

# Alvo News

Phillip Coatman, who is with a funeral director's house in Lincoln, was a visitor in Alvo, coming to assist in the funeral and burial of the late Mrs. Bina Kitzel.

A. M. W. A. adjuster was in Alvo last week and adjusted the memberships of all members who joined the order before 1919, the entire number remaining in the order.

Ben Menchau and the family have purchased themselves a very fine car in the town sedan of the Ford Motor company make, they getting the new car from Dowler Brothers, dealers at Weeping Water.

Mesdames B. Stromer and Arthur Dinges were visiting in Lincoln on last Wednesday, they driving over to the big city in their car to look after some pre-Christmas shopping as well as visiting with friends.

Mrs. Davis, agent for the Rock Island, who has been spending her vacation with home folks in Minnesota, where she remained for over a week, returned to her work here last week, having had a most excellent visit while away.

W. H. Warner, who has been sheltering his threshing rig in the drive way of the Rehmyer corn storage sheds, has removed the same to the shed of Joe Banning, and with the assistance of Mr. Warner, Mr. Banning has made some improvements in the sheds to accommodate the storage.

John Coleman and Robert Garcia were painting the interior of the new store room of Edward Nelson and getting the shelving in readiness for the opening, which it is hoped by Mr. Nelson will be some time before the first of the year. The upper portion will also be refurnished, making an excellent place for the family to reside.

A number of the members, having in mind a good time for the others of the Knights of Pythias, when the lodge was in session prepared a very fine lunch for the lodge and as the session closed they were regaled by a very fine bit of eats, which seemed to strike the right spot, and was appreciated by all. Come again boys, you did fine.

Mrs. W. D. Wheeler, sister of the late Bina Kitzel, Percy J. Wheeler and wife, Miss Lillian Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Cook and their son, Raymond Cook, all of Plattsmouth, were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Kitzel, notwithstanding the long distance they had to come over very bad roads and the prevailing inclement weather.

Charles Frolich completed the picking of his corn on last Wednesday. He had concluded that with his over three score years, he would not pick corn this fall, but with the pressure of the work, and the backwardness of the season, he jumped into the work and assisted the boys in getting the corn into the crib. He is not sorry that it is done for now they will not have to get out when the weather is bad and gather it.

On October 14th, Mariou Christensen and Miss Amelia Hargenrader of Davey were united in marriage at Glenwood, Iowa, they not asking any one but went to the Iowa city where they were united in marriage, and returned to Plattsmouth where they were making their home until just recently, they being in Council Bluffs where Harion was promised a position with the Illinois Central railroad, but the following day there was a layoff made of some seventeen workmen, and Mariou did not get the work. The many friends of this excellent young man and his winsome bride, are extending congratulations and well wishes.

### Honor Pioneer of Community

At the Methodist church on last Wednesday was held the funeral rites over the remains of the late Mrs. Bina Kitzel, mother of Mrs. E. M. Stone, Wm. Kitzel, of Alvo, and Bert Kitzel, of Waverly, who has lived in this vicinity for many years. Mrs. Kitzel, whose maiden name was Bina Cook, had been in failing health for many years and was cared for by her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Stone, who gave the aged mother every care. She died on last Monday, the funeral services being conducted at the Methodist church in Alvo, by the Rev. R. H. Chenoweth, former pastor of this church and a very close friend of the deceased, but now pastor of the Methodist church at Martel.

Notwithstanding the very bad roads and the foggy weather, there was a large gathering of the friends and relatives present to pay their last tribute to her honor. Burial was in the Alvo cemetery, where the remains will sleep until time shall be no more, when they will rise to join her glorified spirit in the world of gladness.

### Undergoes Operation

Roy Stewart, who has been troubled for some time with a very painful affection, was taken to the hospital last Monday, where he underwent an operation, and since that time has been getting along nicely. On Tuesday, the following day, his father, Wm. Stewart, and Mrs. Roy Stewart and Lee Stewart were over

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to the hospital to see the patient and reported him as getting along nicely at this time and with hopes of being able to return home in the near future.

**Pallbearers at Funeral**  
At the funeral of the late Mrs. Bina Kitzel, a list of her old time friends was selected to act as pallbearers, comprising those who had lived in Alvo for many years and assisted in bringing this excellent country from its raw state of years ago to its present developed condition. They were Joseph Armstrong, S. C. Boyles, Harry Appelman, T. M. McKinstry, J. H. Weychal and F. M. Prouty.

**Safety First**  
That the passing over the tracks of the Rock Island road at Alvo might be safe at the time of the funeral of the late Mrs. Bina Kitzel, and the trains which were passing at the time, Art Dinges was placed at the crossing to see that there was no trouble in the crossing. No better one could have been selected to see that no collisions would occur. Art knows his stuff and will not fail in putting it across.

## LOCAL NEWS

**From Friday's Day**  
Mr. and Mrs. Vern C. Hendrick and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hendrick were dinner guests of Edward Donat and family Sunday evening.  
E. W. Thimman and son, Lester, O. E. McDonald and John Gakemeier, were here today to attend the poultry show and visiting with friends for a few hours.

Miss Lillian White, deputy in the office of the county judge, who has been on the retired list for the past few days as the result of suffering a severe fall and a sprained wrist is now back on duty again.  
S. S. Davis returned Thursday evening from Lincoln where he attended the twenty-fifth anniversary of the services of Frank H. Woods with the Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph Co., one of the most notable occasions held in Lincoln in some months.

Mrs. W. T. Melbern was a visitor in Omaha today where she will visit with her son, Ernest Melbern, of Murray, who is at the Lord Lister hospital, recovering from a severe operation that he underwent on Monday. Mr. Melbern was not so well for the first few days but his condition seems to be improving at this time and it is hoped that he will soon be showing some marked improvement.

**From Saturday's Day**  
Lee Watson, Jr., of near Fort Crook was a visitor here today and while here was a caller at the Journal office.  
William Starkjohn and nephew, William, were in Omaha today where they spent the time taking in the many points of interest in that city and visiting with friends.  
Mrs. W. T. Distell and children, Jacqueline, Betty and Billy, were in Omaha today to spend the day enjoying a short outing and were joined this afternoon by Mr. Distell.  
W. T. Adams, deputy county clerk, departed this morning for St. Paul, Nebraska, where he was called to look after some matters of business and where he will also visit with his children who reside in that locality.

**SOCIAL CIRCLE CLUB**  
The business meeting of the Social Circle club was had after the lesson, Mrs. Albin the president, having charge of this. Plans were made to attend the Annual Farm Bureau meeting at Weeping Water. The club has planned for their annual Christmas boxes and hope to have at least four to distribute among the needy families. The annual Christmas party will be held at the Lewiston Community center on Friday, December 27th for the members and their families. Each member is to bring a gift for the tree. Next meeting will be announced later.  
The club had four visitors, Miss Baldwin of Weeping Water; Mrs. Toole of Murdock; Mrs. Gayer and Mrs. Walton of Plattsmouth. Miss Baldwin brought her samples from the home office and her display was appreciated by all. Very interesting suggestions and ideas were received from them.  
An interesting talk by Miss Baldwin on her years work was given and we can see that she is indeed a very busy lady. Very interesting talks were given by Mrs. Toole and Mrs. Gayer.  
The December meeting of the Social Circle club was held at the home of Mrs. Grace Ferris with Mrs. Sudduth and Mrs. Yardly as assistant hostesses. The meeting being an all day affair, everyone came with a covered dish.  
The lesson "Comfortable Beds and Bedding" was given by the leaders, Miss Moore and Mrs. Vernon. Samples had been made of fancy pillow cases and each member was delighted with the suggestions. Each were given their set of fine patterns to complete their work.

**FOR SALE**  
One roan Polled shorthorn bull, nine months old. If interested call phone 3804.—Frank Parkening.



## DANCE at Plattsmouth

Wed. Night  
MUSIC BY  
**The COLLEGIANS**  
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Direct from Lindell Party House and Antelope Park Season. Featuring two special entertainers. No better orchestra here in months than these boys. Come and hear them, Dec. 18.

Usual Admission

## \$4,089,292 is 4-Month Cost of Good Roads

Total State Expenditures for Period \$7,682,375; Schools of State Take \$1,540,600

Lincoln, Dec. 12.—More than half of all disbursements from the Nebraska treasury during the first four months of the current fiscal biennium—from July 1 to and including Oct. 31—went for highway construction and maintenance, a compilation of the state's expenditures prepared in the office of State Tax Commissioner Scott, revealed Thursday.

Gross outlay for all purposes during the four months was \$7,682,375, of which \$4,089,292 was paid for good roads.

**Include All Warrants**  
These sums include all warrants issued from the state auditor's office, but not accounts still outstanding and payable, amounting to \$1,922,191 on Oct. 31.

The ratio of high expenditures to total payments of the treasury was 52.2 per cent plus. They were divided into three parts, as follows:  
Construction of highways and bridges, \$2,282,263; maintenance, \$1,192,430; allotted to counties, \$612,594.

**\$1,540,600 For Schools**  
Aside from highways, the greatest single item of disbursement by the state was \$1,540,600 for the support of its educational institutions—the University of Nebraska and its branches and four state normal schools.

The sum of \$756,693 was used in running the 17 penitentiaries and charitable institutions supervised by the board of control, including maintenance of their inmates.—Bee-News.

### PASSING OF LOVED LADY

Mrs. Maybelle Wenzel, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Snoko, was born Nov. 4th, 1903. Practically all her lifetime was spent in and around Eagle, Nebraska. She was graduated from the Eagle high school with the class of 1922, attended the State University for a period of two years. In childhood she was baptized in the faith of the M. E. church, and in later years became a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Miss Maybelle Snoko was married to Clyde Wenzel Dec. 25, 1928, and lived happily with him for a period of less than a year. Anxiously, both were awaiting the arrival of the child that would increase the happiness of the parents. However, the Lord willed it otherwise. After intense suffering, a still-born child was brought into the world, which at the same time endangered the life of the mother. Though all medical aid was summoned, and everything was done that was humanly possible, yet it was beyond human skill to spare the life of the departed.

On Friday evening, Dec. 6th, at 9 p. m., Mrs. Maybelle Wenzel passed away, having reached the age of 26 years, 1 month and 2 days. She leaves to mourn her departure her grief-stricken husband, Clyde, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Snoko, her sisters, Georgia and Marie, her brothers, Harry and Donald, her nephew Dwight Harry Snoko, besides many other relatives and friends.—Eagle Beacon.

### Wanted—Farm Hand!

Married man with small family for steady employment, if satisfactory. Wages \$50 per month with usual extras. Must be experienced with stock, good farmer and able to handle tractor. Address with all particulars to "B.F." care Journal, Plattsmouth, Nebraska. n21-tw

### FOR SALE

White Wyandotte cockerels for sale. Fred Hanni, Murray phone 1813. 1tw

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My treatment is quick, cheap, reliable, safe, sure. Write for free postal book telling why.  
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## Vote on Court Entry Awaits Hoover Move

Action by American Senate Unlikely Until Political Situation Is Clarified

Washington.—Consideration by the Senate of the question of ratification of the revised World Court protocol awaits its approval by all the signatory nations and a clearing of the legislative and political situation in the Senate.

The Administration anticipates that a long period is likely to elapse before these objectives are realized. Until then the President will endeavor to develop support, both in and out of Congress, for ratification.

Even should the signatory powers approve the protocol before the adjournment of the present Congress, the Administration would find it difficult to press the issue of ratification in view of the congressional elections next summer. Republican congressional leaders are emphatic in asserting that they do not want this issue introduced in the coming Congress, saying that they have sufficient other issues facing them without adding this one.

**Tax Reduction First**  
The legislative situation in the Senate also precluded consideration of the subject for months to come. The Administration is having a contest on its hands to bring the much desired tax reduction proposal before the chamber, and with leaders of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee opposed to the protocol, even if the President so desired, he would have great difficulty in having the matter taken up.

The ranks of the opposition are unbroken. With the exception of James A. Reed (D.), former Senator from Missouri, all the leaders who contested American adherence to the international tribunal when the issue was before the chamber several years ago and whose vigorous dissent forced the enactment of the reservations, now modified, which proved unacceptable to the powers and had to be revised, are still in the Senate and as irreconcilable as ever in their attitude.

William E. Borah (R.), Senator from Idaho, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee; Hiram Johnson (R.), Senator from California; George H. Moses (R.), Senator from New Hampshire, and others reject the new proposal as inadequate safeguards of the Nation's interests and insist upon the retention of the original reservations, or refusal to join the Court.

**Opposition Remains Obdurate**  
When Elihu Root, author of the modified reservations, returned from his successful journey to Europe in the summer of this year, Henry L. Simons, Secretary of State, stated definitely that the Administration did not contemplate sending the matter to the Senate until all the member nations of the Court had approved them. He expressed the view that it would require many months before this had been accomplished.

Since the strained legislative and political situation has developed in the Senate, which in view of the coming congressional elections and the obdurate attitude of the opposition makes it unwise to force the issue at this time.

**VARE SUFFERS A RELAPSE**  
Atlantic City.—William S. Vare, former senator-elect from Pennsylvania, was ill at his home in South Berkeley Square, Chelsea, Thursday with what was said to be a relapse from his recent illness. The relapse is believed to have been caused by overexertion in his efforts to gain his seat in the United States senate and the subsequent worry over his failure. Mrs. Vare and their daughter, Mrs. William Kipp, also were ill in an adjoining room at the Varc cottage.

Miss Beatrice Vare, another daughter, said in the afternoon that an urgent call had been sent to the family physician. She said she was unable to say whether her father had suffered another stroke, but she admitted he seemed to be seriously ill.

Miss Vare said her mother and sister, Mildred, had both been suffering from colds and they seemed to be worse today. Her mother, she said, was also suffering from a heart condition.

### PLEASANT RIDGE COMMUNITY

There will be a meeting of the Pleasant Ridge community club at the Pleasant Ridge school, seven miles west of Plattsmouth, on the coming Friday night, December 20th where a very worthwhile program will be given, and of course there will be good eats to make the occasion the better. Do not neglect to be out and enjoy it. d&w

### BOX SUPPER

Program, plate and box supper at Horning school, Dist. No. 2, Wednesday, Dec. 18 at 8:00 p. m. Everyone welcome.  
KATHERINE GORDER, Teacher.

Two Holstein bulls and excellent ones for sale. Phone, or better come and see them. Roy Howard, Murray, Nebr. d12-2tw-2td

A few Cass county maps left at the Journal office. 50c each.

## Let's Go!

WHERE? JEAN SCHOOL, District No. 3.

WHAT? BOX SUPPER and Christmas program.

WHEN? FRIDAY, Dec. 20th at 8:00 O'Clock.

SHOW YOU'RE A GOOD SPORT and COME.

FRANCES LIVINGSTON, 14-4d, 1sw Teacher.

## Estate of Warren is Set at \$6,742,449

Widow and Son Principal Beneficiaries Listed in the Late Senator's Will.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Dec. 10.—The will of Senator Francis E. Warren of Wyoming, in which the senator estimated the total value of the estate at \$6,742,449 at the time it was drawn, March 4, was filed for probate here today.

The widow, Mrs. Clara A. Warren, and the principal beneficiaries are named as executors. General John J. Pershing, a son-in-law, was left 30 thousand dollars in stock of the Warren Live Stock company and the F. E. Warren Mercantile company.

Large blocks of stock of the United States Rubber company and the Standard Oil company of Indiana were listed in the bequests to the widow in addition to stock in several companies operated by Warren in Wyoming. Market values of the stock at the time the will was drawn were used by the senator in the estimate of \$6,742,449 as the total value of his estate.

Francis E. Warren 2d, a grandson, and a granddaughter, Mary Helen Warren, were among relatives receiving substantial bequests.

## Exceptionally Fine Line of Christmas Cards

The Bates Book and Stationery Store, in Plattsmouth, have an exceptionally fine line of Christmas cards this season, packed in boxes and packages. The \$1.00 boxes contain 12 and 15, an extra fine number, another one with 15 and one with 24 cards, also an envelope with 12 good cards for 25 cents and one line of boxes with 12 for 50 cents. These cards are all good values and owing to the condition of the roads we thought perhaps many of our former customers might want to mail in their order this season. If so select the box you like and mail us your check or stamps for the amount, and we will prep them to your mail box. Do this right now, as our line is complete and we can fill your order from any of the numbers given above. We guarantee them to be satisfactory. Send us your order today.

### ASK DRY HEAD TO QUIT

Columbus, O.—A resolution demanding the resignation of D. Leigh Colvin, president of the national prohibition party, was adopted by members of the party's national committee at a meeting here Wednesday. William F. Varney of Rockville Center, N. Y., was appointed to succeed Colvin.

### FOR SALE

Two Holstein yearling bulls.—Roy Howard, Murray, Nebr. d1-tfw

## 'Sixty Miles An Hour'

Sponsored by Plattsmouth Woman's Club

# Parmele Theatre

Thursday and Friday, Dec. 19-20th

Children's Matinee Thursday at 4:30

Admission, 10c

Admission - 50c at regular performances

Seat reservations at Mauzy Drug Co. Wednesday morning

## Additional Slashing of Income Taxes Up

Reduction in Form of Permanent Discount From Capital Gains and Loss Duty

Washington.—An additional tax reduction in the form of a permanent cut from 12 1-2 to 10 per cent in the capital gains and loss tax was proposed Wednesday by Senator Couzens, republican, Michigan, as an amendment to the pending resolution for a \$160,000,000 slash on income taxes due next year.

The resolution will be brought up on Friday in the senate with indications pointing to early adoption. Hoping to obtain action on the resolution in the form it passed the house, senate leaders held out little hope for the Couzens proposal.

The resolution provides for slashing 1 per cent of existing rates on the individual and corporation levies. The cut would apply to incomes of this calendar year.

**Proposed for Next Year.**  
Discussing his amendment, Senator Couzens, who is a member of the finance committee, explained that it would not go into effect until next year and would have no effect on the 1930 income of the treasury.

"There is a large body of public opinion," said Couzens, "that believes of capital assets if the capital gains tax is not so large. It is contended that there is much frozen real estate and stocks which the owners would like to sell but decline to because of the large capital gains tax."

"It is also reported that because of this condition a shortage in stocks was created which played a part in the recent stock market situation. This would be a real aid to business for 1930. I don't believe the proposed resolution accomplishes that purpose."—State Journal.

### FOG HINDERS AIR TRAFFIC

Chicago.—Air traffic was paralyzed by a dense fog that lasted over the middlewest today while in the north-west sleek coated telephone and telegraph communication with uncertainty. For the most part, mild temperatures prevailed through the day and brought predictions of rain for tonight. The mercury is expected to hover between 32 and 40 degrees over tomorrow in most sections. Lack of winds of any velocity in the north-west was all that prevented great damage to communication. All wires were coated with a freezing mist but in the absence of strong winds, the danger of fallen wires was lessened.

Omaha.—Dense fog, varying from a height of one to five thousand feet, has virtually paralyzed traffic along the transcontinental airways between North Platte and Chicago. Boeing officials here declared Thursday night.

Remember the big line of gift goods is carried at the Bates Book and Stationery Store. You have only a few more days to make your selections for Christmas. See our line before making your purchases elsewhere.

### FOR SALE

100 pullets, bred to lay duck, should be laying soon. Price 75 cents each.—W. N. Brink, phone 631-W. d9-3tw

Mrs. G. E. Spetman and sister, Miss eBatrice Knofleek, departed this morning for Omaha where they will enjoy the day in that city visiting with friends and looking after some matters of business.

## Announcement Christmas Rural Shoppers!

In this emergency of Bad Roads, let us help you with your Christmas shopping.

If you find it impossible or difficult to personally select your gifts, let us know what you have in mind and we'll give your various needs our very best attention.

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