

Polecat Troop Met—The Polecat Troop of Girl Scouts held the regular weekly meeting at Fremont gymnasium Tuesday evening. Plans for the summer camp were discussed. Tonight the girls will enjoy a hike with Miss Dillingham's troop of Mills school. Woodcraft signs will be studied and demonstrated. Miss Zebert led the girls in games.

Marks From Dunsmuir—J. H. Marks of Dunsmuir, California is among the visitors here. Mr. Marks is stopping at 1555 Melrose while here.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Mothers Attended—Mothers from Klamath Falls who attended the Mother's week-end at Oregon State College included: Mrs. C. T. Darley, mother of Miss Betty Darley; Mrs. B. H. Hawkins, mother of Miss Dehlla Hawkins; Mrs. Mary Williams, mother of Bryant Williams; Mrs. E. H. Cofer, mother of Miss Ruth Cofer; Mrs. H. E. Peltz, mother of Harry Peltz and Mrs. W. Paul Johnson, mother of Freddie Biehe. The mothers attended the women's convocation Saturday morning in the new women's building. Pledges to women's honoraries were announced. Installation of the Associated Women student officers was held and Mrs. W. P. Remington, wife of Bishop Remington of Pendleton talked on "Characters That Go Stepping Out".

Called By Illness—Mrs. Tucker of Lakeview was called to Klamath Falls this morning because of the serious illness of her brother, W. P. Daughman employed with Weyerhaeuser. Mr. Daughman is suffering from pneumonia. He is a patient at Hillside Hospital.

Renfor Seriously Ill—E. M. Renfor, conductor on The Southern Pacific was taken to the Hillside Hospital this morning suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia. Mr. Renfor is from Marshfield, Oregon.

Visiting From Oakland—C. A. Pauley, resident of Oakland, California plans to remain in Klamath Falls for several weeks. Yesterday Mr. Pauley secured a non-resident permit at the chamber of commerce.

Underwood's Are Home—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Underwood are home from Vancouver B. C. where they attended the Rotary Convention. Enroute home they visited for several days at Olympia, Washington with Mrs. Underwood's sister.

Friends of Mrs. L. A. Wiman—Friends of Mrs. L. A. Wiman of 1518 Worden will be pleased to learn her condition is showing steady improvement following a major operation. Mrs. Wiman is a patient at Hillside Hospital.



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SCORES KILLED IN HIGH FIRE

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into hysterical tears and as they were carried from the building but many screamed with the pain of the awful burns.

The agony of those stricken by the fire died in aspect of horror with the convulsions of other patients and nurses who gasped for breath as they suffered the torments of poison gas.

Lieutenant Thomas Rees and his men were among the first police at the scene. On entering the building they staggered over a heap of 25 bodies, all believed dead.

Man Falls

George Irvine, a passerby, was at the scene at the time of the second explosion. He saw a man fall out the first floor window. When Irvine approached the man was dead.

Deadliness of the bromide gas was plainly evident to firemen. One woman trapped in a third floor room smashed a window to leap to a net firemen had spread below. As she stood on the window sill a mist of the deadly vapor surrounded her and she toppled into the building.

Every ambulance in Cleveland that could be reached was pressed into use carrying the dead and the dying and the injured away. Private vehicles, trucks, delivery cars and passenger automobiles supplemented the service of the ambulance.

Rushed To Limit

Identification of the bodies was slow. Nurses and doctors in hospitals nearby were rushed to their limit to care for the tortured sufferers and generally could not pause for the dead except to roll up the bodies in blankets.

Emergency forces were recruited at hospitals for the injured. There were 70 doctors and 150 nurses working feverishly at Mount Sinai Hospital to relieve the suffering.

Pitiful Sights

Among the most pitiful sights of the disaster were suffering patients who agonizedly dragged themselves to windows seeking fresh air, and who were too weak to break the glass to get it.

They clawed their hair and shrieked but their voices were drowned out by other noises. For a moment they stood at the windows beating helplessly, then slid down the floor, out of sight, to die.

There were 350 patients registered at the clinic at the time of the explosion. After the fire and blast all of them were either suffering from fire or poison gas or were dead.

The hospitals where the injured were taken were scenes of horror. Victims screamed as their wounds were dressed. Others cried out madly in hysteria. Victims of deadly gas coughed in agony.

The Cleveland clinic is a separate building from the Cleveland hospital. The clinic, a four story brick structure, houses many laboratories of physicians, and the death toll was from both the staff and patients who had come for consultations.

Three of the floors of the building are balcony affairs and so great was the rush of the gas up the interior and shafts that parts of the upper ceiling were destroyed.

For hours after the disaster, frantic relatives sought vainly to learn the fate of their loved ones.

Pharmacists tested the fumes after the explosion and said it was bromine gas that had choked many of the victims to death. The gas came from burning x-ray films, thousands of which were stored in the basement of the clinic.

Many of the living victims taken to hospitals were bleeding at the nose and mouth and their lips were covered with froth.

Attendants at Mount Sinai hospital said Dr. Carl Helwig treating the injured there, found the body of his wife among the dead. She was a technician at the clinic.

Hardly two hours was required to complete the tragedy. With the first alarm, all available fire apparatus in the eastern part of the city was rushed to the hospital which is located at Euclid avenue and East 34th street.

Scores of firemen battled scorching flames while others donned gas masks and risked their lives inside the building. In rescue work, some of the

patients were removed through windows. One group of patients, doctors and nurses were taken off the roof.

Some of the victims were burned horribly. Others were unconscious. Many were crying out in fright and bewilderment. They were rushed as fast as possible to nearby hospitals.

Scores of bodies were brought out of the building with firemen unknowing whether they are dead or alive. The majority were dead.

The elevator containing six persons is reported to have fallen and the passengers trapped, crushing beneath it the body of the woman that had fallen.

All the windows on the east Ninth Third street were blown out. A woman passerby said she saw a hand severed at the wrist fall on the street below.

Clocks in the building were stopped at 11:35 a. m., indicating that the two explosions occurred at that time.

At 12:40 p. m. seven persons were reported dead at Main Hospital and at Mount Sinai the dead had mounted to eight.

The hospital was built in 1924. Bodies of the dead and the dying were found sprawled in grotesque postures. Many others died enroute to hospitals.

Dr. Crile, the proprietor of the hospital, was one of those inside when the blast occurred. He was among those who escaped safely. He said he did not know what caused the explosion. Because of the confusion, little is known of the number at hospitals or at other places where the victims may have been taken. Latest estimates were that 300 persons were in the building. It is not known how many escaped without injury.

Very little chance for recovery is given for most of those at hospitals.

Battalion Chief James P. Flynn with Fireman Louis Hillenbrand and Walter Kross were the first to arrive. They found twenty persons overcome in the front hallway, made helpless in their attempt to escape the gas.

A woman jumped from the third floor, suffering a broken leg.

The Rev. E. A. Harby of St. Cecilia's Catholic church, and the Rev. J. M. Traps of Holy Trinity were passing in and out among the dying on the lawn at the clinic giving aid and administering extreme unction.

An eye witness story by Mrs. Irene Lentz of Parsons, W. Va., at the hospital waiting for a physical examination, described the approach of the ghastly brown wall of bromide gas as it trapped and strangled its victims.

She was in the waiting room. She saw smoke issuing from the room next to it. She thought nothing of it for the doctors there had been smoking.

Instantly the red lights flashed, doctors and nurses were rushing about frantically. They began wheeling the patients out. Mrs. Lentz ran toward the door and others followed. A wall of bromide intercepted. Many collapsed.

A woman screamed "Oh, God, my daughter," and fell to the floor.

ONE KILLED AS TRAIN STRIKES GROCERY VAN

DOWAGIAC, Mich., May 15, (UP)—One man was killed and four others were injured seriously when a Michigan Central passenger train crashed into a grocery truck here. The locomotive was overturned and all six coaches derailed. Nathan Wanzel, the truck driver, was killed.

The truck was carried two blocks before the locomotive overturned. The train, traveling at a speed of more than 25 miles an hour, was enroute from Grand Rapids to Chicago.

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FRIENDS SEEK D. C. BURDICK

PORTLAND, May 15, (AP)—Friends were trying today to communicate with Denton C. Burdick, Oregon legislator, in notifying him of the suit charging fraud filed against him in circuit court here by Sarah E. Smith, the former Sarah E. Smith-Scollard of Bellingham, Wash.

Burdick was away on a fishing trip, friends said. Deputy sheriffs yesterday served attachments on all property Burdick owns in Portland, including his residence in Irvington.

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Coach fares good on tourist sleepers

Coach fares, \$15 to San Francisco; \$28 to Los Angeles—have proved so popular that their use is now extended to all trains carrying coaches. (Formerly good only on the "Coach Special"). These tickets have also been made good for use on Tourist Sleeping cars, providing greater comfort at low cost.

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Mrs. Juncan Returned Home—Mrs. W. Juncan of Keno, was able to return to her home at Keno today after having been confined to the Hillside Hospital for a fortnight. Mrs. Juncan submitted to a major operation.

Hardy From Eugene—Charles A. Hardy of Eugene registered at the Hotel Willard yesterday while here on business.

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