## ONE BODY FOUND IN RUINS

#### This Brings the Total of Known Dead to Four---Search is Temporarily Halted

## CAUSE OF FIRE IS STILL A MYSTERY

Authorities Seem Convinced That It Started From Furnace—Property Damage \$185,000.00

Omaha,-After working from 7 o'clock Sunday morning until 5 o'clock In the evening, Commissioner Al Kugel called a halt to the work in searching in the ruins of the Dewey hotel temporarily. When the men quit work their search for more bodies of victims of the horrible fire had been unrewarded. No more bodies had been recovered and indications were that no more would

Fire Chief Salter, who remained at the scene of the fire almost the entire day, said he had given up hope of ever unearthing more bodies. "We have searched that part of the building where the victims were supposed to have gone down," he said, "and have found nothing and it is my belief that all the dead have been accounted for. I hardly believe that any were

The body of Mrs. Alice Bonevieu, sister of Mrs. C. E. Winkins, acting manager of the burned Dewey hotel, was recovered from the ruins at 4 o'clock Saturday morning. It is the only body discovery up to the pres-

The identification was made by Floyd Wilkins, son of Mrs. Wilkins, and by Night Clerk Nold. A Russian pony coat and a gold necklace furnished the means of identification.

Workmen are now digging in the portion of the ruins in which bodies of other victims are believed to be buried. Nearly half of the ruins which crumbled into the basement have been cleared up. Another portion of the ruins contains much partially burned lumber, and comparatively little brick, and will not take more than twenty-four hours to clear up.

The body which was discovered was found in the engine room of the basement, under a great heap of ice-coated wreckage. Sam George and John Shady, laborers in the employ of the street department, stuck their picks into a pile of bedclothes, and withdrew them immediately upon discovering the charred stump of a leg pro-

The Known Dead. Charles Cummings, bartender at

the Henshaw. Unknown man, about 50 years

Mrs. Alice Bonnevue, sister of

worked at the Cole oyster house. The injured:

Mrs. C. E. Wilkins, serious burns and mental collapse.

Grace Lee, 104 South Eleventh street, minor burns.

with bruises.

and body. Clara Newman, 838 North Nineteenth street, slightly burned. Mark Henenway, Ewing, Neb.,

hands cut by glass. Robert Olived, fireman, foot hurt

> At the time of the recent railway wreck at Kearney a fireman was in

an order recently posted.

five by a score of 25 to 13.

Bow, has purchased the bank at Mc- tion.

NEBRASKA IN BRIEF.

Coming Events in Nebraska.

Show, Omaha.

ed at Craig.

has reached 140.

recently at Blair.

score of 16 to 9.

time in March.

held at Tekamah

being discussed.

new hotel.

journ at Tampa, Fla.

March 5 to 15-"Made in-Nebraska"

March 11 to 14-Convention Feder

April 4 and 5-Annual Y. M. C. A.

A new brick building is being erect-

More than 1,000 lives were lost in

Carl Frahm recently soid a hog in

The Aurora Y. M. C. A. membership

Nine cars of cattle were recently

In the jail at Beatrice there are

C. A. Dixon, an old resident, died

in Fairbury from an extended so-

In the state oratorical contest Belle-

The thirty-third annual convention

of the Burt county Sunday school was

At Silver Creek the question of vot-

ing \$8,000 bonds for water system is

Richard Allen, a former well known

City High school at Sioux City, 25 to

his home in Boston of pneumonia.

14, in a rough game of basketball.

The seven-year-old son of W.

tween the two schools, Dana college

of Blair defeated the Bellevue college

en arm from a fall from a pony.

vention at Bartley recently.

vue won first, Creighton second, Cot-

ner third and Doane fourth place.

three well defined cases of smallpox.

Fort Crook for bootlegging.

the mines of Pennsylvania in 1912.

Bloomfield that weighed 730 pounds.

ation Nebraska Retailers, Omaha.

Indoor Athletic meet, Omaha.

The state board of health has acquitted Dr. C. A. Yoder of Elm Creek

The city council of Fremont decided

unanimously to place the \$40,000 paving bond proposition before the voters at the spring election. Governor Morehead announced the

re-appointment of F. W. Booth as superintendent of the Nebraska School for the Deaf, located in Omaha.

There will soon be held an election at Fort Dodge to pass on the question of issuing \$50,000 to be used in the erection of a new school building. The Southeast Nebraska Fruit Grow.

ers' association, at a recent meeting at Auburn, changed its name to the Eastern Nebraska Fruit Growers' as-According to findings by veteri-

naries the horse disease that did much damage in this state last year, has

of Lincoln, president of the Epworth over the present corporation tax.

Usually at this season of the year Scottsbluff has a series of banquets "get together" meetings.

Herman B. Fairchild, one of the Fairbury, near Endicott. Plans for the new building for the

City National bank at York have been approved by the directors and stockbolders and contractors are now figuring on the work. About 125 clerical employes of the Burlington have left Omaha for Chi-

cago, at which place the auditing headquarters will be located. committee of the whole at Lincoln. but under circumstances that practi-

cally insures its defeat on third read-Rev. E. B. Taft, who has been pastor of the Baptist church in Fairbury for several years, has tendered his resig-

nation to take effect April 1. It has been accepted by the church. Electric lighting in both stories of is now assured, the wiring having been started. This will be the first

building with electric lights in Ohiowa. Five young men and one young woman were arrested on the charge of Point business man, which occurred two months ago at West Point.

Something like 1,300 bills have been introduced in the legislature now in

Rev. F. W. Leavitt, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, Omaha, will tour England, France, Holland, Germany and Switzerland, conducting a party to the World's Sunday School convention in Zurich next July.

The farmers living south of Wymore have organized the Wymore Elevator Lumber and Coal company. A committee has been appointed to sell \$10,000 worth of stock and practically half of this amount has been dis-

WAGES ARE TOO LOW

LEGISLATURE TO TAKE ACTION ON PACKING HOUSE MATTER.

### \$9 PER WEEK AS MINIMUM

House Roll No. 442, Alleviating Situation, Unanimously Recommended.

shipped to Kansas City from Granger. Lincoln.-Well down in the house general file, but not so far down but that many members are keeping an Many arrests have been made at eye turned in its direction, is a bill which will shortly attract the support of legislators who believe in progressive economic legislation as well Dr. Heath has returned to his home as in progressive politics.

The bill is house roll No. 442, in troduced by McCarthy of Greeley county and unanimously recommended for passage by the committee on labor. It provides for a minimum wage for adults in work shops, factories and Crofton defeated the Bancroft baspacking houses of 20 cents an hour ketball team on the Crofton field by a or, if the work is contracted by the week, of \$9 a week, overtime to be Judge J. B. Raper has adjuorned dispaid for at time-and-a-half rates. trict court at Tecumseh until some

The committee's unanimous recom mendation, despite employers' pro tests, resulted largely from information in its hands relative to the wages paid unskilled labor in South Omaha packing houses. Additional information on this subject has since been secured by the special working girls' investigation committee.

Nebraska cattle man, died recently at Legislators stood appalled at unchallenged statements that 1,500 men Omaha High school defeated Sioux employed in South Omaha plants secured only 17 1-2 cents an hour, a weekly maximum, if by good luck The rural route carriers of Red Wilthere were no short days, of only low and adjoining counties met in con-\$8.40. As a matter of fact, it was shown that the average weekly wage S. of 3,000 unskilled laborers was about Blanchard of Edgar has a badly brok-

Worse than this, the average The business men of Brunswick have weekly wage of women and girls, who organized a company and will build a have been employed in increasing cheapening of the cost of transportanumbers during the last few years, The use of liquor by Omaha & was shown to be \$4.50.

Council Bluffs Street Car company How men could support families on employes is absolutely forbidden in In the first game ever played bebeyond the comprehension of members of the committee.

The little 6-year-old daughter of Arphone companies and the South Omaduring the next three weeks.

The progressive members, who

Governor Sends Message.

In executive session the senate replan, agreed upon at a caucus Kemp of Nance moved that a committee of five members be appointed to investigate the character and competency of appointees and to report their findings back to senate before action on confirmation is taken.

Yeiser Given \$200.

The claims committee of the house reported its bill back to the house carrying appropriations totaling \$75, 000. John O. Yeiser was given \$200 for his services on the pardon board, this being all that was allowed for his claim for \$1,200 for this purpose.

House Passes Potts Bill. The house corporations committee again put in appearance in Gage has recommended for passage the this work which would add more than Potts bill taxing all corporations one-The dedicatory services for the tenth of 1 per cent on the capital new Methodist church in Brock were stock representing Nebraska business, held with an address by L. O. Jones an increase of about \$320,000 a year

Bill Gets Ax In Senate

The senate's first application of the and dinners, which are in the main ax upon a bill coming before it on the disconnected and patchwork form. order of third reading took place should be revised, rewritten and when the Bartling bill requiring railmost widely known farmers of Jeffer. roads to man switch engines with full son county, was found dead in a chair crews while operating in yards at diat his home six miles southeast of vision points was defeated by a vote tration looking to the coming of the of 14 to 11.

> House Passes Lee Bill. The house has passed the Lee bill permitting the city council of Omaha to vote \$50,000 for park improvements and to construct a work house

Senator Placek Has Pneumonia. Senator E. E. Placek of Saunders is very ill with pneumonia at the Lin-Woman suffrage passed the house coln hotel. Mrs. Placek is with him.

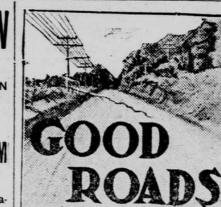
> Governor Signs Bill. Governor Morehead signed house roll 353, a bill appropriating \$50,000 for the state penitentiary deficit.

Franchise Bill Quickly Killed. Killed and buried in less than fifteen minutes was the fate of senate file No. 340, the bill that would have the new Masonic building at Ohiowa given electric light free and unregulated entry into any city or town in the state. No person appeared before the senate committee on roads in support of the measure, and Senator Heasty, who introduced it asserted he complicity in the highway robbery of did not care much what became of it, Mrs. John Jensen, the wife of a West | as it was introduced merely by request. Many members joined Senator Wolz in a successful effort to see that

> Favors County Ownership. Over the protests of a big telephone lobby the senate committee on telephones recommended the Fuller county ownership bill for passage.

the measure was quickly slain.

Must Pay for Own Bonds. Upwards of forty state officials must dig down into their own pockets for the premiums on their official bonds. The house adopted a committee report, which declared no statutory authority existent for payment of the premiums by the state, save in the case of the treasurer.



DISCUSSION OF GOOD ROADS

Most That Has Been Accomplished in Thirty Years in Iowa Is Sentiment-Face Problem.

Gov George W. Clarke, in a message to the Iowa legislature, touching on good roads, said:

"For thirty years the discussion of the good roads problem has been going on in the state. Many of the governors of the state within that time have called attention to the question and some of them have urged constructive legislation. Some progress has been made both in the way of better laws and in the improvement of the highways, but the most that has been accomplished is an aroused public sentiment in favor of better roads -perhaps in favor of permanent roads. Iowa will have permanent roads whenever she wants them. She will have better rural schools whenever she wants them. She will not have either before. Legislation awaits public sentiment-generally aroused, organized public demand. The next great era in the development of western civilization is going to be called by the historian The Era of Permanent Road Building. We are now at the very threshold of that era. We are face to face with the problem. No state can longer allow herself to be handicapped by mud. The economic waste is enormous. Not in the future can there be such a thing as a really great up-to-date state without good, permanent roads. The great waits on permanent roads. The in-

tion of the markets of the country stant great increase in the value of such paltry sums, even when the wife land awaits the coming of the permaand mother aided in the earnings, was nent road. There can be no complete Jones talk." solution of the country life problem in advance of the permanent road. erything his baby says." The employers' representatives, in- The consolidated rural school will go cluding men from the railroads, tele- halting and crippled until the permanent road passes the door. This is an thur Lakey, living near Fairbury, was ha packing industries, objected, but ideal that will be realized in the fuseriously burned while playing with the bill went to the general file. It ture. How far distant it is depends will come before the house sometime upon the people of the state. This general assembly ought, it seems to me, to take hold of the problem with charge of the engine instead of the have looked up New Jersey's recent the end in view to ultimately realize action a attempting a \$9.00 minimum this ideal. Nothing could contribute Deputy State Bank Examiner Jo- wage for girls, to say nothing of men, more to the greatness of the state and seph Pigman, a resident of Broken expect it to receive plenty of attenthe welfare of all of the people. All that is done hereafter in the improvement of our roads ought to be with the view of permanency. Permanent culverts and bridges, permanent sysof the charge of performing a criminal ceived the message from Governor tems of drainage, permanent estab-Morehead announcing appointment of lishment of grades-all with the view The first auto delivery truck ever Henry Gerdes of Falls City, C. H. of eventually receiving the permanent stalled at West Point was put in use Gregg of Kearney and Charles Graff road. With this purpose in view the this week by the proprietors of a de- of Bancroft as members of state board law should provide for the appointof control soon to come into existence. | ment of a county engineer. He should In accordance with a predetermined be thoroughly competent and not necessarily a resident of the county Pills to any one who is suffering from where appointed. There should also Kidney Trouble as I was." Write to Mr. be created a permanent highway com-Fleenor about this wonderful remedy. mission composed of expert road men and engineers with such powers and your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., duties in the way of the preparation Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household of plans and specifications, estimates Hints, also music of National Anthem of costs, advertising for bids and gen-(English and German words) and recieral supervision and control as may pes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free. after careful consideration be deemed wise. I can see no reason why provision should not be made for a referendum to the people of the question as to whether bonds of the state should be issued for the purpose of habit of the office in their home.' raising money for permanent road building. It would not incur a great expense to determine whether or not | him down." the people are ready to enter upon

Only One "BROMO QUININE" at is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look r the signature of E W. GROY E. Cures a Cold Que Day, Cures Grip in Two Days. 25c. anything else to the greatness of the state, and it would at least be of great value in causing universal discussion of the subject which must always precede any movement involving the change of long established methods and of thought. In the meantime our road laws, which now exist in a

strengthened for the purpose of securing the best possible temporary roads and for devising methods of adminispermanent road. Selfish interests clinging to old methods and advantages, may be found in covert opposi-

Reduce Width of Roads The suggestion of the governor of Iowa that public roads should be reduced in width is a very sensible one.

tion. Permit me to suggest that you.

look carefully to this, as I know you

will, to the end that private interests

may not prevail against the common

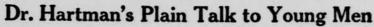
The governor proposes to make the roadway 40 feet wide and turn the rest of the land back into the farms. While this would add many thousands of acres to the tillable land of the state, the best feature of the plan is that it would greatly reduce the cost of keeping the road in good condition. I never could see the reason for maintaining a 70-foot highway with a little tract of 10 feet in the middle and 30 feet on each side growing up to weeds.

Considerable Benefit If good roads from the producer to the consumer were general the benefits to both would be considerable.

Experts of the state agricultural col-

lege of Kansas, who recently traveled through the state on the "Pork Chop" special, told the formers that they can now return to hog raising without fear of loss from cholera. The experiments conducted at the college with serum proved conclusively that the dis ease can be prevented by vaccination

Efficiency of Automobile One thing about the automobile is its efficiency in helping to secure a



last article certainly brought out er young men, like myself." many responses from young men. I take this means of answering them

keep Peruna at hand, in case of slight Hartman, M. D., Columbus, Ohio. ailments as they may arise. I thank Peruna is for sale at all drug stores.

My plain talk to young men in my | you in the name of thousands of oth-To this letter I replied:

My Dear Boy:-I cannot tell you briefly, for the benefit of other young how much good your letter has done men who did not write me. One me. To know that I am arousing the young men in matters of right "I was greatly interested in your living fills me with gratitude and entalk to young men. I wish I was thusiasm. I want to help you. Write strong and well as you describe your-self to be. I am going to begin at once and follow your advice and take and give you prompt reply. Follow care of myself as I ought to. I will the advice I gave in my article. Whenquit the use of all stimulants, tea and ever you have occasion to consult me coffee, go to bed early. I will take friends. If you will be obedient to the cold water towel bath every morn- me as a son ought to be I will be ing. I want to live to be old and faithful and true to you as a father useful, like you. And I shall also ought to be. Yours sincerely, S. B.



Shipping Fever

Influenza, pink eye, epizootic, distemper and all nose and throat diseases cured, and all others, no matter how "exposed," kept diseases cured, and all others, no matter how "exposed," kept from having any of these diseases with SPOHN'S LIQUID DISTEMPER CURE. Three to six doses often cure a case. One 50-cent bottle guaranteed to do so. Best thing for brood mares. Acts on the blood. 50c and \$1 a bottle. \$6 and \$11 a dozen bottles. Druggists and harness shops. Distributors—ALL WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS. SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists and Bacteriologists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

Alex. G. Buchanan & Son are always fighting for the

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"How many foreign languages can

"Well, he says he understands ev-

SUFFERED FOR 25 YEARS.

Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at

What's the Use?

"When he starts to dictate she takes

"How so?"

POLYGLOT.

village grocer. "Tommy," she yelled in class one morning, "don't you know it's rude to whistle in the presence of a lady?" Tommy was not abashed nor chas-

BOY PAID FOR HIS WHISTLE

Obeyed Father's Instructions All

Right, but Made No Sort of a

Hit With the Teacher.

It all happened in a wayside village.

She was the village schoolmistress.

prim and proper, but a bad hand at

settling accounts with the local trades-

men; he was ten years of age, one of

her pupils, and son and heir of the

"But dad told me to whistle," he re-

"Your father told you to whistle, Tommy?" queried the school teacher,

in considerable doubt.

"Yes'm. He said when he sells you anything we've got to whistle for our money.

Tommy then took up a conspicuous position in the adjacent corner.

Calumet Guarantees Baking Economy Mr. R. M. Fleenor, R. F. D. 39, Otterbein, Ind., writes: "I had been a sufferer from Kidney Trouble for about 25 years. I finally got so bad that I had

Fleenor, R. F. D. 39, Otterrites: "I had been a sufferney Trouble for about 25 ally got so bad that I had to quit work, and doctors failed to do me any good. I kept getting worse all the time, and it at last turned to inflammation of the Bladder, and I had given up

and I had given up all hope, when one day I received your little booklet advertising your pills, and to only pure and wholesome itself-but so uniform in quality that you can always. resolved to try them. I did, and took only two boxes, and I am now sound and well. I regard my cure as remarkable. I can recommend Dodd's Kidney

Interested Lady-Oh, dear, look! That's Mr. Rhymer, the celebrated poet. See how his finger touches his lip, and how his lofty brow is knit in thought. Oh, I wonder what sweet morsel of verse he is meditating?

Mr. Rhymer (to himself)-I have to order sugar from the grocer's, beet at the butcher's, pay for last week's

bread and bring some soothing syrup for the baby. I wish to goodness Mary "It did Jack no good to marry his would attend to all these things herstenographer, for she continued the

> Bill: "Do you know what a plagiarist is?' Jill: "Sure; he's a fellow who plays a joke on the playwright."

Anyway, the man who follows your A lie is a lie, no matter whether advice always has some one to blame

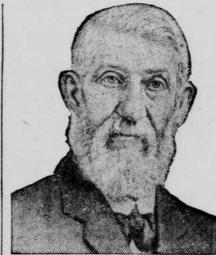
Bowels Get Weak

As Age Advances The First Necessity is to

Keep the Bowels Gently Open With a Mild Laxative Tonic

Healthy old age is so absolutely dependent upon the condition of the bowels that great care should be taken to see that they act regularly. The fact is that as age advances the stomach muscles become weak and inactive and the liver does not store up the juices that are necessary to prompt digestion. Some help can be obtained by eat-

ing easily digested foods and by plenty of exercise, but this latter is irksome to most elderly people. One thing is certain, that a state of constipation should always be avoided as it is dangerous to life and health. The best plan is to take a mild laxative as often as is deemed necessary. But but temporary good and are so harsh too highly. as to be a shock to a delicate system. and bowel muscles and so train them low these suggestions with safety and to act naturally again, when medicines the assurance of good results.



Mr. O. P. Miller. with equal certainty it is suggested it is the best remedy I ever used and that cathartics, purgatives, physics, does just what you claim for it to the salts and pills be avoided, as they do very letter. I can not recommend it

A bottle can be bought of any drug-A much better plan, and one that gist at fifty cents or one dollar. Peo thousands of elderly people are follow- ple usually buy the fifty cent size first, ing, is to take a gentle laxative tonic and then, having convinced themselves like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, of its merits they buy the dollar size, which acts as nearly like nature as is which is more economical. Results are possible. In fact, the tendency of this always guaranteed or money will be remedy is to strengthen the stomach refunded. Any elderly person can fol-

of all kinds can usually be dispensed If no member of your family has This is the opinion of many ever used Syrup Pepsin and you would people of different ages, among them like to make a personal trial of it be-Mr. O. P. Miller, Baroda, Mich., who fore buying it in the regular way of a writes: "I am 80 years old and have druggist, send your address-a postal been constipated for many years. Since will do-to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 203 receiving your sample bottle I have Washington St., Monticello, Ill., and a

procured two 50c bottles and find that free sample bottle will be mailed you. FOR BEST RESULTS SHIP YOUR CATTLE, HOGS AND SHEEP TO

OMAHA LIVE STOCK COMMISSION COMPANY

A. E. Rogers

the Dewey on their way to police 4:45 o'clock when a puff of wind headquarters. Sparks were fiying from swirled a dense cloud of smoke into the chimney at the rear of the house, the room. He was almost sufforcated and the officers told Jesse D. Nold, before he could arouse Nold. manager, of this fact. An investigation in the furnace

Known to be Saved:

Mark Hemmingway, Ewing, Neb.

E. T. Comer, Elmwood, Neb.

Mrs. C. E. Wilkins.

Olaf Jernberg, Genoa.

S. A. Andersen, Genoa.

John Pierson, Mead, Neb.

Ajton Wicklund, Mead, Neb

Dwight Porter, Broken Bow.

O. H. Conrad, Broken Bow.

Vidar Headman, Genoa.

Cloyd Athey, Broken Bow.

Grace Burton, Ruthven, Ia.

A. R. Bruce, Broken Bow, Neb.

The coat evidently had been donned which was found. Just what caused the blaze never will be known. It is not far wrong, however, to say that it originated in the furnace room in the basement of the hotel. This plant supplied heat for the entire building, including the

in a great hurry, immediately after

was later refuted, may still prove to

Manager Nold of the Dewey hotel said

business houses on the ground floor. The blaze was first seen by an A D. T. watchman, who was making his rounds. This was about 4:45 o'clock, so far as can be determined. At that time the flames appeared to be eating their way through the whole structure. There came a big puff like a muffled explosion, then death and ruin.

First Warning of Fire. Veliet was reading a newspaper in It was a few minutes before mid- the little office at the head of the night Thursday night when Sam Mor- stairs leading to the hotel floor from ris and M. P. Ryan, policemen, passed the Thirteenth street entrance about

"For God's sake get up and awaken room failed to reveal any fire. Then some of the people." Veliet cried to Nold turned the house over to Gar- Nold, as he pounded frantically on the ret E. Veliet, night clerk, and went latter's bedchamber door. "There's a fire in the building.

Mrs. C. E. Wilkins, wife of the

proprietor of the hotel. A man named Beverly, who

Miss Lida Nelson, chambermaid, broken leg and burns.

Izzie Stipps, mailer, at hospital Iola Jennings, 838 North Nine teenth street, burned about face

by flying hose. Grace Burton, 822 Spring street, condition serious.

View of Fire-Wrecked Dewey Hotel.

The body was burned almost be the alarm of fire had been spread in

yond resemblance of a human form. the building. There were no clothes

knee, and the other a little higher up. The report which was first circulat-

The face was completely obliterated, ed that a man by the name of Bever-

and the hair charred so that it was ly, who worked at the Cole Oyster

impossible to tell what color it had house, had been burned and which

The black Russian pony coat, most- be correct. A man by the name of

ly destroyed by fire, covered the up- Hanson it has been learned was tak-

per part of the chest and back, and a en for Beverly. Hanson works at

portion of the arms. An earring, the Cole Oyster company and Beverly

containing a set, which may be a ruby, was a waiter at a local restaurant, but

was in one ear, the other ear being just which one no one seems to know.

Of a dozen acquaintances of Mrs. he had seen nothing nor heard any-

Alice Bonevieu, who have called at thing about the whereabouts of Bever-

the morgue of Coroner Crosby, none ly and believes that he went down in

were able to identify the body posi- the flames. Beverly's first name was

tively. Some declared that Mrs. Charles and he was a regular roomer

Bonevieu had a pony coat, and this at the hotel and consequently his

proved the best identification clue, name did not appear on the register,

Both legs were burned off, one to the under the coat.