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B. I. Clements

George Vowler and wife of South Bend were visiting and looking after some business matters in Murdock on last Wednesday.

The scarlet fever scare which has prevailed in Murdock and vicinity for some time, has subsided with the getting of the disease under control.

A watch salesman was in Murdock on last Wednesday and disposed of some half dozen good watches to different people of Murdock and vicinity.

Taken up, at my home east of Murdock, a small black pig, probably weighing 50 pounds. Owner can have same by paying for this ad.—F. A. Brunkov, Murdock.

Ernst Gakemeier and brother, Herman completed the picking of this year's crop of corn last Saturday and they are well pleased that the task is completed, thank you.

Henry Reickmann, who has been rather poorly for some time past, is at this time feeling some better and is able to be around visiting with his many friends in the city.

A. H. Ward and family were enjoying the day last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Keedy, of Elmwood, where they all celebrated the day in proper style.

L. Neitzel was a visitor in Lincoln on last Wednesday, where he went to bring his granddaughter, Miss Catherine Neitzel, to Murdock for her Thanksgiving day vacation.

Henry A. Guthmann and the family were guests on last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Keene, at Fremont, they driving over to the big town in their auto for the day.

Jess Landholm was a visitor in Omaha on Wednesday of last week, driving over to the big city and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Tool, who were starting for Ackley, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schliefer and the family were guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Selma Lau and husband, William Lau, Jr., where all enjoyed the day most pleasantly.

Mrs. H. W. Tool was spending last week at the home of her mother in Lincoln and was joined by Mr. Tool and the kiddies for the day on Thanksgiving day, where all enjoyed a most pleasant day.

Leslie Rush was a visitor in the town of Louisville one day last week and as he has been making his home up state for some time did not hardly know the town, which he had not visited since he was a boy of some 17 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool had for their guests on Thursday (Thanksgiving day) Judge and Mrs. J. S. Reeder and their son, Clifford, and his wife, of Lincoln, who drove down for the day and enjoyed the visit very much and the Thanksgiving dinner as well.

Henry A. Tool and wife departed for Ackley, Iowa, on last Wednesday, where they were spending Thanksgiving day and the remainder of the week visiting at the home of the mother.—Mr. Tool and the many people he has known in the city of his birth and youth.

Miss Helen Bornemiser, of the Murdock Telephone exchange, who has been kept to her home on account of illness for the past month, is so far recovered in her health that she was able to be at the office on Wednesday of last week, though as yet she has not been on duty at the switchboard.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Amgwert and Mrs. Amgwert's mother, of Murdock, and Mrs. Lew Watson, of Omaha, departed on last Wednesday for McCook, where they spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morgan and family, Mrs. Morgan being a daughter of Mrs. Amgwert, formerly Miss Margaret Amgwert.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Weddell and son, Meredith, Mrs. W. O. Gillespie and Miss Viola Everett were over to Murray last Thursday to the dinner which was served by the ladies of the Christian church, and were well pleased with the progressive little city, and especially with the elegant dinner which the ladies served.

Henry A. Guthmann was a visitor for the day at the home of his mother, Mrs. F. R. Guthmann, and where he met the wife who had been spending some time in Omaha, and the children, who had been visiting in Plattsmouth. They all enjoyed the day very much in Plattsmouth, re-

turning in time to take up work at the bank on Friday.

Wm. Heier is having erected in the place of the barn which burned a short time ago, another one to replace it, which will be a very good structure and will be erected by the Messrs. Matthew and Victor Thimgan, they having begun the work on the place at this time. The materials were purchased from the Murdock lumber yard.

W. H. Rush, better known as Billie, was a visitor for Thanksgiving day at Lincoln, where he was a guest at the home of his two daughters, Mesdames Leona Burley and Mary Way, of that place. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burt, of Omaha, the latter a daughter of Mr. Rush, came past this way and took Mr. Rush over to the festive board.

The Brotherhood of Man

This trait of human nature is expressed most notably in the actions of the people of Murdock and vicinity, for they are going to go in full force on a specified day this week and pick the 100 acres of corn for Fred Cordes, who it will be remembered was injured some time since when his team ran away with him, and who while getting along nicely is not able to be out, and the people, inspired with the brotherly feeling, are going to gather and harvest his corn and place the same in the crib for this unfortunate brother. This spirit is one which we all could cultivate a little more and do us no harm. All desiring to do their part and all are desiring, can get in communication with Frank Rosenow and arrangements will be made for all wagons and other accoutrements necessary. Come with a determination to do your very best and this is all that is necessary. Frank will advise you when to come.

Enjoyed the Day Nicely

At the home of Henry Bornemiser there were gathered all the family, those who are still at home and the ones who were married and away being numbered about the festive board and all enjoyed the social atmosphere as well as the excellent dinner.

For Sale.

Several Hampshire boars and two bred sows.

HARRY M. KNABE, Nehawka, Nebr.

Enjoy Thanksgiving

At the home of Henry Gakemeier and wife was held on last Thursday a very enjoyable gathering, when the family gathered at the festive board, and there being besides the immediate members of the family, Rex Peters and wife of Greenwood, Wayne Swartz and family, of Elmwood, and Herman Gakemeier and family of Murdock.

Hears Nephew Has Died

Mrs. Henry A. Guthmann received the sad news of the death of her nephew, Robert Law, of Ainsworth, a young man of 22 years of age who was studying in a medical school at Lincoln, and was taken with pneumonia, which later developed into quick consumption, and of which the young man, who had much promise before him, passed away early last week. Mrs. Guthmann hastened to the home of her sister in Ainsworth, to be of all the assistance and comfort she could in this hour of grief.

Eulogy to Henry Schlaphof

"God moves in a mysterious way" holds true in your case, my brother! Only one week after thy friend and companion passed to his rest and reward, did God send a chariot to take thee home. Well do I recall the night of forty-one years ago, when it was God's good pleasure to use the same text and call us for Fro-Ostergard, namely, "Adam, where art thou?" and me as an instrument to rail thee to the altar of prayer; and there was no hesitancy. You obeyed the call, and what a glorious night it was, "when Jesus came into your heart." It was a happy day when Jesus washed your sins away, and you have never forgotten to praise God for his goodness. Well do I remember the night before you were taken home in our weekly prayer meeting when you led in singing "Wie bist du mir so innig gut mein Heckenriester du." It always was the burden of your song to praise God for his goodness. And your heart found always a joyful strain for God's goodness and mercy that he had brought your whole family into the fold. You never did waver or falter in your following after Christ; you never had any doubt in your mind about your sonship. You had

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Exclusive GOOD YEAR Dealer

Miss Marie Prohaska, of Long Beach, California, who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Prohaska, for a short time, has returned to her home in the west where she has resided for the past year.

The Dennison line solves the problem of mid-summer hostesses. Sold exclusively in this territory at the Bates Book and Gift Shop.

a firm foundation; on Christ, the solid rock, you stood.

It is a comforting thought to know that some of the fruit of our labors in those early years is safely in the garner of God. You traveled the King's highway with F. O. all the way, and you were not long separated. Yes, our friends are passing over, and soon our feet shall stand on Jordan's strand, to hear the "Welcome home." You have just preceded us a little while, at best. Some day there will be a happy reunion at the banquet that the Father is preparing for his Son.

L. NEITZEL.

Attended Church Near Home

Last Sunday we had the pleasure of attending the Lutheran Trinity church north of Murdock. It was a fair day which brought out a fine congregation. It was a great service; the people listened with rapt attention to a remarkable, forceful and clear statement of the conversion of the Philippian jailor, according to Acts 16:23-34. The Rev. George Zach portrayed the jailor in his unconverted condition, in his repentant attitude and finally as a regenerated or converted man, proven so by his conduct, faith and good works. Except a man is born again, he cannot be saved. The pilgrim was greatly edified and benefited.—L. N.

Pilgrimages at an End

L. Neitzel and G. Bauer have been visiting a number of churches and traveled many miles and had some wonderful experiences this summer. They visited Calvary church, Lincoln, Salem church at Lincoln, M. E. church at Crete, M. E. church at Cedar Bluffs, M. E. church at Nebr. City, Christian church at Weeping Water, M. E. church at Weeping Water, and winding up at the Trinity Lutheran church north of Murdock. They traveled over 500 miles. They have enjoyed their summer vacation immensely, with little cost, no trouble, but a vast experience in meeting people and profiting by the services. Arrived at all places ahead of time, were on their way often when many were still in dreamland. They are already planning a similar tour for next season. Thus, for the time being, their travels have ended.

Guards Taken Captive.

The first outbreak came shortly before noon with such speed that the guards were taken captive in the cellhouse and held there Thursday night unable to communicate a connected account of the proceeding. The convicts turned upon their guards at a prearranged signal, shooting and stabbing one to death. Another guard, an aged man, dropped dead from excitement. After overwhelming the guards, familiar with the surroundings said, to make a rush for the prison yard and out into the hills. One section of the prison contains no wall. But the foreman of the prison officials prevented this. They had removed after the door had been locked and the prisoners were preparing to enjoy a motion picture as a Thanksgiving treat.

Secretary Shot.

The warden's secretary was shot in the hip early in the evening as an attempt was made to dislodge the men by tear gas bombs. The prisoners answered the bombs and bullets, striking down the prison official and grazing the arm of a policeman. The first open barrage of the prisoners from their barricaded cell house brought a reply of more than 200 shots fired through the windows by the deputy sheriffs, prison officials and traffic officers. The guardsmen held their fire, having been under orders not to fire until a given signal.

Grazed by Bullet.

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BURNED IN A MINE SHAFT

Superior, Ariz., Nov. 24.—Two men were burned to death and five others are believed to have lost their lives in a shaft fire today in the mine of the Magna Copper company here. Two bodies have been recovered. The fire was under control last night after burning from the 2,500-foot level of the mine to the 1,600-foot level.

The fire, according to mine officials, occurred in the No. 2 shaft, which is not used for the normal removal of ore. It broke out at 7 o'clock this morning. While officials of the company have not issued a statement or made public a list of the men at work in the mine at the time the fire started, it was learned that seven miners were trapped in the vicinity of the blazing shaft. One was said to be an Indian and the other six Mexicans.

Hope for the five unaccounted for had been practically abandoned to-night.

22 Wounded in a Bitter Penitentiary Siege

Five Hundred Militiamen, Deputy Sheriffs, Other Officers Called by Prison Officials.

Folsom Prison, Cal., Nov. 25.—Six prisoners were killed, three are dying and 14 were wounded when the besieged rioters attempted to make another break for freedom here Thursday night.

They were stopped by guards and militiamen. The prisoners opened fire through the windows and the guards returned the fire.

There are probably others dead under the tables in the cell block. A doctor has been sent inside to care for the wounded.

Folsom Prison, Cal., Nov. 25.—Eight men were dead and 22 wounded after hours of fighting in Folsom state prison where rioting Thursday night had settled down into a bitter siege between rioting convicts, variously estimated to number between 1,200 and 2,000 desperate men, and more than 500 militiamen, deputy sheriffs and other officers.

Two guards and six convicts were dead and three guards, 17 convicts, a police officer and the warden's secretary wounded.

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21 WIN, 20 DIE, IN SEA FLIGHTS

Aviation Sees Big Gain Despite Toll of Life and Property.

New York.—The curtain has descended upon the transoceanic flying season of 1927, and aviation has turned to tabulation of the gains and losses of a historic summer.

Ten ocean flights have succeeded; nine have failed. Twenty-one persons have ridden the wings of the air to safety across the two great oceans; twenty have lost their lives in flight, and five more in preparation for flight.

The Atlantic has been spanned five times from America to Europe, and once from Africa to South America. The Pacific has been crossed to Hawaii four times.

Five planes attempting Atlantic flights have come down, three planes have perished on Pacific flights and Paul Bernier, Georgian-Brazil flyer, vanished above the Caribbean.

In addition to human lives there has been a loss in airplanes, in flights of American origin, which aviation experts set at about half a million dollars.

The cost of using naval vessels and private ships in searching for lost flyers is reckoned at another half-million dollars. The total does not include losses to backers of ill-fated flights, or to the sponsors of transoceanic ventures which never progressed to a takeoff.

In searching for the missing Dole prize flyers, the navy estimates it consumed \$125,000 in fuel; that the 8,000 men employed consumed \$30,000 in rations, and that naval equipment valued at \$60,000,000 was used. As many as fifty-two naval vessels were employed in the search at one time, as well as naval planes.

Sees New Era of Aviation.

Summing up the American activities of the season, government air experts declare that the flights have given birth to a new era in aviation, and have laid a carefully constructed foundation for the development of air traffic as safe as rail, motor or steamship transportation.

They deem that long flights, even when attended by disasters, demonstrate amply that the airplane will play a bigger role in wars of the future.

One effect of the year's flying has been the shaking off of generally held, old-fashioned notions of danger and serious ventures, and the substitution of a national "air-mindedness."

"If progress in the last year or so in army aviation, as well as in other fields of activity, is an index to what the future may hold, America will soon be ahead of the rest of the world in aviation," Assistant Secretary of War F. Trimble Davidson, head of the army aviation department, said.

He gave the opinion that while long nonstop flights of extra-hazardous nature should be discouraged unless conducted under the most favorable auspices, nothing should be done to interfere with the efforts of the military authorities to extend the usefulness of military planes.

Calls Change Psychological.

A psychological rather than a mechanical change in aviation is seen by Assistant Secretary of the Navy Edward P. Wagner, head of naval air activities. From a navy viewpoint the activities "proved the real usefulness of the application of aircraft." A reawakened interest in the flying boat is also forthcoming, he said, and the navy will continue to purchase new machines of this type as replacements for war-time craft.

Increased production of airplanes to meet a growing demand, and development of airports, landing fields and a network of airways as plentiful as the radio-wave channels, is foreseen by Clarence M. Young, director of aeronautics of the Department of Commerce.

While believing that pioneering in any field is expensive in lives and material, Capt. E. S. Land, assistant chief of the naval bureau of aeronautics, declares "stunt flying for stunt flying's sake" a "poor business." But he foresees a future in which aviation will be "a vitally important item, not only to American commerce, but also to American defense."

Weight Reduces Mind Efficiency, Doctor Says

New York.—If you are fifty years old and weigh within a few pounds of the average person of your age, you are between 30 and 40 pounds too heavy to reach the maximum mental and physical efficiency, Dr. Louis I. Dublin, statistician for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, told the Press.

Doctor Dublin's statement was made in conjunction with his endorsement of book entitled "Your Weight and How Control It," which has just been published. This is the first volume in the complete endorsement of the American Medical association.

"The amount below average weight," doctor Dublin said, "should increase as people grow older. An excess of pounds, for example, is associated with the most favorable conditions among people between the ages of twenty and twenty-five." At the age thirty a level is said to be reached, after which underweight is more to be desired than overweight.

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of Good Work Horses at

PUBLIC AUCTION

Will be sold at the Public Sale of Don Seivers, at Cullom, 7 miles west of Plattsmouth, on

Wednesday, Nov. 30th

Four Drug Law Arrests Made

Charges of Selling Aspirin Lodged Against Quartet Taken in Omaha.

A drive to enforce the new state law prohibiting the sale of drugs by merchants without a pharmacist license, has been launched in Omaha by Louis Steece, field investigator for the state bureau of examining boards, and as a result four men have been arrested, charged with the sale of aspirin.

E. C. Marsh, 2240 Farnam street, cigar store proprietor, was fined \$25 on such a charge, in police court Wednesday. He said he had purchased his store recently and that the aspirin had been in stock. He was not aware of the law prohibiting its sale, he explained.

Others arrested were John J. Sullivan, 4416 South Twenty-fourth, pool hall proprietor; R. C. Wheeler, 215 South Twenty-fourth, cafe proprietor, and John Robovatos, 2401 Farnam street, candy kitchen operator. Their cases were continued until November 30. A second offense carries a \$500 fine or six months in jail.

The law states that no drugs or remedies such as camphor, castor oil, arsenic salts, peroxide, iodine or milk of magnesia are to be sold without a pharmacist license. Ross Shottwell, deputy county attorney, said the scope of the drive will be widened to include prosecution of doctors and surgeons practicing without a state license.—Omaha Bee-News.

DAIRY BUSINESS GROWING

Tremendous gains in the dairy industry, which through its gradual growth in the past five years shows a remarkable stability, are revealed in a survey of the dairy business just completed by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute of Chicago.

Production has gradually expanded since 1921. Statistics show that there has been, since that year, an increase of about 25,000,000 pounds in the whole milk production and around 420,000,000 pounds in the amount of creamery butter produced. The total amount of milk in 1921 was 58,562,000,000 pounds, while the estimated total for 1927 is placed at 123,000,000,000 pounds. The 1921 record for creamery butter was 1,055,000,000 as compared with this year's estimated production of 1,475,000,000 pounds. Part of the growth in creamery butter production has been due to a shift from farm butter to factory butter production.

The facts gleaned in the institute survey show that in spite of the vagaries of the weather the amount of new wealth created by the dairy cow from years to year has steadily mounted. The dairy industry has been one of the phases of agriculture least affected by the post-war depression and one of the first to recover from such wounds as it did receive.

Mrs. Harry Long and little child returned this morning from Aurora, Illinois, where they have been for some time visiting with relatives and friends.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass County ss. In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Watson Long, deceased.

To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified, that I will sit at the County Court Room in Plattsmouth, in said County, on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1927 and on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1928, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each day respectively to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 30th day of December, A. D. 1927 and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 30th day of December, 1927.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said County Court this 26th day of November, 1927.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

ORDER OF HEARING and Notice on Petition of Settlement of Account.

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska, State of Nebraska, Cass County, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Roscoe C. Harshman, deceased:

On reading the petition of Elmer Hallstrom praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 26th day of November, 1927, and for discharge of administrator, it is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said County, on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1927, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Plattsmouth Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper printed in said county, for one week prior to said day of hearing.

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TRACTORS REVOLUTION-IZE AFRICAN FARMING

Tractors are replacing oxen as the power unit of economy in South African agriculture despite the higher price, according to P. J. Stevenson, United States trade commissioner.

In his opinion the tractor is being accepted by South African farmers because it reduces production costs and permits rapid work in the proper crop season.

Because of the long distance from this country, the tractor costs about twice as much in South Africa as in the United States, while gasoline prices are from two to three times greater. Figures of the Department of Commerce indicate that Africa, generally is acknowledging the tractor as the established power unit, of the tractors are being purchased from the United States.

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NOTICE OF BANKRUPTCY

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Nebraska, Lincoln Division.

In the matter of Christ & Christ, a co-partnership, and Austin S. Christ and Carrie E. Christ, bankrupts.

Case No. 1505 in bankruptcy. To creditors of the above bankrupts of Plattsmouth, in the County of Cass, the district aforesaid, a bankruptcy.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1927, the said bankrupt was duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held in Room 234 Federal Building in Lincoln, Nebraska, on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1927, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupt, appoint a trustee, and transact such other business as may properly come before such meeting.

Dated November 25th, 1927. DANIEL H. McCLENNAN, Referee in Bankruptcy.

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