

UNION ITEMS.

Stacy Niday and wife were over to Nebraska City where they were visiting with friends for a few hours on last Monday.

Little Jimmie Frans, who has had the mumps and having mastered them did nothing else but contract a case of chicken pox.

John Rice and wife of Plattsmouth were visiting in Union last Sunday, guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Fitzpatrick.

John Fitzpatrick and wife were over to Plattsmouth last Saturday, and while there purchased a very fine 1933 Dodge four door sedan.

Many of the people of Union were over to Nebraska City last Monday where they attended the Passion Play which was held at the parlors of the Methodist church.

Wm. Helleg and wife of Lincoln were in Union last Monday morning, Mr. Helleg having some business matters to look after here and was accompanied by the wife.

The children at the home of Chas. Meridith have been having both the chicken pox and mumps. They are now recovering from both, and waiting for the time to return to school.

Mrs. Owen Ross who came from her home at Oak Park, Illinois, for a visit with her brother and sister, Frank and Anna Bauer and also with Joe Bauer and wife, and also hoping that her health might be better.

John Chase and wife and son, Wilber of South Omaha, were visiting for the day on last Sunday at the home of Frank and Anna Bauer. They came to visit with them and with a sister, Mrs. Owen Ross, who is sick at their home.

George E. Nickles was a visitor in Union on last Monday morning, coming with a party of contractors who had some lumber which was to be used on the river work and was not suitable, which they desired to sell. Mr. Nickles was also visiting with his friend, D. Ray Frans while here.

Charles Meredith who some three weeks ago had his fingers mashed while working at the quarries, had the injury attended to while there as there was no doctor then in Union. He had made all necessary proofs and was sending same in for proof for his insurance when the papers were lost, so he had to go over to Nehawka again for duplicate papers. He has been out of work for a number of weeks.

Has Large Herd of Hogs.
John T. Becker purchased recently some two hundred hogs which he has on feed at the farm and sure they do eat corn. We were a visitor at the farm last week when he fed them and how they did crack corn. The lateness of the season is fine for the growing porkers as they find much green pasture to run in which adds much to keeping down of the expense of their keep.

Mr. E. M. Griffin Poorly.
A letter from Tulsa, Oklahoma, where the father of Horace Griffin is now making his home, is now very poorly, he having sustained a severe stroke since going there. He is being cared for at the home of his daughter and while everything is being done for the patient he does not seem to show the improvement desired. He, however, is but slightly worse, and hopes are maintained that he may soon show improvement.

Will Meet Next Week.
The Union Woman's club have arranged to meet on Wednesday, Dec. 5th. They will be the guests of Mrs. D. Ray Frans. A full attendance of the membership is desired.

Played With Dunbar Team.
The basketball team of the Union high school were over to Dunbar on last Friday where they played with the team of the high school of that place and where a very fine game was played, but the Dunbar team won by a score of 18 to 11.

Give Many Showers.
The friends of the winsome bride, Mrs. Beulah Kilman, formerly Miss Beulah Niday, who was married a few weeks ago, and who has a host of friends, have been expressing themselves in the giving of a number of showers for this very popular lady. On day last week the 4-H club of which she was a member met at the home of Miss Augusta Robb where they made merry and expressed their friendship for the bride of a few days by giving a shower. Then followed a shower at the home of Miss Ruth Warden. Then the following day a merry group of young people met at the home of Mrs. J. C. Snavely where they honored Mrs. Kilman at another shower. In all the merry times which were had and the gifts given, speak loudly in favor of

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this very charming young woman.

The American Red Cross.
We are now in the midst of a roll call for the American Red Cross. Each branch has been given a quota, the amount falling to Union being thirty-five. The number which had answered to the roll call on Monday of this week was twenty-one. In accordance with the plans of the order the window at the Union post office is dressed very becomingly with red crosses, making it a reminder of the need of answering the roll call.

Infringement Suit Against Airlines Filed

Nebraskan Asks Court to Enjoin Firm from Making, Using or Selling Said Patent.

Lincoln, Nov. 27. — George A. Hughes of Lincoln Tuesday went to federal court as the "designer of the world's first practical airplane" to claim United Air Lines, Inc., has infringed upon his patent and ideas.

He asked the court to enjoin United Air Lines from manufacturing, using or selling the patent. No fixed amount of damages is asked, but he asks the court to decree an accounting of all profits from the patent by the defendant.

Invented in 1893.
Hughes claims he conceived a practical flying machine in 1893—a decade before Langley and the Wright brothers.

Correspondence with S. P. Langley, the Smithsonian institution scientist who built the first airplane to leave the ground, is mentioned by Hughes in his petition to federal court as evidence of his early inventing.

Hughes has never completed his airplane nor ridden in one built by anyone else. He says he hopes to fly to Paris and back in a few hours when he gets the money and time to build his plane.

The suit, Hughes said, is based on a patent he obtained on Aug. 2, 1922, on the idea of tilting the wings upward in relation to the fuselage—an idea he asserts he copied from gliding birds in 1893, and incorporated in his first models.

Sought Patent.
Hughes applied for his first airplane patent in 1899, but the United States patent office was a bit skeptical of all flying machine in those days. He will offer that application, as well as a photograph taken in 1901 of him and his "airplane" model, in an effort to establish himself as the pioneer airplane designer.

Hughes claims his plane, which could sell for \$750, would easily fly 500 to 600 miles an hour—if the engine were powerful enough, would hover almost motionless in the air like a bird, take off in about 30 or 40 feet, and land slowly and comfortably.

PLAN FOR LIQUOR CONTROL
Omaha.—City Clerk Hannon said a non-political commission with wide powers to handle liquor regulations in Nebraska appears outstanding among plans now being discussed by politicians and newly-elected legislators at Lincoln. Hannon returned Thursday from a visit there.

The plan provides that the commission be composed of three members appointed for two, four and six years, respectively, by the governor. Thereafter the office would be elective, on a non-political ticket. Office staff and inspectors would be under civil service.

The plan contemplates passage of a broad regulatory law by the legislature, leaving details and enforcement up to the commission, Hannon said. If adopted it would be effective not later than next May 1, Hannon added. The discussions, Hannon said, indicated that the commission plan was looked upon favorably by Governor-elect Cochran.

The country is drinking far less legal liquor than in pre-prohibition times, and the government agents, disappointed in the revenue, blame the bootlegger and his customers. Well, perhaps; and then the fact that there is considerable difference between 35 cents for a questionable drink now and the old scale of two for a quarter if you kept your foot on the rail—that might account for some of the disappointment, too.

"See it before you buy it."

A NEW INSTRUMENT OF WAR

Washington.—War's latest monster, an eight ton tank capable of making fifty to sixty miles an hour over rough country, was tested by the war department thru Washington's streets and over the memorial highway to Mount Vernon. Protected by three-quarter inch armorplate, and costing \$30,000, it is designed to be the first of a fleet of war tanks to go into action ahead of the infantry. The war department budget probably will provide for construction of a number of the weapons during the next year. Maj. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, deputy chief of staff, and Maj. Gen. Edward Croft, chief of infantry, reported that the tank rides like a heavy passenger car, is comparatively free of noise, and at twenty miles an hour, can almost turn in its own length.

Expect Iowa's Hogs to Lift Debts in 1935

Predict Price Upturn to Restore Porkers as Mortgage Relief; Crop is 23% Below 1933.

Ames, Ia., Nov. 25.—That Iowa hogs may in 1935 get their first chance in several years to do some "mortgage lifting," is indicated by the Iowa Farm Outlook for 1935 prepared by the Iowa State College extension service.

"Hog marketings during the year which began Oct. 1 will probably be the smallest in 20 years," the circular explains. "The 1934 spring crop was about 25 per cent less than the year before. In Iowa the decrease amounted to 23 per cent. The fall pig crop will probably be around 50 per cent less than the fall 1933 crop."

Expect Higher Prices.
"The outlook is for much higher hog prices on the average next year," it continues. "The peak in prices should come next summer when the effect of the extremely small pig crop of this fall will be felt. A considerable rise in prices is also to be expected, however, in late winter and early spring."

Although production of hogs was greatly reduced in 1934 it is probable numbers will be still further cut during 1935, the circular says. It is possible the spring crop of 1935 will be lower than that of last spring. The unfavorable corn-hog ration and the extreme scarcity of feed supplies will probably result in relatively light breeding of sows for next spring farrow.

Offset Unlikely.
"About 50 per cent of the pigs in last spring's crop were raised in emergency drouth counties an other counties in the country where corn production was far below normal. It seems unlikely production in counties where feed is plentiful could offset the decrease in these counties with little corn," the report states.

MAHER, MARDI ARE FREED

Omaha.—William Maher and Jimmy Mardi, held in jail since Oct. 23, charged with murder in the death of Harry Lapidus, business leader shot to death Dec. 22, 1931, were released on \$15,000 bonds Monday afternoon in district court.

Six persons pledged property valued at \$67,000 to obtain the release of the pair, formerly big figures in the Omaha liquor traffic. Principal bondsman was Mrs. Sarah Maher, mother of William Maher, who put up \$30,000 in real estate on the two bonds. Others who offered security were Tony J. Minardi, Joe Scavio, D. W. Bernstine, Frank Coll and William Perren.

TWO FOUND DYING IN HOME

Easton, Pa.—Jacob Jacobs, 48, a tailor's helper, and his 7 year old daughter, Alice, were found fatally wounded in Jacob's home, near two nooses hanging in a doorway. Police said Jacobs apparently lured his daughter to his home, shot her as she hung from one of the ropes and then shot himself after the second noose broke. Both were still alive when police broke in a rear doorway, but died in a hospital within a few minutes. Jacobs had been separated for some time from the girl's mother.

LYNCHING DAMAGE SUIT

San Francisco.—On the first anniversary of the day a mob lynched John M. Holmes and Thomas H. Thurmond in San Jose for the kidnap-slaying of Brooke L. Hart, Holmes' young widow filed a \$20,000 damage suit here. The suit, the second filed during the year by Holmes' relatives, charged Sheriff Emig and his deputies failed to protect Holmes from the mob.

Leaders Called by President to Frame Program

Senators Robinson and Harrison to Discuss Bonus and Tax Questions with Roosevelt.

Presidential thoughts turned to the new congress with the summoning by Mr. Roosevelt of Senator Robinson of Arkansas, democratic leader, and Senator Harrison of Mississippi, chairman of the finance committee, for a preliminary conference at Warm Springs, Georgia. These two administration stalwarts, who will travel to Warm Springs Monday, will be depended on by the president to a great extent in keeping the overwhelming new deal forces on the administration path.

Of impending controversial issues, there is little doubt of determined opposition to the immediate full payment of the soldier bonus certificates. Senators Robinson and Harrison would be called on to help raise the funds should this proposition succeed, it was suggested. As for new taxes, there is an obvious determination also to avoid a revenue raising bill at the incoming session. Some of the temporary emergency levies probably will be extended.

The president also will resume his business parleys from the little white house cottage this week. Rudolph Hecht, new president of the American Bankers' association, and Secretary Roper, of the commerce department, will call.

Sunday, however, was devoted to quiet and a further demonstration of the president's community life theory. Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Ford of Detroit called for an informal outdoor luncheon. Late in the day Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt drove about the countryside. The friendship established here between the president and Edsel Ford is regarded as another milestone in the program for closer co-operation by business with the new deal.

Eugene Black, governor of the Atlanta federal reserve bank and special liaison officer between the government and the banks, reported to the president increasing co-operation by the banks with the effort to expand credit.

In beginning his congressional discussions, Mr. Roosevelt looks on one of the largest majorities ever given an administration in congress. But he is regarding it very seriously, fully aware, his aides say of the dangers involved. So far there is no sign of any further emergency legislation.

MORMON CHURCHES CLOSED

Salt Lake City.—Officials of the Latter Day Saints here were at a loss to explain a reported order of Governor Quevedo of Chihuahua, Mexico, closing Latter Day Saints meeting houses in that state. Not only are the branches of the churches in Mexico in charge of officers of Mexican citizenship, many of them natives, but most of the residents of the five Latter Day Saints colonies in Chihuahua are native or naturalized Mexicans, Sylvester C. Cannon, presiding bishop of the church explained. While many of the colonists were forced by internal troubles to flee from Mexico in 1912, they returned two years later and since then their work has been undisturbed.

Bishop Cannon said the church has observed strictly the Mexican laws, particularly that forbidding aliens to conduct religious services.

El Paso, Tex.—Elder Melvin J. Ballard of Salt Lake City said here Mormon church officials in Chihuahua would co-operate in every respect with the Mexican government's edict closing places of worship. "We always have been treated well by the Mexican government and we intend to continue harmonious co-operation," Mr. Ballard said. "We will not say that we are happy over the situation in Mexico, but we feel that conditions will improve in due time."

CALLED 'GOOD TIME GIRL'
Louisville, Ky.—Miss Bessie VanderMeulen, stenographer, was painted as a "good time girl" in testimony given in her \$100,000 breach of promise suit against Thomas L. Barret, 56 year old bachelor, clubman, and boat dealer.

William K. Redmon of Lexington and Willard E. Barcus, of Detroit, former prohibition agents, told of parties at which they met Miss Vandermeulen and of her having accompanied a bootlegger in making early morning deliveries.

Had Spirited Game
The regular basketball squad of the Avoca schools and a team composed of members of the Alumni and former school stars played a very spirited game at the high school gym on last



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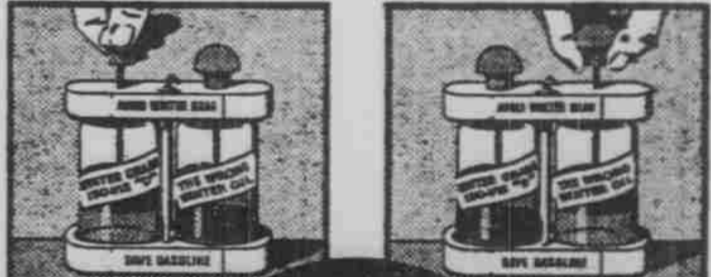
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AVOCA NEWS

George Cotton and mother, who reside at Auburn, were visiting with friends in Avoca last Sunday.

Earl Morley and family, of Peru, were visiting last Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morley.

William Grafe, who resides a few miles west of town, is having a barn built. He secured the lumber at the Avoca lumber yard.

Mrs. Rawalt and son, Verne, were guests of Mrs. Carl Zaiser for a trip to Omaha last Monday, she taking them up in her auto.

Ellis LaRue, wife and little son, of Weeping Water and Omaha, were visiting and looking after some business matters in Avoca last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Thomas and children, of Shenandoah, were guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bogard, parents of Mrs. Thomas.

Paul Ottens, who recently returned home from the hospital in Omaha, where he underwent an operation, was able to walk down town last Monday. He is making good improvement at this time.

C. W. Everett, of Weeping Water, was looking after some business matters in Avoca last Monday, checking out and adjusting meters for patrons of the Nebraska Power company, which furnishes electricity to the people of this vicinity.

Harry L. Lum, of Verdon, was a visitor over Sunday at the home of his brother, H. M. Lum, and they drove to Lincoln Monday to look after some matters of business. On returning to Avoca, Harry visited here over night, returning home Tuesday. He made the trip on a bus, catching same at the crossroads north of town on Tuesday forenoon.

Had Spirited Game
The regular basketball squad of the Avoca schools and a team composed of members of the Alumni and former school stars played a very spirited game at the high school gym on last

Friday night, which was won by the Alumni by a score of 36 to 16.

Making Important Moves

Henry Smith, who has been making his home in the residence property of Fred McGrady, has moved to a property owned by Jacob Opp. With the vacation of his property, Mr. McGrady has moved into same, and the place he vacates is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Behrnes, who resided in Nebraska City for a number of weeks, but have moved back to Avoca. Leslie Potts, who has been residing in a part of the Mrs. L. J. Marquardt home, has moved to the residence property of Thomas S. Pitman, who is now making his home at Nehawka. A nice bit of moving about, but all are settled nicely now and ready for the wintry months ahead.

Ladies Aid Meets
The Ladies Aid of the Congregational church of Avoca met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wolph and were royally entertained by Mrs. Wolph, who has a reputation for being a splendid hostess. The ladies took up the work incident to the season and their program was very interesting, being arranged to center about the New England of the early days, when our ancestors were making history.

Played Basket Ball
The Avoca basketball team, which was defeated by the Alumni in a recent practice game, is scheduled to play its first game of the season this week. Avoca always produces a good basketball team, having younger lads coming up from the grades, who are trained along this line, and hopes are entertained that this year's team may be no exception to the rule. No small town in the state is better known in basketball realms than Avoca.

Stork Pays Visit Here
The good news comes that a very fine little blue eyed baby girl came to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyers, on Sunday, November 11, and on the following Friday, Novem-

ber 16, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meyers was blessed with the gift of a boy. All concerned are doing nicely. The two families live in the same neighborhood and joy reigns supreme.

Baby Swallows Safety Pin

The seven months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Potts, while playing with an open safety pin, swallowed the same. This happened on Monday and at latest reports there had been no serious effects.

Enjoyed Wedding Dance

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newham, who reside in Weeping Water tendered them a dance at Avoca on last Saturday night, which was greatly enjoyed by all present. Mr. and Mrs. Newham have been married only about a week, the bride being formerly Miss Ada Sudman.

Distant pastures may look enticing to some, but not to those who keep abreast of the values advertised each week in the columns of the Journal.

CLEAN UP SALE OF Used Cars & Trucks

We are actually sacrificing on each one of our used cars and trucks in order to have a clean slate for the arrival of our new 1935 trade in cars.

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