

GREENWOOD

Watson Howard and the kiddies were pleased when Ray Lamb and wife of Papillon came down on last Sunday and paid them a visit.

Earl Metcalfe and the members of the home on last Sunday enjoyed a very fine visit from their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boulder of Lincoln.

J. Johnsen of Murdock was a visitor in Greenwood and was looking after his trucking business here, as well as visiting with his many business friends here.

Among the things which the city council did at their last meeting was to take up the matter of paying for the repairs on the stand pipe and the tank of the city water system.

John Mefford who has been on the sick list for the past three weeks is at this time feeling some better and is so that he is able to be out and looking after the matter of assessing.

E. L. McCartney and the good wife of Weeping Water were spending last Sunday at the home of the parents of Mrs. McCartney, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Birdsall, returning to their home in the evening.

P. A. Sanborn was looking after some repairs for implements in Omaha on Tuesday of last week and as the farmers are getting into the field they find that they are needing many things to put their machinery in the best condition.

Earl Cizmer was a visitor to the banks of the Platte river on last Wednesday where he has an appointment with some of the black bass which have been making their home there.

With plenty of hooks and other fishing paraphernalia they spent a very enjoyable afternoon along the banks of the historic Platte river.

A number of the folks of Greenwood drove over to Shenandoah, Iowa, on last Monday, where they went to enjoy the ride and to see the new broadcasting station of the Henry Field Seed company and to hear the country school at the May seed home.

They enjoyed the trip very much, they being in the merry party Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lapham and son, Mrs. Dora Leesley and Mrs. David Appuhn.

New City Board. On last Tuesday evening the city council of Greenwood met at their regular session and after looking after the regular business of the city they proceeded to organize the new board of village trustees.

Those to retire from the board were A. F. Weibke and W. A. White, while they were replaced by R. E. Matthews and E. O. Miller. Following this the meeting proceeded to the election of a mayor, the lot falling on Emmitt A. Landon.

Painting the Oil Tanks. In order to be in harmony with the spring with its gay colors, and freshness, the Peter Oil company last week inaugurated a move to paint their oil and gasoline tanks, and have them looking much better for the paint which has been applied to them.

When they shall have been completed the tanks will look and will be as good and fresh as new. It is a wonder what a little paint does and sure that it what it is for, to make things look better and to make them better as well.

Attended Badge Presentation. Henry Wilson of Lincoln was a member of the Masonic order at that place on last Tuesday evening, for 50 years and in recognition the lodge, No. 19, A. F. & A. M. of which he is a member, presented him with a fifty year badge and also had a number of addresses and a fine banquet in honor of the occasion.

A number of the members of the order from Greenwood were over and participated in the celebration. Mr.

Wilson is a past grand master of the order and has been a worker for the Masons for the past half century. Among those attending from Greenwood were Professor Hines, E. E. Landon, J. Miller, Westley Miller and Emmitt A. Landon.

Hold Eighth Annual Banquet. The Fidelity lodge of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Greenwood on last Friday evening at their hall gave a very fine supper and a program in keeping with the progressive spirit of the order when they celebrated their eighth annual dedication of the hall.

Toasts were responded to by a number of the members and also a most elaborate supper was served. This order is at this time making good progress and adding many desirable members to their roster.

Buying Many Chickens. On Tuesday of last week E. L. McDonald purchased and shipped to the Omaha market 4,200 pounds of chickens, and for three days special purchasing of this line of fowls he purchased and shipped over twelve thousand pounds of chickens.

This matter of raising and shipping chickens is growing larger and larger with every year.

Doing Fine Business. Ray Friedrich, who conducts the seed business and who sells the most reliable of seeds, is busy with the assistance of some four additional men, in the handling of the seed corn which is the one thing which is most in demand at this time.

One day last week they shipped 95 bushels to one customer. This is a good location for supplying good seed corn and as there is excellent quality of corn in this section this is the place to come for the best seeds.

Firm Changes Hands. The firm heretofore consisting of Robert Mathews and M. E. Petersen, and doing a business under the firm name of Mathews and Petersen was mutually dissolved last week and Mr. M. E. Petersen in the garage business in Greenwood. Our business was mutually dissolved, and I will continue to operate the business as formerly and will see that every patron gets the very best and most courteous service.

In behalf of myself and also of Mr. Petersen I wish to extend to the public and all our scientific cur thanks for the business and friendship which has so materially assisted in the success of our business. I am also extending thanks for all business which may come to this institution in the future, assuring every attention and courtesy will be given.

Let the Circuit Do It. That is what Orison Johnson and the good wife are expecting to do in the future, for they last week installed in their home, the same being sold by A. R. Birdsall.

Visit at Grand Island. Mrs. W. H. Leesley and son, Bill, and accompanied by Mike Sheehans and family of Manly, were visiting for over Sunday last week at Grand Island where they went to spend the day with Miss Mable Leesley who is in the Grand Island business college and where she will continue during the summer. She will graduate from this institution this fall.

Selling Many Chickens. The Leesley hatcheries are hatching and selling many chicks at this time and are running at full capacity to catch up and keep abreast with the demand for hatcheries and hatched chicks. During the past few days they have sold to the following persons, they taking the chicks as follows: Edward Steinkamp, near Weeping Water, 400; Fred Terry, near Cedar Creek, 500; Henry Hill, 500; Ovis Schiefert, 200, and O. C. Zink, 400.

Making Home in Northwest. Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Reed, who have been residents of Greenwood and who have many friends here, departed on Monday of last week for near Valentine where they will make their home on a ranch, and will try the rough stuff of the northwest.

Brooder House Burns. Last week the brooder house of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lambert mysteriously was taken afire and while all was done possible to extinguish the flames, the building was consumed and with it some sixty-five or seventy chicks. Every care had been exercised to prevent a fire but in some way the house caught and was consumed.

Many Greet New Bride. There were over half a hundred of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dyer at a reception which was tendered this estimable couple when Mesdames A. R. Birdsall and Vern Shepper entertained in their honor. The time was spent in playing games and social conversation and at an appropriate hour the bride was presented with some most useful and beautiful gifts from the members of the gathering. Hats, well we should say they had hats, and excellent ones

at that. All enjoyed the occasion very much.

Visited in Lincoln. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. George Buckness and their sons, were over to Lincoln on last Sunday where they were enjoying a visit for the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boyles, where an excellent time was had and as well as most appetizing dinner. Mr. Bucknell is a nephew of Mrs. Boyles. Both added much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Means a Big Saving to the Potato Grower. Chicago, Ill., April 30.—Police officer Anthony Ruthy, the traffic officer on duty at Randolph street and Michigan boulevard when Alfred J. Lingle was slain in a pedestrian tunnel there, was killed at the same busy intersection today by a man fleeing arrest for bank robbery.

A fellow officer, Patrick Durkin, was seriously wounded in the chase along streets jammed with rush-hour traffic, which ended with the capture of Frank Johnson, 30, of Rock Island, Ill., as the assailant.

Ruthy, whose testimony of "visions" in the trial of Leo V. Brothers for Lingle's murder caused a sensation, was felled as he started from his post in the middle of Michigan boulevard. It was he who had named Frankie Foster as the man he saw fleeing from the pedestrian tunnel.

Just as Ruthy moved from his post at the trial he said his identification of Foster was only a "vision." Had Trained Man. Officers said two private detectives had trailed Johnson to a building just north of the intersection. While one of them, L. B. Benson, started for police aid the other John Woods, walked down the boulevard with him.

Johnson dashed to the library steps and Policeman Pat Enright, on duty half a block away, started after him. Johnson fired again and the shot grazed Enright's face.

Johnson ran down Randolph street to Garland street, a half-block away, and threaded his way among parked automobiles with Enright, Policeman Leo Sherlock and Ernest Schaeblin, a civilian close behind.

Emptied His Pistol. He turned onto Washington street, over to busy Wabash avenue, and down it a half block, his pistol now empty, before Schaeblin could seize him.

The shooting occurred at 6 p. m.—the loop's busiest time—and it marled traffic into a knot it took an hour to untie. Michigan boulevard was blocked by excited pedestrians and street cars were jammed along Wabash avenue.

The private detectives said Johnson was shot for a \$2,800 robbery of the Lafayette, Ill., State bank April 10 and the Neponset, Ill., State bank April 22, when four hundred dollars to five hundred dollars was taken. They had obtained a warrant for him at Kewanee, Ill., this morning, and were preparing to serve it when the shooting took place.

Ruthy was on traffic duty at the same spot when Lingle was slain. He pursued for some distance a man who fled the tunnel, and later identified Frankie Foster as the man.

However, when called as a witness in the trial of Brothers, Ruthy said he actually pursued "a vision" instead of Foster. His credibility as a witness thus was nullified. He had been off traffic duty during the Lingle investigation, but was reassigned to the corner after Brothers was convicted.—World-Herald.

IOWA SETS BARRIER TO IMPORTING RUM BY HEAVY PENALTY. A new law, recently enacted by the Iowa general assembly, hits at bootleggers operating between Omaha and Council Bluffs.

The statute, which goes into effect immediately, calls for a minimum fine of five hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding six months, for illegally transporting intoxicating liquors into the state of Iowa. For each offense thereafter, a prison term, not to exceed three years, is to be the penalty.

Sheriff Lanson of Pottawattamie county, who Thursday received official notice of the enactment of the law, expects, as a result, the establishment of an increased number of stills up and down the river on the Iowa side and the possible revival of river traffic.

CONFIRM BIBLICAL STORY OF SODOM DESTRUCTION. New York, April 30.—Excavations by Jesuit archeologists have revealed evidence confirming the biblical story of the destruction of Sodom, Dr. John Oliver Lagore, of Washington, vice-president of the National Geographic society said today.

Dr. Lagore said that the expedition sponsored by the Vatican, had unearthed the site of Sodom. It is actually the site of three distinct cities, one built on top of another, he said.

CAROL DENIES RUMORS OF PENDING DICTATORSHIP. Bucharest, Rumania, April 29.—King Carol told a group of foreign newspaper men today he was "tired" of rumors that a dictatorship would be established in Rumania.

The king added he was a "faithful adherent of the parliamentary regime."

TAKAMATSUS IN MONTREAL. Montreal, Quebec, April 29.—Prince and Princess Takamatus arrived in Montreal tonight for a visit.

Lingle Witness is Fatally Shot By a Fugitive

Bank Robbery Suspect Also Wounds Another Chicago Policeman—Emptied His Gun

Means a Big Saving to the Potato Grower

Rail Commission Rate Expert Says Examiners' Report Points to Big Cut in Rates.

C. A. Ross, rate expert for the state railway commission, Thursday received a copy of the report of the interstate commerce commission examining the potato rates case, and deduces therefrom that a good many thousand dollars per year will be saved to potato growers in Nebraska, besides awarding them reparations for excessive rates paid in the past.

The complaint of the state railway commission challenged rates on potatoes from western and central Nebraska and eastern Wyoming points to shipments sent to points in Oklahoma, Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, and Mississippi and to Memphis, Tenn., and the examiner finds that these rates are unreasonable in themselves and with respect to relationship on rates from the Greeley district in Colorado to the same destinations are unduly prejudicial and preferential, and that refunds should be made on past shipments.

The examiner also finds on justification for charging Nebraska growers \$5 a car for refrigeration or insulated cars when no such charge is made shippers from the Greeley and eastern Wyoming districts.

Mr. Ross says that the reductions will amount on 1,000 tons of a hundred pounds, which means from \$3.60 in excess of \$24 a car. The last yearly figures show that the Nebraska districts shipped 6,600 cars, and three-fourths of them went to the southern points named.

10 BILLS SIGNED BY BRYAN

Lincoln, April 30.—Ten more legislative enactments became laws on Thursday through Governor Bryan's signature.

One permits rural school children between 14 and 16 to procure drivers' licenses to operate automobiles to and from school.

The act, introduced by Representative M. J. Cushing (R.), Ord., restricts the operation of cars in this manner to the most direct route available.

Another will permit the state board of educational lands and funds to invest not to exceed 5 per cent of the permanent school fund in bonds for the construction of dormitories at the state university and the normal schools. This bill was introduced by Representative Myrtle E. Musser (D.), Rushville, to aid in relieving the housing situation on the university campus.

The governor also approved H. R. 63 by Representative C. J. Mitchell (R.), Roca, restricting dancing on Sunday except in the event where it is regulated by ordinance or under supervision of a deputy sheriff.

Another Mitchell bill, H. R. 57, reduces the wages of Lancaster county officials to a basis of remuneration paid before the county exceeded the 190,000 population mark, plus an increase of \$100 for each county official concerned.

S. F. 283, by Senator Christ Andersen (D.), Bristow, provides for the placing of jurisdiction in the department of public safety in the erection of all stop signs, highway signs and street warning devices on state and federal highways through cities and villages of less than 25,000 inhabitants.

S. F. 49, by Senator Rolla C. Van Kirk, Lincoln, provides for the payment of estate tax to the state treasurer of Nebraska within one year from the date of the death of the decedent.

S. F. 307, by Senator James A. Rodman (R.), Omaha, provides for the recovery and possession by a guardian resident of another state wherein his ward also resides of property belonging to the estate of such ward.

S. F. 246, by Senator Harry K. Easton (D.), Omaha, and Rodman provides for exemption from taxes where reciprocal provision is made in favor of residents of Nebraska by the state appointing foreign executors.

H. R. 12, by Representative Myrtle E. Musser (D.), Rushville, provides for the nomination and election of twenty commissioners by districts.

H. R. 27, by Cushing, provides for a closed season for doves and an open season for prairie chickens and grouse when ordered by the game forestation and parks commission.

TRUCK RESISTS EFFORTS TO PULL IT FROM DITCH

York, Neb., April 29.—Trucks, cables, tractors and a larger caterpillar tractor with a threshing machine engine have failed to dislodge a truck, loaded with 3,500 gallons of oil and distillate, which has been mired in a ditch four miles south of here since Sunday night.

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THURBER MAY REMAIN UNDER CARE OF CITY

Nebraska Leads Entire Nation in Forestry Work

Government Expert High in Praise of State at Conference of Agents at Denver

More than 500 Thousand Nebraskans at Work

Percentage in School Is Growing—Illiteracy 1.2 Out of 100—Trend Is to Cities

More than half a million residents of Nebraska above 10 years of age are engaged in some sort of gainful occupation.

Of the more than 430 thousand in the state between the ages of 5 and 20, a total of approximately 332,945, of 76.5 per cent, attend school. This contrasts with a 70.6 per cent attendance in 1920.

Illiteracy in Nebraska declined from 1.4 per cent of the total population to 1.2 per cent during the past 10 years.

These are some of the interesting facts on Nebraska which are revealed here today in a publication by the United States census bureau giving a break-up of the population figures gathered in the state last year.

The bureau has promulgated the calculation of all questions asked in the census enumeration, which showed 7,963 persons living in the state at the time of the count April 1, 1930.

Surprising Facts. The bureau has issued a pamphlet on the basis of the figures gathered, beginning with tables showing the growth in city and country population in the state since 1890, the date of the first census-taking in Nebraska.

Surprising facts on the composition of the state's population are shown in the pamphlet, which traces in cold figures the growth of the city population from 310,852 in 1910, to 486,107 at the present time, and the growth in country population from 881,362 to only 891,858.

Behind the figures lie the story of Nebraska's rise in industrial and agricultural importance, leading logically to the growth of large towns and cities and the natural flow from country to city which has been experienced in the midwest during the past two decades and which may only now be on the verge of reversing its trend.

90 Per Cent Are White. The nativity of the state's population is preponderately white, the census publication shows, but is of far-flung races. The white population is 1,353,702, the census shows, and second place total is scarcely 10 per cent of that figure. In second position is the Negro population, totaling 13,752.

Other races follow in the order named: Mexican, 10,509; Indian, 6,321; Japanese, 674; Chinese, 194; Filipino, 55; Korean, 5; Hawaiian, 33.

Giving figures on school attendance which showed a higher percentage attending schools than in 1920, the census reports a larger percentage of girls in school but a larger number of boys actually due to the greater numerical strength of the latter in the state. There were 165,444 girls of the total of 214,709 in school, amounting to 77.1 per cent. Of the 220,467 boys, 167,301, or 75.9 per cent, were attending school.

FIND RECLUSE'S \$17,900 HOARD

KIRKLAND MAY ACCUSE OTHERS OF SLAYING GIRL

Atlantic, Ia., April 29.—A treasure hunt through the home of August Kubath, wealthy local recluse who was found dead Saturday afternoon at his home, has resulted in the finding of \$17,900 in cash and bonds hidden in a trunk. The house was thoroughly ransacked by those in charge of his estate, and it is believed that all of the money and securities have been recovered.

Kubath had little food in the house. His body was found on the floor behind the bunk of straw and rags upon which he slept. It was revealed Wednesday that a robber attempted to burglarize the house Saturday night, but failed to gain entrance.

Several years ago two men beat the aged man severely and ransacked the home in search of money. Kubath would not reveal to officers whether they had obtained any loot.

Kubath is understood to have owned land in Nebraska in addition to his business interests, several residence properties and lots here.

WHITELAW REID WIDOW DEAD

Paris, April 29.—Mrs. Whitelaw Reid of New York, widow of the former ambassador to England, died Wednesday at Cape Serrat, at the home of her daughter, Lady Ward.

Mrs. Reid, who arrived in France last week, contracted a chill during her voyage across the Atlantic. She was ill when she reached Paris and grew steadily worse.

Mrs. Reid was one of the principal owners of the New York Herald-Tribune. A daughter of Dartus Ogden Mills, financier, she was married in 1881. Nine years previously Horace Greeley, founder of the Tribune, had died and Mr. Reid became its editor and proprietor. When he died in 1912 she was made executrix of the estate.

DOUBTS OKLAHOMA MARTIN LINCOLN ROBBER SUSPECT

Lincoln, Neb., April 29.—W. C. Conant, former state sheriff and now identified with the Nebraska Bankers' association, when informed of the finger printing of one Paul Martin at Duncan, Okla., today, said the man probably is not the Paul Martin sought for questioning in connection with the million-dollar robbery of the Lincoln National Bank and Trust company last September.

Condit said the Paul Martin he is seeking also is wanted for questioning in connection with the 10 thousand dollar robbery of the First National bank of Aurora in 1927.

UNIVERSITY HEAD DIES

Connellsville, Pa., April 29.—Stricken on a train while en route to Chicago, Dr. Edwin A. Alderman 69, president of the University of Virginia, died at the Connellsville State hospital shortly before 10 o'clock tonight.

Mother's day, Sunday May 10th, plan your remembrances now. A fine line of hand toiled handbags and mottoes can be found at the Bates Book & Gift shop.

PRISON ROUTINE FOR BURKE

Two Omaha Youths Givn Life Terms

Borah Attacks Those Who Give Congress Blame

Says That Executive Branch of Government Is Behind the Gain in Expenditures

Washington.—A warning that the federal government is building up a bureaucracy which will demand permanent increases in expenditures and taxation unless stopped by angry public opinion" was issued by Senator Borah. The Idaho republican, in a prepared statement, said a large share of the blame should be placed on the executive branch of the government. He assailed what he called "an effort to put the sole blame on congress."

His statement was in reply to recent demands from President Hoover for reduced appropriations and the president's assertion no increase in taxation would be necessary if congress kept expenditures within the budget recommendations.

Says Effort to Cut Made. During the last ten years, Borah said, congress has cut budget estimates by \$414,000,000.

"The fact is," he added, "that congress is constantly being besieged by the executive departments for much larger appropriations than congress is willing to grant."

Borah pointed out federal appropriations have grown from \$1,098,602,000 in 1914 to \$4,821,374,000 in 1931, despite the "sincere effort to cut down expenditures" by former President Coolidge.

"It needs no argument," Borah said, "to satisfy one that government expenditures are wastefully large and that the ever growing burden of taxation is one of the great factors in bringing about our present depression."—State Journal.

FRIENDSHIP IS STRESSED

Secretary Stimson said a "firm and lasting friendship" had been built up between the United States and Japan as a result of the London naval conference. The relations between the two nations were praised by the secretary of state in a radio speech carried over the Pacific ocean to Japan as part of the celebration of the thirtieth birthday anniversary of Emperor Hirohito.

Baron Kijuro Slidehara, Japanese foreign minister replied to Stimson, broadcast to this country said Japan was "glad and willing to join in the work of naval disarmament with the rest of the world," and was equally delighted to join in the Kellogg treaty to outlaw war.

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