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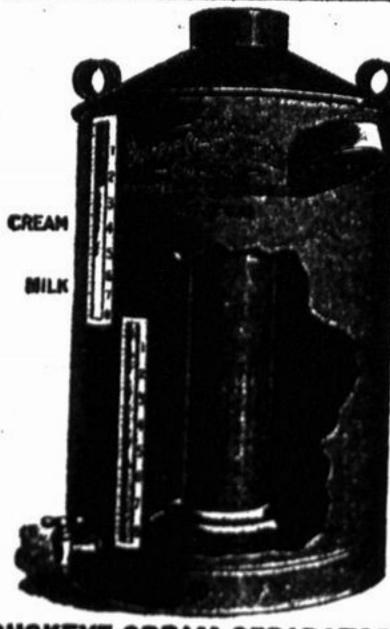
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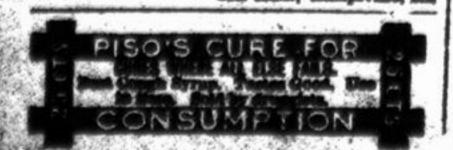
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HIGH WIND FANS THE FLAMES

Three Acres of Buildings Laid in Ruins Within Five Hours-Life Boats Used to Take Sightseers from Dangerous Positions on the Pier.

Within five hours three acres ocean front buildings were laid ruins at Atlantic City, N. J. Starting about 10:30 o'clock in a board walk structure and fanned by a brisk southwest wind, the flames rolled rapidly northward along the beach. At o'clock, still in full career and beyond the control of the Atlantic City fire department, they reached New York avenue. There they were met by three companis of the Philadelphia firemen and they went no farther.

By that time, however, thirty-five buildings had been entirely and three others partly destroyed. Eleven hotels and the Academy of Music were in the field of ruins. The loss is estimated at from \$800,000 to \$1,000,000. This, however, takes no account of the season's loss of business, which the hotels and some of the business houses must suffer. Only a small portion of the loss is covered by insurance, as the rates are practically prohibitive in the devastated section.

Following are the hotels destroyed Luray and annex, New Holland, Stratford, Berkeley, Bryn Mawr, Stickney, Evard, Rio Grande, Mervine, Academy, Tarleton, Windsor.

Early in the day the Tarleton hotel was discovered to be afire, and though an alarm was quickly sounded, the flames quickly communicated to the Luray hotel, and both buildings were soon burning flercely.

As the fire spread the wind appeared to increase in violence. Atlantic City officials sent a frantic appeal to the Philadelphia fire department for aid. As the fire spread along the beach

it burned the board walk, and this placed the firemen at a disadvantage. as they were compelled to retreat to the beach. In some instances the fire companies were unable to get their hose off the board walk and it was destroyed, thus hampering their efforts still further. The firemen from Philadelphia and Camden pumped water direct from the ocean to the flames wherever practicable.

The fire had been burning for probably two hours or more when it was noticed that the big marine hall of the pier was on fire, the flames having been started by sparks from burning buildings on the inside of the board walk. Many persons, including women, who were on the pier watching the fire on the beach, became panicstricken, realizing that they could not run the gauntlet of fire and reach the board walk

Many women fainted and had to be dragged away from the radius of blistering heat caused by the rapidly approaching flames.

Lifeboats were sent out from the neach to the rescue of the imperiled crowd, which had little time to wait before the pier was burned from under their feet. Many women were only restrained by force from leaping over the rail into the water below.

After much difficulty the crowd was rescued from their perilous position and carried to shore in the lifeboats. The marine hall and theater were destroyed before the flames could be checked, causing a heavy loss.

Charged with Grave Crime. Bay City, Mich., dispatch: Dr. Roy W. Griswold, a prominent physician. and Edwin T. Bennett, former owner of the Bay City Tribune, were arrested on warrants charging them with manslaughter in connection with the death March 19 of Agnes Eberstein, or May Morris, as she registered at the Fraser House. The men were released on

Girls Form Bucket Brigade.

ball of \$1,000 each.

New York dispatch: Fifty pupils at the fashionable Hull boarding school for young women, presided over by Miss Gerrish, distinguished themselves by refraining from more than the necessary amount of hysteria and, forming a bucket brigade, extinguished a fire in the school building in West End

New Treaty Signed.

Washington dispatch: Secretary Hay and Mr. Raikes, secretary of the British embassy, signed a treaty extending to the British colonies the provisions of the original treaty between the United States and Great Britain for the protection of industrial prop-

Omaha Editor Arrested.

Omaha, Neb., special: Editor Rosewater of the Omaha Bee was arrested, charged with sending money through agents to secure the election of legislators who favored his senatorial candidacy a year and half ago.

Cut Man's Throat. Salt Lake City special: Clyde Feit, 14 years old, was arrested for the murder of Samuel Collins and confessed that he cut Collins' throat at the solicitation of the old man March 21.

Keres and Electricity. Near the center of the city of Seoul there is a beautiful marble pagoda that was brought from Pekin about 1300 by one of the Mongol Queens, who came as a bride to Korea. Her people at that time were shaking the whole known world, and, under leaders like Genghis, Kublai and Tamerlane, were upsetting all the thrones of Asia, so that Korea still speaks of them with bated breath, and the smallest children know them by name. The marble pagoda still stands, a silent witness before the world of the great Mongol conquerors; but

past its stony ear whizzes an American electric car every ten minutes at ten miles an hour, regardless of all the Mongol shades. Along this main street of Seoul, one of the oldest streets in the world, stretch Western wires charged with something that defies all the curiosity of the east to pronounce upon. A few days ago a broken strand hung temptingly from one of the poles, and the Far East determined to get hold of it to investigate, with the result-one live wire, one dead man. A government notice was posted up: "If anyone is caught fooling with these thunder and lightning strings, let him be padded."-The Outlook.

Threw His Canes Away.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., April 7th Mr. C. L. Smith of 309 Anne St., the Secy. of the Trades Council has written this startling statement for publi-

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