

Wabash News

The Wabash school which is having a mid-winter vacation, will reopen early in January.

Carl Jensen is employed in the government stone quarry east of Weeping Water, driving back and forth to his work in his car.

Rev. Jackson, of Lincoln, superintendent of this district of the Evangelical church, was here for the quarterly conference of the church, which was a most interesting meeting and service.

John C. Browne was a visitor on Christmas day at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Stroemer and family, where the day was appropriately celebrated and a very fine dinner was enjoyed.

Warren T. Richards was at Elmwood Friday of last week, where he went to attend the funeral of his friend, E. T. Comer, who died the preceding Tuesday at the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln.

James E. Golden departed last week for Idaho, where he went to spend a week or more with two brothers and a sister, who make their home in that part of the west. The brothers are Ray and Henry Golden and the sister, Mrs. Emma Redman.

Word comes from Weeping Water that the Jasper stone quarries have closed down for the winter. However, the government quarry located some three miles east of Weeping Water is forging right ahead getting out rock for use in the river work near Florence and will continue working throughout the winter. Trucks pick up men from various parts of the county, conveying them to and from this job, which is the highest paid relief job anywhere in the county, being governed by the Omaha scale of wages.

Most Enjoyable Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Gerbeling entertained at their home in Wabash on Christmas day, having as guests for dinner Emil Bauer and family, of Waverly; Ralph Colbert and family, of Weeping Water, and Orville Beesley and wife. The others of the family were not able to get home.

Schools Join in Entertainment

The Bible school of Wabash and the public school, neither of which have a very large enrollment, joined together in putting on a Christmas party and program last week. Following the program, there was a Christmas tree with treats and gifts. All who were present enjoyed the occasion.

Had a House Full

Gust Wendt, who resides on Highway No. 1, entertained on Christmas day with a very fine dinner, having all the sons and their families present. The group made a house full, and all did justice to the fine meal that was served.

Sang Christmas Carols

About a dozen of the young people in and around Wabash were out and visited the several homes of the town, singing Christmas carols in spite of the cold weather, and how they did make the welkin ring with their sweet music. All the people of the town were pleased to be thus serenaded by the group of happy young folks.

Visited Here Enroute Home

Howard Browne and family, who reside in the western part of the state and who have been at the Mayo Brothers hospital in Rochester, Minnesota, where they went for a clinical examination of Mrs. Browne, who has been in poor health, and also had an examination made of their two sons, while there, stopped here for a visit with the father of Mr. Browne, John E. Browne, while en route home from Rochester. They also visited a sister of Mr. Browne's, Mrs. A. B. Stroemer, of Alvo, before continuing on to their home in the west.

200 SEIZED IN RED RAIDS

Belgrade, Yugoslavia.—Police reported the arrest of Wassa Szretetch, Belgrade journalist and a number of other persons in connection with the alleged discovery of a vast communist organization throughout Yugoslavia.

It is believed more than 200 persons were arrested, including boys and girls who allegedly had been participating in a recent school strike in the provinces.

FARM HOUSE IS BURNED

York, Neb., Dec. 26.—Fire, believed to have originated in an upstairs closet through which a fire passed, destroyed the farm home of Alvin Olson near here Thursday afternoon. Most of the furnishings were removed from the burning house and the loss was covered by insurance.

MOVE TO NEW LOCATION

Dr. L. S. Pucelik, M. D., and Dr. W. V. Ryan, dentist, who have had offices in the Thierolf building since their location in the city, are now settled in their new offices in the building formerly occupied by Dr. Frank L. Cummins.

The building has been entirely remodelled to accommodate the needs of the new occupants and who have a very attractive and convenient suite of offices. The remodeling of the building was under the charge of Paul H. Wohlfarth, who has changed over the entire interior.

The former reception room has been made smaller and which gives more space to the operating rooms and private offices of the two. The offices on the east of the building are arranged for Dr. Pucelik while those on the south and west are occupied by Dr. Ryan.

The offices are finished in cream, white and soft shades of green, while the flooring is of a tan linoleum which makes a very attractive and restful combination.

While the offices are not thoroughly arranged the occupants are able to carry on their professional duties and attending to the care of their patients.

HONOR BRIDAL COUPLE

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Westcott entertained at their home "Sunnyside" at a 6:30 buffet supper, honoring Miss Jean Tidball and their son, Edgar Westcott, whose marriage will take place Sunday afternoon.

The home was bright with the Christmas decorations as settings for the delightful evening that all will long remember as one of the attractive pre-nuptial events for the young people.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John L. Tidball, Dr. and Mrs. Karl Koch of Presque Isle, Maine, Miss Ruth Tidball, John Tidball, III, of this city, Carter Strang, Madison, Wisconsin, Mrs. Edna Shannon, Weeping Water, Mrs. Mae S. Morgan, Burlington, Iowa, Misses Madeline Stranglen, Marjorie Tidball and Clara Mae Morgan, Omaha, the guests of honor and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Westcott.

RETURNS TO KANSAS

George M. Hall, who has been here over Christmas visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius M. Hall, departs this evening for his home at Goodland, Kansas. He will stop at Falls City where Mrs. Hall is visiting at the home of her parents during the holidays and from where they will go on to their home. Mr. Hall has been engaged in railroading at Goodland for the past several years.

ENTERTAIN CHOIR

The choir of the St. Luke's Episcopal church enjoyed a very pleasant social time at the rectory on Thursday evening. The time was spent in Christmas games and visiting which passed the time most pleasantly. At the close of the evening dainty refreshments were served to add to the pleasures of the occasion. There were fifteen to take part in the pleasant gathering.

ENTERTAIN CHRISTMAS

Wednesday a very pleasant family dinner party was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Schneider, where a delicious dinner served to entertain the guests amid the attractive surroundings of the Christmas season. Those here to enjoy the event were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Burdick and family of St. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burdick of Norfolk.

VISIT AT NEBRASKA CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Troop and son, Jack, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Troop, have returned home from Nebraska City, where they were Christmas guests. They were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack von Gillern, the latter formerly Miss Kathleen Troop. They enjoyed a fine Christmas dinner and had a delightful time during their stay.

VISIT AT OMAHA

Mrs. W. M. Barclay and Miss Leona Kief were at Omaha Friday to visit with Mr. Barclay at the Clarkson hospital. They were taken there by Mrs. Louis Ward Egenberger, who with Catherine Conis spent a few hours looking after some business matters.

You wouldn't start out on a long trip intending to drive a few miles the first day and then rest up for a week or a month before continuing. Yet that's the way a great many merchants conduct their advertising campaign. Little wonder it doesn't get results. Persistent, steady effort is what counts.

Cass County Farm Bureau Notes

Copy furnished from Office of County Agent Waincott

Greetings All. The Agricultural and Home Extension Agents and the members of the office force take this opportunity to extend cordial holiday greetings and to wish for each and everyone of our friends and co-operators a more prosperous and successful New Year, with health and happiness reigning.

Molded Cranberry Salad. Particularly delicious at this season of the year when the prevailing meat course is chicken, turkey, etc., is the molded cranberry salad, one of the recipes suggested by Mrs. True Homenaker as follows:

- 1 qt. cranberries. 2 c. water. 2 c. sugar. 1/2 c. finely chopped celery. 1/2 c. broken nut meats. 1/2 c. sliced stuffed olives.

Place the cranberries and water in a sauce pan and boil 20 minutes. Remove from the stove, put thru a sieve or potato ricer to remove hulls. Then place the pulp on stove, add sugar and boil five or six minutes. Remove from fire and cool. Then add celery, olives and nuts and pour into a mold. Set in a cool place so as to congeal. Serve on lettuce leaf with salad dressing.

Another New Circular. Extension Circular 556 entitled, "Watch Night and Leap Year Parties" has just been received. Many good party suggestions are contained in the circular which is available to anyone wishing a copy.

Farm Women to Be Honored. Several score Nebraska farm women from as many counties are to be honored for their leadership in extension project clubs at the annual home economics section program of Organized Agriculture to be held at the University of Nebraska college of agriculture during the first week in January. All are county chairmen of project clubs.

Mrs. Oscar Zink of Murdock will be among the women to receive recognition at a special program planned for Tuesday afternoon, January 7. W. H. Brokaw, director of the Agricultural Extension Service, and Miss Mary-Ellen Brown, in charge of project work in Nebraska, will present the leaders with special awards.

A complete three-day program has been arranged for the home economics section, starting Tuesday morning. Mrs. Mildred Inskeep Morgan of Iowa City, Iowa, will be one of the leading speakers. A graduate of Kansas State College, Mrs. Morgan has her master's degree in religious education from Columbia University and has studied in Bucharest and Paris. In addition to appearing on the home economics program, the Iowa woman will appear on the general program one day.

The Smaller the Better. Many mothers ask, "What place have sweets in the children's diet?" The answer is: "The smaller the better."

A child's chief business in life is to grow, and sugar furnishes little food value to further this end. It supplies energy, but not one bit of the important minerals, vitamins, or protein that are necessary for growth and vitality. The sweet flavor of sugar, too, tends to satisfy the appetite quickly, and when a child has pleased on cookies or cakes between meals, he is not likely to be hungry for the vegetables and milk that should comprise his supper. In these two ways the use of too much sugar may prevent a child from getting the food essentials needed.

Sugar in concentrated forms, as in candy, may be irritating to the digestive tract, and cause stomach upsets. This is more apt to happen in children than in adults, for the life processes are not so firmly established in children, and the potential danger from even a slight illness is greater.

Nature has put sugar in fruits and when eaten in this form one receives fair amounts of minerals and vitamins too. Because the sugar is diluted by the cellulose of the fruit, it is seldom irritating, and since the sweet flavor is not so pronounced, fruit tends to stimulate rather than destroy it.

Mothers who have the health and happiness of children at heart will depend more on this form of sweets—fruits, fresh or dried—than on such kinds as candy, rich cakes and pastries. This caution is especially important during the holiday season, when children are apt to be overindulged with sweets.

New Corn and Hog Plan to Start Soon. The 1936-37 corn and hog program is taking shape in fast order. Tentative plans are for the community meetings to be held in the county the week of January 13th. A meeting will be scheduled in each precinct. At these meetings three things will be accomplished. The new corn and hog plan will be explained, applications will be taken and community committeemen will be elected.

This will be the most important meeting of the year for farmers to attend. Heretofore it has taken three meetings to accomplish what will be done at one this year. The new application form is very much simplified and will only take a few minutes to fill out. After the application is filled out those that have signed will be eligible to vote for the community committeemen. Many of the complaints of contract signers individually is about what their committee did or did not do. If these persons would take it upon themselves to attend the meeting and help elect the committee they might feel differently about it.

Timely Topics From The Farm and Home. C. D. Fulmer, J. Marion Stone, J. L. Stamp, D. D. Waincott and P. B. McMullen will attend a meeting at Columbus, December 31st to hear the details of the new corn and hog program.

After this meeting these men, with local committeemen will hold precinct meetings throughout the county to explain the new program to Cass county farmers.

Commodity Credit Corporation inspectors have advised the state railway commission that there is much more danger from spoiled corn in Nebraska than from damp corn. Sealers are taking special precaution not to accept cribs that contain spoiled corn.

Santa Claus has delivered a nice adjustable pencil to all 4-H club leaders and their assistants in Cass county, whose clubs finished up an achievement club. They are being given by the extension service and the Cass county farm bureau in appreciation of their leadership.

The explaining of the new corn and hog program, taking of applications, and election of committeemen all at one meeting, will speed up the new plan about 30 days ahead of previous years.

Nebraska's Organized Agriculture program which will be held in Lincoln January 6 to 9 inclusive has many particularly interesting schedules. Some of them are:

- 1. A Long Time Agricultural Program Based on Proper Use of Land. 2. Prospects for Greater Industrial Utilization of Farm Products. 3. A Practical Program for Soil Conservation. 4. The Best Small Grains for Your Nebraska Farm. 5. How We are Fighting Bindweed on Our Farm. 6. Pasture Management for Better Livestock Returns. 7. Using Alfalfa and Brome in Pasture Mixtures. 8. Reserve Roushage When Pastures Fall. 9. How Corn Varieties and Hybrids Yielded the Past Season. 10. Producing Hybrid Seed Corn on Nebraska Farms. 11. Feeding With a Lead Pencil. 12. Feeding Grain Sorghums. 13. New Protein Supplements. 14. Thirteenth Annual Farmers Family Fun Frolic—Wednesday, January 8, 5:30 p. m. 15. What Ahead for the Dairy Farmer. 16. Side Lights on European Dairying.

A complete tentative program can be obtained at the Farm Bureau office.

CROWD OF NEEDY FIRED ON

Santa Clara, Cuba, Dec. 26.—Policeman Felix Chaviano of the nearby town of Sancti Spiritus fired a revolver into a crowd of needy when it rushed conditionist politicians distributing rations, killing Mariano Alfonso, a liberal politician, and also wounding an unidentified man.

The mob tried to storm the jail to lynch Chaviano, but was driven off by rural guards using the flats of machetes. Ten persons were wounded gravely.

TRAIN 'JOY RIDER' FREED

Mattoon, Ill.—After spending Christmas in jail for "borrowing" a locomotive and wrecking a freight train, Maurice Spurlin, 32, was freed on \$2,000 bonds to await grand jury action.

Spurlin rode the engine as a Christmas eve lark in the yards of the Illinois Central railroad, and piloted it onto the main line where it crashed into a freight.

QUAKE ROCKS LONG BEACH

Long Beach, Calif.—A slight earthquake was felt here at 9:17 a. m. Wednesday. The tremor, which lasted approximately ten seconds, was described as an east to west shock, accompanied by a rolling earth motion. No damage was reported.

High School Leaders to Revise Grid Code

Chicago Meeting, January 10 and 11, Will Be Devoted to Study of Prep Problems.

Chicago.—New rules, designed for the most part to minimize the physical hazards of prep football, will be considered at the annual meeting of the rules committee of the national Federation of State High School Athletic Associations in Chicago, Jan. 10 and 11.

Three years ago, when the first set of rules were made to differentiate the prep and college game, the movement met with considerable opposition and derision. But now, 14 states are represented on the rules committee, and prospects are for an even more definite line of demarcation between the college and high school games.

Walter Okeson, chairman of the national collegiate committee, has promised to attend the high school meetings and assist in the discussion. Okeson is one of the leaders in the move to make a different set of rules for the preps.

Maj. John L. Griffith of Chicago, president of the National Collegiate Athletic association, in discussing the methods of reducing fatalities in the college game, said:

Medical Exams Vital. "Colleges and universities have reduced the number of fatalities almost entirely by requiring medical examinations for athletics, insisting on several weeks practice and training before the season opens, and with competent trainers, excellent equipment and fine ground conditions. They have found that most injuries are not caused by different rules but by gross ignorance and neglect."

At present the main difference between the college and prep football rules are that the preps allow a pass from any point behind the line of scrimmage and bring the ball out 15 yards from the sidelines instead of the 10 allowed by colleges.

The 14 states which will be represented at the prep rules meeting are Alabama, Colorado, Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, North and South Dakota, Oregon, Tennessee, Utah and Wisconsin.

Several Wisconsin coaches are out to bring the goal posts back to the goal line, but indications are that it will be kept 10 yards back of the goal line.

REPORT COAL PRICE WAR

Washington.—Charles P. O'Neill, central Pennsylvania operator, told the bituminous coal commissioner that a soft coal price war now raging would soon bankrupt many producers if the present wage scale were preserved.

But he asserted the central Pennsylvania producers unanimously opposed price fixing at this time because of uncertainty in the status of the Guffey act. The hearing was called to determine advisability of fixing minimum prices immediately under the Guffey act.

NEW HOPE FOR HOLC LOANS

Washington.—Officials of the HOLC are taking another look at rejected applications for loans to home owners. Rejected or withdrawn applications, officials said, may be reinstated under certain designated conditions, including the ironing out of technical snags, reduction of debt on property to be mortgaged, and title clarification. A total of 38,417 applications in this group have been ordered reinstated for further consideration, officials reported.

TRUCK OWNER HURT

Central City, Neb.—Otto Zurcher, who operates refrigerator trucks between Chicago and Denver, suffered a cut on his forehead Wednesday when a Burlington motor train collided with a motor truck here. The truck's cab was demolished by the northbound train. W. H. Sutton, driver of the truck, escaped injury.

FIRE DAMAGES SCHOOL

Columbus, Neb.—A fire, apparently caused by a chimney spark, caused an estimated \$10,000 damage to the Columbus junior high school building Thursday afternoon. The flames gained considerable headway before being destroyed.

ASKS CONGRESS SEAT

Chicago.—Mrs. Bertha Baur, socially prominent republican national committeewoman for Illinois, will be a candidate for representative in congress, her secretary announced.

Alvo News

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Miller and son spent Christmas day at the John Woods home in Elmwood.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Boyles spent Christmas day with Mrs. Boyles' brother, C. M. Skiles and family, of Lincoln.

Mrs. Dale Boyles, of Lincoln, came Sunday evening to spend a few days at the S. C. Boyles home during Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stroemer entertained J. C. Brown, of Wabash, Mrs. Stroemer and Miss Marie at Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mickle and son and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dimmitt and son spent Christmas day at the William Mickle home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bornemeier and sons spent Christmas day with Mrs. Bornemeier's mother, Mrs. Osterberg, of Elmwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stuve and daughters spent Christmas at the E. J. Patz home in Lincoln. Mrs. Patz and Mrs. Stuve are sisters.

Mrs. Ray Clark came home Saturday from the University hospital in Omaha, where she had been taking treatment for some two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Valde anted to David City Tuesday afternoon to spend Christmas eve and day with the parents of Mr. Valde who reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Rehmeier, Fred and Frank, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor spent Christmas day at the Fred Rehmeier home at Weeping Water.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nickel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mickle and son, Jesse Hardack and son all spent Christmas eve at the S. C. Hardack home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bornemeier attended the wedding of their niece, Miss Katherine Bornemeier to La Verne Sutton at the John Bornemeier home near Murdock.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dimmitt spent Sunday at the J. L. Dimmitt home, when the families gathered with well filled baskets to enjoy a pre-Christmas family dinner.

Mrs. Minnie Peterson and Dorothy entertained at Christmas dinner the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Edwards and Talbert and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Edwards and children.

Russell Bornemeier, a student of the University of Nebraska, came home Sunday and remained to spend the Christmas holidays with home folks. He returned to his work on Thursday evening.

The Ladies Aid society of the Alvo church will hold their meeting at the home of Mrs. Otto Stuve on Friday afternoon, January 3, instead of on Wednesday, the regular meeting day, which falls on January 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Peters and family, all of Greenwood, were dinner guests at the Late Mullen home Tuesday. Later in the afternoon they attended the funeral of Rosebeth Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Appleman spent Christmas eve at the Harley Young home in Lincoln. They spent the night with their daughter and husband and accompanied them to the A. M. Young home for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bornemeier entertained as their guests at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Weichel and daughter of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Royer and son of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Elliott and son and A. H. Weichel.

Rosebeth Clark Rites

Funeral services for Rosebeth Clark, 18, were held Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock at the Alvo church with Rev. R. J. McKenzie of Alvo officiating. Burial was in the Alvo cemetery. Rosebeth is survived by her parents, four sisters and three brothers, she being the oldest one of the family of children.

Rosebeth was born and reared to young womanhood in the Alvo community. She was known for her sunny disposition. She graduated from the Alvo consolidated high school in 1934.

Pall bearers were DeWitt Bennett, Donald Skinner, Virgil Woods, of Elmwood, John Garcia, Elton Keller and Elmer Rueter, all members of her graduating class.

The young men's quartet sang three numbers. Those taking part were: Dale Ganz, Donald Davis, Donald Sheldon and Loran Schuelke.

Visiting Parents at Elmwood

Clifford McMasters, of Kansas, brought his family to Elmwood Saturday to spend the holidays with relatives. It was necessary for Clifford to return to his business but Mrs. McMasters and their two sons are spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, of Elmwood, and relatives in

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this community. Mrs. McMasters was formerly Miss Ruby Woods of this community.

Leaving the Hospital. Mrs. Orval Gerbeling and baby are to leave the Lincoln General hospital this (Thursday) morning and will spend a few days at the Ralph Colbert home in Lincoln before coming home.

More Mumps. A new outbreak of mumps has been reported this week. The Christmas holidays were spoiled for a number of children who were having a siege of this malady during the past week.

Sutton-Bornemeier Nuptials. At 8:20 o'clock Tuesday evening, La Verne Sutton of Alvo and Katherine Bornemeier of Murdock were united in marriage at a quiet little ceremony performed by Rev. F. C. Weber of the Callahan church at the country home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bornemeier.

The bride wore a gown of dark blue velvet and her sister, Miss Ruth Bornemeier, was the bride's maid. Edwin Muenchau, of Alvo, a close friend of the couple, served as best man. Bernice Reikeman played a violin solo and Mrs. Ralph Bornemeier sang "I Love You Truly."

La Verne Sutton was born and reared to manhood on a farm northwest of Alvo, graduating from the Alvo schools with the class of 1932. The best wishes of the community go to this popular young couple.

There were about 45 guests present at the wedding. At the conclusion of the ceremony, a delicious luncheon was served.

COTTON PAYMENT PLANNED

Washington.—AAA officials said initial checks for 1935 cotton subsidy payments probably will be mailed to farmers Jan. 15. Altho there was no set date for mailing the first checks, original plans called for first payments in mid-December. The delay was attributed to technical and clerical reasons.

BOULDERS ENDANGER CITY

Capetown, Union of South Africa.—Red hot boulders crashing down from a huge brush fire on Table mountain endangered this city. The fire, believed to have been incendiary, destroyed timber valued at more than 1 million dollars and also threatened the official residence of Prime Minister Hertzog.

Large advertisement for Automobile Accidents insurance by Duxbury & Davis, featuring rates on full insurance protection and contact information for Platts, Missouri.