

ANOTHER HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE

Buildings of a Whole Block Burned — Many Horses Lost.

The entire block, bounded by Glisan, Seventh and Park streets, was wiped out by fire last night. This block was covered with frame buildings, and when the fire got under headway there was no checking it.

All the firemen could do was to confine the flames to the block and protect adjacent property.

It was 11:05 o'clock when the alarm was turned in, and then nearly all the

horses, training carts, harness, saddles, etc., will not be much less than \$11,000, without a cent of insurance. Mr. Condon had refused \$3000 for Zambro C. alone.

SPREAD IN ALL DIRECTIONS

From Condon's stable the fire spread in every direction, and in a few minutes the entire block was ablaze. The Wakeman & Morse Company put in between 25 and 30 tons of loose hay last Friday, and when the fire reached this there was no stopping it. Condon had also a goodly supply of hay and straw on hand which helped to feed the flames.

In conversation with a Journal reporter after the fire was under control, Mr. Morse, of the Wakeman & Morse Company said:

WAKEMAN & MORSE'S LOSS.

"It is pretty hard for me to say at this time just what our loss is. I should say, however, that it is in the neighborhood of \$12,000. We did not own the building. That was the property of the City & Suburban Company. We had 28 horses in the building when the fire started, and I can only account for 27 of them at this time. Our men tell me of several they saw perish in the flames while others are said to be running loose in the streets. The saved ones are quartered at different stables for the time being.

"Two valuable trucks went up in the flames, as did a couple of furniture wagons. We were forwarding about seven tons of government supplies which were also in the building. Besides these we had a load of oats for Everding & Farrell. As you see, all of this is a total loss. I know nothing about our insurance as I left all that to my partner, Mr. Wakeman.

The latter, upon being consulted, said that his insurance amounted to about \$7000.

N. P.'S NARROW ESCAPE.

While the fire was confined to one block, the Northern Pacific freight sheds, on the north side of Hoyt street, had a narrow escape. When the fire was at its height the upper portion of the buildings front took fire but the flames were quickly extinguished.

On the south side of Glisan street the Harlow rooming house will have to replenish its window panes as they were nearly all destroyed by the heat. For blocks around people moved their furniture into the street, fearing that the fire would spread, but by 2:30 o'clock nearly all had re-established themselves.

There was great excitement in the Park lodging house when the fire first started. There were about 50 people in the place at the time, and it was surrounded by flames when Mrs. Haskins, the landlady, started to awaken her roomers. Some had to be virtually carried to the street in their night clothes. The exit was so hurried that nearly every one lost everything they possessed.

Mrs. Haskins lost everything except the clothes she wore. She stood calmly by and saw her furniture go up in smoke.

The police, many of whom were day watchmen, who got out of their beds to help those on duty, preserved order, maintaining it excellently. Many thousands of people surrounded the burning block but all were kept outside the fire lines.

ESTIMATED LOSSES.

Many of the losers by the fire can not be located today, but it is safe to say that the following figures will show the approximate losses:

The Wakeman & Morse Transfer Company's loss about \$12,000 with an insurance of about \$7,000.

Thomas D. Condon loses fully \$11,000 on his racing stable and his race track trappings.

The City & Suburban Company, which owned the building occupied by the Wakeman & Morse Company, is unable to estimate its loss.

"We had a lot of material stored in the building," said an officer of the road today, "and as we understand there are several feet of water underneath, probably a lot of it is saved by dropping through the burning floors. Of course this is a very problematical, but we do not know. The Pacific Improvement Company also had considerable property stored in the building, but we can not say what their loss is as yet.

The Bazy estate, which owns the Park street side of the block, estimates its loss at about \$5,000, fully insured.

Kable Bros., who are the successors of Frank Thuhander in the carriage repair and manufacturing business, lose about \$2,500. No insurance.

Louthit & Malarkey, blacksmiths, get off with a loss of about \$300; no insurance.

The Northwest Baking Company, which lost its entire plant, can put in another for less than \$5,000.

The junk dealer on the corner of Park and Glisan, lost his all, but it was not very much. About \$300 will cover the real value of the stock and fixtures.

In the Chinese laundry was probably \$500 worth of washing, but the loss to the proprietor will not exceed \$75.

It will not cost to exceed \$150 to repair the front of the Northern Pacific freight sheds and replace the windows.

The actual loss is about \$31,300 with insurance of about 15 per cent.

John J. Burns, an employe of the Wakeman & Morse Company, was the only one injured during the fire, to any extent. He had rooms over the stable and was not awakened until the structure was in flames. Then he had to run for his life through the fire to a window and jump to the sidewalk, a distance of fully 15 feet.

Burns was seriously burned about the face, neck and hands. Bystanders picked him up and he was sent to St. Vincent's hospital in the police patrol wagon, where he is getting along nicely.

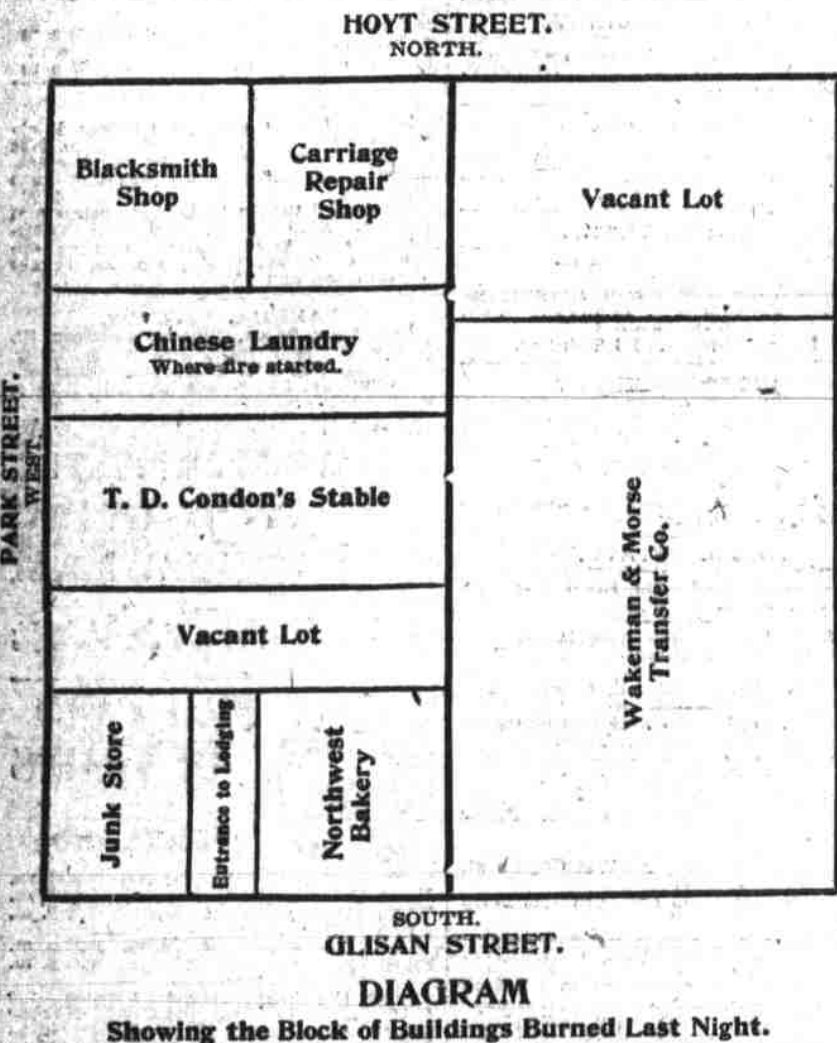
Edward Smith, a young man who was anxious to get close to the fire, collided with a horse wagon on Glisan street. He was knocked down but not hurt to any extent.

NOTES OF THE FIRE.

The awning of a cigar store on Seventh and Glisan streets caught on fire from the large cylinders and caused some excitement. The blaze was about to connect with the building when a crowd of bystanders tore it from its fastening.

While the front of the N. W. bakery was a mass of flames a large section of the side of the building fell, and it was thought for a short time that several of the firemen were badly wounded, as they had been working underneath the burning structure. No one was injured, however.

When the fire was at its hottest, Mr.



Showing the Block of Buildings Burned Last Night.

department turned out. Members of Chemical No. 2, who were first on the scene, say that when they arrived almost the entire block was aflame.

STARTED IN CHINESE LAUNDRY.

The fire started on Park street, near Hoyt, in a Chinese laundry, and quickly

spread to the stable of T. D. Condon, proprietor of the New Grand Central Hotel. John Kearney, who was asleep in the stable at the time, was awakened by the smoke and, half-suffocated, tried to save the horses. The first one he thought of was the race horse, Zambro C., and he tried to get him out of his stall. The smoke was so dense that the horse would not budge, and Kearney had to leave him and the others to

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| 29-inch Linen Crash, for dress skirts, yd. | 10c | 42-inch cream Brillantine, the latest thing for summer skirts. | 75c |
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| Corded Japanese Silks in checks and stripes, extra quality, yd. | 44c | 42-inch Novelty dress goods, all good colors | 25c |
| 20-inch Japanese Silk, in all bright colors, yd. | 29c | 36-inch Waisting Flannels, yd. | 45c |
| SILK SPECIAL. | | CURTAIN SPECIAL. | |
| 19-inch Black Taffeta, all pure silk, regular 7 1/2c value, yd. | 58c | Nottingham lace curtain, 2 1/2 yds long, pair | 45c |
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| 19-inch all silk Taffeta in all staple colors, yd. | 75c | Wide, handsome designs, fine quality, pair | 1.05 |
| LINING SPECIAL. | | 5 Swiss curtains, ruffled edge, asst. patterns, pr | 1.00 |
| Cambric lining in all colors, best grade yd. | 5c | 36-in Curtainette, Point d'Espy patterns, yard | 18c |
| Black skirt lining, bright lustre finish, yd. | 10c | 30-in Nottingham lace net, yard | 10c |
| 36-inch Silesia in black and all colors, yd. | 12 1/2c | 36-in Curtain Swisses, asst. patterns, yard | 12 1/2c |
| Spun Glass lining, in all colors, yd. | 20c | DRAPERY SPECIAL. | |
| 30-inch shrunken canvas, for skirt facing, yd. | 15c | 27-in Silkolene, all good colors, yd. | 5c |
| MEN'S GOODS | | 36-in Silkolene, floral designs, yd. | 10c |
| Men's Suspenders, 35c and 40c quality | 25c | 50-in Tapestry, satin finish, good colors, yd. | 40c |
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| | | 9-4 " " " " " " " " | 55c |
| | | 42x36 Pillow Cases, ready to use | 10c |
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| Portland | 19 | 18 | .514 |
| Helena | 18 | 21 | .462 |
| Spokane | 23 | 23 | .500 |
| Tacoma | 18 | 24 | .431 |

Sammy Vigneux, manager of the Portland team which arrived in Seattle yesterday, and are playing today, is just as confident as ever that he has a chance to win the pennant for this city again this year. He so expressed himself to a reporter yesterday. He blames the high, dry altitude for his 10 straight defeats, and says the team is just as good as last year, if not better, and are playing good ball.

SPOKANE THE LOSER.

Spokane dropped the opening game to Helena yesterday, making six straight wins for the latter. The summary: Spokane.....0 0 0 0 0 0 2 9-2 Helena.....0 0 0 1 1 1 3 2-8

Two-base hits, Mullane, Sullivan; three-base hits, Sullivan, Peoples, Shaffer; MeLaughlin, Eisey; Home runs, Shaffer; stolen bases, Eisey, Flannery; double plays, Corcoran to Eisey to Fray; Peoples to Leughlin, Eisey; Home runs, Spokane 5; Helena 6; bases on balls, off Thompson 2, off Corcoran 2; struck out, by Thompson 10, by Corcoran 5; time of game, 1 hour and 59 minutes; umpire, Colgan.

ANOTHER SLUGGING MATCH.

It must have made the spectators tired to witness yesterday's game between Butte and Tacoma. The summary tells the tale:

Butte.....2 1 0 1 0 2 1 7-25 Tacoma.....2 0 1 0 0 3 0-25

SUMMARY.

Earned runs, Butte 10, Tacoma 5; two-base hits, Ward, McIntyre, Hutchinson, Smith; home runs, Houck, Murdoch; stolen bases, Murdoch, Ward 2; double play, Andrews to Hutchinson; bases on balls, by McCarthy 2, by White 5, by Roach 1; struck out, by McCarthy 1; Roach 4; left on base, Butte 3, Tacoma 5; wild pitch, McCarthy; time of game, 2 hours; umpire, Cunningham.

FIGHTERS ARE READY.

Hegarty and De Coursey only did light work yesterday, as both are fit to step into the ring tomorrow night. The Californian did about 45 minutes bag punching and then took a spin on the river in a shell. The Australian contented himself with 10 rounds of fast sparring and then he punched the bag and indulged in shadow work. His foot work is excellent, and it is a toss up as to the winner.

E. E. M'CLURE DEAD.

Edward E. McClure, of this city, died last Sunday at the home of his cousin, at Hay Creek, where he was staying for the benefit of his health, and to manage business interests near there. He has been ill for many years, but his condition was not considered serious, and even at the time of his death he did not suffer.

His home in this city was at 490 Nineteenth street, Portland Heights. Mr. McClure was 59 years of age and had

lived in this city the greater part of his life. He leaves a wife and nine children. Frank McClure of Boise, Idaho, Claude H. McClure of Butte, Montana, Mrs. E. B. Seabrook, Portland, Mrs. W. G. Brown, Cascade Locks, the Misses Julia and Jennie H. McClure, Elliott and Robert McClure at home.

The funeral was held at the Unitarian Church at 2 p. m. today, services conducted by Rev. Cressley. Interment was at Lone Fir cemetery.

MRS. WERLEIN DEAD

Mrs. Clara Werlein died at her home at 414 Fourth street, in this city at 8 o'clock this morning. She was born in Westphalia, Germany, 22 years ago, and has lived in Portland 18 years. She was the widow of Peter Werlein, who died in this city, and the mother of J. Edward Werlein, city treasurer, Mrs. E. D. Dewert, and Mrs. George O. Ernst, of this city. Frank Hachensy and Mrs. Caroline Hansen, of Portland, and A. Hschemey, of John Day City, were her brothers and sister.

The funeral will take place Thursday at 2 p. m. from the residence. Services at the grave will be private.

The Kaiser and His Kisses.

Many comments were made because the German Emperor, kaiser Prince Henry when the latter returned from his recent visit to this country. As a matter of fact, although Emperor William is the greatest kaiser of men among the sovereigns of the world, he is also a hearty handshaker, and the freest of all monarchs in this particular. Indeed, he and the King of Italy are the only supreme rulers who shake hands at all with other than brother sovereigns.

The Kaiser reserves his kisses for royalty exclusively. When he visits a monarch or receives a visit from one he salutes him with six kisses—three on either cheek. This sometimes before a crowd of thousands of onlookers, not to mention a regiment or so of soldiers.

But the war lord will shake hands with almost any one. He has a grip that is famous among his subjects, too, and the

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favor of his hand grasp is not assiduously sought by those who have had some experience with it. His Majesty has a big, strong hand with muscles like iron. They have been cultivated by many years of sword-exercise. This handshake is one that is not soon forgotten, and when he greets a visitor with a handshake they say at court, "His Majesty has made another lasting impression."

This grip, it is only fair to say, he reserves for strong men. For the opposite sex he has a hand that is as soft as velvet and a courtesy that is elegant.

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