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Federal Light and Traction Company of New York-Members of the "family" of the Omaha Electric Light and Power company gave a banquet in honor of H. L. Martin, auditor of the company, last week, and as a remembrance presented him with a handsome traveling bag. All employes and officers of the company were present. Mr. Martin leaver the firm June 1 to go to New York as general auditor of the Federal Light and Trac-F. A. Nash, head of the Omaha Electric Light and Power company, made the presentation speech and spoke of the high regard which he had for Mr. Martin. He also said he was sorry to have the young man leave, but he realised that his going meant much for Mr. Martin's future. He also touched on the fact that he had taken many young men and developed them in the business in this city. and that several of these had becom prominent in the electrical world after soing from Omaha. He took pride in the fact that men developed by the local company received recognition in other

Whitehorn Fresides. W. B. Whitshorn presided as toastmaster at the banquel. S. E. Schweitzer, secretary-treasurer, spoke of the good work which Mr. Martin had done and showed considerable feeling over the departure of the young auditor.

use. The local agent for the Invincible vacuum cleaner, The Wolfe Electric company, 1810 Farnam street, has recently sold one of these machines with the complete attachment for cleaning everything inside the federal building walls to the Omaha postoffice

the authorities proved that the Invin-

cible cleaner not only took the dirt and

dust out of the surface of the rug. setting

also cleaned through the rug, getting the dust and dirt from underneath. The

last and final test was to take a clean

wet towel and rub the carpet on the sur-

face, and as the towel after this rub-

bing showed no trace of dirt. It was

readily proved that the Invincible cleaner was the machine wanted for government

## Baltimore Plans to Save Houses from Fire by New Scheme

The city of Baltimore has put into practice a clever little electrical scheme that undoubtedly will save considerable house timber in the course of years.

A number of the outlying city fire alarm boxes have been equipped with 35watt Mazda lamps, enclosed in red weather-proof globes, which really mark the location of the boxes for night emergencles.

These marker lamps are wired in groups supplied from the regular metered central station service of the nearest fire house. They are switched on at dusk and off at dawn by attendants on duty at the various posts. Policemen are also required to report any lamp that is burned out or broken. Small renewal stocks are kept at each fire house, and a fireman is sent out to replace the useless lamp as soon as it is reported.

## Electric Autos in Great Increase, as Shown by Records

From \$200,000,000 to \$200,000,000 is the value placed by experts on the output of automobiles in the United States during the current year. It is estimated that of the 415,600 cars expected to be produced in Michigan; Detroit will manufacture 200,-000. The output for the entire country, it is believed, will be 499,000.

If these estimates hold good-and they are based on the orders and prospects reported by manufacturers the spar's production of electric commarcial cars will represent an increase of 125 per cent over the total for the preceding twelve months. The increase in the output of electric pleasure cars will be 38.3 per cent compared with 1912

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I. B. Zimman said there was much to be spoken of, but that he die not feel that he could do justice to the man or the subject, expressing his deep feeling at the loss of the auditor. George Kerbler spoke along the same lines.

A. L. English pointed out that Mr. Martin was going to a higher field and that, though the local company would miss him, yet they know he was going into a better work and were pleased to see him rise. Walter Bartlett, who is the successor of Mr. Martin, was deeply moved as he paid tribute to the auditor. Jack Barry, the baby of the "family." made the real hit of the evening by getting off several humorous points that put him up high in the class of good after-dinner talkers.

"Dad" Talifers, who has been in the employ of the company for more than twenty years, paid his compliments to the guest of the evening and told of the good work that he had done.

In acepting the token of the hoats Mr. Martin told how deeply sorry he was because he had to leave the company. He said he wished that he could remain, but that this was one of those occasions in the life of a man when a move meant a brighter future.



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