

Over the County

PLEASANT DALE

Miss Olive Beckwith went to O'Neill Friday to work at the Ralph Leidy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bellar and family spent Wednesday evening at the John Pruss home.

Mrs. Keith Houchins went to Venus Monday to visit relatives.

We are glad to report that the condition of Miss Edna Heeb is somewhat better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seger and son, Gerald, drove up from Royal Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Seger, returning to their home that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walters moved to the farm vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lorenz.

Dave Bellar and son, Joe, spent Sunday afternoon at John Babl's.

Miss DeMaris Murray was home over the week-end.

Gus Seger fell on some ice last Friday evening, spraining his back. All members of the Seger family were home Sunday, except one daughter, Ralph Ellis of O'Neill, is working for Mr. Seger this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Beckwith and children were dinner guests at the Rex Beckwith home Sunday evening.

Joe Winkler has rented the Con O'Connell farm this year.

Mrs. Harold Seger entertained Mrs. Bud Seger and children, Mrs. Ralph Beckwith and daughter Myrleen, and Mrs. Henry Seger and son Gerald, at dinner Sunday evening.

Rex Beckwith did some paper hanging at the Otto Lorenz home last week.

The handkerchief and dish towel chains are quite popular in this community now.

MEEK AND VICINITY

Word was received Saturday of the death of Thomas O. Cavin, at his home in Madera, Calif. Tom will be remembered here by the old timers of the late 80's, as he was a resident of this vicinity for some time, going from here to Madera, where he resided the rest of his life. He was a large stock raiser and grain rancher, was always found doing good to those less fortunate than he. He leaves his wife and three sons, Orlo, Clyde and Carl, besides many other relatives and friends, who will miss his pleasant smile and kindly manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Linn spent Sunday evening at the Orville Harrison and Elmer Devall homes.

Frank Spindler and daughter, Helen, and Bill Fosberg, spent Sunday evening at the R. D. Spindler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rouse and sons, spent Monday evening at the A. L. Borg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Borg and Marvel, spent Tuesday afternoon at the William Hubby home.

Arthur Rouse returned from a visit with relatives in Kansas on Tuesday.

Clarence Devall, Cecil Griffith and Melvin Johring spent Tuesday evening at the Elmer Devall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Graham and children spent Tuesday evening at Howard Rouse's.

Frank Griffith, who spent several days visiting at the Herbert Rouse home in Inman, returned home Tuesday.

Helen Borg was an overnight guest of Reta Graham Wednesday.

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. Roy Karr Thursday afternoon. Several members were not able to attend as some were moving, and for various other reasons. Mrs. Karr served a delicious lunch. It was not definitely decided as to where the next meeting would be.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ernst moved to their new home on the Eagle creek Friday. We gladly welcome them to our community.

Mrs. Ella Karr is staying at Spencer for a few days, to look after the school children while the Luber family are moving to the John Wrede place near the Niobrara river.

Howard Devall came down from the CCC camp at Valentine and spent the week-end with the home folks.

Mrs. R. D. Spindler and Leroy, and Melvin Thomson were dinner guests at the Howard Rouse home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson and Margaretha, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Kaczor and Edward, were dinner guests at the Virgil Hubby home Sunday.

The snow and rain that fell in this vicinity Thursday night amounted to about three inches, and will mean more moisture which is badly needed.

Charles Caywood is suffering with his limb quite badly. It has been bothering him for over a week

now. He went to Lynch for treatment but so far the doctors have not been able to check the trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Devall and baby, Dwayne, spent Saturday at the Will Devall home.

INMAN NEWS

Mrs. Zitella Kestenholtz and son, Harry and children, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Evan Stover and family, near Chambers.

Miss Darlene Thompson was a guest in the Alex Coop home at Orchard Sunday.

Rev. E. B. Maxcy attended a ministerial meeting at O'Neill Monday at the M. E. church.

Mr. Hansen, a nephew of Rev. E. B. Maxcy, is here from Fairbury visiting his uncle for a few days.

Junior Davis and Levi Outhouse arrived here from Idaho Saturday for a visit at the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Outhouse.

Work has begun on the new highway and the actual grading will be underway here in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Crosser, Miss Fern Morrison and Rex Butler spent Sunday in Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Derby and son, Harold and family, of Yakima, Wash., and their son, Donald Derby and family, Mrs. Ella Klivetobe and Mrs. Anna Swain, all of Rapid City, S. D., were here Thursday visiting among relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Butler celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Friday evening, March 4th. Dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tompkins, all of Inman, and J. H. Butler of Neligh.

Dr. Charles A. Tompkins, who has for the past eight months been a resident physician at the Henry Ford hospital at Detroit, Mich., has now been made a member of the Senior Staff of physicians of the hospital. He took up his new duties March 1.

EMMET ITEMS

A new depot agent, Mr. Kent, of Winner, S. D., arrived here last week. He is the third agent Emmet has had during the past few months.

Mrs. Clara Cole is ill at her home here with a severe attack of flu.

Much moving has been going on in the community during the past week. The Ben Bachman family moved to the old Newman place south of Emmet. Leon Beckwith moved one-mile west of Emmet to the farm vacated by the Troy Howard family who have moved to the C. E. Tenborg farm. Mr. and Mrs. Tunender moved to the farm formerly occupied by the Russell Carr family. The Charles Fox family moved to the farm two miles south-east of Emmet recently vacated by the Al Fritton family. The Howard Pettijohn family moved to a farm north of Stuart, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ziska of Atkinson have moved to the Gaughenbaugh ranch.

Maxine McConnell was a dinner guest of Luree Abart Sunday.

Mrs. John Conard and Mary Lou spent the week-end in Inman.

Leona Fern Beckwith is a new pupil in the Emmet school. She is in the Fifth grade.

Miss Evelyn Tomjack and friend of Marvetha, were week-end guests at the George Pongratz home.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK HUNTER OF ST. AR, FETED ON 30TH ANNIVERSARY (Continued from page 1.)

this when weather and roads were so poor, is proof of the many friends the Hunters have, and of the place they hold in the community.

Frank P. Hunter and Carrie B. Hunter were married at the Presbyterian manse in O'Neill on March 4, 1908, by the Rev. F. C. Hollhorst who was pastor of the O'Neill church at that time. One son was born to this union, who died at the

age of 17 months. The first two years of their wedded life were spent on a farm one mile east of the place where they now live, and the remaining 28 years have been at their present location. Mrs. Hunter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Carson of Redbird, Nebr. Mrs. Carson still lives on the old farm, but ill health would not permit her being present at the celebrations. Mr. Hunter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hunter of O'Neill. Mrs. Hunter has made her home with Frank for the past seven years and was able to attend and enjoy all the festivities.



Aren't We All?

Copies of the following letter are being shown about in Washington. The letter itself is said to actually have been received by a Red Cross Chairman responsive to a request for a donation:

My dear Sirs:

In reply to your request to send a check, I wish to inform you that the present condition of my bank account makes it almost impossible. My shattered financial condition is due to Federal laws, state laws, county laws, city laws, corporation laws, liquor laws, mother-in-laws, brother-in-laws, sister-in-laws and outlaws.

Thru these laws, I am compelled to pay a business tax, amusement tax, head tax, school tax, light tax, water tax, sales tax, liquor tax, carpet tax, income tax, food tax, furniture tax and excise tax. Even my brains are taxed. I am required to get a business license, car license, duck license, not to mention a marriage license and dog license.

I am, also, required to contribute to every society and organization which the genius of man is capable of bringing to life; to women's relief, the unemployed relief and the gold diggers relief. Also, to every hospital and charitable institution in the city, involving the Red Cross, the Black Cross, the Purple Cross and the double cross.

For my own safety, I am required to carry life insurance, property insurance, burglar insurance, liability insurance, accident insurance, business insurance, earthquake insurance, tornado insurance, unemployment insurance, old age insurance and fire insurance.

My business is so governed that to is no easy matter for me to find out who owns it. I am inspected, expected, suspected, disrespected, rejected, dejected, examined, re-examined, informed, required, summoned, fined, commanded and compelled until I provide an inexhaustible supply of money for every known need, desire or hope of the human race.

Just because I refuse to donate to something or other, I am boycotted, talked about, lied about, held up and held down and robbed until I am almost ruined.

I can tell you honestly that except for the miracle that happened, I could not enclose this check. The wolf that comes to many doors nowadays, just had pups in my kitchen. I sold them and here is the money."

Tariff Still Popular Agrament

Imports and exports are subjects debated daily while the House waits for more legislation to work on. The tariff is the great subject. Those opposed to the tariff, say thru the reciprocal trade agreements, world peace and world trade will come and, eventually, prosperity will come to everybody. Those opposing the free traders and the boosters of the reciprocal trade agreements, say that wars are going on in Europe and the Far East and Uncle Sam is arming himself. They say farm prices go down and

foreign farm commodities keep coming into our country. Industrial center members say shoe and glove factories are closing up because imports of cheap gloves and shoes kill the American factories. Free traders say that this is all to be straightened out after the reciprocal trade agreements get to working.

Somebody Puts Up \$10,000 Party

The Indiana boosters of McNutt for President, gave a reception to nearly 4,000 people the other night. Cocktails and food galore with French names covered a table which looked like the feast of fairy tales and Arabian nights. Observers say it cost about \$10,000 to put on the party. Everybody wanted to know who paid for the gigantic feast. Indiana members say that a few of McNutt's friends dug up the money. The head of the Indiana Two Person Club said his organization did not donate a penny. Anyway, it was one of the most puzzling and dazzling receptions ever held in this town. Washingtonians who crash about every big reception admit that it was the most spectacular. The Indiana delegation admits that the party was just a "coming out" event for McNutt's presidential boom. They say they are testing out an "early" campaign.

Soil Conservation Pay-off Soon

The signers of 1937 Soil Conservation applications are anxious to know when their payments will be received. They need the money with which to begin this year's farming operations. Inquiries addressed to the chairman of the Nebraska Agricultural Conservation Committee concerning the prospective date of deliveries of checks in particular counties, have produced the information that in the counties where the summary of performance forms have reached the state office, the latter are now in the process of audit. It is estimated that the audit will be completed and the applications written and returned to the counties for applicant's signatures in about two weeks. If the county associations are prompt to obtain the signatures and return the forms to the state office for final check approval, the payment checks should be issued following approximately another two weeks. The chairman of the Nebraska Agricultural Conservation Committee is giving assurance that everything is being done by his office to complete the work in connection with the 1937 program at the earliest possible date.

COMBINATION Public Sale Sat., March 19 Sale Starts at 1 o'clock

1 Red Polled Shorthorn Bull Registered, 5-years-old. BRING ANYTHING Remember, We Sell Everything from a tooth pick to a circus elephant. If you have anything to sell, wait, bring it here! If you want to buy, wait for this sale!

JOHN L. QUIG Auctioneers: Jim Moore Geo. Calkins; Geo. Colman.

THE NEBRASKA SCENE

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Polk, W. W. Horton of Osceola; Scottsbluff, T. P. Adams of Scottsbluff; Seward, Ted R. Hughes of Seward; Sheridan, C. S. Horn of Hay Springs; Sherman, Bert Chase of Loup City; Valley, Roy Hudson of North Loup; Wayne, Henry Ley of Wayne; Webster, Edgar McBride of Blue Hill; Wheeler, C. L. Bishop of Bartlett.

The celebration of Founder's Day brought more than a thousand republicans to Lincoln last Thursday. Harmony prevailed thruout the afternoon meeting presided over by President Kenneth Wherry of Pawnee City.

Hugh Brown of Kearney, was elected head of the organization. Mrs. Frederick Wagener of Lincoln was chosen vice president. Junior vice presidents are Ladd Hubka of Beatrice and Miss Etta Linch of Omaha.

At the state university coliseum, Glenn Frank, head of the national organization committee of the republican party, addressed a record breaking crowd. He criticized New Deal policies, declaring that the repression of production was "grossly reactionary."

William A. Stewart, President of the Nebraska Young Republican organization, announced the appointment of Adele Staats of Lincoln as first executive vice president. She succeeds Miss Mae Thacker who resigned.

INVESTIGATE THE TVA!

In a recent address to the Senate, Senator Bridges of New Hampshire charged that the Tennessee Valley Authority, instead of benefiting the farmers, small business and home owners in the southeast,

HEREFORD BULLS TO BE SOLD AT NORFOLK March 16

We will consign nine head of Registered Hereford Bulls, from 1-year to 2-years old, to the annual spring sale to be held at Norfolk, Nebr., March 16, 1938.

They are sired by Mousel Domino 34th. We would be glad to have you inspect our consignment before the sale.

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has in reality been of benefit principally to a group of very large manufacturing corporations—including some of the concerns that are now under attack for alleged monopolies.

Senator Bridges brings a wealth of irrefutable testimony to buttress this criticism. TVA power is largely sold, under contract, to big factories in the area. These contracts were closed, without competitive bidding, by TVA directors. Inasmuch as the Authority's low electric rates are made possible only by tax subsidies, all the people of the United States are, in effect, helping pay the electric bills of the favored corporations! That may help bring the more abundant life to the lucky concerns who are getting electricity at less than its real cost—but it certainly means a less abundant life for the taxpayer.

Senator Bridges makes the telling observation that if the U. S. treasury were to make an outright gift of U. S. government bonds to a group of favored businesses, the scandal would rock the country—yet, to all intents and purposes, that would be little different from what is happening now in the southeast. The TVA has always been ballyhooed as a boon to the common people—and scores of millions of public funds have been spent in developing it. Now it appears that these funds have been largely used to provide a below-cost service to a few fortunate big businesses.

In concluding his address, Senator Bridges asked that the Senate authorize an investigation of the Authority. In the light of his disclosures, this would seem to be an inescapable duty owed the public by our lawmakers.

The President or the governor can start a new government utility operating by punching an electric switch, but unfortunately the taxpayers can't pay for it that way.

Eggs 1/2c Each

Dr. L. E. Card of Illinois, says its costs only 5 1/2 cents for feed to produce one dozen eggs with hens laying 60%, at present feed prices!

Year after year, poultry has proven to be the greatest single source of farm income. Make up your mind this year to get our Guaranteed-To-Live Chicks and turn this cheap grain into dollars thru meat and eggs.

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YOUR FRIEND AT MEALTIME
Friday and Saturday, March 11 and 12

Morning Light Peaches

Use these large, luscious California Peaches, packed in a good table syrup, for variety during Lent. The large No. 2 1/2 cans for 16c during this sale. The big full ripe halves for sauce and sunshine salad. The sliced for peach tapioca and down side up cake.

Sardines

It's most convenient during Lent to have a good pantry supply of Maine 1/4 oil Sardines. Buy your sardines this week-end at the low price of 3 cans for 10c.

Large Sweet Peas

Superb Large Sweet Peas are the favorite peas with many. They will tell you that these tender peas possess a flavor not found in the smaller sizes. Try the full No. 2 can at the special price of 12c.

"Honey Krushed"

The Council Oak Manager personally recommends that you try our New Honey Krushed Wheat Bread. Now a "Heath Baked Loaf." You will be delighted with the improved flavor. Sold only at Council Oak.

Cocoanut Taffy Bars

Small, crisp vanilla flavored cookie filled with macaroon cocoanut. For this sale these fresh baked cookies at the special price of 13c per pound.

Apple Butter

The delicious, spicy tang of this pure apple product can be enjoyed at low cost. Economical spread for bread and hot biscuits. The big 36-oz. jar at the very special price of 17c.

Navy Beans

Bean soup and home baked beans are two delectable dishes we enjoy at frequent intervals. Large, bright, Northern Navy Beans for this sale at 4-lbs. for 17c.

"Red Bag" Coffee

Many buyers who can afford the most expensive brands confine their purchases to our popular priced Red Bag Coffee because its rich, smooth flavor just suits their taste. We grind this whole berry coffee as you direct. Try it at our special price of 17c per lb. or 3 lbs. for 49c.

ONE CENT SALE Superb Toilet Tissue

A fine, pure white, crepe paper that is thoroughly sterilized, soft, absorbent and soluble. An excellent cold cream remover. Stock up for this sale. 4 big rolls for 25c. With every 4 rolls you can buy one for 1c.

Blue Barrel Soap

The soap that does the work of three ordinary cakes. Its kind to your hands. The price is 2 big pound bars for 13c this week-end.

- Haskin's Hard Water Castile Cake.....4c
- SWEET CALIFORNIA Navel Oranges DOZ.....21c
- EXTRA FANCY - EXTRA LARGE Delicious Apples DOZ.....29c
- FANCY CRISP SOLID California Lettuce LGE. HEAD.5c

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