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M. Sorick and family, of Lincoln, were visiting for over the week end at the home of Homer H. Lawton and family, where all enjoyed the visit very much.

Charles Schaffer and Victor Thimgan were visiting and looking after business matters in Lincoln on Wednesday of last week, they making the trip via their auto.

Miss Irene Gorthey celebrated the passing of her birthday on last Monday by having as her guest for dinner, her friend, Miss Fern Buck, who is about her own age.

A. Steinkamp, of Manley, was a visitor in Murdock last Wednesday and was looking after business matters as well as meeting with his many friends.

Lacey McDonald and the good wife and Mrs. Harry V. McDonald were over to Ashland on last Monday, where they were visiting and looking after some shopping for the afternoon.

Henry Stander, of South Bend, was a visitor in Murdock last Wednesday, getting some work done by the popular blacksmith, John H. Buck, whose good quality of work brings customers from many portions of the county.

Wm. Strach is having a new house built on some of his lands and has one of the very finest carpenters in this portion of the state. It is well and good that Will should have a good new house and he will get one when they have just purchased.

Arthur Jones, of Weeping Water, the very popular barber, was a visitor in Murdock last Monday, being accompanied by Mrs. Jones, and they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gorthey. They were trying out their new Model A coach, which they have just purchased.

Mrs. Clara Hartung, who has been spending a number of weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Neitzel and caring for the mother during the time she has not been feeling well, with the improved condition of the mother's health, departed for her home at Kansas City last Saturday evening.

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Mrs. Alice Vanderberg, who is taking her home with her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Gorthey, is continuing in about the same health as for several months past, which, with her years, is not the very best.

To better care for the business which comes to the Murdock Mercantile company's store, they have had a Frigidaire installed and which will care for the refrigeration of the institution and keep merchandise in much better condition and at less cost than the old fashioned ice box. While John Eppings was out on the road working at his daily task of making good roads and had left his car by the roadway, he came back with the maintainer and found some strangers attempting to start his car, but as he had fixed it so it could not be started, they had met with no success. They beat a hasty exit as he came into sight and made their escape without having done any damage to the car.

Judge Herman R. Schmidt with the family were over to Plattsmouth a few days since, where he was called to look after some business and after they had attended to the matters, they went to see the new bridge over the Missouri river, driving along the new highway known as Livingston road, and were much surprised at the wonderful view, both of the surrounding country and the city of Plattsmouth, which the highest point of the roadway made possible.

Made Favorable Hit
The play which the Senior class gave on March 13th, was such a success that all who wanted to see and hear it, were not able to do so. Consequently on March 18th the play was repeated by popular request and the auditorium of the Murdock school was again filled to capacity, all enjoying the presentation very much.

Happy Household
The home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Scheel is a happy one on account of the arrival of a blue eyed little lady who came to brighten the home and is doing so. The mother was just thirty years old on the birthday of the little daughter and they can celebrate the passing of their anniversaries on the same day. All are doing nicely and happiness reigns supreme. The little one arrived on Wednesday, March 19th.

Project Leaders Meet
Mrs. F. T. Johnson, wife of the superintendent of the Murdock schools at her home on Monday of last week, entertained the members of the project leaders' club, at which plans for future work were devised and the situation talked over. Very delicious refreshments were served.

Auction Sale
Notice is hereby given that the C. R. I. & P. Ry. Co. will sell at Public Auction at its freight house at Murdock, Nebraska, on April 10, 1930, at 10:00 a. m., shipment of one steel stock loading chute consigned to Speed Loading Co., said sale to be held account shipment on hands and charges due and unpaid, in accordance with paragraphs (b) and (c), Section 4 of the Uniform Bill of Lading.

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Held Interesting Meet
Suggestions for dressing up and conserving space in the closets were presented by the project leaders on March 19th. Some very artistic ac-

cessories made by them, were shown. Twenty members and one visitor were present.

It was decided to set local Achievement day for Saturday, April 12th. Everyone interested is cordially invited.

Our group meeting will be held at Greenwood, April 25th. —Reporter.

Installing Bulk Tanks
The United States Oil company, of which A. H. Ward is manager of the Murdock station, are to install immediately a bulk station tank for the storing and distribution of distillate. Mr. Ward has made a success of the oil business and will also make a success of this new phase of the business as well. He was a visitor at Elmwood last Wednesday, taking over a load of gas for the consumers there.

The King Has Arrived
This time Tony King has been dethroned—the real King has arrived and displaced Tony as ruler of his own kingdom. The King came in the form of a little son, born to Tony King and the good wife. This is the plain facts, but the real truth is that the coming of the little one has completely overturned Tony's kingdom and set up another for the little son now rules the kingdom and all is serene. There was no use fighting against the inevitable. All are doing nicely.

Caught Some Fish
John Gakemeier and Lacey McDonald were over to the Platte river and did some fishing the other day, being rewarded with three very fine table fish. There is no law against catching whale or sword fish, but they were not either of these. Well, there is a law against catching trout, so we will not call them by that name, but sure they were very fine fish, and they were invited to call again.

Restoring the Wrecks
Henry Jacobson is getting a very favorable reputation for the restoration of wrecked cars and during the past few months he has restored a goodly number of wrecks, putting them in the best of condition.

Out of Quarantine
Henry and Roy Oehlkerking has been released from quarantine, as they were quarantined out, not in which kept them from the others who had the scarlet fever, they only having to remain away from the public until the time for which they were liable to take the disease had expired and the time now being over. They have been making their home in the cob house and away from contact with the people who had the fever.

Some Mountains of the Bible
I—ARRARAT
Sixteen centuries had passed and men had grown worse, since Adam's fall. There seemed no way to stop his downward course. God, looking down on the scene, had to acknowledge that the wickedness of man was great in the earth. He found only one family that met his approbation, Noah's, of whom it was said: "Noah was a just man, and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God."

God instructed this man to build an ark and while building to preach repentance to his generation, but it seems with no success. But God had given them warning of the coming catastrophe. At last the time was up; Noah and his family entered the ark. God shut the door, and the flood came. Noah remained in the ark the greater part of one year, when finally the ark rested on Mount Arrarat.

From this place, 16,000 feet high, the center of the then known world, a new start was made to populate the world. A covenant was entered into between God and man, the seal of which is the bow in the cloud. God has kept his part of the agreement. From this mountain has gone forth the promise of God:

"While the earth remaineth, seed time and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease."
"We can trust God."—"Be not dismayed whatever, betide God will take care of you!" —L. Neitzel.

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Death of One Time Resident of Murdock

Amos Bricker Passes Away at Home at Ashland on Sunday After Short Illness

The death of Amos Bricker, prominent resident of Ashland and formerly living in Cass county, came as a great shock to the friends in the west portion of the county, he passing away suddenly on Sunday at the family home.

The funeral service was held at Ashland Wednesday afternoon at the Congregational church, conducted by Rev. D. M. Beggs, a former pastor of the Congregational church, and a close friend of the family, and Rev. Leo L. Duerksen, the present pastor. The body was laid to rest in the Ashland cemetery.

Amos W. Bricker was born August 23, 1852, in York county, Pennsylvania. When he was four years of age, his parents moved to Astoria, Ill., where he grew to young manhood. He came to Plattsmouth, Neb., in 1871, at the age of 19 years, and lived for a time with his brother on a farm near Murdock.

On January 23, 1876, Mr. Bricker was married to Miss Rachel Roberts, to which union were born ten children, nine of whom are still living. In 1888 he moved with his family to a farm west of Memphis, and in 1901 to Ashland, his time since being almost equally divided between the farm and the city.

Mr. Bricker a brief illness caused by heart trouble. At the time of his death he was 78 years, 5 months and 5 days of age. Early in life he united with the German Reformed church, and during his residence in Ashland he had his letter transferred to the First Congregational church of Ashland.

Mr. Bricker is survived by his wife nine children, Mae of Wahoo, Frank of Nemont, Ill.; Roy, Jennie, Myrtle and Harry of Ashland; Mattie of Louisville; Emma of Havelock; John of Alliance; and fifteen grandchildren. He is survived also by one sister, Mrs. Sarah Maxwell, and one half-sister, Mrs. Katy Riley, both of Astoria, Ill.; and one brother Emmanuel, of Kansas City, Mo.

Felony to Slander Solvent Bank in This State

Knowingly to Circulate False Reports Means Fine or Prison Sentence.

The new bank bill, now in force, contains a section declaring it a felony for any one knowingly to tell false tales concerning any solvent state bank. This section was incorporated in the original bill at the request of Governor Weaver and officers of the state banking department, the latter having in mind an instance some weeks ago of the failure of a state bank as a result of stories circulated which the banking department found to be without foundation.

The attorney general and county attorneys are authorized by law to file complaints against persons deemed guilty of violation of the new law. Section 14 of the new bank law reads:

"False statements or reports concerning banks—whenever shall make, utter, publish, circulate, subscribe to or exhibit any false statement or report, oral or written, concerning the solvency or financial condition, status, or standing of any solvent corporation transacting a banking business under the laws of this state, knowing such statement or report to be false, shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not more than \$1,000, or shall be imprisoned in the state penitentiary not more than two years."

WAS COLOR BEARER

The article appearing in the Journal a few days ago relative to the incidents of the presentation of the flag to Co. A of this First Nebraska in 1881 has brought to many recollections of that occasion and of the many brave men that constituted the company and the regiment that later saw much service in the Mississippi valley campaigns. The color bearer of the company, we have been informed was Richard Kinnaman, for many years a resident of this city but now long since joining the great army in blue that is at rest. The widow of this veteran with several of the children still reside here and to them the story of the flag presentation was of particular interest.

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Hunting for 'Higher Up' in Dynamite Plot

Two Men Under Arrest in Falls City Probe in Attempted Dynamiting of DeLair Home.

Falls City, Mo., March 21.—Sheriff Lewis Davies left here tonight to seek return to Falls City of Paul Rother, 25, a St. Joseph waiter, arrested Friday as a suspect in the attempted dynamiting of the home of former Police Chief DeLair here.

Meanwhile Jess Thompson, 20, who served a jail term for a liquor law violation about a year ago, is held in jail here or investigation in connection with the same case.

Rother denied any connection with the dynamite attempt, according to dispatches from St. Joseph, and said he would fight extradition. He was arrested about noon, and was identified by William Ellinger, manager of a St. Joseph sporting goods store, as the purchaser of 18 sticks of dynamite on March 13, the day on which the explosive package was found near the DeLair home here.

The dynamite had failed when the four-foot fuse attached to it sputtered out in the high wind, and the package was found by members of the family a short time later.

Rother admitted purchasing dynamite on March 7 and again on March 17, saying he bought six sticks on each occasion, and that he had used it to blast for fish. He denied any purchase on March 13.

Mr. Ellinger said that the purchase of 18 sticks was made at 5:45 p. m. March 13, and that his cash register shows the exact amount of the purchase as the first item on March 14, as he had already made the checkup of cash for March 13 at the time of the purchase. He claimed he was positive of his identification.

"Higher Up" Sought.
Thompson arrested here today, was asked if he knew Rother. He answered that he knew a fellow at St. Joseph that is commonly called "Pauley" who answers the description of Rother.

Sheriff Davies said that "Pauley" is a nickname applied to Rother at St. Joseph.

Officers here believe that some man not yet in custody was the man who planned the dynamite attempt, though pointing out that one can drive from St. Joseph to Falls City in less than two hours, and it was more than two hours after the dynamite purchase at St. Joseph before the explosive was found here.

The investigation is proceeding on the theory that the blast attempt was the outcome of an old-time grudge against DeLair by someone not now living in Falls City.

Sheriff Davies received requisition papers for Rother this evening, and left at 8:30 p. m. for Jefferson City, to ask Governor Caulfield of Missouri to honor the requisition request. He hopes to be able to bring Rother here Saturday.—World-Herald.

Judge Dales to Quit Post at the University

Dean of Secretaries Will Round Out 57 Years of Active Service on Jan. 1, 1931

Lincoln, March 21.—Judge James Stuart Dales, oldest ranking employe of the University of Nebraska in point of years of service, will round out his active official status after 57 years of service and retire Jan. 1, 1931. This action was taken Thursday afternoon by the board of regents of the state university at the behest of Mr. Dales. He will become secretary emeritus of the board or regents.

Judge Dales was one of the first two graduates of the institution, receiving his bachelor of philosophy degree in 1873. He was granted the master of philosophy degree in 1874. He is the father of Tacoma, Wash., was the other member of the original class.

Joined Staff in 1875
In 1875 Judge Dales became associated with the staff of the University of Nebraska as general secretary of the board of regents, then having charge of the financial affairs of the institution. In 1913 he was made a member of the university senate and given the rank of dean. In 1924 he was made corporation secretary of the board of regents.

Following is the resolution unanimously passed Thursday by the board of regents in commemoration of the coming retirement of Judge Dales:

"Resolved that the board of regents express to James Stuart Dales its appreciation of the unusual service he has rendered the University of Nebraska."

Dean of Secretaries
"Mr. Dales is the dean of secretaries of all American state universities, his connection with this university dates from its foundation. He has the distinction of being a member of the first class that graduated from the college of arts and sciences. He is also the first person to receive an advanced degree in course."

"On Dec. 15, 1875, his official connection with the university began. As secretary of the board of regents, secretary of the university senate and chief financial officer of the university he has played an important part in the management and

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development of this institution from its earliest days to the present. It is with keen regret that Mr. Dales' own suggestion this board is forced to contemplate and provide for a time when his active services will cease."

TWO BANDITS ROB BANK

Lewis, Wis.—Two bandits held up the Lewis state bank here shortly after noon Friday and fled with about \$6,500 in cash. The two men entered the bank when E. A. Luke, cashier and J. J. Kopecky, assistant cashier, were alone. Ordering the men to lie down on the floor the two hurriedly took all the cash in sight.

LABOR UNIONS ATTACKED

Havana—Court orders Friday for the suppression of nine labor organizations that participated in Thursday's twenty-four hour strike against employment conditions, and indictments against forty-two Cuban labor leaders for inciting disturbances against the government, marked the aftermath of the strike.

Judge Eduardo Potts of the court of first American criminal courts, Friday afternoon ruled that the thirty-two men, many of them Spaniards, are guilty of sedition and of trying to incite disorder. He further ruled that the nine unions were affiliated with the third international at Moscow. The nine include the Federated Labor union of Cuba, Confederated Labor of Havana, Havana Electric labor unions and lesser trade associations. The strike was conducted without public demonstrations and was free from disorders.

MOTHER OF 5 FACES BUM LAW SENTENCE

Rockford, Ill., March 21.—Mrs. Petra Opitierres, 39-year-old mother of five children, today faces a jail sentence after her conviction for violation of the prohibition law.

NIP ATTEMPT TO SMUGGLE

Los Angeles—With the arrest of five men, two of them aviators, and the seizure of a \$50,000 transport plane, federal immigration agents said Friday night they had broken up an elaborate plot to smuggle alien Chinese into California from Mexico by air. George E. Flaherty, owner of the seized transport, was arrested at his home here late Friday and immigration agents said he confessed employing two fliers to pilot the plane on a smuggling expedition. The pilots previously had been arrested. They are Harold A. Sweet, twenty-six, of Los Angeles, former air line pilot, and George V. Gray, thirty-four, of Taft, Cal. Others in custody are John F. Smith, twenty-four, of Los Angeles, and Eddie M. Collins, thirty-four, of Long Beach.

First intimation of the alleged plot came early last Monday, when Mexican authorities found Collins and Smith and nine Chinese in an automobile which had bogged down on a little used road near Mexicali, lower California. The captives were turned over to immigration authorities for the United States at Calexico, American border city.

AIRMEN BURNED TO DEATH

Sugar City, Col.—H. Ray Findeisen, thirty-five, pilot, and Harry Abel, forty-five, passenger, were burned to death near here Friday when their airplane was wrecked in landing and caught fire. Findeisen was president of the Southern Colorado air transport company. Abel was a Pueblo investment broker. The men flew here to inspect the airport.

IN ATTEMPTING TO LAND FINDEISEN EXPERIENCED SOME MECHANICAL DIFFICULTY.

Suddenly the ship lurched and dived. As it hit the ground the gasoline tank exploded. Several in the crowd ran to their automobiles, seized fire extinguishers and tried to fight the flames, but the men were dead before rescuers could reach them.

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Comparative Balance Sheet			
—Farmers Union Association—			
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December 31, 1929			
ASSETS			
Current—	January 1, 1929	December 31, 1929	
Cash on Hand	\$ 41.45	\$ 106.48	
Cash in Bank	1,744.42	2,600.49	\$ 2,706.88
Accounts Receivable	1,564.70	3,350.57	
Fixed—			
Elevator Buildings	\$5,372.09	\$6,201.50	
Coal Sheds	200.00	200.00	
Warehouse	762.00	762.00	
Furniture, Fixtures	351.37	351.37	
Scale	661.17	684.40	
Flour House	285.16	285.16	
TOTAL	\$7,631.70	\$8,484.43	
Less Depreciation	3,819.61	4,218.76	4,265.67
Inventories—			
Per Schedule	5,159.08	8,378.79	
	\$12,321.74	\$15,351.34	
LIABILITIES			
Current—			
Notes Payable	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,500.00	
Capital—			
Capital Stock	11,200.00	11,200.00	
Deficit	3,378.26	7,821.74	10,551.34
	\$12,321.74	\$15,351.34	
Wm. W. Kalisek, Auditor.			