

ALVO DEPARTMENT

Dale Boyles has returned to McCook.

Prof. James Kinsinger was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jordan and W. S. Jordan autoed to Lincoln Friday.

Wm. Kitzel and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kitzel.

Miss Ruth Sutton went to Fremont Tuesday to spend several days with relatives.

Mrs. S. O. Cole, of Plattsmouth, went Monday with her sister, Mrs. Ina Kitzel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ganz and children visited over Christmas with relatives at Dunbar.

Miss Marie Stroemer visited Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rye near Eagle.

Mrs. A. I. Bird went to Lincoln Tuesday evening visiting relatives and friends until Thursday.

Karl Rosenow is spending his vacation with his sister, Mrs. Ray Park and family near Waverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Strain, of Bethany, spent Sunday night with their aunt, Mrs. D. A. Vincent.

Mrs. Frank Linch, of Lincoln, is visiting her mother, Grandma Parcell and other relatives and friends.

Albert Foreman and Sims Dillman were down from Valparaiso Wednesday night, returning home Thursday.

Alfred Stroemer drove to Barneston Saturday, where he attended the Stroemer reunion held there Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foreman were down from Council Bluffs, Iowa, visiting Thursday and Friday with the home folks.

Joe Parsell returned Tuesday from Peoria, Illinois, where he and his wife went to visit the latter's mother, who is quite ill.

Mrs. S. C. Boyles entertained twenty-five ladies Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mr. Roy Cole and Miss Marie Stroemer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Boyles and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Boyles attended the Stiller reunion at University Place Christmas.

Mrs. Alfred Stroemer spent Christmas with her sister, Miss Mildred Brown, in Omaha, whose health is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rouse, Mr. and Mrs. John Weichel, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Nickel were dinner guests at the Will Nickel home on Christmas.

Miss Blanche Moore of Lincoln spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Moore. She returned to Lincoln Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale S. Boyles came in from McCook Friday night to spend the holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Boyles.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Curryea and daughter, Miss Lillian, of Lincoln, spent Christmas with Mr. Curryea's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Curryea.

Mrs. C. D. Rash has disposed of part of her household goods and left this week to make her home in Omaha with her two daughters for the winter.

Mrs. Alpha Quellhorst and children went to St. Jos. Mo., Saturday, to spend Christmas and the week following with her sister, Mrs. Aletha Uhley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stroemer entertained at dinner Thursday evening.

Mrs. Dale Boyles, of McCook; Miss Marie Stroemer of Gothenburg and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ganz.

Miss M. Marie Bird, of Alvo, and Mr. Albert L. Mutz, of Lincoln, were married in Lincoln Wednesday afternoon December 23, 1921. They will make their home in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ganz entertained at dinner Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Roy Cole of Plattsmouth; Mrs. Dale Boyles, of McCook; Miss Marie Stroemer and Miss Lois Keefe.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Wolfe entertained at dinner Christmas their mother, Mrs. Mary Skinner and son, John Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Friend and daughter, Miss Irene, and Miss Thelma Willis.

Christmas guests at the E. M. Stone home were Mrs. Anna Stone, daughter, Miss Precious Stone, and son Beryl Stone, of University Place, and LaVerne Stone, who is spending some time at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cole autoed up from Plattsmouth Monday to visit Mrs. Cole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.

C. Keefe. Mrs. Cole remained until Thursday and was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Lois Keefe.

There will be a dress form meeting on January 12, 1922, at the M. E. church basement. Every lady is invited to be present. Ida M. Wilkins, county home agent, will be present to give instructions in the work.

M. C. Keefe and family went to University Place Saturday evening, where they spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Clara Skiles-Prouty, where the eighth Skiles reunion was held. There were sixteen relatives present.

Those spending Christmas at the George P. Foreman home were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coshier, Mrs. Ella Prouty, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foreman, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Orville Ingerson, Oliver Taylor, Ray Bradford and George Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hanson and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Vaughn, of Fallerton; Mrs. Hans Nelson, of Mason City and Mrs. Charles Bloom, of Atkinson; Grandpa Hanson and Miss Emma Hanson, Henry Hanson and son Ralph Hanson, all of Greenwood spent Thursday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Anderson.

DESERTS FISTIC CAREER FOR MUSIC

"Kid" Graves, Former Welterweight Champion, Well Known Here, to Lead an Orchestra.

From fistic victor to fiddle virtuoso is the latest accomplishment of Perry "Kid" Graves, former welterweight champion and erstwhile sporting writer.

Graves at 28 has abandoned the paraphernalia of the banded square and the calcium chandelier for the gentler art of Kresler, and when the necessity arises he can sit before the Steinway and feel as perfectly at home as Paderewski.

The Omaha scrapper announced yesterday that he had foresworn his allegiance to the six ounce gauntlets and in the future would devote himself to the art that stills the savage beasts. Meanwhile, he is keeping himself occupied by being foreman of the freezing room at the Armour packing plant in South Omaha.

Graves has organized an orchestra that is the most unique in the history of music in that it will be composed almost entirely of fighters and fight managers. The father of the former welterweight will play the violin. John Broaz, who fights under the name of Jack Gates, will tom tom the kettles and roll the snare. The violinist-manager-father has been with Graves in his every battle and intends to be in the corner whenever the "Kid" starts piddling on the ivories as he did on Ted "Kid" Lewis.

There have been instances of generals turning posts and visa, as they say, versa. There have been instances of pianists abandoning the keyboard for the gravel. There have been times when laborers turned songbirds or riveted Van Dyke. But where is the precedent for a mauler turning musician?—World Herald.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express to the members of the Grand Army and Woman's Relief Corps our deepest appreciation of their sympathy and kind assistance to us during the last sickness and at the time of the death of our beloved husband and father, George S. Wall.—Mrs. George Wall and Children.

It is astonishing how quickly Tanale will produce results. You usually feel better from the very first dose. F. G. Fricke & Co.

CHEAPER FARES

From Saturday's Daily.

Commencing tomorrow the railroad passenger rates as well as the Pullman rates will be slightly lower as the war tax of 8 per cent that has been in force will be repealed and hereafter the travel will be lighter on the pocketbook. The rate between this city and Omaha will be 69 cents commencing tomorrow and other rates in proportion.

E. H. Schuihof, piano tuner. Phone 389-J. d&w.

Blank Books at the Journal Office.

Mrs. Crandall (Gow) Tells How She Stopped Chicken Losses

"Last spring, rats killed all our baby chicks. With I'd known about Rat-Snap before. With just one large package we killed all our rats. They won't get this year's hatchings. I'll bet." Rat-Snap is guaranteed safe, sells for 35c. 60c. \$1.25.

Sold and guaranteed by Bestor & Swatek Weyrich & Had-raba F. G. Fricke & Co.

LOCAL NEWS

From Thursday's Daily.

Miss Gladys Hall, who is here on her vacation from the school work at Union, was operated on Tuesday for the removal of her tonsils and is doing nicely.

W. H. Puls, one of the leading business men of Murray, was in the city yesterday afternoon visiting with his friends and looking after some matters of importance.

W. E. White, wife and children, of Red Cloud, Nebraska, who have been here visiting at the home of Mrs. White's sister, Mrs. B. B. Warthen and family, returned this morning to their home.

A. L. Baker, formerly one of the popular and well known residents of Murray, but who is now located at Lincoln, came in last evening and spent a short time here with his many old time friends.

WABASH HAPPENINGS

Monie Sylvester came home Monday evening.

Pie Clark was a passenger to Omaha Wednesday morning.

Guy Hinds autoed to Weeping Water Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irl Wilson are the proud parents of a fine baby boy.

Glenn Van Every returned from Weeping Water Monday evening.

H. H. Squires was a shopper in Weeping Water Thursday morning.

A number from here attended the dance in Murdock Monday evening.

Earnest Underwood left for Missouri Tuesday on the midnight train.

L. R. Stanley and Warren Richard autoed to Lincoln Tuesday morning.

Ollie Allis spent Christmas with his wife and children, mother and uncle.

William Dehning was a business visitor in Weeping Water Friday morning.

Park Otte spent Sunday with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Otte.

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Every and son spent Thursday afternoon in Weeping Water.

Edith Perry is visiting at the home of her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dorr.

Clyde Squires came in from Omaha Thursday evening and returned to work Sunday noon.

Mr. Luther Phillips, a friend of Mr. W. S. Hardway, spent part of last week at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson and Mrs. John Brown autoed to Weeping Water Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oberholte and daughter, Melba, spent Thursday afternoon in Weeping Water.

Edith Reese left Saturday morning for Missouri, where she will spend part of her week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Murrin autoed to Murdock Tuesday afternoon and visited at the home of Harry Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Every and Miss Laura McDonald took dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ohm spent Monday with Mrs. Ohm's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jenkins of Havelock.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Van Every and Miss Laura McDonald spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Miller spent Christmas with their son and daughter in Lincoln. They returned home Monday evening.

Nellie and Walter Earls left for Atchison, Kansas, Tuesday evening on the midnight train. They will visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones and two sons spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jones' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Colbert.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Herbert Hare, of Kansas City, Missouri, Mrs. Eva W. Murley, of Lincoln, were callers in town Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. J. C. Curl has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Little, also at the home of his niece, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hardway.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pool and family spent Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. Pool's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Every and son Russell spent Christmas day at the home of Mrs. Van Every's brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Otte.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer and son, Oral, and daughter Verna, of Pipestone, Minn., spent one day last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dehning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Langhorst and grandchildren, Esther and Ruth Muth and Grandson Paul Muth took dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Langhorst.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Coppel, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Norris and son, Clarence, spent Christmas day with Mrs. Coppel's and Mrs. Norris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hinds.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jackman and family left Sunday morning for Rising City, where they will spend Christmas with Mrs. Jackman's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hatt and family. They returned home Tuesday evening.

NOW AT HOSPITAL

The many friends of Dean Patton will regret to learn that this young man is now at the Swedish Mission hospital in Omaha where he was taken a few days ago to undergo treatment and possibly an operation. At the last word Dean was reported as doing very nicely and it is thought that in a short time he will be in his former good health.

FILES SUIT IN COURT

From Friday's Daily.

This morning an action entitled James A. Kiser vs. Jesse Vallery, et al., and J. A. Kiser vs. Jesse Vallery, et al., was filed in the office of the clerk of the district court. In this action Wm. A. Robertson and W. G. Kieck appear as the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Your ad will carry punch if you write it as a plain "selling talk" instead of trying to fess it up with frills and exaggerations.

FOR SALE

Single comb Rhode Island Red. Cockerels for sale.

MRS. NICK FRIEDICH

TIME IS HERE FOR CLEAR PLAIN TALK

Democrats and Patriotic Citizens Called Upon to Fall in For Action the Next Election.

Nashville, Dec. 28.—Declaring that "the time has come when patriotic citizens and democrats should indulge in plain talking," Judge Cardeil Hull, chairman of the democratic national committee, tonight reviewed the republican administration since March and contrasted this with the "unparalleled achievement" of the democrats in the previous eight years.

The address was delivered at a dinner given by the state democratic executive committee in honor of Chairman Hull. It was accepted generally as the opening of the congressional pre-election campaign by the new chairman who went into the public questions which he faced the government and explained the attitude his party would take.

Further relief for farmers, adequate aid for veterans, reduction of taxes and a remedy for the situation resulting from the flood of tax exempt securities were among the issues outlined.

"Democrats are the loyal and consistent friends of the ex-service men," he declared.

"Ever solicitous of his welfare—the democratic party, when in power, did more to advance the interests of the farmer than had been done in the whole history of the nation and had planned to do much more, if it had remained in power," he said.

"Urgent and deserved relief as to farm credits, better and cheaper warehousing and marketing facilities—these are the measures of aid which have been given him to avoid and relieve his present unparalleled distress."

"The burden of our public debt should be adjusted so as to not be oppressive to the American taxpayer financing the public necessities. The state rather than the federal government, should be urged to deal by a uniform policy, with the growing evil of local tax exempt securities."

Results of the last national election, he asserted were secured by "criminal, malignant and reckless 'job' politics" by republican leaders.

"It was not so much the democratic party, it was the American people who have suffered the colossal and incalculable losses that resulted from democratic defeat," he declared.

"It is beyond the power of wholesale and retail job politics to lead to dim the glory of the eight years unparalleled achievement of the national democracy. The work of constructive patriotic statesmanship accomplished by that party will stand out in clearer perspective during the coming years."

"The wholesale and retail job politics and the promises to the people constituted a statutory crime," he said, "every reactionary republican leader, state and national would, under a plea of guilty be in the custody of the law tonight."

"The disappointed farmer now reads the accounts of his industrial ruin by the light of his burning corn. Millions of laborers are frequenting the soup houses, bread lines and the 'million' blocks. Business has discovered that it was crucified on the cross of politics."

Under republican leadership, he said, American foreign commerce "has slumped \$6,000,000,000 in the last twelve months" and on "almost vertical slump in prices in America of from 30 to 50 per cent, and in prices of power of farm products of 55 per cent, quickly followed."

For two years prior to March, 1921, he said, the only remedy offered by republican leaders for post-war conditions was "an antiquated high tariff and the archaic doctrine of compensation."

"The country is in sad and urgent need," he said, "of more education and co-operation on the part of individuals and business with respect to our public affairs. An intelligent understanding and whole-hearted co-operation on their part would soon improve government 100 per cent."

The democratic party, he said, still holds to its belief in a tariff for revenue only, for economy in governmental expenditures, for "equal rights to all and special privilege to none."

"The recent democratic administration has not yet received credit for its many great accomplishments," he said. "But whatever its demerits may say, even the school children will soon learn that in 1912 our national wealth was \$187,000,000, and in 1921 it was \$385,000,000, and in 1922 it was \$13,500,000,000."

SPENT CHRISTMAS IN THE SEA

A letter from R. L. Probst to his son, W. E. Probst of this place, tells of the arrival of Mr. Probst in Florida, where he says the weather is fine, and he enjoys putting on his straw hat and white shoes, rolling up his sleeves and enjoying himself to the limit. He met a good deal of very bad weather on his way down, and left here with a very cold snap in his wake. On Christmas day he spent a good deal of the day in the ocean and on the beach.

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Our prices for grain are always the highest. I own and operate my own elevator. The highest prices for grain is always paid by the Independent Elevator. I am your friend,

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MONEY SAVED IS MONEY EARNED.

Buy your **GOOD CLOTHES** now and **SAVE.**

Right in the very face of Winter comes this price reduction in Men's clothing. If you need a new suit or overcoat, and have been waiting for cheaper prices, it will pay you to investigate this Clearance sale.

There is no slump in the market, but there's been in the weather, and in order to clear the decks for Spring Merchandise and give you the benefit now, instead of the end of the season—

Thursday, January 5th
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Every Suit in Stock Includes—

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Suits—	Overcoats—	
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\$30 to \$35..... 24.00	\$30..... 22.50	
\$22.50 to \$25..... 17.50	\$25, \$27, \$28..... 19.50	
\$8 and \$20..... 6.00	\$20 and \$22.50..... 16.50	
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Shop right now! Pick the suit you want. We will hold it until pay day with a deposit of \$5.00.

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HOME TALENT PLAY PLEASES LARGE HOUSE

Final Performance Last Evening is Marked by Appearance of Concord Club Saxophone Band

From Friday's Daily.

The last performance of "A Couple of Million" was given last evening at the Parmele theatre before a very pleasing audience and one that thoroughly appreciated the splendid work of the members of the cast in their respective roles, mention of which was given in the Journal of Thursday.

In the presentation the members showed more confidence than on the previous night and each showed a more snappy rendition of the parts assigned to them. The specialties were also more vigorous than on the opening night and moved off with the greatest smoothness and were all highly entertaining.

The amusement loving public were given an exceptional treat in the appearance of the Concord club Saxophone band composed of ten of the members of the club and the numbers given were heartily received by the audience and the only regret was that time would not permit the band giving a longer concert. This saxophone band has appeared in different attractions over the country and the members were at the meeting of the Shriners at Portland, Oregon, where they were one of the jazziest and they certainly made a deep impression on the amusement loving public of Plattsmouth on their visit here.

The Concord club band on their arrival in the city made a short visit at the Nebraska Masonic home and gave a concert for the benefit of the aged people residing there and which will long be very pleasantly remembered.

PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at public auction at my residence in the south portion of Plattsmouth, east of the Burlington railway lumber yard, opposite Dach's South Park store, at 1:00 o'clock p. m. sharp, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7TH.

The following described property, to-wit:

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4 Chester White brood sows, to farrow in April.

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BIB MASK BALL

The Katholitic Sokol society announces that they will hold a grand mask ball at their hall on the night of Saturday, January 7th. The event will be one of the most pleasant of the season and the list of prizes for the event will be announced later.

When you secure your school supplies, call at the Journal office first and examine our line of pencils, tablets and general school supplies. They are the best on the market.

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