

MURDOCK ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Robson of Lincoln spent the Christmas holiday with her father, Edward Ganaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Gillespie spent the holidays at the home of his brother, Harry Gillespie and wife, at North Loup.

The stork paid a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bornemeier on Thursday, December 23, leaving them a fine baby daughter.

Douglas Tool who spent Christmas at the home of his parents, returned to Atlanta the latter part of the week, to resume his school work there today.

Miss Frances Lawton went to Lincoln last week, where she has accepted employment. She also visited a short time with her grandmother, Mrs. M. Sorich.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gamlin and the kiddies visited over the holidays at Pleasanton, Kansas, with the parents of Mr. Gamlin. During their absence affairs at their home were looked after by Glen Harger.

Fred Deckman was able to return home last week from the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln. He has been having much trouble with his feet and was taken there some time ago for treatment.

S. P. Leis and Homer Lawton were at Jackson, Nebraska, and Sioux City, Iowa, during the past week, where they were called to look after business connected with the settlement of the estate of relatives of Mr. Leis.

O. E. Bradford and family, of Beatrice and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tool of Wahoo returned to their respective homes Sunday evening after their Christmas visit at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Tool.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Craig entertained on New Year's day, their guests being Mrs. Craig's father, E. D. Friend, who makes his home here part of the time, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Godbey and James Friend of Alvo.

Aunt Dies in Wisconsin

Joseph F. Gustin received the sad news of the death of his aunt, Rose Wescherin age 84, of West Bend, Wisconsin, her death occurring early last week. Accompanied by his wife, they drove to the Wisconsin city for the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gustin and Raymond Ekeland of Elmwood, relatives of the deceased lady, also attended the funeral. She is survived by nine children.

Says Wolves Plentiful

Lacey McDonald reports seeing a total of eight wolves in one day while making the rounds of his mail route. The increasing number of these barnyard marauders is causing concern among the farmers who have chickens, pigs or lambs and makes it imperative that something be done to get rid of them. It was thought a wolf hunt would prove effective and preliminary arrangements made for holding one only to learn that much of the territory it was planned to comb constitutes the game preserve that has been established in this vicinity and that under no condition would hunting be allowed by the state.

The east line of the game preserve is the road running north and south by the Callahan church and it is in this very territory that the greatest number of wolves are believed to have taken refuge.

Just what will be done further to clean out the wolves is uncertain.

An Enjoyable New Year

L. Neitzel and his housekeeper, Mrs. Martin, entertained for New Year's day, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Neitzel and family of Murdock, and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hitchcock and family of Havelock.

Here for Funeral Services

Rev. W. A. Taylor, of Union, who was pastor of the Baptist church of Wabash for some sixteen years and made the acquaintance of nearly everybody in this neighborhood, became a close friend of the C. S. Hite

family. At the time of Mr. Hite's death several years ago, Rev. Taylor preached the funeral sermon and it was the request of Mrs. Hite and the family that he conduct her funeral as well, so when she was so seriously ill and before her death in accordance with her wish, the sons drove to Union to request Rev. Taylor to conduct her funeral. Following her demise, Henry Amgwert drove to Union after Rev. Taylor who had charge of the funeral which was held in the Murdock church, being assisted by Rev. Harvey A. Schwab, pastor of the church. Interment was in the Wabash cemetery beside the remains of her late husband.

Polypus Growth Removed

Dr. Formanack took Irene Gorthey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gorthey, to Otoe Wednesday morning to remove a polypus from her throat. He removed one large one and three small ones from her throat and several small ones from her nose. She came through the operation fine and is doing nicely, but will have to remain in bed for several days.

Visiting Parents Here

Turner Zink, who some time ago went to Washington, where he enlisted in the navy for a second hitch, being assigned to duty aboard the U. S. S. Potomac as a technical mechanic, applied for and was granted a thirty day furlough and arrived at home December 19th, so was able to enjoy the Christmas season here. He will return to his ship at the end of the thirty day period.

Children Home Over Christmas

Dr. Carl Baumgartner and wife, who spent the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Baumgartner, left last Monday for their home at Valentine. They left their four year old son, Jimmie, with the grandparents.

Miss Hildegard Baumgartner, who is a teacher at the Malvern, Iowa, school, and who has been at home over the holidays, left yesterday to resume her work.

Passing of Pioneer Lady

Rebecca Hullfish was born April 25, 1870, in Owensville, Indiana, and died early Thursday, December 22, in Murdock, age 67 years, 7 months and 28 days. She was one of the early pioneers, coming here from Indiana at the age of ten years.

She was married to Charley Hite March 4, 1885, at what was known as Bushbury, Nebr., a place only a few miles from here, and with the exception of two years in western Nebraska had lived continuously in the near vicinity, the past 22 years being spent here in Murdock.

She was the mother of eight children, two daughters dying in infancy. She leaves three sons, George of Oakland, Nebr., Lewis, of Lincoln, and Floyd, of Weeping Water; three daughters, Mrs. Gladys Amgwert, of Lincoln, Mrs. Josie Shimmin, of Prairie View, Illinois, and Mrs. Opal Krueger, of Murdock; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; three brothers, Will Hullfish, of Elmwood, and Charles and Frank Hullfish, of Lincoln; one sister, Mrs. Myrtle Parmenter, of Wann, Nebr., also her girlhood home. Mrs. Lizzie Marx, of Lincoln, together with numerous other relatives and a host of friends.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hite were held in Murdock Sunday afternoon, December 26th, at 2 o'clock, in the Ebenezer Evangelical church, Rev. W. A. Taylor, of Union, gave a eulogy of her life and gave the message. Rev. Harvey A. Schwab had general charge of the services.

Special hymns were sung by Mrs. Leo Rikli and Mrs. Emma Ward, who were accompanied by Mrs. Wesley Metzke.

The pall bearers were Albert Weichel, Harry Weichel, Charles Godbey, Ed Brunkow, Ray Parcell and Joe Parcell.

Interment took place in the Murdock-Wabash cemetery beside the body of her husband who preceded her in death.

MAYOR ROSSI PINCH HITS FOR LONDON LORD MAYOR

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—In London, Britishers like to be married in the Lord Mayor's office with all the pomp and ceremony that goes with that dignified representative.

So when Philip Ashley Wallers, representative of Lloyds of London, wanted to marry Miss Geraldine Lenore Brooks, stenographer, he was at a loss for a place for the ceremony. Mayor Angelo J. Rossi of San Francisco obligingly lent his office so the Englishman could be wed with at least a touch of the old air.

Superior Judge John J. Van Nosttrand, wigless but austere, read the ceremony.

MANLEY NEWS

Mark Bryant, Missouri Pacific agent spent Christmas with home folks at Auburn.

The parents of Linus Massoth drove here from their home at Geneva to spend Christmas day at the Massoth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haws spent Christmas day in Omaha at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Elmer Salberg and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flaischman spent Christmas day in Ashland as guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Gade and family.

Miss Anna Rauth, of Omaha, was an over Christmas guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rauth, returning to Omaha Sunday evening.

Rev. Starkey, who has conducted church services here a number of times, and his wife spent Christmas here at the home of their friends, Grover Lawrensen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Coon of Lexington were visiting with Ralph's father, George Coon, and Messrs Grover and Fred Lawrensen and their families, all enjoying the Christmas season very pleasantly.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sheehan, at a St. Joe hospital on Christmas day. Due to the poor health of the mother it was deemed best to have her taken to the hospital. Her condition is reported as fair.

Mrs. Peter Christensen and Miss Nell Zwierlein visited friends in Omaha last Tuesday, being accompanied to the city by the Misses Rena Christensen and Hedwig Sorensen, who have been guests of friends here during the holidays.

Messrs. and Mesdames Robert Wiles and Lawrence Krecklow, who spent Christmas with the Louis Krecklow family in Milwaukee, returned home the latter part of last week. They report a very pleasant visit in the Wisconsin city.

Fog Was Very Dense

August Krecklow was in Omaha last Tuesday with a load of hogs for Roy Steinkamp, who accompanied him. Mr. Krecklow reports the fog became so thick after they passed the Murray corner that visibility was limited to a few feet in front of their truck, and only then after repeated cleanings of the windshield. They were forced to creep along at a speed no greater than five miles an hour a good portion of the way into Omaha, and then the fog lifted considerably enabling them to drive a little faster.

Spent Christmas at Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rauth went to Valley to spend Christmas day as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blumquist. The two families have been close friends a long time and enjoy getting together at rather frequent intervals. On their return home, they were accompanied by the Misses Hedwig Sorensen and Rena Christensen, who spent several days at the Rauth home and visiting other friends in this vicinity.

Large Family Gathering

As related in last week's Manley department a large number attended the Christmas day dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stander, including relatives of both. The list of guests was as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew V. Stander, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Seiker and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Seiker of Elmwood, John Poliecek, Sr., his daughter Anna and son Frank, of Plattsmouth, and another son, John Poliecek, Jr., and wife, of Chicago.

An Evening at Cards

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rauth entertained a group of friends at their home on Wednesday evening, A 6:30 dinner was followed by an enjoyable evening spent playing cards. The guests were Messrs and Mesdames Ralph Keckler and L. A. Wiseman, of Weeping Water; Frank Taylor, of Alvo, and Rudolph Bergman, Harry Haws and Oscar Dowler of Manley.

REPORT WPA INCREASE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30 (UP)—Works Progress Administration relief rolls increased 30,626 during the week ending December 18, according to statistics released today.

This was the largest increase of any week this calendar year and brought the total number of persons on WPA projects to 1,588,315. Eleven states-reported increases of more than 1000 during the week. Five reported decreases.

The figure for the week ending December 18 was approximately 288,000 more than the year's low of 1,450,101 but did not equal the high of the present fiscal year established on July 2 of 1,776,234.

Phone news items to No. 6.

Elmwood News

Charles E. Wood and wife spent Christmas day on the farm where Walter lives, south of Cedar Creek.

R. M. Dennis has so far recovered from his attack of pneumonia as to be up and about a part of the time.

N. D. Bothwell was a business visitor in Lincoln last Tuesday, going after a truck load of groceries for the store.

Stanley Wood and wife went to Clearwater, where they spent Christmas day at the home of the parents of Mrs. Wood.

John Taylor, of Kimball, Nebraska, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reber entertained their son Gerald Reber and family and their daughter, Mrs. Ronald Schlichtemeier and family on Christmas day.

Minton V. Wood was called to Plattsmouth last Thursday, where he attended a meeting of Cass county truckers who were discussing the new trucking law and its various provisions.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tyson entertained members of the family at their home on Christmas day. Among the guests were Dr. R. W. Tyson and family of Murray, several from Lincoln and points west and Mr. and Mrs. Marlon McCroxy of Elmwood.

Returned to Home in West

Charles Aldrich, who came from Los Angeles to visit his mother, Mrs. Bess Streeter Aldrich, over Christmas, returned to his home in the west last week. Another son, James Aldrich, who was here from his home in New York, remained for a longer visit and is leaving today for home.

Milton Beecher and family, of Lincoln, who were also here over Christmas, returned to their home the latter part of the week. Other guests at the Aldrich home included Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cobb, the latter a sister of Mrs. Aldrich.

Found Pavement Plenty Slick

L. F. Fitch started out for Omaha Tuesday morning when the fog was thick. He made pretty fair progress till he arrived at the Murray corner and drove onto the concrete pavement, which was very slippery. Thinking he might be going a little too fast, he stepped on the brakes and round his car spun as he barely avoided going into a ditch at the side of the road. So he decided to turn around and come back to Elmwood, which he did. The pavement has been plenty slick this past week, with fog and sleet prevailing much of the time and it does not pay to venture around too much unless one just has to make a trip, for there have been a good many serious accidents.

Suffered Fractured Ankle

Last Thursday evening as Mrs. Herman Penterman was en route to the post office she stepped into a depression that caused her to fall, fracturing her ankle. The broken bones were reset and she was put to bed. So many of her friends have called that there is some one there most of the time and at one time there were sixteen ladies present, all wanting to know if there was anything they could do to make her more comfortable or assist with her work.

Shower for Fellow Member

Members of the Rebekah lodge held a shower for one of their members, Mrs. Inez Boyd, who was formerly Miss Lane before her recent marriage. The event was held at the lodge hall Tuesday evening, a large number of the members being present and a very enjoyable time had by all.

Taken to Louisville

L. F. Uley, who has made his home alone, and who suffered a stroke some two weeks ago, was taken to the home of his son at Louisville last Sunday morning. He will be able to receive much better care there and his friends hope he will recover his health.

Had Fine Turkey Dinner

The home of N. D. Bothwell and family was the scene of a very pleasant Christmas day gathering. Those present besides Mr. and Mrs. Bothwell and their daughter, Jean Adair, were Oscar Turner, father of Mrs. Bothwell, John E. Turner and family of Plattsmouth (who supplied the turkey for the sumptuous meal) and Cloyd Turner and family, of Marquette.

Attended Funeral in Wisconsin

Frank Gustin and wife and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Eveland were called to West Bend, Wisconsin by the death of a sister of Mr. Gustin. Mrs. Rose Wescherin, early last week the funeral was delayed until their ar-

ival. They returned home Thursday after a very arduous trip. The deceased was 80 years old and is survived by nine children, all grown and many with families of their own.

Entertainment at Churches

Friday evening of last week there was a very fine Christmas program presented at the Methodist church, arranged by the ladies of the church and the Bible school. After the program, Santa Claus made his appearance with treats for all the children. The attendance was large.

At the Christian church the exercises were held the Sunday evening before Christmas, with a tree, and a visit from Santa Claus who had a gift sack for all the kiddies.

The program at the Evangelical church was held Thursday evening, comprising a pageant that was most beautifully presented. Santa put in his appearance there and distributed gifts from the large and beautifully decorated tree.

Thus Elmwood had her full share of Christmas programs, all well rendered and doing much to keep before the public the beautiful story of old when the Christ child was born in a manger.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To the creditors of the estate of Henry Greer, deceased, No. 3267: Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is May 2, 1938; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on May 6, 1938, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims due or due to be paid.

Dated December 31, 1937.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of George P. Meisinger, deceased, No. 3274: Take notice that the Executrix of said estate has filed her final report and a petition for examination and allowance of her administration accounts, determination of heirship, assignment of residue of said estate and for her discharge; that said petition and report will be heard before said Court on January 21, 1938, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated December 20, 1937.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

REFEEE'S SALE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska

Laura Eita Hendee, Plaintiff, vs. Fred McElvain, et al., Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, entered in the above entitled cause on the 29th day of December, 1937, and an order of sale, entered on the 31st day of December, 1937, the Sole Referee will on the 7th day of February, 1938, at 11:00 o'clock a. m., at the South door of the Court House in Plattsmouth, in Cass County, Nebraska, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, that is to say 10% on the day of sale and the balance when said sale shall be confirmed by the court, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 1 in Stadelman's Outlots in the NW¹/₄ of the NE¹/₄ of Section 30, and also Lot 30, in the SW¹/₄ of the SE¹/₄ of Section 13, all in Township 12, Range 13, East of the 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska. Sale will be held open for one hour.

Dated this 3rd day of January, 1938.

WALTER H. SMITH, Sole Referee.

A. L. TIDD, Attorney for Plaintiff. j3-5W

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the Matter of the Trusteeship of the Estate of William H. Newell, deceased. Trusteeship No. 835.

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the above entitled matter: You and each of you are hereby notified that W. A. Robertson, Trustee under the terms of the last will and testament of William H. Newell, deceased, has this date filed a petition in this Court alleging that he has completed the trust created under said last will and testament and that said trusteeship proceedings should be terminated, and praying for approval of his final report herein filed on December 6, 1937, together with all prior reports herein filed, and for an order of Court distributing the remainder of the property now in his possession or under his control as trustee of said last will and testament, and for his discharge;

You are further notified that a hearing will be had upon said petition together with all reports of said trustee before this Court on January 24, 1938, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m.

All objections to the allowance of said reports and the granting of the prayer of said petition should be filed in this Court on or before said hour and date of hearing.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1937.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge. (Seal) j3-3w

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Clara Mumm Twiss, deceased, No. 3317: Take notice that a petition has been filed praying for administration of said estate and appointment of George R. Mumm as Administrator; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 28th day of January, 1938, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated December 30, 1937.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge. (Seal) j3-3w

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Educational Lands and Funds or its authorized representative will offer for lease at public auction on the 28th day of January, 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., at the office of the County Treasurer of Cass County, in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, the following educational lands within Cass County, upon which the contract of sale or lease has been forfeited or canceled. At the same time and place, all movable improvements on such lands will be sold at public auction. Said public auction is to be held open one hour. The right to redeem the within described lands ceases to exist upon the completion of this advertisement.

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LEO N. SWANSON, Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings.

NOTICE OF HEARING

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the matter of the Trusteeship of the Estate of Caroline Williams, deceased:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a hearing will be had before the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska, in the court house at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on all reports filed in this court by C. H. Longacre and Augusta Longacre, trustees under the last will and testament of Caroline Williams, deceased, on January 22, 1938, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., at which time the Court will examine all reports of said trustees, covering the period of time from January 7, 1935, to and including the date of the filing of the sixth annual report herein, namely December 20, 1937, with a view of passing upon the correctness of the same. All objections, if any, to said reports must be made on or before the day and hour of said hearing.

Dated this 20th day of December, A. D. 1937.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska } ss. Cass County }

By virtue of an execution issued by C. E. Ledgway, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass County, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 29th day of January A. D. 1938, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the South Front Door of the Court House in the City of Plattsmouth in said County, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

South ¹/₄ of Southeast ¹/₄ of Sec. 15, Township 11 North, Range 13, East of the 6th P. M. in Cass County, Nebraska, except 3 9/10 acres deeded to David J. Pitman;

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Albert A. Young, et al., Defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by Fred T. Range, Trustee, Plaintiff against said Defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Dec. 22, A. D. 1937.

H. SYLVESTER, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

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NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska

John Bond, et al., Plaintiffs, vs. Ruth Bechtel, et al., Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, entered in the above entitled cause on the first day of December, 1937, and an order of sale entered by said Court on the first day of December, 1937, the undersigned Referee will on the 22nd day of January, 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. at the front door of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, Alvo, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Southwest quarter of Section 28, Township 11, North, Range 9 and— West half of the northwest quarter of Section 33, Township 11, North, Range 9, all in Cass County, Nebraska

upon the following terms: Ten per cent of bid in cash on date of sale, balance in cash upon confirmation of sale and delivery of referee's deed of land free from encumbrance except lease on said lands to February 28, 1939, with 1938 rentals to be furnished purchaser showing merchantable title. Said sale will be held open for one hour.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1937.

W. A. ROBERTSON, Sole Referee.

J. A. CAPWELL, Attorney. j5-5w

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of William Patterson, deceased, No. 3268: Take notice that the Executrix of said estate has filed her final report and a petition for examination and allowance of her administration accounts, determination of heirship, assignment of residue of said estate and for her discharge; that said petition and report will be heard before said Court on January 14, 1938, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated December 17, 1937.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge. (Seal) d20-3w

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska } ss. County of Cass }

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by C. E. Ledgway, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass County, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 22nd day of January A. D. 1938, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the South front door of the Courthouse, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska in said County, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate to-wit:

Lots 12, 16 and 17 except the West 50 feet in a parcellogram of Lot 17 and a strip of land 13 feet wide along the south side of Lot 17, all in the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 31, Township 12 North, Range 9, East of the 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska and Lots 25, 26, 27, 28, 27, 28, 29 and 40, situated in Jones' Second Addition to the Village of Greenwood, Cass County, Nebraska;

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Fanny Sayles, a widow, et al., Defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by Carrie M. Armstrong, Plaintiff against said Defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, December 13, A. D. 1937.

H. SYLVESTER, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

on Petition for Determination of Heirship

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

Estate of David Bachler, deceased. Estate No. 331