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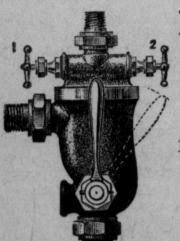
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PARIS, May 5 .- The highest society in this city is in the deepest despair owing to the dreadful disaster Tuesday in the building where a charitable bazaar was being conducted by the elite of Paris. The fire was caused by the illuminating apparatus of the kinematograph exploding and setting fire to curtains and hangings. The building was a more shell and the flames spread with marvellous rapidity, the whole thing being over in twelve minutes and nothing remaining but the ruins of the bazaar. There was only one exit from the place and a fearful struggle for life ensued. Among the victims were Mme. Morlaunelamon, her son and four daugh. ters. The theatres of Paris were closed on Tuesday evening.

The wounded are now known to number at least 180. Mme. Flores, wife of the Spanish consul, expired at the Hospital Beaujen, where several others of the injured are.

It was reported the President's daughter, Mlle. Faure, who left the Eiysee to go to the bazaar, had perished. M. Hanotaux drove up in great haste to enquire concerning her and was immediately followed by Mme. Faure, pale with terror and excitement, who was reassured by learning that her daughter was not dead, having been delayed on the way.

Many Americans, English and other foreigners were among the stall holders, but it is impossible as yet to ascertain the names of all the victims.

Up to this morning 111 charred corpses have been recovered, together with twelve portions of bodies whose identity may never be established. Since five o'clock this morning crowds of people have been flocking to the Palais de l'Industrie, where many of the bodies and a darge number of the injured were taken. At six o'clock a detachment of the Garde Republicaine relieved the detachment of infantry, which had been on duty all night about the scene dead continues in the ruins. Quantities of coins, watches, rings, necklaces and bracelets have been picked up in the charred mass of burned wood and mud forming the foundation of the debris. At three o'clock this morning there was a movement towards the corner of the ruins, and another body was slowly drawn from the black mass by which it had been covered. It was little more than a black trunk, headless and limbless, and little hope is entertained of discovering to whom it belonged. So soon as the bodies are claimed by the anxious relatives and others who are searching for the missing they are placed in carriages held in waiting and are taken away.

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SOMERVILLE, N. J., May 8.—J. S. Johnson, the murderer, was hanged here at 10. 08 a. m. to-day.

The crime for which Johnson was executed was committed on the banks of the Raritan river, not far from Somerville, N. J., on the night of September 14, 1895. His victim was Annie Beekman, who had lived at the Johnson home for some time. On the day of the crime Johnson and the Beekman woman went to Neshanic, where she secured the sum of \$47.50 which she deposited in her bosom. It was for this money that Johnson committed the murder. The murderer was a local preacher and he and his wife conducted evangelistic services among the colored people. He bore a good reputation, and there are those who claim that an innocent man was hanged.

During a fire in a cold storage warehouse on Chamb rs street, New York, Thursday night, one fireman lost his life and fifty or more, some of whom are in a serious condition, were overcome by the fumes of ammonia and heavy smoke Loss \$500,000.

The pact of the powers constituting the triple alliance was renewed Thursday for a period of six years. Germany persuaded Italy not to withdraw from the alliance the time for retirement expiring on May 6, in accordance with the terms of the original agreement.

THE MANIAC IN THE CAR. A Drama With a Satisfactory Ending For

All but the Nervous Woman. It was perfectly obvious that the man in the corner was crazy. At least it was perfectly obvious to the nervous looking woman who sat just opposite him in the cable car. It was not so much the mystical series of wigwag signals which he was making with his handkerchief as the amazing contortions of his face. In the intervals of these contortions he stared intently in the direction of his nervous vis-a-vis, but at nothing in the world, so vague was his look. Then he would tap the bridge of his nose with his finger, grimace and screw up his features into horrible expressions of

malignant madness. The poor woman didn't know what to do. Her alarm was so apparent that all the others in the car noticed it, even the man himself in one of his lucid intervals, and thereafter his performances became more violent than ever. Every physician knows that maniacs delight in playing upon the terrors of those who exhibit fear of them. Perhaps the woman herself knew it. At any rate her feelings finally reached an intensity such that when the man half rose from his seat she shrank into her corner with a stifled squeak, which brought from him a glance of triumph, or perhaps it was surprise. But he only sank back again, with an expression of disappointment, as if his time had not yet come, which indeed it hadn't. Thereafter she held herself gathered close, with every muscle strained, ready to spring and flee. She didn't have long to wait.

The man looked toward her with that terrible, unseeing glare. His fists clinched. The handkerchief clinched in one of them jerked in short, sharp oscillations. His eyes began to bulge out. His face became purple. Beneath his curling lips could be seen his teeth, bare to the gums. He leaned forward toward the horror struck woman, his face protruding almost into hers. His sharp, hot breath was on her cheek, and just as his arms went up to clutch she made one bound from her seat that took her half way down the car.

Two more leaps landed her on the platform. Thence, with a mad yell, she launched herself forth, despite the restraining grasp of the alarmed conductor, and was fortunately caught by a policeman, who escorted her to the sidewalk, where she wept. From behind she heard a mad, gasping roar of baffled rage, but the maniac did not follow.

He didn't want to. He sank back in his seat again and wiped his tearful eyes. Then he took out a newspaper and began to read. It had been a hard struggle, but it had ended in victory. He had got that sneeze out.-New York Sun.

IN A LONDON THEATER.

A First Night as Seen by the Artist C. D. A London audience is brilliant. Ev-

ery one is in evening dress, and the audience is often more entertaining than the play. This is especially true on a first night. At such times the pit is watched most anxiously by the management, as the success of the piece generally depends on its verdict. It has often occurred to me, when I have seen people on a stormy night forming a line on the pavement outside the pit, entrance, taking it all seriously enough to stand there for hours before the doors were opened, that by letting them inside, the management might improve their spirits and they in their turn might be more gentle.

And it has also occurred to me when I have seen a stout man standing in the aisle fumbling for a sixpence or a shilling in pockets that probably only contain a bank note and a goldpiece that the management might further improve the spirits of its audience by doing away with women ushers, and by selling the programme at the same time it sells the seat, for it is hardly fair to the first act of a play to make it overcome the fretfulness caused by annoying attendants before if can hope to amuse. But the second act is sure to have a fair start, and if the play is good from there on it will have no reason to complain of the audience. - C. D. Gibson in Scrib-

Killed the Devil.

A burglar recently met with his deserts in a dramatic manner. In the neighborhood of a place called Huntsburg, near Oldenburg, two little boys, aged respectively 8 and 12, were left by their mother at home to take care of the house. A man with blackened face and in black attire suddenly entered and announced himself to the scared little mites as his satanic majesty. "I am the devil. Where do you keep your money?"

They instantly pointed toward the massive trunk where the modest wealth | to farm life in the Maritime Provinces, of the parents was treasured up. While, and you get it however, the murky looking impostor was ransacking the chest, the younger of the two boys whispered to his brother, "Go and fetch the gun and shoot the

The brother jumped at the idea, fetched the loaded weapon, crept up to the unsuspecting thief and lodged the whole charge in his back. He fell back dead. -London Telegraph.

Uncalled For Indignity. "That's what I call an insult to the whole human race." "What is?"

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The majority of grown people, as well as the children, in ancient Rome rarely lighted a candle unless at dawn. The bedtime in Rome, Athens, Egypt and other parts of the Mediterranean shore was between 7 and 9 o'clock in the evening, according to the season.

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