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MINNEAPOLIS FIRE Flames Destroy Business Block in Heart of Mill City.

TWELVE RESCUED BY FIREMEN.

Damages Divided Among Tenants. Covered by Insurance-Origin of Blaze Is Unknown-Department Has Hard Fight.

Minneapolis, March 7 .- One of the most disastrous fires this city ha ever known destroyed the Syndicat block, on Nicolet avenue between Fifth and Sixth streets. The total loss is estimated at \$1,000,000 and it is possible that two lives were lost, although this has not as yet been defi nitely determined.

Twelve persons were rescued from the flames were roaring around the.n. Some of these sustained slight injuries, but none was seriously hurt.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The alarm was given by some passersby on Nicollet avenue who saw the flames bursting out of the second story window. But before the firemen arrived the tenants of the building. who were as eep in the upper rooms, began to appear at the windows, calling frantically for aid.

A strong southeast wind was blow ing and in a very few minutes the west half of the building was a roaring furnace. The entire fire department of Minneapolis was called out, but it was totally inadequate to check the flames. Later a call was sent to St. Paul for help and this was immediately furnished.

Firemen to the Rescue.

The instant the fire department ar rived men were rushed into the building where the entrances were not already choked with flames and numerous ladders were hastily extended to aid the people who were hemmed in by the fire on the second and third floors.

The members of the Franzen famly, finding all exits by stairs and front windows cut off, made for the fire escape on the alley side of the building. Mr. Franzen leaped to the fire escape through a blast of wind-driven flames past the window, his only escape. Holding to the hot irons of the fire escape, he aided his mother to climb through the window and step upon the platform beside him.

As soon as her hands touched the rails Mrs. Franzen uttered a shrick and would have fallen to the ground

her rescue from a ladder perched against the New England building. which adjoins the Syndicate building. Caldwell made a leap of fully ten feet of China. and took a chance of falling to the

pavement, forty feet below, if he missed the fire escape. Fortunate'y, lature, recommends the establishment struck it right and reached Mrs of a million-dollar farm colony for

****** CONDENSED NEWS

************ One case of bubonic plague has been registered at Odessa, Russla.

Legislation is planned at Ottawa to exclude the colored race from Canada. The Prussian government has laid before the diet a bill lega izing cremation

Milk is selling for 6 cents a quart for the first time in three years in Minneapolis.

Baron Paterno, slayer of Princess Trigona at Rome, is believed to be shamming insanity.

The Washington state senate has killed the "Tommy Burns" bill to legalize prize fighting.

The Kansas house, in committee, of the whole, voted down presidential suffrage for women.

Darrell Pully, five years old, died at Kansas City of hydrophobia. He was bitten by a dog Friday.

Women are exempted from jury he upper stories of the building while duty by a bill that passed both houses of the Washington legislature. Ill and in financial trouble, Meredith

A. Bushnell of Oklahoma City committed suicide at Georgetown, Tex. At the invitation of President Taft eighty civil engineers have sailed for Panama to take a look at the canal.

Fire in Mitchell,Ind.,destroyed \$100,-000 worth of property, including Mathes Bros.' elevator and flouring mills. Dr. Manuel Araujo was inaugurated

as president of Salvador, no disorder attending the change of administration. The governor of Maine has signed the resolution submitting to the people the prohibitory amendment to the constitution

The Belgian parliament has appointed a committee to study the question of introducing aeroplane service in Congo.

John Merven Carrere, the New York architect injured two weeks ago in a collision between a taxicab and a trolley car. is dead. Two thousand citizens of Rockford,

Ill., in mass meeting, demanded the resignation of both Senator Lorimer

Francisco Bertrand has been agreed on as provisional president of Honduras, to serve until a successor to

A jubilee over the emancipation of serfs was celebrated throughout Russia. 'The royal family was present at the service in the Cathedral de Kazan.

The Missouri house has passed the bi-partisan police board bill for St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph. Governor Hadley has said that he will veto it

had not Fireman Caldwell leaped to The American National Red Cross has cabled another \$1,000 to American Consul General Wilder at Shanghal for the relief of the starving people

The New York state board of charities, in its annual report to the legis-



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Franzen's side not a second too soon He assisted her to the ground, while Elmer Franzen followed, shouting, "There are two women back there in the flames. I saw them fall." The firemen made every effort to break into the building at this place, but the heat was too great and they were re pulsed. The firemen had little difficulty in rescuing persons on the second and fifth floors. Twelve in all were taken out by the firemen.

TO HEAD MISSOURI PACIFIC

Howard Elliott Decides to Accept Presidency of Road.

Chicago, March 6 .- Howard Elliott president of the Northern Pacific railway, has decided definitely to accept the presidency of the Missouri Pacific succeeding George J. Gould, according to reports in Chicago railroad circles. Mr. Elliott is known to have had an offer from the new interests in control of the road under consideration for some time, and it is understood he wil, be elected at the annual meeting in St. Louis on March 14.

Mr. Gould will become chairman of the board of directors, according to previous official announcements, and several changes will be made in the directorate, increasing the representa-A family can suffer no greater tion of the Kuhn-Loeh syndicate.

It has been reported Mr. Elliott w.b receive a salary of \$100,000 a year, in recognition of the enormous task fac ing him in rehabilitating the road, and that he will have at his disposal milions of new capital with which to place the property on the footing for which its territorial location is adapted in competition with other lines.

CH.HUAHUA IS UNDER SIEGE

Railroad Traffic Suspended on Both Sides of City.

Washington, March 7.-The Mexican revolutionists have control of the railway north, south and west of Chihua hua, according to a telegram to the state department from from Vice Con-11 Leonard. No attempts to reopen the line are being made, Mr. Leonard says, and advised that the city is in no danger of attack at present.

Business is demoralized and prices are rising. Telegraphic communication with the outside world was restored for only a few hours on March 2 and the revolutionists, according to the dispatch, have held the railway unmolested since Feb. 28.

French Cabinet Completed.

Paris, March 3-The new French elected United States senator to succabinet, headed by Premier Monta, ins cood Senator Carter on the seventy heen completed.

tramps and vagrants

A bitter struggle is on at Muscatine. fa., as the result of a lockout of more an 3,000 persons employed in the erts where pearl buttons are fashloned out of fresh water clams.

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Const Conrad de Buissort, Belgian mini.t. o the United States, was appointed minister at St. Petersburg. He will be replaced at Washington by B. llavenith, now minister to Persia.

The Merchants and Farmers bank of Culbertson, Mont., has closed its doors and the sheriff is searching for Cashier V. H. Bostwick, reported missing with an alleged shortage of \$150,000.

CROWDS GREET LORIMER

William H. Thompson, Chairman of Reception Committee.

Chicago, March 7 .-- Admirers of Senator William Lorimer to the number of several thousand greeted him here upon his return from Washington. Two hundred and fifty automobiles, forming a parade with two bands, escorted the senator from the station to his residence, where an enthusiastic reception followed.

William Hale Thompson was chairman of the reception committee. The parade was formed at the station and the 250 machines jammed their way down Jackson boulevard to Garfield park, where Senator Lorimer was greeted by 200 members of the Letter Carriers' association. Both sides of the park highway were lined with women and children on stands and they showcred Lorimer with flowers.

REIGN OF TERROR IN HAITI

Military Arrests Continue and Hospitals Are Filled.

Cape Haltien, Haiti, March 6 .- This city is experiencing a reign of terror approaching that of 1908, when citizens suspected of disloyalty to President Alexis were taken from their homes at night and shot.

Arrests by the military continue and the prisons are filled. The frightened peasants no longer come to town with food supplies and a famine is threat ened. The hospitals are filled with soldiers, ill and dying from starvation. Only the military authorities and foreigners are permitted on the streets.

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