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On returning, Murray lowered his candle in the mass of debris to ascer Fi Prices for tobogganing are regulated tain the result of the blast, when be ost his candle and portions of his evelashes and evebrows by the sad Pimples, blotches, scaly skin, ugly den ignition of a volume of mis which spots, sores and ulcers, abscesses and tubelehod forth and roared like a vol.

ratarrh, eczema, ringworm, and other forms of skin diseases, are symptoms of blood impurity. Take Dr. J. H. Me Lean's Sarsaparilla. The situation was appulling The flames covered the entire face of the hift and were driven back with terri le force to the upper timbers several Washington Critic: Political questions

feet from the face.

Murray and Bailey were so awe struck and spellbound that for a few New York continue to be asclay in the moments they could do nothing. Fi-nally one of them rushed tack to the a praisant remos basis. For biliousness and constipation, take station and returned with his arms full of hand grenades. These were thrown with great force and broken at For indigestion and but stomach, take the face of the drift, but it seemed like adding fuel to the flames. Pieces of For sick and nervous headaches, take broken glass could be heard jingling against the top of the drift, as if the For sleeplessness and nervousness, take frantic element was laughing at all

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n. Rev. C. C. Davis, Elder M. E. Church, South, No. 28 Tatnall st., Atlanta, Ga. the flames. When the extinguisher arrived or the scene a stream from the machine was turned on the face of the drift, "I've found an Irish name in the Bible." and in a few moments the fire was subdued; but whether this result was brought about by the exhaustion of the gas or the efficiency of the ex

tinguisher is a question. But probably the strangest part of the story is yet to be told. The spread eagle flame was dizzling in its brill iancy-more like that of electric light

than gas light. There was no smoke from it and no smell, but the miners who fought it experienced partial blindness and se vere headaches. An examination of the timbers-which it was thought must surely be badly burned, although green-revealed the fact that, while blistering hot, they were not even scorched, showing that the flames hugged the ground above pretty

Murray and Bailey estimate that enough gas was consumed in the forty minutes to have supplied the whole of Virginia City with light for six months. Had such a thing happened in old ground or anywhere adjacent to old timber (which exhalo gaseous substances), the miners say they could have accounted for it to some extent, but as above stated, both ground and

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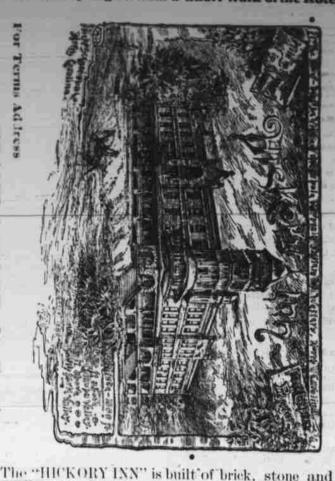
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