

# ALVO DEPARTMENT

## R. W. STEWART

DEALER IN

Pumps

Wind Mills

Paints, Oils

Gas Engines

Well Work a Specialty

CALL ON US FOR ANY-  
THING IN OUR LINE

ALVO -- NEBR.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shaffer were visiting in South Bend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stromer and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stroemer were in Lincoln Saturday afternoon.

Dr. L. Muir and family autoed to Millford Sunday morning where they spent the day with the doctor's father and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Knieely and children, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, spent Sunday night with Dr. and Mrs. L. Muir and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cashner spent Sunday with Mrs. Cashner's brother, Elton Smoke and family, near Eagle, and while there they inspected the new consolidated school building.

Mrs. Walter Collins entertained the Woman's reading club on last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stroemer were calling on relatives at Wabash Sunday afternoon.

Ralph Uhley came in from St. Joe, Mo., to visit over Sunday with his wife and children.

Mrs. Frances Cash and children, of Hallam, came in Monday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Myers.

Sunday evening services at the M. E. church consisted of scriptural views and the lecture on "Americanization" was read by Supt. J. W. Kingsinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lancaster, of Havelock, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lancaster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Prouty.

Rev. E. A. Knight left Sunday evening for Des Moines, where he has been in attendance at the general conference of the M. E. church during the past week.

Mother's day was observed in Alvo by a fitting program rendered at the M. E. church in the morning. The ladies of the church took charge of the services. A splendid paper on "Mothers" was given by Mrs. R. F. Johnson. Miss Lois Keefer and Lee Prouty each sang a solo and a mother's choir furnished some special singing.

Miss Lois Keefer came home Friday evening from Shelby, where she is teaching to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Keefer and had as week-end guests the Misses Belle Sutherland and Dorothy Koon and Messrs. Robert Mc-Mockin, Floyd Pedist and John Inks who autoed over from Shelby Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cole, of Mynard, were also Sunday guests at the Keefer home.

G. P. Foreman has taken his cattle to Seward county for the summer season. John Foreman, Charles Foreman and Vernon Hinebaugh drove their car over.

Members of the Royal Neighbor camp of Alvo are invited to meet with Neighbor Mrs. Anna Hardnock Wednesday afternoon, May 19. Let all who can attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Appleman were up from Liberty over Sunday.

Fay Parsell returned on Monday via the auto route to his home in Gage county. Mrs. Parsell will remain for some time with her parents.

Delbert Skinner arrived Monday from Winnipeg, Canada, with the car of household goods and farm implements and horses which was shipped to Canada several weeks ago. He was on the way home two weeks.

Mrs. C. F. Rosenow spent Saturday night and Sunday at home returning Sunday to the home of her daughter at Prairie Home. C. F. and son, Verl, also went up Sunday evening to see the new grandson, Charles Raymond Clark, returning on No. 34.

Chas. Ayers and Frank Dougherty were chosen delegates from the Knights of Pythias lodge here to attend the Grand Lodge meeting held in Lincoln Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Loland of Los Angeles, California, came in Friday to visit their son, Harley Loland and family.

Do you remember those old days when there were fifty oysters in every 25-cent stew and you could get 'em at the counter on the half shell for 1 cent each?

A real optimist is a man who can stand our telephone service by reflecting that in Paris it often takes thirty minutes to make a telephone connection.

Management, Circulation, Etc., Regulated by the Act of Congress of Aug. 24, 1912.

OF THE PLATTSMOUTH JOURNAL, published daily at Plattsmouth, Neb., for April 1, 1920.

State of Nebraska, County of Cass.

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared R. A. Bates, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Plattsmouth Journal, and that the following is to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in Section 4422, Penal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1.—That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are:

Publisher—R. A. Bates, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Editor—M. A. Bates, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Managing Editor—R. A. Bates, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Business Manager—R. A. Bates, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

2.—That the owners are (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock):

Sole owners—R. A. Bates, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

3.—That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: (If there are none, so state.)

There are none.

4.—That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company, but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as a trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain neither the name of a person or corporation who is known to the publisher, editor, managing editor or business manager, or to any of them, as the owner, proprietor, or publisher, or as having any interest direct or indirect in said stock, bonds, or other securities than as stated by him.

5.—That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is 250. (This information required for daily publications only.)

(Signed) R. A. BATES, Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of May, 1920.

THOMAS WALLING, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 21, 1925.

A. E. Ensign visited over Sunday in Rising City.

Isola Kennedy was in Lincoln Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kitzel were Lincoln visitors Friday.

A. N. Myers was transacting business in Lincoln Monday.

Mrs. S. C. Boyles was a passenger for Lincoln Friday morning.

Ed Carr shipped two cars of cattle to South Omaha Wednesday.

Mrs. C. F. Rosenow returned home from Prairie Home, Friday.

Sliger brothers, P. J. Lynch and Homer Cook were Lincoln visitors Monday.

Mrs. Frye, of Clay Center, came in Tuesday to visit her brother, John Murty and wife.

Mrs. E. L. Uptegrove visited her son, Frank and family in Lincoln from Sunday till Tuesday.

Turner McKimmon and family and Mrs. Chas. Strong, were dinner guests Sunday at the G. P. Foreman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray King and their daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Clark King, of Lincoln, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moore.

Mrs. C. M. Jordan attended, as delegate, the Pythian Sisters' Grand Lodge at Lincoln Tuesday and Wednesday.

G. P. Foreman has taken his cattle to Seward county for the summer season. John Foreman, Charles Foreman and Vernon Hinebaugh drove their car over.

Members of the Royal Neighbor camp of Alvo are invited to meet with Neighbor Mrs. Anna Hardnock Wednesday afternoon, May 19. Let all who can attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Appleman were up from Liberty over Sunday.

Fay Parsell returned on Monday via the auto route to his home in Gage county. Mrs. Parsell will remain for some time with her parents.

Delbert Skinner arrived Monday from Winnipeg, Canada, with the car of household goods and farm implements and horses which was shipped to Canada several weeks ago. He was on the way home two weeks.

Mrs. C. F. Rosenow spent Saturday night and Sunday at home returning Sunday to the home of her daughter at Prairie Home. C. F. and son, Verl, also went up Sunday evening to see the new grandson, Charles Raymond Clark, returning on No. 34.

Chas. Ayers and Frank Dougherty were chosen delegates from the Knights of Pythias lodge here to attend the Grand Lodge meeting held in Lincoln Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Loland of Los Angeles, California, came in Friday to visit their son, Harley Loland and family.

# MURDOCK ITEMS

**Emanuel Thingan Sick**  
Edward Thingan returned a few days ago from the western part of the state, where he went to visit his brother, Emanuel, who has been very sick. He found his brother suffering greatly, but on his return left him in somewhat better condition.

**Are Putting In Coal for Winter**  
The firm of Tool, Nauman & Murty, looking into the possibilities of the future, are storing coal with a number of Murdock citizens who want to be assured against the promised shortage that is to develop next winter. J. A. Bausers is hauling and delivering the coal.

**New Crossing the New Bridge**  
The Rock Island which has been detouring its trains via Louisville since last fall on account of rebuilding its bridge over the Platte river at South Bend, has so far completed the work on the structure that they are able to use the bridge again, the first trains passing over it Friday.

**Have Prospered in Omaha**  
C. P. Travers and wife of Omaha, were visiting in Murdock a short time last Sunday, having driven down in their car for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Guthman of this place. Mr. Travers, who was formerly a resident of this place, together with his brothers and sisters are now extensive property owners in Omaha. Since going there several years ago and engaging in building, they have owned a number of expensive buildings, including several apartment houses. They built the "Traverton" apartments, disposing of them and later building the "Alsatian," which they likewise disposed of and now have the "Undie" apartments, which are very valuable.

**Enjoyed the Wrestling Match**  
Last Thursday evening a number of Murdock people went to Lincoln where they enjoyed the wrestling contest staged between two noted athletes. Those to enjoy the trip were Stephen Lies and H. H. Lawson, driving Mr. Lies' car; Louis H. Hornmeier and Joe Johnson, in Mr. Hornmeier's car and E. W. Thingan, John Gakemeier, Lacey McDonald and Gus Gakemeier, going in a third car.

**Gets Car Load of "Titans"**  
Wm. Gehrtz, the implement and farm machinery man, who is doing a very satisfactory business in that line, received a car load of the famous "Titan" tractors a few days ago, which, with the assistance of his expert helper, Charles Schaefer, he unloaded and placed in the ware rooms to await being taken out by prospective customers at an early date.

**Has a New Dodge Car**  
Robert Stock has purchased a new Dodge car and in making his selection has exercised very good judgment as this is one of the best cars on the market and is sold by E. W. Thingan who is an excellent judge of automobiles.

**Met Old Time Friend**  
J. E. McHugh, A. J. Tool, J. A. Bauer, Lacey McDonald and Bryan McDonald comprised a party that went to Meadow on last Sunday to spend the day and win favor if possible with the members of the flny tribe who sport in glee in the waters of the lakes there. They enjoyed the day immensely, and all the more so on account of meeting some old time friends of Mr. McHugh, Mr. C. N. Humphrey and wife and little daughter who were likewise spending the day in recreation. The Humphreys formerly lived in Plattsmouth, but now reside in Omaha, where Mr. Humphrey has a position with the Standard Oil company.

**Closes School with Picnic**  
Miss Rose Stuebel who has successfully taught the College Hill school during the past year, closed her work last Tuesday with a picnic for the scholars that was enjoyed by all the people of the countryside.

**Married in Omaha**  
Miss Catherine Goehry, a Murdock maiden, was united in marriage to Mr. Robert E. Eldridge, of Omaha, last Wednesday. Miss Goehry was born and resided in Murdock all her life until a few months ago when she went to Omaha to accept a position in the advertising department of Thompson-Belden's store. The groom is a young man of exceptional ability and is a son of the senior Mr. Eldridge, member of the firm of Eldridge-Reynolds, of the metropolis. The bride has a host of friends in and near Murdock who unite with this paper in extending best wishes for happiness and prosperity to the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge will make their home in Omaha.

**Will Depart for France**  
Mrs. Barbara Griez, living east of Murdock, and a sister of Mr. Jacob Goehry, will depart in a few days for the east, stopping at Washington, D. C., where she will join her brother and wife on a trip which will include several months abroad, sailing from New York for France. Among other pleasures of the trip they plan a visit with the old friends in Alsace-Lorraine whom they have not seen in many years.

You can get floor wax at all times at Max Dusterhoff.

Popular copyrighted fiction at the Journal office.

W. A. ROBERTSON, Lawyer,  
East of Riley Hotel,  
Coates Block,  
Second Floor.

**For Economical Tractor Operation**

Perfection Kerosene Oil keeps tractors working at highest efficiency. It provides the engine with dependable power that is maintained all day long without let-up. You may get more work done—more acres plowed, harrowed or harvested, at least cost when you use Perfection Kerosene Oil.

Perfection Kerosene Oil mixes evenly and burns up completely. Every drop is converted into power and without choking up the engine with carbon, dirt or sediment.

For best results, standardize on clean, dependable Perfection Kerosene Oil.

Telephone our nearest agent and he will arrange for immediate delivery of Perfection Kerosene Oil in any quantity.

For gasoline-burning engines use Red Crown Gasoline.

**STANDARD OIL COMPANY (Nebraska) Omaha**

## Buying Grain and Stock!

Farming only pays when the man who manages the farm receives at least one half of the net income from the farm.

Grain and stock should be bought by individual buyers who take an interest in keeping posted on the market.

Co-operative associations will never be a success until they sell at least one-half their stock to their managers.

Bring your Grain and Stock to us. Thirty-six years' experience on "market conditions" and "grading up" grain. Free to our customers.

# Murtey & Curyea,

Grain and Lumber Alvo, Nebraska

## "The Bank of Service"

We believe we can render any service to our customers than can be rendered by a country bank. We are always ready to make good farm loans for long terms at reasonable rates. Our officers are well prepared to advise on problems of farm finance, management, accounting and on the legal matters with which a farmer must now deal.

Deposits in This Bank are Protected by the Guaranty Fund of the State of Nebraska

### The Farmers and Merchants Bank,

ALVO, NEBRASKA

S. C. BOYLES, Pres. DALES S. BOYLES, Cashier ELOHA R. GANZ, Asst. A. M. BOYLES, Vice-Pres. CARL D. GANZ, Vice-Pres.

### The Alvo National Farm Loan Association

S. C. BOYLES, President DALES S. BOYLES, Sec'y-Treas. BOYLES & GANZ, Attorneys-at-Law

A FULL LINE OF

## International and John Deere

Farming Implements. We also have all kinds of grass and garden seeds, harness and a General Hardware Stock. We can make you a good price on Deering standard twine. Yours for service,

For Sale! A complete Huber thrashing outfit. 18 h. p. engine and 36x60 separator, in good shape. Inquire of W. W. Coatman or L. M. Snaverly, Alvo, Neb.

# Coatman Hardware

ALVO, NEBRASKA

## STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP

Management, Circulation, Etc., Regulated by the Act of Congress of Aug. 24, 1912.

OF THE PLATTSMOUTH JOURNAL, published daily at Plattsmouth, Neb., for April 1, 1920.

State of Nebraska, County of Cass.

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared R. A. Bates, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Plattsmouth Journal, and that the following is to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in Section 4422, Penal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1.—That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are:

Publisher—R. A. Bates, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Editor—M. A. Bates, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Managing Editor—R. A. Bates, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Business Manager—R. A. Bates, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

2.—That the owners are (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock):

Sole owners—R. A. Bates, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

3.—That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: (If there are none, so state.)

There are none.

4.—That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company, but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as a trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain neither the name of a person or corporation who is known to the publisher, editor, managing editor or business manager, or to any of them, as the owner, proprietor, or publisher, or as having any interest direct or indirect in said stock, bonds, or other securities than as stated by him.

5.—That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is 250. (This information required for daily publications only.)

(Signed) R. A. BATES, Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of May, 1920.

THOMAS WALLING, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 21, 1925.

from Friday's Daily.

Miss Effa Patterson returned this afternoon from Beatrice, where she has been attending the declamatory contest, held in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Skinner were passengers this morning for Omaha, where they were called by the illness of the father of Mr. Skinner.

J. E. Adams was a visitor in Nebraska City last evening being a guest there at a dance given by the young people of the Otoe county city.

Jack Fullwood departed this afternoon for Bartlesville, Oklahoma, in response to a message announcing the death of his sister in that place.

Mrs. John F. Wehrlein, who has been at Lincoln for the past few days in attendance at the grand chapter of the Eastern Star, returned home last evening.

James Stander, of Louisville, was in the city today for a few hours attending to some matters of business at the court house and calling on his many friends in the county seat.

## OH! MY BACK!

The Expression of Many a Kidney Sufferer in Plattsmouth

A stubborn backache is cause to suspect kidney trouble. When the kidneys are inflamed and swollen, stooping brings a sharp twinge in the small of the back that almost takes the breath away. Doan's Kidney Pills revive sluggish kidneys—relieve aching backs. Ask your neighbor here's Plattsmouth proof: Mrs. C. C. Burbridge, Vine street, says: "Some years ago my back caused me a great deal of misery. It ached most all the time. After I had taken Doan's Kidney Pills for a while my back felt as strong as ever. Since then, I have always considered Doan's fine for backache and kidney trouble and have recommended them to my neighbors when I have heard them complaining."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Burbridge had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

## For Sale!

320 Acre Improved Cass Co. Farm

The Jacob Vallery, Jr. farm for \$250.00 per acre. Terms to suit purchaser.

The unimproved 120 acres of the Stephen Wiles estate sold a few days ago for \$295.00 per acre and is just one mile east of the improved 320 acres I am offering for \$250.00 per acre.

T. H. POLLOCK  
Phone No. 1

Charter No. 1914 Reserve Dist. No. 10-J

REPORT OF CONDITION

## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Plattsmouth, in the State of Nebraska, at the Close of Business on May 1, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including redemptions	\$478,117.69
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered	12,500.00
Deposits, secured, none unsecured	2,142,711.00
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	50,000.00
pledged as collateral for State and other deposits or bills payable	21,000.00
Owned and unpledged	900.00
Other Bonds, Securities, etc.	
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged	13,331.15
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50% of subscription)	2,500.00
Value of Federal Reserve Bank (50% of subscription)	11,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	5,315.92
Real estate owned, other than banking house	7,482.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	27,708.70
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	48,239.28
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	1,288.23
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	284.20
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	5,500.00
Interest earned but not collected—approximately	1,288.23
Receivable not past due	3,100.00
<b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$ 674,151.28</b>

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits	12,209.41
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	7,976.99
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity (and not earned—approximately)	3,100.00
Circulating notes outstanding	5,000.00
Not amounts due to banks, bankers and trust companies	197.89
<b>Demand Deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve:</b>	
Individual deposits subject to check	\$252,489.77
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	32,025.00
<b>Time Deposits subject to Reserve:</b>	
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	222,205.20
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank	54,000.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 674,151.28</b>

Of the total loans and discounts shown above, the amount on which interest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those permitted by law (Sec. 5197, Title 32) is exclusive of notes upon which total charge not to exceed 50 cents was made) was none; the number of such loans was none.

County of Cass

J. Geo. O. Dovey, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct-Attest: GEO. O. DOVEY, Cashier.

H. N. Dovey; A. G. Cole, F. E. Schlatter, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May, 1920.

(Seal) B. A. ROSENCRANS, Notary Public.

(My commission expires March 24, 1925)

## COMMUNITY DANCE!

There will be a combination old-fashioned and up-to-date dance given at the MURRAY HALL

### Wednesday Night, May 19th

This will be a good, sociable affair, with dances for all members of the family on the program. The fox-trot, one-step, waltz and quadrille interposed with the kind of dances you like. The prices will be most reasonable. Come and bring the family.

## The Murray Dancing Club