

Prairieland Talk

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his party has done more than any other group to suppress communism is pretty much of a joke.

W. E. Clark, of Atkinson, sentenced from Brown county on a charge of cattle rustling, is among a few whose cases are up for consideration by the board of pardons. . . . In some communities men are going all-out Buffalo Bill because of the price of hair cuts. . . . A telephone talk with Tom Brennan conveyed the information that his brother, John, is in a Salt Lake City hospital because of injuries sustained in an accident. John and Tom are of the real pioneer stock that founded O'Neill, the late Col. and Mrs. Neil Brennan. . . . A picturesque gent has disappeared from the rural scene since the advent of the mechanical cornpickers, the husky who could shuck 100 bushels or more from sunrise until evening shadows gathered. . . . Some with fingers nipped off or a hand sacrificed on the altar of up-to-date stuff in the cornfields are now in the rural picture. . . . A medical journal states the profession now has tuberculosis "cornered." There are 76,000 TB's "cornered" in 830 American sanitariums.

Long ago roads were laid out on section lines five rods wide. This takes from the land on each side of center 2 1/2 rods. It was J. Sterling Morton, the author of Arbor day, who preached that

LEGAL NOTICES

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NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL
Estate No. 3707
COUNTY COURT OF HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA.
ESTATE OF PAUL SCHWISOW, DECEASED.
THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, TO ALL CONCERNED:
Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed for the probate of the will of said deceased, and for the appointment of James B. Grady as executor thereof, which will be for hearing in this court on December 7th, 1950, at 10 o'clock A. M.

LOUIS W. REIMER,
County Judge.

(COUNTY COURT SEAL) 28-30

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(John R. Gallagher, Att'y.)
NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL
Estate No. 3708.
COUNTY COURT OF HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA.
ESTATE OF CLARENCE C. WREDE, DECEASED.
THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, TO ALL CONCERNED:
Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed for the probate of the will of said deceased, and for the appointment of Mabel Wrede as executrix thereof, which will be for hearing in this court on December 14, 1950, at 10 o'clock A. M.

LOUIS W. REIMER,
County Judge.

(COUNTY COURT SEAL) 29-31

the roads should be narrowed. He felt there was land going to waste that should be growing corn. Now some self-appointed "watershed" and conservation experts propose widening the roads. Should another rod on each side be added to the public highways it would mean appropriating four acres to the mile from land along the roads. Maybe the owners of the land would have something to say about such a proposal. In every period of Nebraska history there have been those who would have moved the stars out of their course, but haven't we become of age and so let well enough alone? It will be admitted that all too many are on the highways who need more room, but does the remedy lie in widening the roads or going back to the source?

The late election demonstrated Nebraskans demand tax cuts. The talk now forecasts the possible enactment of both sales and income tax laws. The incoming legislature should take warning and go slow about burdening the people with more tax laws. Beware that referendum.

After deliberating 80 hours a jury in district court returned a verdict of "not guilty," thus discharging from legal custody a Holt county citizen charged with rape. The same jury released Bill Robinson on a charge of violating game laws; he had 89 prairie chickens when apprehended. He was rearrested 10 minutes after the verdict was read by a game warden and taken to Omaha for trial, fined \$100 and his bag of chickens confiscated. All that was 47 years ago when there was something doing most of the time at the courthouse up on the hill. It takes a Lancaster county jury of seven women and five men a few minutes to return verdicts of guilty in a half-dozen court procedures involving young fellows charged with attempted rape.

A woman identified with the movement in the Philippine Islands to free their country from the Japanese was taken prisoner and marked for execution. She had her choice of hanging, being shot or beheaded. "I only regret that I can not die all three ways for my country," was her reply to the one making this unanimous offer. She lives today because the first A-bomb brought an end to the Japs' dream.

After that political outburst down at St. Louis, Mo., we got the Sunday morning paper and a refreshing with Maggie and Jiggs at the opera.

The laborer receiving \$1.50 an hour has less possessions than his dad who got \$1.50 for a 10-hour day.

BINS BEING FILLED
ATKINSON—Between 3,000 and 4,000 bushels of corn have been stored in one of the newly-constructed government grain bins here. Four of them are to be located west of the cemetery. The largest one will hold approximately 60,000 bushels and the other smaller three will hold around 43,000 bushels each when completed. Filling of the bin started Friday. Only the large one has been completed at this time.

Eddie Bren, 55, Burial at Alford

LYNCH—Funeral services were held for Eddie Bren, 55, on Friday, November 17, at the Lynch Methodist church. Burial was made in the Alford cemetery west of Monowi.

The late Mr. Bren was raised in Boyd county and lived here practically all his life. He was a farmer and never married.

For several years he has made his home in Rapid City, S. D., where he passed away Wednesday, November 15.

Survivors are three sisters—one of whom is Mrs. James Svatos, of Lynch.

Organize Missionary Group At North Platte

ATKINSON—Rev. Asa Wood and his wife, Rev. Edna Wood, of Wesleyan Methodist church, accompanied Rev. Wesley Francis and his wife, of Page, to North Platte last Thursday. The ministers spent the day in North Platte organizing a missionary group there. Friday the Woods went to Scottsbluff where they held a Sunday-school conference. They returned home late Saturday evening, rounding out an extremely busy week.

On Wednesday, November 15, they had been host to the district convention in their own church here. Members from churches at Page, Venus, O'Neill, Lynch, Ne-Elight and Spencer were present. These towns together with Greeley comprise the district. Guests were also present from Butte, Amelia and Riverside. Rev. L. J. Reckard, of North Platte, was guest speaker.

Masons Entertain

ATKINSON—The Atkinson Masons were hosts at a card party held Friday evening, November 17, in the Legion hall. Guests for the evening were members of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Albert Lemmer and Mrs. Fred Jungman tied for high score in canasta and C. E. Spence took the prize in pin-ochle. R. F. Griffin won first in bridge and also carried off the door prize.

Other Atkinson News

Mercedes O'Connell, St. Joseph's honor student of '48, went to Omaha Thursday, October 16, where she has employment with an insurance company as messenger girl. Mercedes has spent the past few months at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connell, helping to care for her baby brother.

Atkinson business firms will be closed all day Thursday in observance of Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard ("Dick") Osborne were weekend guests at the home of Dick's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Bayne Grubb, of Chambers. Mr. Osborne is employed at the Gaylen Motor Co.

Rev. E. G. Hughes returned Saturday, November 18, from Lodgepole where he had been preaching this week in connection with the evangelism services being held throughout the state by the Methodist church. Frank Murray, of Atkinson, served the church here during the pastor's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralton Jarvis drove to La Vern, Minn., Sunday, November 19. They were accompanied by Mr. Jarvis's mother, Mrs. J. R. Jarvis, who will spend the winter months with her

daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Larry. The Larrys drove from their home at Northfield, Minn., to meet her mother and the rest of the group at La Vern. They all expected to return to their homes the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McDowell were in Lincoln last weekend to visit at the home of their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis McDowell and their two children.

Allen Anderson, of Yankton, S. D., spent the weekend at the home of his father, Alfred Anderson, also his brother, Leland Anderson, and his sister, Mrs. Alpha Anderson Kirkland.

Page Auxiliary Arranges Gifts

PAGE—The American Legion auxiliary, of Page, met Friday evening at the Legion hall. Eight members were present and two guests, Mrs. John Grutsch, of O'Neill, and Mrs. Richard Trowbridge, of Page.

Mrs. Evelyn Gray, president, presided at the meeting. A committee was appointed to send three Tarlatan dolls, three men's handkerchiefs and fill two \$5 boxes with useful articles to be sent to the Veterans hospital at Lincoln. They had previously sent money for the gift shop. They had on display a new U. S. flag and will soon have their auxiliary flag finished. Committees were also appointed to have charge of a benefit card party at the Legion hall Wednesday evening, November 29.

Plans were made to hold a bake sale December 9. At the close of the evening the members enjoyed a luncheon and were also joined by the members of the American Legion who held their meeting the same night.

Other Page News

Mrs. Evelyn Gray, of Page, and Mrs. Loyd Cork, of O'Neill, are operating the Copes cafe during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Copes. Mrs. Elsie Cork is staying at O'Neill at the Lloyd Cork home this week.

Melvin Albright, of Wayne State Teachers college, stopped at Page Friday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Gailord Albright, while on his way to Lincoln to attend the football game Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duncan, of Rapid City, S. D., who have been staying at the John Burt-whistle home at Pilger, came Saturday evening to stay awhile with Mr. and Mrs. Larbee Kelly. While they were at Pilger Mr. Burtwhistle fractured a bone in his arm.

The WSCS met Thursday afternoon, November 16, at the Meth-

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odist church parlors. Mrs. Herbert Steinberg had charge of the devotions and the lesson, "I'm Proud of India." Mrs. Ethel McAninch, of Cedar Rapids, gave a talk on "Christianity in the Home." The ladies quitted during the afternoon. Hostesses were Mrs. Allen Haynes, Mrs. Harry Harper and Miss Elsie Lamason.

Mrs. Paul Hartigan and Mrs. Neil Asher attended the wedding of Miss Genevieve Brunckhorst and Max Mossman at the Methodist church at Inman Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Hansen, of Wayne, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Hansen's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Larbee Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Winter, of Oacoma, S. D., came Saturday afternoon to take Mrs. Winter's mother, Mrs. Frances Suiter, to her home at Oacoma after spending almost four weeks with her son, W. F. Williamson, and wife. They left Sunday for their homes.

Arnold Stewart, who was employed at the filling station for a number of years when it was operated by E. E. Allen and worked there after it was purchased by Melvin Held, commenced working last week at the Melvin West hardware store in Page.

The Bid or Bye Bridge club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. LaVern Finley, Mrs. Melvin Carson, Mrs. C. E. Walker and Mrs. Jerome Allen were guests. Mrs. Allen held high score and Mrs. Carson all-cut.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Copes accompanied their son, E. E. Copes, and wife, of Ainsworth, to Lin-

coln Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Copes expect to be gone a week. They will visit their granddaughter, Jean Woods, of Lincoln, and the Cecil Woods home at Raymond.

The NOK club met with Mrs. Josie Crumly Thursday afternoon with 15 members present. The afternoon was spent with needlework. The luncheon was served by Mrs. A. T. Crumly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Braddock and Gene drove to Omaha Saturday to take Pfc. Dale Braddock there from where he left for Spokane, Wash., where he is stationed. They returned Sunday. Mrs. C. A. Townsend accompanied the Braddocks to Omaha where she will visit her son, Alva Townsend, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Linquist and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Soren Sorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stewart spent Sunday at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Krugman, and family, of O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reed, of Orchard, came Friday night to the Larbee Kelly home. Mr. Reed returned home Saturday. Mrs. Reed remained longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Nissen attended services at the Methodist church at O'Neill Sunday and were dinner guests at the home of their son, Dale Nissen, and family.

Mrs. Russell Sorenson and

daughter, of Creighton, and mother, Mrs. Lowell Murphy, of Plainview, were dinner guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Heiss and spent the afternoon with Mrs. Jennie French. Bobbie Sorenson accompanied Mrs. Sorenson to her home to help with the work. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sorenson and family spent Sunday at the Russell Sorenson and Bobbie came to Page with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Asher, Mrs. Anton Nissen and P. E. Nissen, of Page, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brunckhorst and two daughters, of Inman, went to Osmond Sunday to help Mrs. Kate Fielberth celebrate her 86th birthday anniversary. A no-host dinner was served. Mrs. Nissen, Mrs. Asher and Mrs. Brunckhorst are the daughters of Mrs. Fielberth.

Visit Smiths
VERDIGRE—Miss Mary Ellen Smith and Gilbert Holghn, of Sioux Falls, S. D., were Armistice weekend guests of Mary Ellen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, of Verdigre. Other guests at the Smith home were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thelander and sons, of Orchard.

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