

# ALVO DEPARTMENT

Warren J. Lynch of Lincoln, was in town Monday.

Miss Marie Bard spent Friday evening in Lincoln.

Miss Anderson spent the week-end at her home in Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Keefer visited relatives in Murdock Sunday.

Miss Aurel Foreman spent Friday night and Saturday at home.

John Murtey shipped hogs Thursday evening to the South Omaha market.

Mrs. Ella Prouty has moved back to her home in Alvo and will reside here.

Walter Skinner of Fremont, came in last week to visit his sister, Mrs. Park.

John Skinner, Walter Skinner and E. D. Friend were in Lincoln Monday morning.

Chas. H. Kirkpatrick visited friends in Lincoln from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. J. P. Rouse and Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Quellhorst were visiting in Elmwood, Monday.

Mrs. Paul Prouty and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clites, at Elmwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brobst and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bornemeier were Lincoln visitors Thursday.

C. D. Ganz has purchased the R. A. Stone residence which they will occupy in the near future.

R. F. Johnson's sale was held Monday. Things sold fairly well considering present business conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Boyles entertained at dinner Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Keefer and family.

The "Jersey" has changed its time of leaving Lincoln, which time is now at 8:40 p. m., arriving in Alvo at 9:25 p. m.

Frank Lynch of Lincoln, visited Saturday with his sister, Mrs. John Welch, who is recovering nicely from pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ganz of Dunbar, visited their son C. D. Ganz and family from Saturday noon until Monday morning.

Mrs. Ivan Clites was down from Fremont several days last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Park, leaving for her home Sunday.

Last Friday evening a number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Johnson to spend a social evening.

Last Saturday night the College View high school girls and boys basketball teams played the Alvo high school teams at Alvo, carrying away the honors.

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Miss Lois Keefer accompanied Frances Campbell to her home at South Bend, Friday evening, going from there Saturday to the home of her sister, Mrs. Roy Cole, near Myrard, where she visited until Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Cole left Thursday for her home near Myrard, after visiting since Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Keefer. She was accompanied home by her brother Maurice Keefer, who will spend a week or so with them.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Foreman entertained at dinner Sunday their son, George Foreman and family of Valparaiso, Mrs. Belle Bennett, Mrs. Emma Cashner, and Paul Prouty. The guests Monday evening were Mrs. Ella Prouty and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Wolfe.

On February 21, 1921, occurred the first anniversary of little Mary Richardson's birthday and several little friends joined in the merry celebration. Little six-year-old Audrey Quellhorst baked the birthday cake. All present pronounce little Mary a delightful hostess.

Mrs. A. I. Bird was pleasantly surprised Friday morning when her sisters, Mrs. Robert Dinnick of University Place; Mrs. Alfred Swale of Lincoln; and Mrs. Harry Martin of Waverly, came to spend the day. The four sisters visited until evening when Mrs. Bird's returned on No. 37 to their homes.

Among those attending the funeral of Mrs. L. W. Park, which was held Thursday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson, Mrs. Wm. Bradbury, Mrs. Jane Bradbury, Mrs. Ralph Emery, Harold Phillips and Ray Phillips, all of Fremont, and Arthur Park and brother Alva Park and wife, and Mrs. Smith of Lincoln.

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Mrs. Levi Park passed away Tuesday morning, February 22, 1921, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary

Skinner, where she has been for the past several months. Mrs. Park is survived by her husband, her mother, three sisters and two brothers. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the Methodist church and interment was made in the Alvo cemetery.

### Obituary.

Nettie Nina Skinner was born Jan. 31, 1874, in Woodford county, Illinois. In 1879 she moved with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trumble P. Skinner, to McPherson county, Kansas, from there to Cass county, Nebraska in 1888, where her parents settled on a farm.

Three years later she was united with the Methodist church of which she was still a member.

She was united in marriage to L. W. Park, August 2, 1893.

After a period of four years, on a year, they moved to Lincoln, Neb., from there going to Sterling, Colo., where she lived the rest of her life, returning to Alvo, Neb., June 1, 1920, where she remained until death called her February 22, 1921, at the age of 47 years and 21 days.

She lived a christian life, was a loving wife, and a devoted worker in her home, and a loving daughter and sister.

She leaves her husband, Levi W. Park of Sterling, Colorado, her mother, Mrs. Mary Skinner of Alvo; two brothers, D. W. Swinner of Hooper, Neb., and J. B. Skinner of Alvo, and three sisters, Mrs. E. D. Friend, Mrs. Sherman Wolf of Alvo, and Mrs. Ivan Clites of Fremont, besides a host of friends to mourn her loss.

In the year of 1905 she joined the order of Royal Neighbors of America at Ulysses, Neb., of which she was still a faithful member.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon, February 24, 1921, at 2:30 at the Methodist church at Alvo, Neb., conducted by Rev. J. F. Robertson of University Place, and burial was made in the Alvo cemetery.

Their many friends extend sympathy to the bereaved relatives in their great sorrow.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to all the friends and neighbors and especially the members of the Royal Neighbors lodge for the help rendered during the beautiful flowers during the sickness and death of our beloved wife, daughter and sister.

L. W. Park, Mrs. Mary Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clites, J. B. Skinner.

### NEHAWKA

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George Sheldon, former governor of Nebraska, who is visiting in Nehawka from his home at Wayside, Miss., was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Friday for a short time.

Senator A. F. Sturm was a visitor in Nehawka for a short time last Saturday, returning to Lincoln, where his work in the legislature on Saturday evening.

Makes Good With Pure Breds. Harry Knabe, a lad who wished to join the pig club during the war, asked his father John Knabe, if he might purchase a pure bred pig of the Hampshire variety, and obtaining his consent, Harry purchased a sow pig of R. C. Pollard and when old enough, was rewarded by it bringing him fourteen pigs and later the original pig won first prize as well.

The boar pigs Harry sold as follows: One for \$85, one for \$75, one for \$55, and one for \$50, while the other two he disposed of on the market, and did well with them, the sow pigs he sold, and purchased a sow for his small herd and has sold the boar pigs and kept the sow and now has a herd of twenty-three of as fine Hampshires as one would desire to see.

Harry, who is not yet to man's estate, is well embarked in the fine hog business and is in line for a very profitable future in the pure bred hog business.

When it is so easy to embark in pure bred hogs, it is strange that the farmers will continue to feed their corn at a loss to scrub hogs, and in many cases take a trimming, when the pure bred would have shown a fine profit. Better think this matter over. It does not necessarily require any particular breed, though this is a fine strain.

It might be said also of cattle, which is in the same condition. Cass county has one known pure bred cattle breeder, and there may perhaps be others, of which we think there are, but we refer to the herd of polled cattle, kept by L. L. Wiley, who is making good money, and he is finding market good prices for all which he produces.

KINKAID IS NEBRASKAN ON COMMITTEE BOARD

Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—The Nebraska delegation in the house today elected Representative Kinkaid of the Sixth district as its representative on the committee on committees in the sixty-seventh congress.

Representative Reavis of the first district has held the place for the past four years, but expressed a desire to be relieved on account of the large amount of work that will come to him as a member of recently appointed joint committee on the reorganization of the administrative branch of the government.

Representative McLaughlin of the fourth district was the unanimous choice of the delegation as the Nebraska member of the national republican congressional committee in the next congress, a position he occupied in the last congress.

EGGS FOR HATCHING

Pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching. 75c for 15. Phone 584-W.—C. H. Lewis. f24-124,2w

## A MERCILESS JUDGE

One Who Shows No Favor

A merciless judge is Father Time. Before him the weak and the wanting go to the wall. Only the truth can stand. For years the following statement from a Plattsmouth resident has withstood this sternest of all tests.

Theo. Starkjohn, retired farmer, Locust and Ninth streets, Plattsmouth, says: "For several years Doan's Kidney pills have been used in our family for kidney troubles and backache and they have proven to be all that is claimed for them. Whenever my back feels a little lame and my kidneys are not acting as they should, I take Doan's Kidney Pills and they never fail to do me good. Doan's can't be equalled and anyone having trouble should take them for they are very reliable." (Statement given February 23, 1916.)

OVER FOUR YEARS LATER, or on May 12, 1920, Mr. Starkjohn advised that the cure he had from Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago has been a lasting one. It has been a couple of years since I used or had need of a kidney medicine and my kidneys are now good and healthy. I still have faith in Doan's and if you should need it, please get it again, it should certainly use them."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

OPPOSE DEATH PENALTY IN NEBRASKA

Hearing Before Judiciary Committee of House—Argue Measure in Line with Will of Gov.

H. R. 518, abolishing capital punishment except for the murderer who, while under sentence, deliberates and kills another, was the subject of an open hearing before the house judiciary committee Thursday night. Representative Hakanson is author of the bill. The proviso of the death penalty in payment of the second killing is intended as a possible safeguard against the possibility of the prison outbreak of a few years ago.

The hearing was for the purpose of giving those in favor of the bill an opportunity to express their personal views. Clifford Rein handled the program for the opponents of capital punishment. He said that while not fully acquainted with the warden's position, he does know that the bill is directly in line with the recommendations made to the legislature by the governor and that the conclusions of the executive as expressed in his message match almost to a hair the language of the bill.

Mrs. G. W. Haynes, of Omaha presented petitions containing some 2,200 names of citizens who are in favor of complete abolishment of capital punishment. She said that this form of punishment is in direct violation of divine law and against public morals.

"As individuals," she said, "we have no right to kill. Does this form of punishment lessen crime? If we believe some of the writers, we must take the view that it has encouraged crime in that it breeds revenge. God said, 'Vengeance is Mine. Life in prison is more dreaded by the murderer than death. I believe that life imprisonment should mean life imprisonment."

Mrs. Frank P. Quick said that it is worse for the state to take a life than for an individual to kill.

"A man should have a right to a second chance always," she said. "I cannot see why even the life term cannot be made into a good and useful person. Certainly you cannot say that both Cole and Grammer were committed the murder for which they were hanged."

"Any man will feel better if he loans his sympathies for the uplift of unfortunates," said Judge W. R. England. "You know that not a man of you would pull the trigger that means death. Isn't it because of the feeling that there's something higher than brute force? The matter of taking life is infectious. Can you tell me that it is elevating?"

Judge England paid high tribute to Warden Fenton. He said that he is one of the best penitentiary heads in the United States and that to his own influence in procuring the release of some 160 inmates. Not one has been returned and most of them, he said, are better citizens than the average man on the outside. One of his charges, he said, was up for life. He promised that some day this man will have a national reputation.

### FOR SALE

Single Combed White Leghorn eggs, \$5 per 100; \$1 per setting. Phone 115-J.

HENRY STARKJOHN.

CIGARET LAW TO GOVERNOR

Salt Lake City, Feb. 24.—The bill providing for prohibition of the sale of cigarettes and advertising of cigarettes in newspapers and other publications published in Utah, was passed by the lower house of the legislature today by a vote of 33 to 13. It was recently passed by the senate and it now goes to the governor for signature.

Romona Frost Doing Nicely.

Little Romona Frost, who was taken with the measles while she was visiting at the home of her grandparents in Lincoln, is doing nicely at the latest reports. Miss Romona was for a time very sick, and while the mother had been with her during the time, it was a pleasure for her to have her father with her. Mr. Frost made two trips during the week and the latter one remained over the week end. He was also visiting at the Shrine meeting of the Masons.

# MANLEY NEWS

Charles H. Lau of Louisville, was looking after some business matters in Manley last Thursday.

Mrs. Omar Coon, who has been sick at her home, is reported as being better at this time and soon hopes to be well again.

Mrs. W. J. Rau was visiting in Omaha last Friday, where she spent the day with friends and also looked after some business matters.

Ralph Coon, who has been having a siege with the measles is reported as about over the disease, and will soon be back to school again.

Mrs. Dr. Wonder of Omaha, was a visitor in Manley for a few days last week, being the guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy.

Theodore Harms, the merchant, and his wife were visiting and looking after some business matters in Omaha last Thursday, driving over in their car.

Charles Murphy, who has been ill for several weeks is reported as being much better and was able to go down town last Friday for the first time since his illness.

Mrs. Rudolph Bergman was a visitor in Omaha last week with her friend, Miss Rena Christensen who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Breckenfeld were visiting and looking after some business in Manley during last week and while here were the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rau.

Walter Mockenhaupt and wife have been visiting for a short time at the home of Mrs. Mockenhaupt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tighe of Omaha, and returned home last Thursday.

Herman Stohman, who has been confined to his home for some time past on account of a case of scarlet fever, is so far recovered as to be out again and was a visitor in Manley last week.

C. E. Mockenhaupt is looking after the business at the lumber yard during the absence of Mr. Frost, who was called to Lincoln on account of the illness of his daughter, Romona, who has the measles.

Howard Johnson of Wayne, where he has been with Floyd Rockwell, arrived in Manley last week and will farm the coming season on the place where Calvin Rockwell farmed the past season, northwest of town.

Mrs. Joseph Macency is reported as being confined to her bed again. While she is feeling slightly improved, her many friends will be pleased could they know of her recovery, and are hoping that this may occur in a short time.

See the new ad of Rudolph Bergman in this issue, which announces some of the benefits of trading at his place of business. Mr. Bergman carries an excellent stock of groceries and is ever there with courteous service for his customers.

Herbert Thacker and wife of Plattsmouth, moved during the first of the week to Manley and will farm on the C. M. Andrus place the coming season. Mr. and Mrs. Thacker are fine people and will make another fine family for this community.

Herman Dall is kept pretty busy at this time looking after the work of the farmers getting their implements in condition for the spring work, which is just now knocking at our doors. Mr. Dall is also selling new implements occasionally and expects more of a demand as the season progresses.

Mrs. J. L. Burns and daughter, Mrs. Charles Craig, were visiting in Omaha last week, going up last Saturday and remaining for a few days, where they visited with friends and also were making purchase of millinery stock for their store which is to be a feature of Manley business this spring.

George Itau, who is engaged in the mercantile business at Utica, was a visitor in Manley last week and a guest at the home of his brother, W. J. Rau, of the Manley bank.

During the latter part of the week, Frank Rau, another brother, who is also in business at Utica, was a visitor here with his brother.

There is some grain moving from Manley, notwithstanding the low prices. Last Thursday there were three cars shipped out of this station and four cars ordered for the following day. By the way, the cars are coming much easier at this time as business in other lines on the road is not as heavy as formerly. The rates are some higher also, which should help (the roads) some.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stander and daughters, Misses Lillie and Lena, were visiting in Manley last week with friends and relatives, being the guests at the homes of John P. Stander and Eddie Stander and families, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stander.

Herman Rauth and wife were visitors in Omaha last Monday, being called there to see Miss Rena Christensen who has been in the St. Joseph hospital for some time, following an operation for appendicitis from which she is reported to be making satisfactory improvement.

Doing Some Fine Car Work

Albert Ahlers, who is one of the best workmen in his line was kept pretty busy the past week working on the car of Rudolph Bergman, giving the entire car an overhauling, and putting in two new pistons, with new rings in the entire motor. When completed the car will return to the efficiency and value of a new car.

Home From Enjoyable Trip.

James Murphy and wife, who have been visiting for some time in eastern Iowa, returned a few days ago and reported having had an excellent time while away. They were visiting in a portion of the country where they lived during their youth, and had indeed a most enjoyable time with the friends of years gone

by. They must have been as bad there as here, for Mr. Murphy says he saw a duck stuck in the mud there, and no doubt they had to have an airplane to pull it out. He also said that the fare cost \$10.49 going over and \$12.25 coming back, and still the railroads are wanting to reduce labor. Looks like it was about time for government ownership of some curative to be applied.

Looks Like Lights for Manley.

With the nearing of the time when the lights shall be turned on at Murdock, the matter of securing lights and power service for Manley is gaining interest.

A meeting was held at the Kelly grain office last Tuesday when a representative number of the citizens of Manley met with Mr. A. Peters of Louisville, and H. A. Tool of Murdock, when the matter of electric service was discussed, and steps taken to have another meeting with the end in view of the organizing of a company for the purpose of securing the service. It would be a forward step for this hustling little town.

Guest at Home of Teacher.

The high school students of Manley, who are attending school at Louisville, were the guests at the home of their teacher Mrs. Harvey Gamer, near Cedar Creek last Saturday, where they enjoyed a very pleasant time. Those from here to enjoy the hospitality of Mrs. Gamer were Misses Leda, Crede and Myrtle Fleischman, and Alice and Master Arnold Harms. Ralph Coon, who is also a student in the class at Louisville, was prevented from enjoying the occasion on account of a tussle with the measles.

**Rudolph Bergman's Store!**

We handle Fruits, Meats, Staple and Fancy Groceries and Work Clothes. Lakin-McKey overall line.

"HOLSUM" bread fresh every day.

We pay highest prices for produce, chickens and eggs. It is worth while to trade with us.

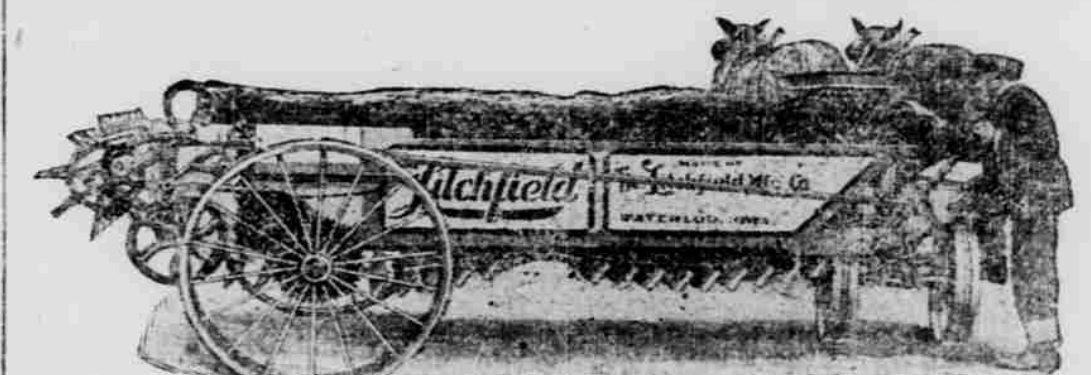
**RUDOLPH BERGMAN,**  
MANLEY -- -- -- NEBRASKA

**Western Slope Coal!**

We are selling the famous Western Slope Colorado coal—the best bituminous coal ever mined.

Oh, yes, the price—  
\$12.50 per ton

**Frost, Curvey & Murtey,**  
W. H. Frost, Manager Manley, Nebraska



**Will You Do Your Best?**

Sure, prices have come down, and another year is here. Already Spring is knocking at our doors.

How about the coming season; are you going to give nature an opportunity? The land has sustained last year's crops, and like the horses and yourself, has need of something to replace that which has been used up, if it is to give maximum results this year.

The Litchfield manure spreader is solving the problem of replenishing the elements needed for coming crops and maintaining the value of your land.

Would you allow your family or your horses to starve? Why then starve your land?

We have absolutely the best spreader that modern science has yet devised. Allow us to give you a demonstration and see for yourself.

**HERMAN DALL,**  
MANLEY -- -- -- NEBRASKA

**Lumber Prices are Lower!**

The farmer, laborer, manufacturer and retailer are taking their loss. All must do this in the present readjustment process, and we have taken stock, and are placing our lumber prices back to where they formerly were, even at a considerable loss. They are now at a level where even the present low prices of grain will justify their purchase for immediate building.

We furnish you better prices and service than you could possibly hope to secure from out of town firms. We buy from the mills the same as they. When you buy out of town you pay for reloading together with a high local freight rate, and you know what that means—over \$50 per car. We can save you that, and you don't have to purchase a lot more than you need, either. See us before buying.

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And say, how about a hog house or a chicken house? They will pay you big dividends. We have plans, specifications and estimates of their cost.

We want your business on the basis of good service and money-saving prices. Unless we can give you these, we don't want you to feel under any obligations to buy of us.

**Frost, Curvey & Murtey**  
W. H. FROST, Manager

**Buying Grain and Stock!**

We always pay the highest price for Grain and Stock. We own and run our own elevator and mix and grade up our grain, enabling us to always pay top prices.

I AM YOUR FRIEND

**JOHN MURTEY,**  
ALVO -- -- -- NEBRASKA

**Under New Management!**

I have recently acquired the Alvo Garage and am prepared to look after the work which may be entrusted to my care, and assure you it shall have my best personal efforts and attention.

Now is a good time to have your car put in good condition before the spring rush begins. I will appreciate your work and can do it even greater justice now than later in the season.

**Orville Ingwerson,**  
ALVO -- -- -- NEBRASKA

**Ready for Spring?**

The first of March—the date of beginning your spring work—will soon be upon us.

Are YOU ready for it? Then why not get those little things out of the way and be in shape to go thru the Spring season without interruption when the time comes to start.

**BRING IN YOUR HARNESS** and have it oiled. We are prepared to take care of this work promptly for you now. The cost—say—  
**IT'S ONLY A DOLLAR**

**Coatman Hardware,**  
ALVO, NEBRASKA