

# Alvo News

A. B. Stroemer has a sprained arm and has been having to carry it in a sling.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dimmitt and son visited at the J. L. Dimmitt home in Greenwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coatman and Mr. and Mrs. John Fischer were Lincoln visitors Monday.

Charles Godby called on J. L. Dimmitt of Greenwood Thursday afternoon. Mr. Dimmitt is recovering from pneumonia.

Little Tommy Wallace has been staying part of the time with Mrs. Arthur Dinges, while his mother has been in the hospital.

Mrs. Frances and son, Junior, visited a couple of days last week at the Arthur Dinges home. Mrs. Frances and Mrs. Dinges are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Gerbeling and daughter spent the week end at the S. C. Hardnock home after returning from Beatrice Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barkhurst, of Lincoln, and Mr. and Mrs. Abbott of Texas were guests at the Charles Edwards home New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dickerson and family, Emmett Friend and James Friend were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Godby Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dimmitt and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mickle and son were dinner guests at the William Mickle home on Christmas day.

Miss Mary Peterson of Wichita, Kansas, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Peterson and relatives here during her Christmas vacation.

Ross Fairfield has just recovered from a very badly infected throat, which was the cause of his missing a week of school before the Christmas vacation.

Charles Ayres spent a few days during the holidays with his aged mother, who lives in Oklahoma. Mr. Ayres left for Oklahoma on Tuesday, December 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Rehmeier, Frank and Fred were dinner guests at the Fred Rehmeier home in Weeping Water Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Peterson and family drove to Fremont early Saturday morning, where they spent Christmas day with Mrs. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rueter to Grand Junction, Iowa, last Monday, where Mr. and Mrs. Rueter visited Henry Rueter and C. A. Kupke and families. They returned home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dinges accompanied by Mrs. Frances and son drove to Syracuse Friday evening, where they spent Christmas day with Mrs. Dinges' father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Bray.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Don McKinnon and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Harold McKinnon and children were Christmas day guests at the Fred Gorder home at Weeping Water.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Edwards and children of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Edwards, Mrs. Minnie Peterson and Miss Mary Peterson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards Christmas day.

Ivan Barkhurst, of Fort Morgan, Colorado, who has been spending a few days during the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barkhurst of Lincoln, was a guest at the Charles Edwards home Thursday.

The road east of town will soon be covered with crushed rock. The work of hauling is now under way.

Miss Alice Taylor and friend returned to Onawa, Iowa, Monday morning after visiting at the Edwin Taylor home during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hardnock of Colorado have been visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hardnock and other relatives this week. Will Hardnock is a former Alvo boy, but has resided in the western part of the state for several years until the past two years, when they moved to Colorado.

Parents of Fine Daughter  
Rev. and Mrs. Ben Wallace are the proud parents of a fine baby daughter. The fine little daughter weighed a little over five pounds and was named Betty Ann.

Mrs. Wallace and baby planned to return home from the Bryan Memorial hospital Saturday, January 1st.

Rev. and Mrs. Wallace have the congratulation of their many friends.

Home from St. Paul  
Mr. and Mrs. Turner McKinnon returned home from St. Paul, Minnesota, Thursday night after spend-

ing five months with their son Harold and family and daughter and family of that city. The son Harold and family brought Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon home, remaining for a brief visit with relatives and friends here. Sunday evening they left for Omaha, where they also expected to spend a few days with Mrs. Harold McKinnon's parents before returning to their home in the north.

### Guest Speaker at Church Service

Harold McKinnon, a former Alvo boy, was a guest speaker at the Alvo church Sunday morning. Harold gave a most interesting talk on the "Good Will Industries." Old friends here enjoyed very much the opportunity of hearing Harold speak. Mrs. McKinnon was a former teacher in the Alvo school and friends enjoyed meeting her again.

Harold also taught the Men's Sunday school class that holds its weekly sessions over the Jordan store.

### Hostess to Club

The Alvo Woman's Reading club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Arthur Dinges Thursday afternoon, December 23.

The members enjoyed a very fine program with Mrs. W. L. Copple as leader.

Junior Frances of Seward, the little nephew of Mrs. Dinges, played several cornet solos. He was accompanied by Margaret Jean Stroemer. These special musical numbers were greatly enjoyed by the club ladies.

Mrs. Frances was an out-of-town guest at the club.

Mrs. Dinges served delicious refreshments at the close of a very pleasant afternoon.

### SIX-WORD WILL ON TORN PAPER FILED IN COURT

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—A will of only six words, hastily scribbled on a scrap of paper no larger than a grocery receipt torn in half, may play an important part in the distribution of a Dallas man's estate.

"All I leave belongs to Bun," the penciled instrument said.

Bun is Mrs. W. G. Davis. Her husband in 1920 wrote the instrument which was filed at his last will and testament.

Davis wrote the statement in Galveston just a few moments before he crossed the causeway to the mainland. Storm warnings were raised while he was working on jetties then being constructed. He sent his wife and children to California but waited until the storm broke to leave the island. He was the next to last person in an automobile to cross the causeway before it collapsed.

Mrs. Davis discovered an old wallet belonging to her late husband, who died last October, recently, in which was the paper with cancelled checks and papers indicating he was in Galveston at the time. The paper was signed, "W. G. D."

Mrs. Davis, temporary administratrix of the \$7,500 estate is seeking to be named permanent executrix.

### STRIKES INJURE GOVERNMENT

PARIS, Dec. 28 (UP)—The popular front government of Premier Chautemps endangered by rapidly spreading strikes which tied up public service in Paris called on the army and navy tonight to break the movement.

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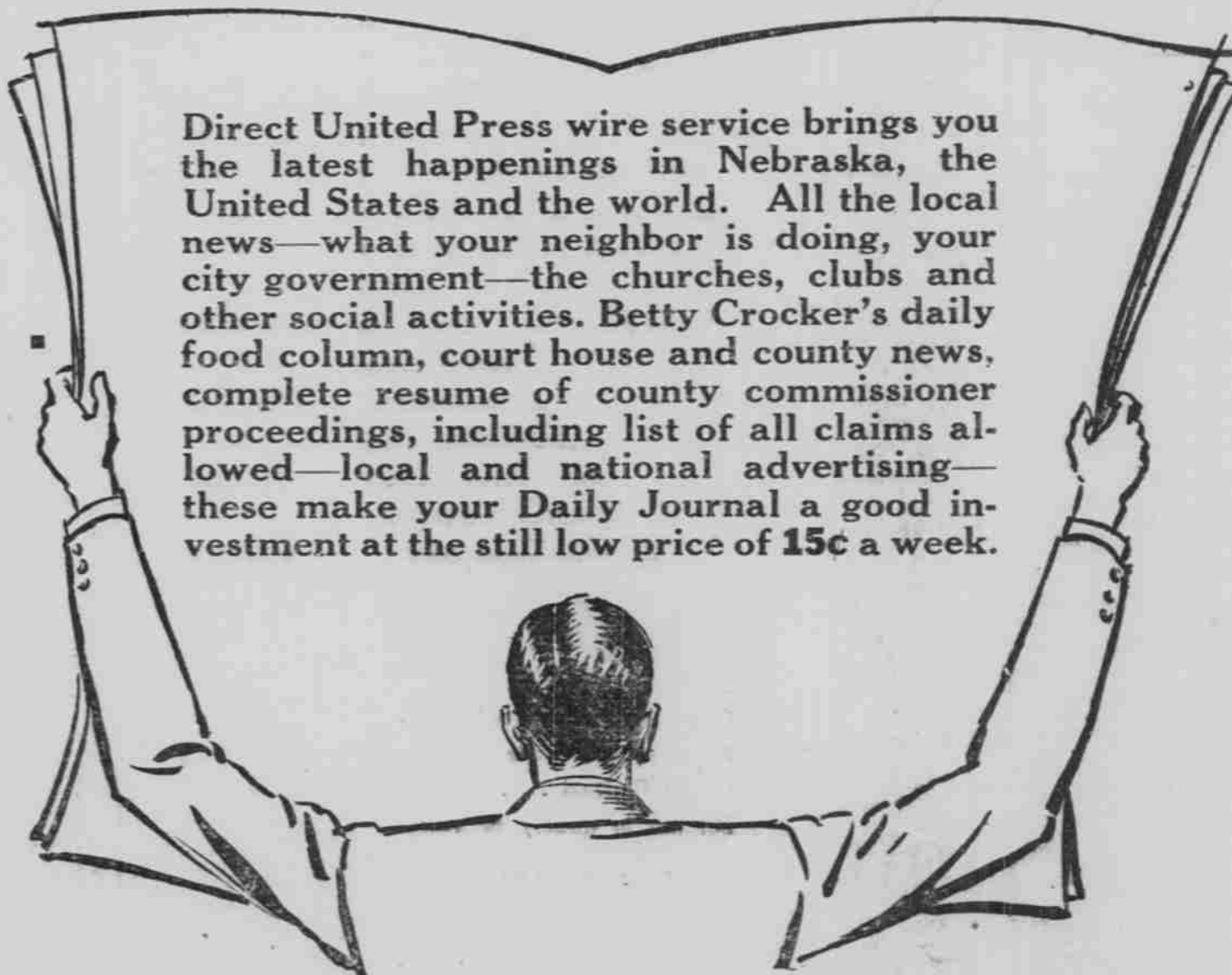
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