be-

season goods, and the like has never been exhibited in this sever fore, and that is saying a great deal. Pretty styles and patterns that See Morrison Street Window for New Spring Styles

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1345, loss, \$6,000,000; New York City, July 19 1845, loss, \$6,000,000; Albany, totally destroyed by fire, February 17, N. Y., September 9, 1848, loss, \$3,000, 1865; Chicago destroyed, October 8, 000; St. Louis, May 17, 1849, loss, 1871, loss, \$200,000,000; Congressional \$3,000,000; San Francisco, May 3, to 5, library, Washington, D. C., destroyed, *********************************** A PEARPUL LOSS. "THE STORE NOTED FOR THE BEST GOODS"

Owen & Heinman and Blake's saloon

Peter Rose & Sons, harness and sad

Ochms, Acme, Hall, clothlers. W. J. Dulany company. William Knabe Plano company. Samuel Hust Sons, cloth goods. James R. Armiger company, jewelers

Bryant & Stratton, business college, R. Elertz & Co., planos. Himwood & Co., furniture.

Calvert, Bank of Baltimore, Internal Trust company, Carrollton hotel, Jun-ker's hotel, St. Paul's hotel, Sun and American buildings, dynamited, Chesnpeake & Potomac Telephone

Roxbury Rye Distilling company. Allen & Sons, leathers.

Maas & Kemper, manufacturers of onfectioners' tools.

S. Hecht, Jr., & Co., carpets.

Building occupied by the National Ex-

big building occupied by Putts & Co. The attempt was successful and the building collapsed, but it had no effect in preventing the spread of the flames, which soon surrounded the new city northward from its of iginal path to Lexington street, around the courthouse, postoffice and city hall, and eastward to Jones Falls, when the

wind changed and took the conflagration down the west side of the stream to the water front, all through which it is now fund the money paid in. If they ma-extending some distance to the west, tured them all it would take \$1,950,000, over a mile from where the fire origin-West of Charles street and north of

extending as far as liberty street on the be taken into consideration." west and Lexington on the north. At 3 a. m., the fire had burned itself out in this section

Rushes Madly On. Down Baltimore street the conflagra tion rushed and, reaching the Evening News building, soon destroyed it, A block below the American Newspaper building was a seething mass. Every newspaper office in the city is burned,

Baltimore street was the main business street of Baltimore and the dividing line between the wholesale and re-tail sections, being lined with establishments of both descriptions. For three or four blocks south of Baltimore street, and from Howard street on the west to South street on the south, the flames swept everything before them. on Baltimore came first Fayette and then Lexington street. West of Charles street these two streets are devoted to

except that of the Evening World.

mainly to office buildings.

The loss to buildings will be immense Persons over from Baltimore and familiar with its affairs say the district destroyed included all the leading trust companies, all the wholesale houses, many of the retail stores and thousands of smaller business establishments. Many of them carry insurance, and it is doubtful if many of the insurance companies will be able to pay their losses dollar for dollar, and those that do will probably require time in which to ar-

range for the payment. A Local Expression.

"The Baltimore fire is likely to hit all of us rather hard," said E. S. Jackson, a general insurance writer, this morning, and the result will perhaps mean the failure of some of the smaller companies. However, we have no means of predicting this until we find out the amounts carried by the losers in the various companies. As far as the public is concerned the losses of the fire insurance concerns will not be noticeable. The companies will go on just the same

but perhaps will not clear any money in 1904 and possibly none in 1905." Among the buildings destroyed in the business section are nearly all railroad offices including those of the Baltimore & Ohio, and Pennsylvania Central. Both main offices of the Postal and Western Union are destroyed. All electric power plants are destroyed and no light and no street-cars will be the or-A large force of police, specials and militia are commencing to get some semblance of order out of chaos.

APPOINTS COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER BILL

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Feb. 8 .- Chairman Tawney today designated a sub-committee of five to consider the Lewis and Clark exposition bill and report back to the full committee. A new bill will probably be drawn up by the sub-committee as a substitute for the Williamson bill.