

NEW BUILDINGS STILL DEMANDED

Exodus From Office Structures Brings Up Interesting Facts.

TENANTS ON WAITING LIST.

Many Are Ready to Move Into Offices as Soon as They Are Vacated.

Newhouse buildings in April will cause an exodus from a few of the other more prominent office buildings in Salt Lake, the city needs still more office

The McCornick and Dooly buildings will probably be the two buildings which will feel most the effects of the completion of the Newhouse buildings. The owners of these two are now endeavoring to accommodate as many as they can to the new buildings.

they can let the applicants for room in their buildings. Although several business offices are to be removed from these buildings to the new ones that are now nearing completion, the vacated offices

"I am glad to see more buildings going up in Salt Lake. The Newhouse blocks will certainly be a credit to the city when it is completed and I hope

that there will be more like them in the future. I would like to see a modern skyscraper built in the eastern part of the town now that we have got a start. Although a few firms will move out of my building into the Newhouse buildings, it will not affect me in the least. In fact I am glad to see that the city is going ahead so fast. They can't come too fast for me."

The Syndicate block on Second South and First West, which is being built by Mr. Dooly will be ready in April. It consists of two five-story buildings. Both of the buildings have been leased for 10 years. The Smith Bailey Drug company will occupy the entire five floors of one of them, and the Fairbanks-Morse company will occupy the entire five floors of the other. Both firms are anxiously awaiting the opening of the new buildings.

MANY DEALS PENDING

During the last week there have been several large transactions in real estate started. The deals will be closed in a few days. Never before has the situation in Salt Lake been so flourish-

ing. The various real estate firms in town have several good things up their sleeves which they will spring when the time comes.

to be completed about April or thereabouts. Work has been somewhat held back on account of alterations in the plans for the heating system in the rooms of the buildings to suit tenants that hold long leases. It is expected that in about two weeks' time the steam will be in working order throughout the building, enabling the men at work on plastering to go on uninterrupted. The permanent boiler room is nearing completion and a temporary system of heaters will be installed as soon as the windows are put in. A steam heater will then be set up

in the center of each room, which will enable the men to plaster without their material freezing. When these arrangements are made work will go on and a larger force of men will be en-

abled to work. It is stated that the buildings will be ready for tenants not later than April.

**GRACE REED COMMENDED
FOR STAND SHE TOOK**

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Over the head of Miss Grace Reed, the Drake school principal, who has been attacked by the W. C. T. U. for her defense of the liquor traffic, President Schneider of the board of education, dealt out a caustic series of remarks yesterday concerning the prohibition movement.

"In my estimation," said the school official, "Miss Reed towers mountain high above her critics. The Women's Christian Temperance Union and its sympathizers appear to think that the world's salvation depends upon the ex-

termination of the saloon. The prohibitionists in many instances have been successful. They seek to abolish the saloon and at the same time take their daily beverage from bottles labeled "patent medicine."

"Just consider the way things really go in the world. Drinking Germany leads the civilized world in consumption of beer. Progressive Japan throws off the fetters of prohibition when it became civilized.

"I do not want to be understood as saying that the saloon is a necessary factor of civilization. It is not, but the liquor traffic in no way re-

These people are bigots. They go through life with only one idea. They are not open to convictions and there is no use arguing with them. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union asked me to preface charges against Miss Reed. I shall do no such thing."

C. E. DAVIS MURDER TRIAL.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 5.—The attendance at the murder trial of Charles E. Davis, charged with the killing of Dr. Fred.

Erick T. Rustin, was not as large today as heretofore, although practically all the seats in the large courtroom were filled yesterday.

He was shown in the testimony of Mrs. Rice to be the state's chief witness, and after she took the stand yesterday there was a notable thinning out of the crowd.

Contrary to custom, Judge Sears announced yesterday that there would be no Sunday afternoon recess in this case, and that the trial would be by jury.

He told the attorneys that all the testimony must be in before adjournment. There is still hope, however, that arguments will begin Monday before noon.

TROLLEY CAR COLLISION

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 5.—(C. O. G.)—Olav Olson, 34, was fatally injured and

about 39 others more or less seriously injured in a head-on collision between two heavily loaded trolley cars in dense fog on the University line early today. The outbound car had 70 passengers on board while the inbound car carried about 120. The front ends of both cars were smashed to splinters and the crews and passengers were piled up with the debris. Twelve of the hurt are now at the hospital and the others are being hurried there in ambulances and automobiles.