

## *Theatre Fire* Star Fund for Sufferers Urgent Need

In response to many requests the directors of the "Yorkshire Telegraph and Star" have agreed to open a fund for the benefit of the artists, and those members of the staff who are suffering great hardship as a result of the disastrous fire which destroyed the Theatre Royal, Sheffield, yesterday morning.

The artists, who should have appeared at the theatre this week, deposited valuable musical instruments, clothing, and other properties in the dressing rooms, These, which were totally destroyed, were not covered by the theatre's insurance and were deposited there at the owner's risk.

With one or, two exceptions, the instruments, etc., were not insured and the loss is a very serious one for these' artists. There are also several cases where members of the Theatre Royal staff will suffer great hardship as a result of their losses in the fire.

An immediate response to the appeal is necessary. The following subscriptions have been received:

	<b>£</b>	<b>s</b>	<b>d</b>
The Lord Mayor of Sheffield (per Miss. Osborne)	1	1	0
Sir W. C. Leng and Co. (Sheffield Telegraph)	2	2	0
Sheffield and District Accordion Club (per W. J. James)	1	1	0
Per Miss Osborne:	1	1	0
Cole Bros	1	1	0
T., B. and W. Cockayne Ltd	1	1	0
Proctors Ltd.	1	0	0
Jack Walsh		10	0
J. Fraser Johnson		10	0
Coun. D. Craig		5	0
Mr E.B. Gibson		5	0
"Spare "		5	0
"Sympathy"		5	0
W.H. Rothwell		5	0
H.A.T.		5	0
C.N.		5	0
G.F.		5	0
Mrs. Osborne		5	0
Mr. T. E. Osborne		5	0
Harold Ryder		5	0
"A Friend"		5	0
" Tubby "		2	6
Mrs Wragg		2	6
"Milk"		1	0
Sir Charles and Lady Clifford	5	0	0
H. R. Sleigh	1	0	0