

Accidents from Falling Buildings.

The telegraph has reported the fall of a building and consequent loss of life at Waterbury, Ct. The *Waterbury Journal* gives fuller particulars. The accident occurred about 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The roof fell to the ground with a tremendous crash, burying several men in the ruins. Mr. THOMAS J. PAYNE, a respectable farmer living in the east part of Waterbury, was instantly killed. Mr. G. W. FERRIS, a machinist, belonging in Hartford, was on the ground at the time of the accident, and had his left arm broken in three places by the falling mass. G. S. ACKERMAN, of Troy, had his left shoulder put out, and was badly bruised. FRANK MAYETT, also of Troy, had his face badly cut, and received a very severe bruise on the back part of his right hand, and was very roughly handled generally. The weight of the mass which fell is roughly estimated at about 82,000 pounds. The cost of reconstructing it cannot fall far short of \$3,000. Nearly every section of the trusses was broken, rendering them useless. A similar accident occurred, Nov. 23, at Barton's Building, in Rochester. Five men were injured.