# **NURSES ESCAPE** FROM FIRE SWEPT HOSPITAL HOME

Five Young Women Flee From Blazing Building in Scant Attire: Heroine Saves Her Valuables.

Fire, started by a defective furnace, destroyed the nurses' home of Methodist hospital, 710 North Fortieth street, Saturday morning.

Five nurses, Misses B. Steiner, L. Thompson, I. Cratty, B. Bierberand and Cornelia Pond were asteep in the house when the flames were discovered. They fled into the cold, scantily attired, and were cared for at the home of Edward Zust, 708 North Fortieth street.

Undaunted By Flames.

Miss Inez Morcroft, a day nurse, was the heroine of the fire She was at the hospital a block away when the alarm was sounded. Hurrying to the scene, she rushed into the burning building in an effort to save some of her belongings.

She recovered a diamond lavalliere and a set of furs, and managed to save a diamond engagement ring, the property of Miss Harriet Blair, whose fiance is in the aviation corps in

Nurses Heavy Losers. Clothing and other effects belonging to the nurses, valued at \$800, were destroyed. Grace Lowry and Dorothy Fulton were heavy losers.

The house is a two-story frame dwelling, the property of Mrs. Conrad G. Fisher. The furnace had been causing much trouble of late. Nurses frequently had to throw water onto it to prevent a fire starting.

### Salvage Department of Red Cross Gets Good Start

"We would like all Omaha to save big Sunday newspapers," said Mrs. Philip Pooter, chairman of the Red Cross salvage committee. "We nor have a volunteer truck that will pick up papers and old rubber-in fact, anything in a salvage way we can get. Sunday papers will help greatly. Save them and call Douglas 8123 when you have a good-sized bunch.

"We appeal to offices to save typewriter ribbon boxes, carbon paper the owner, but mean much to Red board. Cross work," she said.

"How many yards of Red Cross thread have you used?" was a ques-tion put to Mrs. O. C. Redick, Investigation proved that the Baird building department of the Red Cross has issued 2,448 spools of thread to auxil- shippers to promote transportation iaries, or 489,600 yards.

### Scoutmasters Hope for 100

The Scoutmasters' association of the Boy Scouts of Omaha resolved to attain a 100 per cent record for 900 local Scouts in the war savings campaign during the coming week. In addition to putting over 100 per cent themselves, the boys are going out to promote the work.

The program is to work among the school boys and girls on Monday and Tuesday, canvass their respective neighborhoods on Wednesday and Thursday and do general work on

savings subscriptions.

### Moline Reports Ground Glass in Omaha Flour

Chief Eberstein of the bureau of investigation received information against an Omaha flour mill because ground glass was found in a sack of the flour by a woman in Moline, Ill. He believes the presence of the glass was entirely accidental.

People are running up here on all forts of false alarms nowadays," he said. "One man brought me a piece of sausage with 'ground glass' in it. I called up the market man and he remembered that someone had leaned on his showcase and broken it and a piece of the glass had evidently fallen on the sausage.'

### Fort Omaha Soldiers Presented With Slippers

One hundred boys at Fort Omaha are enjoying the comfort of warm bed slippers of eiderdown made and sent to them by Mrs. A. M. Pinto. The money used in the purchase of ciderdown was the proceeds Mrs. Pinto derived from renting the lot adjoining her house for parking autos the day of the Camp Dodge-Funston foot ball game.

#### College President Will Preach at First Methodist

Dr. Alfred C. Craig, president of Morningside college, Sioux City, Ia., will occupy the pulpit of the First Methodist church during the absence of Rev. Titus Lowe, who is in France. Dr. Craig will make the week end trip to Omaha each Saturday night, returning Monday morning to resume his duties as head of Morningside.

### Red Cross Arranges for Sisterhood Day Tuesday

Tuesday will be P. E. O. sisterhood day at the Red Cross headquarters in the Baird building. Mrs. N. B. Up-dike, president of Chapter E, and Mrs. George Lehnhoff, president of Chapter B. N., Saturday completed arrangements with Mrs. Walter Silver of the surgical dressings department, for all P. E. Os. in the city to work on that

#### Scouts Will Celebrate Their Eighth Anniversary

The eighth anniversary of the or-ganization of the Boy Scouts of America will be made an eventful occasion in the Auditorium on February 8. A program will be held at night Governor Neville will speak and will present the Second Liberty Loan medals to the Scouts who have won

WELL KNOWN IMPLEMENT MAN ANSWERS CALL



C. C. TROXELL. C. C. Troxell, formerly manager of the Ntbraska Moline Plow company and prominent for 30 years in the wholesale implement business in Omaha, but for the last seven years looking after his personal interests, died at his residence, 1618 Emmet street, Saturday morning at the age of 58 years. Mr. Troxell was well known over the central west. He camesto Omaha in the fall of 1880. He started at the bottom in the business world and climbed to the top.

He is survived by his wife and three children, W. W. Troxell of Ban-croft, Neb.; Mrs. C. S. Bowman and Miss Alice Troxell of Omaha. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at the residence. In-

terment will be in Forest Lawn ceme-

### SHIPPERS AID IN SHAPING POLICIES

Industrial Traffic League Appoints Committee to Confer With Director General McAdoo.

Shippers throughout the country desire to have a part in shaping the boxes and ribbon spools for us. We policies of Director General of Railask contributions of tinfoil, rubber of roads McAdoo in the matter of transany kind (fruit jar rubbers and auto portation. The National Industrial tires), discarded clothing, rags, old Traffic league, which just closed its magazines, old iron, old furniture and special session in Chicago, has apold brass. Every Monday we have a pointed a committee to go to Washnewspaper drive. We ask that tinfoil ington and lay-the matter before Mcbe not rolled, as it must all be laid. Adoo. They will ask that a represenout flat in shipping. Old inner auto tative of the shippers be given a place tubes are worth but a few cents to on the director general's advisory

C. E. Childe, manager of the traf-fic bureau of the Commercial club of Omaha, attended the meeting in Chicago. "The committee going to Washington," said Mr. Childe, "will offer Mr. McAdoo the co-operation of the efficiency, and ask that a representaive be placed on the advisory board. The shippers and their representatives believe that the proper co-ordination Per Cent Record in Campaign of the railroads and shippers could not be brought about unless the shippers had a voice in shaping the policies that are to control transporta-

> "The immediate occasion of the conference was the order of Mr. Mc-Adoo abolishing the average demur rage agreement. The shippers believe that this would result in increased detention and an increased expense to carriers and shippers alike in haul ing cars for loading and unloading."

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## FIREMAN LOSES LIFE. PHPE BURSTS. **RECORD FOR COLD**

Steam Pipe in Boiler Room of Alamito Plant Gives Way and John Brandt Killed.

John Brandt, fireman at the Alamito Dairy company, was scalded to death when a steam pipe burst in the boiler room of the company's plant, 2601 Leavenworth street, late Friday afternoon

The cause of the explosion is not known. The boilers were tested within the last week and declared in good con ition, according to the company. The bursting pipe blew the hot water to all corners of the room, and came down in a scalding shower on Brandt. Death was almost in-

stantaneous.

H. G. Schwager, 2421 Poppleton avenue, Frank M. Wavra, stationary engineer at the plant, and General Manager F. L. Kernan were in the next room at the time of the explosion, and hastened to the stricken man's assistance. Police Surgeon James O'Connors was summoned, but Brandt was dead when he arrived.

Brandt is survived by a wife and two small children, who reside at 4523 Brown street. He was about 45 years

# At the annual meeting of the stocke

Peters Trust Co. Re-Elects

holders of the Pefers Trust company bankers; Paul W. Kuhns, H. O. Wil-all of the former board of directors helm, financial; Charles D. Beaton, W. B. T. Belt, Howard Kennedy, M. D. Cameron, C. J. Claassen, Foster C. A. Brogan, and Dr. E. C. Henry, pro-Hennion, H. H. Fish, John F. Stout, Dr. W. O. Bridges, Reed C. Peters, ers; J. E. Davidson, railroads; Everett D. Cameron, C. J. Claassen, Foster C. Robert Dempster.

vice president; M. D. Cameron, vice president and treasurer; C. J. Claassen, secretary; Reed C. Peters, assistant secretary; Howard Kennedy, trust officer; Herbert W. Potter, assistant secretary; Edward Gisin, cashier.

The trust officer, Judge Howard Many Penmen Needed Kennedy, reported an increase in business in the trust department and that more people are availing themselves of services of the corporate executor and trustee, and also in the transfer of stock for corporations as registrar and transfer agent.

The bond department has handled a good many municipal bond issues during the year, and also quite a volume of high grade, short term se-

### Band Will Be Organized

Scout Executive English is arranging to organize a Boy Scouts' band during the next few weeks. Henry as agreed to train the

musicians. "Other cities have Scout bands and I see no reason why Omaha should not have one. We have the talent, I am sure," Mr. English stated.

Boy Scouts who wish to join this band are requested to notify Mr. English at Scout headquarters and advise whether they have instruments.

Dr. Lee W. Edwards, 24th and Farnam, wishes to call the public's attention to the Chiropractic talk on Page 2-B.

To get the very best results take Dr. Humphreys' "Seventy-seven" at the first sneeze or shiver. "Seventy-seven" breaks up Colds that hang on-Grip. All Drug Stores.





# Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel polsons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purfy and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into

the stomach. Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It s inexpensive and almost tasteless. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to pre-

vent their formation. As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels .-Advertisement.

ELECTED HEAD OF OMAHA COMMERCIAL CLUB



of the Omaha Commercial club at the first meeting of the new board of that are nearly out of stock. This is Mr. George was chairman of the excutive committee during the last year. It is customary in the club to elect the chairman of the executive com-

Clarke Powell was elected secretary, and Tom Fry was elected

Directors and Officers ing its chairman for the year.

The members elected to the exwere re-elected, viz: R. C. Peters, publicity bureau; Clarke J. Coit, traf- are running low. fic bureau; H. H. Baldridge, Francis Buckingham, stock yards and packing; The board of directors re-elected the former officers, as follows: R. C. Peters, president; M. D. Cameron, ings and John L. McCague, real es-

Sutton of the district exemption board railroads quickly reduces the stocks for volunteer help in caring for the questionnaires now flooding the office has not accomplished the-desired they are not confronted with any

15 clerks a day and but four have re- coal might force the shutting down sponded to the call. The only require- of some of the plants unless other curities, which have been attractive on the market during the last six months.

ments are that the volunteer be a good penman. Clerk Sutton desires that those who can donate their services communicate with him as soon as possible in order that he can apportion the help over the various days Among Omaha Boy Scouts of the week. Night work can also be furnished those who prefer it.

OM3HA HAS ONLY LIMITED SUPPLY

# OF COAL IN BINS Must Conserve Fuel if Shortage Is to Be Averted; Cold Weather Has Delayed Trains.

While there is no alarming shortage in the supply of coal in Omaha, conservation is the rule at all the manufacturing plants, at the big office buildings and in most of the

Dealers in coal assert that there is enough fuel on hand to take care of the demands for a reasonable length of time. However, should the weather continue cold and with below zero temperature, consumers would be C. C. George was elected president forced to take what they could get. Right now there are numerous grades directors Saturday at the club rooms, particularly true with the Pennsylvania and Arkansas coals.

Owing to the continuation of the storms in the east, little hard coal has reached Omaha in the last three mittee the president for the ensuing weeks and as a result the bins of some of the dealers are empty. Others have limited quantities on hand, but stocks of hard coal are low.

The new executive committee was also elected. The executive committee next Tuesday will organize by electing its chairman for the year.

Semi-anthracite, or Akansas coal, came along in fairly large quantities until the cold weather of the last three weeks set it. Then it let up to a considerable extent and during the last week but little has arrived ecutive committee are Ezra Millard, There is plenty of this coal on the bankers; Paul W. Kuhns, H. O. Wil-way, but the cold weather has delayed the trains and right now the stocks

#### Illinois Coal Plentiful.

While their bins are not full, it is asserted that most of the dealers are well supplied with Illinois, Missouri and Kansas coal and that with a break in the cold spell within the next few days there is little danger of a serious shortage. Steam coal proposition is the most

serious at this time. The handling of this fuel is a sort of hand-to-mouth proposition. Owners of the big buildings and the manufacturing plants have storage capacity for only a limted amount of coal. Consequently And But Few Respond a manner that the supply will come The S. O. S. call of Chief Clerk along at intervals. A tieup of the alarming conditions, but another week The board can use between 10 and without fairly heavy receipts of steam

ty well supplied. They all have storage for large quantities of fuel and have been buying from time to time during the winter. Most of them have enough coal on hand to run 10 days

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Revival Meetings in

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to three weeks in the event they should not be able to replenish their stocks in the meantime.

Acting Chief Dempsey Closes Two Po

val Meetings in

Benson Methodist Church

Acting Police Chief Dempsey has ordered the pool halls of Charles Johnson, 505½ South Sixteenth street, and Sam O. Kezlan at 406 North Six-

Revival meeting are being held in teenth street, closed on account of

he Benson Methodist church. Miss conviction in police court for viola-

Mary F. Turnball of Chicago, a woman evangelist, is conducting the meetings. A special service will be held Monday night.

tions of law. Johnson was convicted on a charge of keeping a gambling place and Kezlan for allowing minors to frequent his pool hall.

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