

Alvo News

S. C. Boyles called on Thomas Stout Thursday afternoon.

J. M. Foreman, of Lincoln, was in Alvo on business Monday.

Mrs. Gerald Reber and children were Elmwood visitors Friday.

Mrs. R. L. Wiggs, Mabel and Ralph Winn drove to Lincoln Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Skinner were Lincoln visitors Monday afternoon.

The Joe Vickers family were shopping in Lincoln Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest Hollenbeck and Violet were Sunday callers at the P. W. Nickel home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliott, Sr. spent Saturday afternoon at the J. E. Elliott, Jr., home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Boyles, of Lincoln, were visiting at the S. C. Boyles home Thursday.

Mrs. Elmer Klyver spent Monday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stout.

Mrs. Lizzie Lewis and Neal were Thursday evening visitors at the Thomas Stout home.

John Sutton, who has been ill the past two weeks, is reported as much improved at this time.

Miss Etta Atchison and Mrs. Lance Chiles were calling on Miss Jennie Nickel Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Plymale and Jimmy spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Plymale.

Miss Della Sutton, who has been quite ill at the John Sutton home, is able to be up and about now.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bornemeier and small son, Ronald, were Sunday evening visitors at the Earl Dreamer home.

Mrs. John Weichel and Miss Thelma Weichel were visitors at the Bushberry school on last Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Marie Stroemer, who teaches in a Lincoln school, was a week end visitor with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Stroemer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Campbell, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Campbell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Preston.

Mrs. Etta Hill, Mrs. Mabel Winn, the Misses DeLoris and Fernie Hill and Genevieve Dougherty were Lincoln visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dreamer, Miss Nora Dreamer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parsell spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dreamer.

Roy and John were hauling hogs to Omaha on last Wednesday and during the afternoon Roy was looking after the lumber yard and elevator.

Mrs. R. M. Coatman and son Sterling were over to Lincoln on last Wednesday, where they were looking after some shopping for a short time.

N. L. Grubbs, wife and daughter, of Weeping Water, were visiting with their many friends in Alvo on Sunday, they driving over in their auto.

Velle Rosenow, of Minatare, Neb., who has been visiting relatives and friends at Alvo, Elmwood, Murdock and Eagle, has returned to his home.

The many friends of James Lytle will be glad to learn he has been promoted from the road maintainer to the big grader, which means a better position for him.

Rev. R. L. Jackson and the good wife were over to Lincoln on last Wednesday afternoon, where they were visiting with friends, they driving over in their auto.

Paul Stock, of near Murdock, was a visitor in Alvo on Wednesday of last week, coming to look after some repairs for a tractor which he is using in his farm work.

Mr. Fred E. Prouty, who was taken seriously ill two weeks ago, and who is a patient at the Bryan Memorial hospital is not improving as her many friends would like to have her improve.

Miss LaVerne Gibson closed her third successful year at the Bushberry school Friday, May 13th, with a basket dinner. The pupils are very sorry to learn that Miss Gibson is not returning in the fall.

Ivan Burkhardt, Walter Vincent and Donald Davis were over to Lincoln on last Tuesday evening, where they were spending a short time looking after some business and visiting with friends as well.

Alvo friends of C. C. Bucknell, who has been ill, are glad to learn he is improving. Mr. Bucknell was a merchant of Alvo for a number of years. He is now at the home of his son, George Bucknell, of Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Klyver and Miss Doris Klyver, of Lincoln, were callers at the Thomas Stout and Elmer Klyver homes Sunday afternoon. Miss Gelda Klyver, who had been visiting relatives and friends in and near Alvo during the past week, returned home with them.

Scott McGrew and Mr. Barber, of Louisville, were in Alvo on last Wednesday evening to look after the interests of the Power company and were consulting with the citizens while here. Mr. McGrew has high praise for the city of Alvo, saying that it is one of the best cities of its size in eastern Nebraska.

Mrs. W. T. Smith, who is at this time making her home with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Menchau, has been enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Charles Wynn, of Council Bluffs, who has been here for a week visiting with Mrs. Smith, but returned to her home in Iowa last Monday.

Miss Dorothea Coatman, who has been at the institution at Kearney for some time, arrived at home for a month's stay, as her health has been much better. Should her health continue to improve, she may remain and not have to return to the west. This will be very pleasant and will be a pleasure to her many friends as well.

Thomas Stout, who has been ill the past year, and bed-fast most of the time of late, is still kept quite busy with his veterinary work, his patrons coming to him for medicine and advice. Mr. Stout, who is very near 83 years of age, has practiced in this and other nearby counties for more than 46 years and his services are greatly missed by his many friends.

John Woods was a visitor in Lincoln last Wednesday, where he went to see about some dental work, he having some teeth which have been giving him some trouble for some time. During the time he was away, the boys finished planting the corn and now they are ready for the cultivation as soon as some of the earlier planting is ready for the two-rower.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Diers of Lincoln, and their son, John, also their son Milo and wife and little son, Jimmie, were visiting in Alvo last week with Mrs. Clo O. Schaefer and Uncle Henry Ough, where all enjoyed a very pleasant time. Little Jimmie is the great-grandson of Henry S. Ough and Mrs. A. J. Diers and Mrs. Clo Ough being sisters made the visit all the more pleasant.

Card of Appreciation
We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the many loyal friends and neighbors who so nobly came out to fight the fire that was destroying our buildings, and who, by hard work, saved our home from destruction. We cannot see you all personally and tell you how much we appreciate it, but wish to assure you of our thanks and mindfulness of the friendship back of this kindly act.—Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson.

Will Give Free Movies
The enterprising business men of Alvo have arranged to give a free moving picture show every Saturday night during the warm weather. The first of these free shows will be given on Saturday night of this week, May 28th. All are invited to come and enjoy these shows for pictures will be selected to suit those who desire to see a clean and mirth-provoking show.

John Banning Not So Well
John Banning and the good wife, who have been in Rochester, Minn., where they went that Mr. Banning might have a clinic at the Mayo Bros. hospital, are still there, and the wife writes that there is a probability of Mr. Banning having to undergo an operation to bring about a better condition in his health. His many friends here and elsewhere are hoping that he may soon be able to return home in good health.

Ship Stock to Market
Last week John Elliott shipped a car load of cattle to the Omaha market and also had another truck load which he sent via truck. At the same time, S. C. Boyles shipped two cars and also a car of hogs, which made a very neat shipment from this portion of the county. While the prices are low, still the stock may as well be shipped after it is finished as to continue feeding it.

Workers Change Position
Fred Rueter, who has made his home at Manley for some time, and where the children have been in the schools there, with the closing of the school year just completed, has arranged to come to near Alvo, so that the children can attend school here, as the Alvo school carries two more grades than that at Manley, which is only a ten grade school. He has been transferred to Alvo, and has moved to a house owned by Orest Cook, while James Lytle has been given the work which Mr. Rueter had and will make his home in Manley. Both are employees of the county in the road maintenance department.

Visited Old Friends Here
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bucknell, who have made their home at Burlington, Colorado, for many years, with the failing health of Mr. Bucknell, have come east again, first for treatment, and now are expecting to make their home permanently in this part of the country. At present they are visiting in Alvo, and are making their stay at the hotel until they shall have decided just what they will do.

Mrs. Prouty Very Ill
Mrs. Fred Prouty, who has been very poorly for some time and who is at the hospital, at Lincoln, where she is receiving treatment, is reported as being very poorly and while everything is being done for her welfare and restoration to health, she still remains in a precarious condition.

Mrs. W. T. Smith Better
Mrs. W. T. Smith, who has been so seriously ill for some time and was brought to her home by her daughter, Mrs. Ben Menchau, and has since been nursed by the daughter, is reported as being much better at this time. She is able to be around most of the time. She accompanied the daughter and family to Lincoln, where they visited at the home of her son, Wm. Smith.

Accepts Position at Elmwood
Elmer Rosenow, one of the very clever salesmen, who has been employed by a number of business firms in Alvo, but who has been out of employment for some time, has accepted a position with the Fuller store of Elmwood and is now working with this institution. The Fuller store is fortunate in obtaining so capable a salesman and agreeable young man as Mr. Rosenow, who will be ever faithful to their interests. Elmer is at present driving over to his work in the morning and returning in the evening.

Three Birthdays Last Week
On Friday, May 13th, little Jimmie Ganz celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary by having a party for his little friends. On the same day, Sherman Wolfe was recognizing the flight of years, of which an even half hundred have flown since the advent of his arrival on this earth, and was receiving the greetings of his many friends.

On this same day, Uncle Henry S. Ough was looking back over some four score of years, for that was his birthday anniversary, he having been born just eighty years before. All are enjoying a good degree of health.

Democrats Offer Two Billion Dollar Relief Program
Provides \$300,000,000 for Direct Loans to the States—Purposes Outlined.
Washington, May 20.—A \$2,300,000,000 federal employment relief program was proposed today by the special democratic relief committee of the senate.

The counter offer to President Hoover's compromise called for a 500 million dollar bond issue for public construction. It accepted proposals for 300 million dollars for direct loans to the states and \$1,500,000,000 for public and private loans, both to be administered by the Reconstruction Finance corporation.

Proposals for an expanded public works program have been stoutly opposed by President Hoover and this feature of the democratic plan was expected to bring negotiations to a new compromise more satisfactory to the administration.

Speaker Garner of the house yesterday proposed a \$2,100,000,000 program, divided into one billion dollars for public construction, one billion dollars for loans from the Reconstruction corporation and 100 million dollars for a relief fund to be administered by the president. This was being formulated today into legislation.

Program Compromise.
Indications are that the plan he outlined will be put into one bill by the ways and means committee and submitted to the house within less than two weeks.

The outcome of the democratic committee's secret negotiations was a compromise, as Senator Wagner (N. Y.), its chairman, had insisted upon a one billion dollar fund for public works, and no such fund was proposed by Robinson, another member. Others on the committee were Senators Walsh (Mon.), Pittman (Nev.), and Bulkley (O.).

The committee recommended that in order to spread employment the federal construction contracts and loans for state and private construction should be conditioned so far as practicable on a 30-hour week.

Purposes Outlined.
The program, the committee said, "is designed to aid in preventing suffering from hunger; in providing employment; in starting again the stalled industrial machinery of the country by reviving actual orders for commodities; in reviving confidence by checking price deflation and security liquidation, and by promoting the revival of trade and the increase of demand for commodities and credit."

"The methods selected may be regarded as extraordinary but they are justified by the emergency," the committee added.

"By providing for meeting appropriations for capital expenditures from the emergency construction fund the plan will contribute materially to balancing the budget—a result, it is determined, shall be accomplished."

Under the new democratic plan the Reconstruction corporation would be authorized to make direct relief loans to governors of states on certification from them that such assistance was needed. The loans would be deducted from future federal aid highway grants.

25-Year Bond Issue.
The \$1,500,000,000 for self liquidation loans would be made available for:

1—Construction of revenue producing projects by states, municipalities and public corporations.

2—Housing and slum clearance projects undertaken by limited dividend corporations.

3—Construction by private corporations of self-liquidating bridges, tunnels, docks, viaducts, waterworks and similar projects devoted to the public use. Provided none of these loans shall go to institutions already included in the Reconstruction corporation act.

4—To facilitate the financing of agricultural exports, 40 million dollars.

The committee recommended that the public construction program be financed from a 25-year bond issue and sinking fund, the bonds to be issued as needed.

It held that the projects selected should be those already investigated and authorized by congress with the approval of the president, for which necessary plans are in readiness or preparation and which are needed for the proper conduct of government business.—World-Herald.

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House Members Have Relatives on the Payroll
Records Made Public Show Representatives Howard and Shallenberger on the List.
Washington.—Throwing off the cloak of secrecy that has shrouded its payroll for a century the house Friday unanimously voted to keep open for inspection by the public its disbursing records showing relatives of representatives who receive monthly checks from the legislative branch. Without a word of debate it adopted a resolution by Warren, North Carolina, directing South Trimble, clerk of the house, to keep the records open at all times. The move had the support of Speaker Garner and Representative Snell of New York, the republican leader.

Many candidates seeking to come to congress have attacked members on the basis of reports that they had relatives on the payroll, some of whom did not work and did not live in Washington. Also relatives on the payroll not bearing the same name as members could not be ascertained, the record of the payroll for April showed about one hundred representatives listed as employers of persons with the same surname.

More than two years ago the members' secretarial allowance was increased from \$3,899 to \$5,000, with a stipulation that not more than \$2,500 was to be paid to any one individual. The record showed that quite a few permitted relatives to receive the increase instead of regular secretaries.

The wife of Speaker Garner, who has done his secretarial work, was listed as receiving \$325 a month, while his son, Tully Garner, received \$91.66. However, on May 16, the speaker removed his son from the payroll, although Tully continues to be his resident secretary.

The names of the representatives and their secretarial employes of the name names on the house legislative payroll for the month of April, the latest available include for Nebraska members:

Howard, Elizabeth Howard, \$91.66
Shallenberger, Grace Shallenberger, \$216.66.—State Journal.

QUIZ QUARTET ON HOLDUP
Belle Fouche, S. D.—Four men, traveling in an automobile bearing North Dakota license plates, were taken into custody near here for investigation in robbery of the bank of Ipswich. Butte county officers intercepted them on the highway and said the men attempted to flee but were run down. A small quantity of liquor and ammunition was found in the car. The men gave their names as John Schaff, Frank Osowski, Chris Nelson and Jacob Heiser. Officers said two of them appeared to answer the descriptions of the Ipswich bandits with the exception of differences in wearing apparel. They were held on a liquor charge pending investigation.

FLIES TOWARD SURVIVOR
Fairbanks, Alaska.—Pilot S. E. Robbins, using a six-equipped plane, took off on a flight to Muldrow glacier, on Mount McKinley, to return Percy Percy Olton, Jr., a survivor of the Allen Carpe expedition, to Fairbanks. A search also was to be made on the flight for Nicholas Spadevechia, missing since he left the glacier camp nearly two weeks ago to return here thru the forests.

VICTOR SEYMOUR TRIAL OPENS MAY 30 AT LINCOLN
The Victor Seymour perjury trial arising out of his testimony before Senator Nye's elections committee two years ago, will start May 30 in Lincoln. United States Attorney Charles E. Sandall said Sunday prior to his departure for Lincoln to consult with Robert Van Pelt, his Lincoln assistant, on phases of the case.

Favors Swedish Liquor Plan
John M. Morehead (right), United States Minister to Sweden, is shown as he told Senator J. J. Blaine of Wisconsin of the practicability of government control of liquor as practiced in Sweden since the repeal of that country's prohibition laws. Morehead is a strong advocate of the Swedish plan and urged its adoption in his testimony before the Senate Judiciary Committee.

APPROVE LOAN TO RAILWAY
Washington.—The interstate commerce commission approved a Reconstruction Finance corporation loan of \$27,500,000 to the Pennsylvania railroad to make possible improvements between New York and Washington. The loan is to be available on Oct. 1 and until then the company has promised to care for its needs estimated in excess of \$40,000,000. This money is to be raised by appropriation of approximately \$12,000,000 from the road's treasury and private financing of \$27,500,000.

Bitter Disputes Over Tariff are Heard in Senate
Revenue Bill is Employed as Club by Each Side During the Debate.
Washington.—All the bitterness of the nation-old tariff issue broke in the senate with threats and counter threats flashing over the future of the revenue bill and its four import duties. The urging debate over the oil import tax coupled prominent names with lobbying changes and caused senate leaders to throw up their hands to let the storm wear itself out. Each side used the vital budget balancing revenue bill as a club. Each threatened if the tariff rates went in or went out there would be no tax bill for days to come.

Senator Tydings brought the fight into the open with a reminder to the senate that if there was to be any tariff revision there should be general legislation and he had about 500 amendments to offer. Senator Thomas, advocate of the oil duty, previously let it be known he had about a thousand amendments to propose to the revenue bill if the oil duty were not incorporated. Norris joined Tydings in suggesting that the bill be thrown wide open for tariff revision if there was to be any at all.

Party lines were split under as representatives of various sections of the country hastily sought to bargain for and against the tariff. Lobbyists were busy in the corridors and galleries as the dispute raged. Tydings said C. Bascom Sloop, former secretary of President Coolidge, was the "master mind" of the lobby for the oil tariff. "A man can't walk out of this chamber," added Tydings, "without being pulled to one side and entreated to vote for this oil tariff."

The tariff coalition was still confident of the votes to retain all four tariff items included in the revenue bill by the finance committee—on oil, coal, copper and lumber. Nevertheless, Senator Robinson, the democratic leader, declared in a statement off the floor: "I prefer to see all import duties eliminated from the revenue bill and the measure disposed of as speedily as possible."

Senator Fess joined in opposition to the inclusion of any of the tariff items, but Senator Watson, the republican pilot, was standing by the tariff rates.—State Journal.

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