

GREENWOOD

Miss Lenora Larsen is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in Lincoln.

Mrs. Oscar Stewart returned home last Sunday from a visit of several days with her son, Merrill.

Mrs. Mary Chase, of Fullerton, is visiting at the B. E. Gideon home. Mrs. Chase is a sister of Bruce Gideon.

Mrs. Cora Wolfe, of Lincoln, came in Monday evening and spent Christmas day with her sister, Mrs. Lulu Hurlbut.

The cold snap has resulted in a brisk business at the shop of Sophus Petersen, who has been kept busy with horseshoeing work.

George Bucknell went to Lincoln Friday evening of last week for a meeting with one of the committees of the I. O. O. F. lodge.

Lyman Mowry, who has been quite poorly for some time, was taken to the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln for treatment late last week.

Miss Elva Coleman came home last Friday night from Elmwood and has been spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Headley and Mr. and Mrs. George Trunkenbolz spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trunkenbolz, of Eagle.

Miss Lucille Leesley, who is attending Wesleyan University, was spending the Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Leesley.

Neil Marvin arrived home Friday evening of last week from the University of Nebraska to spend the two weeks' Christmas vacation with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stradley enjoyed a few days visit during the past week at Aurora, Nebr., with her mother, Mrs. Rose Curtis and other relatives.

Mrs. Ralph Coleman and daughter Rachel went to Omaha Friday evening of last week, remaining over the following day for a visit with Mrs. Bellknapp.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Willis left last Sunday for Grant City, Ill., and will visit St. Louis and Poplar Bluff, Mo., before returning. They expect to be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson announce the marriage of their daughter, Doris, to Harold Olson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson. The wedding took place in the fall.

C. W. Newkirk, manager of the filling station at the juncture of Main street and the highway, was called to Omaha Wednesday to look after some business matters. He made the trip in his car.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown, of Trenton, Nebr., came in Sunday, surprising his sister, Mrs. Elmer Mathis and family. They spent Christmas and part of the week here before returning home.

The L. C. Marvin family entertained at dinner last Sunday, having as guests Mr. and Mrs. John Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Weideman and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Blair and daughter, all of Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Miller were Lincoln visitors Friday of last week. Miss Hiff, who is attending the University of Nebraska, returned home with them that evening and is spending her vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodhardt Vant and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Vant and Mr. and Mrs. Evan Armstrong and daughter went to Ashland Wednesday evening to help Mrs. A. N. Holmes celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. W. A. Armstrong went to Omaha last Saturday to meet Miss Florence Beighley, her daughter, who is a teacher at Plattsmouth. They returned home in the evening and Miss Florence has been spending her vacation here.

The White and Bucknell home was made happy on Christmas day when Clarence Bucknell, a brother of our fellow townsman, who resides near Elmwood came over to visit and enjoy the excellent Christmas dinner that was served.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Miller, of Ashland, where he is engaged in the insurance and real estate business, were spending Christmas at the home of the parents of Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Vant, where all enjoyed the day and a very fine dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Matthews drove to Powhattan, Kansas, Sunday, to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Earl Bartley and family and her mother, Mrs. Belle Wilson. Mr. Matthews returned home Wednesday, but Mrs. Matthews and Emory remained for a longer visit.

At the regular meeting of Unity lodge No. 163, A. F. & A. M., last Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected: Ira Snyder, worshipful master; John E. Lambert, senior warden; John Schulling, junior

warden; Ben Howard, secretary, and C. D. Fulmer, treasurer. Elmer Mathis and family, Otto Erickson and family, Dr. N. D. Talcott and sons, Wm. McGill and family of Greenwood, Emory McDowell and daughter of Lincoln; Emmett Cook and family of Elmwood and Kenneth Brown and family of Trenton, Nebr., were dinner guests at the C. A. Mathis home Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Hall, who are working out in the state the greater part of the time, spent their Christmas holiday at their home in Greenwood, leaving Wednesday morning to resume their work. Mrs. Hall went to Columbus, while Mr. Hall had a number of places to visit, as his work keeps him on the go much of the time.

Auxiliary Meets

The Greenwood American Legion Auxiliary met last Wednesday, Dec. 19th, at the home of Mrs. J. S. Gribble. The time was spent preparing a gift of a surprise nature for ex-service men who are in the U. S. Veterans' hospital at Lincoln. An exchange of gifts among the members was held, followed by the serving of a delicious luncheon. Due to the busy pre-Christmas season, only nine members were present.

W. H. M. Society Meets

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church was pleasantly entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. O. F. Peters at her home. A fair sized crowd was present. Mrs. C. E. Gideon led the meeting and Mrs. O. F. Peters led the devotionals.

Following the lesson, the rest of the afternoon was spent socially. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess before the hour of departure.

Methodist Guild Meets

The Methodist Guild was pleasantly entertained on Tuesday afternoon of last week at the church with Mrs. William McGill and Mrs. N. D. Talcott as the hostesses. There was a good sized crowd present.

The business meeting was conducted by the president and the different committees that had charge of the recent bazaar and supper gave their reports. The ladies turned over \$85 to the church fund. The rest of the afternoon was spent socially during which time the ladies enjoyed an exchange of Christmas gifts. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

The January meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 15, at the church parlors with Mrs. Wayne Landon and Mrs. Henry Meyers as hostesses.

Visited at Ithica

Druggist Ernest F. Smith and wife, with the children, were spending last Tuesday at the home of the parents of Mrs. Smith, R. A. Owens and wife, at Ithica, all enjoying the visit there very much.

Had Splendid Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McDonald entertained at their home in Greenwood last Tuesday, serving a fine Christmas dinner that was replete with all the trimmings. Guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Pearly Clymer, Mrs. L. L. Barron, an aunt of Mr. McDonald, and Miss Hazel Tubbs, a cousin, both of whom reside in Lincoln.

Boquet from California

While Christmas day here, and especially the latter portion of the day, was the coldest this year, the folks at the White and Bucknell home were overjoyed to have delivered to them a large boquet of fresh garden flowers, which came by mail from sunny California, having been picked the day they were sent and arriving here as fresh as you please and very fragrant.

Many at Family Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett A. Landon entertained at their home in Greenwood on Christmas day, having some 34 of their relatives present for the splendid dinner which was served and to enjoy visiting together during the day. Among those present were Miss Catherine Coleman, postmistress in Greenwood, Aaron Wright and wife, Wayne Landon and family and others whose names we were not able to secure. All did full justice to the dinner and voted Mrs. Landon a splendid cateress.

Visited in Lincoln Christmas

Mrs. Elsie Peters and son, Norman, were in Lincoln last Tuesday, where they visited with friends and also attended a show. They were accompanied by David Jones of Omaha, who has been visiting here for the past week with his grandmother, Mrs. Peters. Needless to say, they enjoyed the drive, their visit with friends and the show in Lincoln and felt that their Christmas had been well spent.

Answers the Final Call

John Curtis Lemon was born April

STORES TO CLOSE NEW YEAR

The business houses of the city affiliated with the Business Men's Ad club will on Tuesday, January 1, have their places of business closed for the entire day. This is to permit the owners and their employes to fittingly observe New Year's day.

11, 1868, at Rohrsburg, Pa., and passed away at his home in Ashland on December 18, 1934, at the age of 66 years, 8 months and 7 days. He had resided in Ashland for the past fifteen years.

At the age of six months, with his parents and only sister Mary, the family moved to Aledo, Ill., living there until the year 1876, when they moved to Mills county, Iowa, where they lived for a number of years.

In the spring of 1883 they came to Cass county and located on a farm three and a half miles east of Greenwood. With the exception of eight years spent in Greenwood, when he was engaged in the conduct of a hardware store and worked as a traveling salesman for the Deering Harvester company, the deceased spent most of the intervening years on the farm east of town.

On March 13, 1888, he was united in marriage to Miss Helen Coleman, and to this union were born five children, two of whom preceded him in death. They are Eunice Ann, who passed away in 1896, and Harold C., who died in 1931. Of his immediate family, there are left to mourn his loss, his wife and three children, Lorenz D. and Francis C., of Greenwood, and Mrs. Lona Schroeder, of Ashland. There are also four grandchildren, Curtis Edward, Donna Jean, Jackie Lee and Uie Mae Lemon, and a niece, Mrs. Harry Sutton, of West Ashland.

He has many friends and relatives who are grieved beyond expression by his death. As a man in the community he was known as a big-hearted, jovial good fellow, ever ready to oblige and of unflinching good nature.

As a husband and father he was ever dutiful and faithful to his loving wife and children.

The funeral was held from Macy's chapel in Ashland Thursday afternoon, with Rev. McFarlane, pastor of the Christian church, in charge. A large number of relatives came from a distance to attend the services.

The Journal joins with the many friends in expressing sympathy to the bereaved family.

Pioneer Passes Away

J. V. Carnes passed away Thursday evening, December 20th, at his home in Lincoln. He was 97 years of age and a Civil war veteran. For some years he was an elder in the East Lincoln Christian church, later joining the First Christian church. Despite his advanced age, he was always alert and active to the last.

Mr. Carnes was born in Lincoln county, Kentucky. He moved to the town of Bloomington, Ill., when very young, accompanying his parents, and later moved to Glenwood, Iowa. At the age of 19, he went to California, remaining there three years before he returned to Glenwood. In 1859 he was married to Nancy Adams. To this union four children were born, Mrs. Isaac Wiles, of Weeping Water; J. S. and Jesse M., both of Neligh, and Melvin J., of Johnson, Nebr., all of whom survive him.

He enlisted in Company B, 29th Infantry, in 1862, and was mustered out three years later as a non-commissioned officer.

In 1865 he moved his family to Louisville, Nebr., and shortly thereafter they came to Greenwood, where Mrs. Carnes passed away. In 1870, he was married to Rhoda H. Bowman and to this union nine children were born, six of whom, with the wife, survive him. They are Mrs. Frank VanDoran, Carpenter, Wyoming; Mrs. Niles Coleman, Greenwood; O. F. Carnes and Mrs. P. M. Johnson, both of Lincoln; Miss Rhoda and Miss Mary, at home. One daughter, Mrs. Lulu B. Harmon, died in 1918.

Mr. Carnes joined the Greenwood Christian church in 1870 and with his wife served on the board of deacons and was made an elder fifty years ago. His home was always open to ministers and he helped finance the training of several. Moving to Lincoln in 1914, he united with the Lincoln churches and was a faithful worker until his sight failed him a few years ago.

Mr. Carnes had been a Mason for 61 years, joining Ashland Lodge, A. F. & A. M. in 1873, later affiliating with Unity lodge No. 163 here and eventually transferring his membership to East Lincoln lodge.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 at the Christian church in Greenwood with Rev. Ray Hunt in charge, assisted by Rev. A. L. Ogden. The pallbearers were grandsons of the deceased. Burial was in the Greenwood cemetery.

Western Roads Face a Serious Situation

Abandonment of Many Branch Lines Foreshadowed by Fall in Business over the Country.

Unless there is a decided improvement in the business of the western railroads during the next few months the country will see great stretches of track literally torn up and hundreds of small stations permanently abandoned.

With one exception the western roads are not meeting their fixed expenses, bond interest, and taxes. To reduce their tax obligations and to reduce their operating expenses over branch lines which fail to pay, it will become a matter of policy to abandon all track that is losing money.

Throughout Iowa there have been a few stub end lines abandoned already but there are countless branches due for the same fate if business does not improve. And when this happens many communities will be given the surprise of a lifetime.

If each town and township will count the taxes it receives from railroad lines and will then subtract that amount from the total taxes collected, it will get a good idea of how much the levy on private property will have to be increased to raise the required revenue.

There are two branch lines in Emmet county that are considered by rail officials to be on the danger line and which might be among the first to be abandoned. What a fearful shock to taxpayers that would be should such abandonment come to pass.

It will be too late for taxpayers and shippers to leave the branch lines of railroads after the officials have decided to tear them up for the officials have come to take the stand that only past evidence of co-operation is worth considering.

The time to start saving railroad lines is right now by giving them patronage, for certainly the roads are in fearfully dangerous straits and almost anything can happen to them, the holders of their bonds, and those indirectly interested in their bonds, such as life insurance policy holders.

No town which now enjoys the services of a railroad wants to be entirely without it. And the taxpayers of no town or township want to assume added burdens of taxation such as would result if the railroads quit contributing. Alert communities will avoid such catastrophes by seeing that their stations pay their way and that there will be no move on the part of the railroad to let their track rust away and to quit paying taxes.—Monday, December 17, 1934, Estherville (Iowa) News.

SLAYER GETS LIFE TERM

San Francisco.—The demand of a grieving widow that her husband's confessed slayer be executed was ignored and instead Nazario Tinti was sentenced to life imprisonment for killing John Pavia.

In pronouncing sentence Judge Golden declared "the murder was committed in the heat of passion and the old Mosaic law of the Bible should not apply here."

Thursday Mrs. Pavia made a plea from the witness stand that Tinti be hanged for killing her husband, citing the "eye for an eye and tooth for a tooth" Biblical passage. The judge said he "reread the scriptures, and there are other and more merciful passages there that could be applied here."

THIEVES CLIMB TO HEIGHT

Washington.—A contractor sadly reflected that even the tip of the Washington monument is not safe from thieves. A crate-like scaffolding has encased the 550 foot shaft for weeks past, and because some sure-footed robber was willing to take a chance the contractor had to zig down to pay for 107 gold-plated, platinum-tipped lightning rods. The rods, valued at approximately \$8 apiece, or \$856 all together, must be replaced. They are used, officials said, to prevent discoloration of the shaft should lightning strike. But they failed to do the work of the previous metals. Police said they had no report of the theft.

KANSAS LAWYER SLAIN

Pittsburg, Kas.—P. Louis Zickgraf, 51, Pittsburg lawyer and war veteran was found shot to death at his home near here. Officers said he had been murdered.

SEEKS NEWS BOARD ADVICE

Washington.—The recommendations of the newspaper industrial board will be sought by the national industrial recovery board before it acts on the request of the labor relations board for the removal of the San Francisco Call-Bulletin's blue eagle. Announcement of that intention was formally made by NRA.

The blue eagle removal was demanded of NRA by the labor relations board after investigation and controversy within the government agencies over the dismissal of Dean S. Jennings from the employ of the San Francisco paper. The newspaper industrial board and the labor board each claimed jurisdiction in the complaint over the Jennings dismissal.

New York.—Howard Davis, chairman of the daily newspaper publishers national code committee, announced the call for a convention of 1,200 newspapers in connection with the case of the San Francisco Call-Bulletin "will be deferred for a few days."

Phone the news to No. 6.

Employment Service Places 130,727 in Jobs

Private Industry Absorbed Nearly a Fourth in Nebraska—Peak Reached April 1st.

With 130,727 Nebraskans placed on jobs in the twelve months beginning Nov. 1, 1933, the national re-employment service is extending its facilities to find employment in private enterprise, according to Director Francis V. Cornell.

With all available resources of the service directed toward locating new jobs for Nebraskans, 31,475 unemployed Nebraskans were given work in private industry, of the total of 130,727 placements.

Records show that the peak of unemployment in this state was reached about April 1 when the "active file" of the re-employment service showed 87,465 applications for work. By Nov. 1 this figure had

been reduced to 62,944. "Indications for this month point to a further decrease," it was pointed out. After a fifteen month period of service in Nebraska activities of the re-employment bureau the beginning to hit a normal stride. New registrations now average about 4,000 per month and placements about 7,500 per month.

Reflecting the agrarian nature of Nebraska, registrations of job seekers are dominated by the agricultural industry. Agriculture, combined with the building and construction group, constitutes about two-thirds of the total Nebraska registration. The remaining groups, in order of the number registered for employment are, miscellaneous industries, commercial and professional service workers, domestic and personal service workers.

Placements have run to the highest levels in the building and construction classification, according to Cornell, "due undoubtedly to the PWA and CWA programs." He said the high ratio of placements in the commercial field also is traceable to reaction of great sums being expended in the state by the PWA.

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After Christmas Sale

Prices on coats, dresses and hats so radically reduced that you can't afford to miss buying these sensational values!

Sale Now Going On!

Fur Trimmed Cloth Coats	\$7.95 Reduced from \$10.75
Fur Trimmed Coats	\$14.95 Reduced from \$19.75
Fur Trimmed Coats	\$19.75 Reduced from \$29.75
Dresses in Crepes and Sheers	\$12.95 Reduced from \$16.95
Silk Crepe Dresses	\$8.95 Reduced from \$13.95
Silk and Wool Knit Dresses	\$3.98 Reduced from \$5.95
FELT HATS	\$1 Reduced from \$2.49

New Spring Nelly Don Wash Frocks
Prices \$1.95 and \$2.95