

Sentinel-Courier: On Tuesday afternoon about 5:20 while Miss Mable Johnson of John Syverson & Sons was ironing a dress with a gasoline iron at the Pantorium in this city, the iron dropped from her hand breaking the feed pipe and allowing the gasoline to leak out on the floor. John Anderson, an employee at the Pantorium, endeavor to reach the burning iron and throw it out the window, but being badly crippled, could not move rapidly enough to accomplish this and while endeavoring to smother the flames with a mackinaw coat, the iron exploded spreading the gasoline about the room and in an instant all was a blaze. He escaped with a slight singeing about his face and head and Miss Johnson was unhurt but swooned outside the building and aside from being considerably upset by the shock is none the worse for her experience.