

FIRE AT BINFORD.

The gasoline tank of the lighting plant in O. S. Gunderson's store at Binford exploded Tuesday night. It seems that the lights didn't burn well and Mr. Gunderson went back into the warehouse, where the lighting plant was situated, to try to remedy the trouble. The tank then exploded, for some reason or other, and set fire to the warehouse. The fire, however, was put out before much damage was done.

But this was not all. Alvin Alm, a boy seven years old, was in the warehouse when the explosion took place and he was enveloped in the flames. His 14 years old brother, Oscar, plunged into the fire and succeeded in getting him out. The little fellow was so badly burned, however, that he died the next morning. Those who are in a position to know all say that Oscar Alm did a heroic act in getting his brother out of the fire under the circumstances. A subscription list was circulated and about a hundred dollars was collected for this brave boy.
