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MILLIONS LOST IN JERSEY CITY FIRE

FLAMES AND EXPLOSIONS CAUSE STAMPEDE FOR NEW JERSEYITES

Jersey City, N. J.—Fire, attended by numerous explosions, raged for six hours in the industrial section of the city before it was brought under control, destroying more than 30 buildings, sending two score persons to hospitals for treatment for minor injuries and making several hundred families homeless.
Fire Chief Boyle estimated the damage at approximately \$1,000,000. The cause of the fire has not yet been determined.
A full square block was razed and portions of six other blocks immediately adjoining it were destroyed.
Two fire boats from New York helped keep the flames from the congested district on the North river front, while the reserve fire forces of the city, joined by companies from the adjoining city of Hoboken, stood by for emergencies.
Dynamite was used to blast down a number of filmsy structures in the path of the flames.
During the first hour of the fire something of a panic reigned as families in the stricken area, ordered to abandon their homes, ran about in wild confusion, seeking to save some of their belongings.
The noise of frequent explosions, which shattered windows of buildings within a half mile radius in addition to the dense clouds of acid fumes and thick, black, chemical-filled smoke, added to the confusion and panic.
The smoke clouds lay low in spite of the brisk wind which drove the flames, and many were overcome as they made their way from the danger zone.
The fire started in a sub-cellar of the Salt Petre factory of the Battelle and Renwick company at Morris and Warren streets. When firemen arrived they found the cellar a glowing furnace which began to emit choking clouds of acid fumes as water was poured into the fire.
On advice of Chief Boyle, Director of Public Safety Quinn ordered his police to set up fire lines and to compel all residents of neighboring tenements and filmsy woodie homes to leave the district. Just as the police started this work an explosion blew the roof of the Salt Petre company's four story building. The flames immediately swept over the building in waves as flaming fragments of the shattered roof fell on adjoining buildings and set them ablaze.

Cotton Mills Increase Output.
Washington.—Cotton consumed during October aggregated 532,629 bales of lint and 55,095 of linters, compared with 435,216' of lint and 45,976 of linters in September this year and 543,260 of lint and 57,491 of linters in October last year, the Census Bureau announced.
Cotton on hand October 31 was: Held in consuming establishments, 730,656 bales of lint and 74,405 of linters, compared with 514,537 of lint and 70,479 of linters so held on September 30 this year, and 1,106,347 of lint and 87,412 of linters so held October 31 last year.
Held in public storage and at compresses, 4,224,854 bales of lint and 46,958 of linters, compared with 2,072,956 of lint and 38,202 of linters so held on September 30 this year and 3,485,005 of lint and 35,117 of linters so held on October 31 last year.
Imports during October totaled 18,113 bales, compared with 9,654 in September this year and 7,615 in October last year.

Flew More Than 9,000,000 Miles.
Dayton, Ohio.—United States Army aviators flew 9,083,360 miles during 1923 with a loss of but 18 lives, according to statistics given out at McCook Field.
The number of miles covered by the airmen is based upon the speed of the slowest airplane, the deHavilland, which ordinarily travels at 120 miles an hour. Continuing the figures on the 120 miles an hour basis it is known by the table that for every 605,080 miles the airmen covered, one human life was lost. For every 57,480 miles there was one accident. The distance covered is more than 314 times around the world. Army fliers put in 75,778 hours in the air.
McCook field officers said there is no other mode of transportation that can produce like figures.

Four Killed in Train Wreck.
Miami, Fla.—Four persons were killed and 14 injured when a rear day coast on Florida, East Coast passenger train number 29 was wrecked at Wabasso, Fla., due to a broken brake band, according to the company's train dispatcher at Miami.
The dead are:
Mrs. A. Laney, 30, Detroit, Mich.
Miss Lizzie Foxton, Alpena, Mich.
Miss Ruby Stone, 35, Northfield, Vermont.
Unidentified baby.



On the Funny Side
PATER CURIALIS
Uncle Mose Jackson announced his candidacy for alderman from the colored ward.
"What makes you think you can be a successful politician, Uncle Mose?" asked a friend.
"Well, suh," replied the dorky, "fo' one thing, I'se the father of a family."
"That's very commen'able; but what has that to do with politics?"
"Well, suh," explained Uncle Mose, "they is sixteen votahs in dat family."
—Harper's Monthly.



ASTOUNDING, VERY
Mr. Overseas—A most remarkable coincidence, what?
Mr. Eaglebird—What's that?
Mr. Overseas—That your first president and your capital city should have the same identical name.

Confetti, Too
Little bows of ribbon,
Little grains of rice,
Make the new-wed couple
Spotted in a trice.

He Met the Requirement
A—I wonder why that young lady over there looks at me so much?
B—She has weak eyes and the doctor told her to rest them by looking at something green.

All-Important Question
Caller—Well, well, so your old manager has gone away since I was here last. Where's he gone to?
Office Boy—There ain't no clue yet, sir.



NOT REMARKABLE SOIL
Smith—Last Monday I planted three rows of potatoes, and they were all out of the ground next day.
Neighbor Jones—Unbelievable—wonderfully productive soil!
Smith—N—your wonderfully industrious chickens.

Appearances
The costumes that a man must wear make spot appear a bit unfair;
Your mind so many changes claim,
How can you keep it on the game?

Tut-Tut-Tut
Mrs. R. E. Former—What would you call a man who hid behind a woman's skirt?
Mere Man—You mean today?
Mrs. R. E. Former—Any time—yes, today.
Mere Man—A magician.—Beverage News.

Price of Peace
Daisy—How do you know the Websters have made it up again, dear?
Dot—Oh, I saw Mrs. Webster looking over several new cars today.—Stray Stories.

How Thoughtless of Him!
Dick—Ah, my dear, I've seen booberngs flying about in Australia till the air was thick with them.
Dora—Oh, Dick, why didn't you bring me some of the feathers?

Following Directions
He—Good gracious! Didn't you pack my liniment?
She—No, of course not. It was labeled "Not to be taken."

Uncertain Indeed
Judge (to elderly witness)—Your age, madam?
Witness—Thirty.
Judge—Thirty what?
"Years, of course."
"Thanks. I thought it might be months."

Telltale Sign
He—Is that Percy's girl going by?
She—Is Percy with her?
He—No, another fellow.
She—Then very likely it is!

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

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THE TENCH DOCTORS

"It was a long time ago that they thought we were such good doctors," said little Tench.
Little Tench was a very small fish. He had only lately come to the aquarium.
A number of other members of his family had come, too.
"I'll tell you why we were thought to be such good doctors," little Tench continued.
"You will please me greatly if you do tell me," Billie Brownie said.
"It was this way," said little Tench. "Years ago," he began, "we were used to make poultices. Not very pleasant for us, perhaps, but an honor, nevertheless to be considered so helpful."
"Then a story got around that we would lick the wounds of any injured member of the pike family and heal them in this way."
"It was really more of a story than anything else. The pike family, at any rate, haven't any great love for us—unless you consider their eating us is loving us."
"I don't believe it is really. I notice people come to the aquarium, and they feel very fond of each other, but they don't show it by eating each other."
"We are slimy little fishes. We aren't very bright. We're stupid and sleepy and lazy."
"We love to sleep a lot, and often people can pick us right up while we're having a nap, and we hardly notice it."
"But we are strong, and we can stand hardship. We don't mind it if



"You Will Please Me Greatly."
... we go for a while without food. We will eat mud, too.
"And you know we're not taking away food from any others when we eat mud, for mud isn't popular as food."
"We eat little insects and molluscs and bits of pond plants, but we will not complain during summer dry seasons when we have to stay in ponds that are nothing much more than dried up mud places."
"Well, Billie Brownie, "I hope I have told you enough about ourselves, and that you have been interested."
"You see, I cannot tell you too much, because it might take up much of your time; and when you went back and they asked you what the news was you'd say that you had used up all your visiting time by talking to me."
"I don't want to use up all your time. Then, as I said before, I am pretty stupid and I haven't much to say for myself."
"You've done splendidly," said Billie Brownie. "I am glad to hear your story, and your story will be enough this time for the Brownies and Fairies, for they have never heard of you before."
"I had never heard of you until today when Mother Nature told me and other members of your family had lately arrived from Europe and that it might be nice to see you."
"Has it been nice?" asked the little Tench.
"Very nice," smiled Billie Brownie.
"Well, then," the little Tench said, "you will excuse me if I do not talk any more."

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Nothing to Worry About

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Had Been Warned
"We had foot inspection at school today, mamma," brother announced.
"Oh, for goodness sake," exclaimed mamma, who had visions of the scene and rising sensations of embarrassment. "And you had holes in your stockings, didn't you? Oh, brother! How terrible!"
"Ha! Ha! Nixy!" came the exultant reply. "Teacher 'warned' us yesterday, and I put on good ones this morning."
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