

Alvo Department

Sherill Fifer is working at incoln at this time and likes the work which he is allotted very much.

Do not forget that we are furnishing the best work and at prices you can afford to pay.—Happy's Garage.

Burdette Fifer has been quite ill with la grippe during a portion of last week, but at this time he is some better.

Louis Bornemeier of near Murdock was a visitor in Alvo last Friday afternoon, visiting and looking after some business.

John B. Skinner was a visitor in incoln last Friday afternoon, where he went for a load of goods which were needed by the merchants of Alvo.

W. J. Althouse cut and delivered at the pond 91 wagon loads of ice to the farmers and neighbors, which they have safely packed away for use next summer.

Uncle C. H. Kirkpatrick, who has been quite ill for some time at this time reported as being much better, being able to be up and around and out a portion of the time.

Fred Wolf, of Sutton, a former resident of this community, but who has been living in the west for some time, is visiting a time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Afe Mullen.

Frank E. Cook has been having a tussle with la grippe for the past week, but he has about bested the malady and is feeling much better and is hustling with the work on the farm.

Sure, we are busy! But that is the way we earn our living. Bring your work in for the best work and best service.—Happy's Garage.

Carl Johnson was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Friday, where he was looking after some matters connected with the Johnson estate and was accompanied by his attorney, C. D. Ganz.

Mrs. Albert Stromer entertained the Woman's Reading club of Alvo last Tuesday afternoon, where a most enjoyable time was had and where an excellent program was enjoyed by all the ladies in attendance.

Henry Wendt, of near Elmwood, was asked to act as the referee of the basketball game which was played last Friday evening at Alvo between Weeping Water and the local team and made an excellent referee, being just to both sides.

The Rev. R. H. Chenoweth and the family were enjoying a visit and also were attending the convocation of the Methodist ministers which was being held at Des Moines, Iowa, during the past week, and returned home after having had a most pleasant week.

The Chorus of the Methodist church met last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Coatman, where they prepared the song service for the following Sunday and also were entertained at the home of Mrs. E. Cook. The ladies report an excellent time and that the business was looked after with dispatch and that they were privileged to enjoy a most excellent program which had been prepared for their entertainment.

The class in Manuel Training at the Alvo high school are at this time building a book case for the high school, and are putting their learning to a practical purpose and are also making something which will last and attest the skill of the Class of 1926.

The Alvo town team went to Murdock last Thursday and tried out the issues of basketball with a like team of that bustling village, with the results that a most hotly contested game was played, in which the team of the neighboring town were the successful contestants.

Art Bird was a farmer for a short time one day last week, when he was assisting in shelling corn. He works hard enough at the shop, but at a kind of work he is accustomed to, and it does not interfere with his well-being, but the different work made the unused muscles rather sore, but he is getting along nicely.

Better have that auto (no matter what make) overhauled at this time. You will be busy and needing it soon. We guarantee our work and the price will be satisfactory.

Many of the people in and about Alvo have been hustling to get their ice in while the weather was a little sharp and most of them got their supply in before the coming of the soft weather which interfered with the roads as well as the softening of the ice. Among those who got their ice up were George Fifer, W. C. Timlin, Wm. Kitzell, Harry Appleman, E. M. Stone, C. M. Manners and W. W. Coatman.

Beginning with the first Sunday in February, which falls on the sixth, there will be introduced an innovation in the services, in which the preaching service will be held at the hour formerly occupied by the Bible school, while the Bible school will be held at the hour which the preaching services were heretofore held. That is they will change for the month of February. They are desiring to see how it will work.

Install Their Officers

At the last meeting of the Pythian sisters, which occurred at their meeting room in the Stewart hall, with their installing officer, Mrs. Shiraz, they had the new officers inducted into their respective offices with that beautiful and mysterious ceremony which is peculiar to this order.

Those who took the offices were Mrs. H. L. Bornemeier, most excellent chief; Mrs. Lyke Miller, excellent senior; and Mrs. G. W. Fifer, excellent junior; Mrs. F. E. Dickerson, keeper of the records and seal; Mrs. Elmer Rosenow, manager; Mrs. Mattie Skinner, conductress; Mrs. Audra Stromer, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Ayres, guard; Mrs. Bert Kitzell, protector. There was plenty to eat, as well as plenty of good fellowship, and all enjoyed the occasion.

Now at Jefferson Barracks

Frank Adams, who has been picking corn for W. W. Coatman during the fall and early winter has been sent to Jefferson Barracks, where he is to receive treatment, and probably will soon be transferred to Denver. Mr. Adams was in the late war and was very badly gassed and was for a time a student at the vocational rehabilitation school at Bellevue, and later attended a like school at Farmington, Mo., but with the closing of that school was dismissed with an allowance of only \$25.00 per month. He has been especially poorly during the recent past, and it is hoped that he will be benefited by treatment at Jefferson Barracks or at Denver, should he be sent there. Mr. Adams is a very close friend of R. L. Parmenter and the latter is very solicitous regarding his welfare.

Enjoy Indoor Picnic

Last Thursday evening at the First Methodist church basement was held by the Bible school an indoor picnic, which was attended by most of all the members of the Bible school and others of the church. A most enjoyable time was had and a splendid program as well, and to make the occasion the more enjoyable, the eats which were furnished were such as would invite all who were present to another or like gathering which might happen in the future.

Attend County Convention

The county convention of the Women's clubs of Cass county was held at Weeping Water last Wednesday, at which time there was a large gathering of the ladies of the county present. Alvo was represented by the following ladies: Mrs. S. C. Boyles, Mrs. C. T. Edwards, Mrs. John Murtry, Mrs. R. M. Coatman, Mrs. Charles Godbey and Mrs. E. Cook. The ladies report an excellent time and that the business was looked after with dispatch and that they were privileged to enjoy a most excellent program which had been prepared for their entertainment.

Crib Corn Being Held

W. J. Althouse has been hoping to do during the past few weeks in the matter of getting the corn shelled, he having had a number of very bad jobs, which were piled on the ground and partly frozen together, making it very difficult to get the ears into the sheller. He now has most of the work done in this territory, except of course, the cribbed corn and a great deal of that is being held for the higher prices which the farmers feel sure are bound to come sooner or later.

Entertained the Teachers

Harold McKinnon entertained at his home northwest of Alvo on last Thursday evening, the faculty of the Alvo high school and a number of the young men, where all enjoyed the social evening most pleasantly. There were music, games, social conversation and also refreshments that added much to the enjoyment of the evening as well as making the occasion one long to be remembered. Among those besides the faculty of the school who were present and enjoyed the occasion were Jesse Brandt, Arthur Rohrdanz and Walter Vincent.

FILM STAR LOSES APPEAL FROM SUIT

White Plains, N. Y., Jan. 29.—A judgment of \$15,295 against Conway Tearle, motion picture actor, and his wife, Mrs. Adele Rowland Tearle, was filed in supreme court Thursday by counsel for 8-year-old Jacques Weinberg of Chappaqua, who was bitten by an English bulldog at the Tearles' home. A verdict was returned in the boy's favor last May and shortly afterward the Tearles filed notice of appeal.

LOCAL NEWS

Dr. Heineman, Dentist, Hotel Main Bldg., Phone 527.

De. Stibal, Chiropractor, Schmidt-mann building. Telephone No. 3.

Dr. H. C. Leopold, Osteopathic physician and surgeon, phone 208, 37-174

From Thursday's Daily— Attorney R. A. Van Orsdale of Omaha was here today for a few hours attending to some matters in the district court.

Lee Nickles and George Nickles of Murray were here today attending to some matters in the district court in which they are interested.

Mrs. Louis Klamm and Mrs. Joe Martis were in Omaha today where they were called to look after some matters of business and visiting with friends in that city.

T. J. Hallahan and wife of Springfield, Mass., who have been here for the investiture services of their cousin, Monsignor M. A. Shine, departed for their home yesterday afternoon.

William Spitt, former resident of Cass county and now living at Imperial was here today visiting with the old time friends. Mr. Spitt arrived this morning from the west and reports conditions in his section as being very good.

Judge Louis Lightner of Columbus arrived here last night to spend the day here hearing the dispute over the closing of the road along the Platte bottom near the toll bridges.

Mrs. J. E. Wiles and Mrs. William Baird departed this morning for Omaha where they will attend a Founders day luncheon that will be held at the Hotel Fontenelle given by the Omaha association of the P. E. O. Society where will be present the national president and many of the state officials.

From Friday's Daily— Attorney Carl Ganz of Alvo was here today attending to some matters in the county court in which he was interested.

J. A. Robbins, one of the well known farmers from west of Murray was here today for a few hours attending to some matters of business.

Miss Elizabeth Sitzman was in Omaha yesterday afternoon and on her return home was accompanied by Miss Ruth Tuma who will enjoy a few days visit here at the Sitzman home.

I. M. Davis of Lincoln was here today for a few hours looking after some matters of business and while in the city was a caller at the Journal and renewed his subscription to the Journal for another year.

From Saturday's Daily— Roy Armstrong of South Bend was here today for a few hours attending to some matters of business at the court house.

Mrs. Matt Sulser and Miss Dorothy Hirz were visitors in Omaha today where they spent the day looking after some matters of business.

State League May Meet by February 15

Promoter of Baseball Circuit Hopes to Have Things Shaped Up for Meeting Febr. 15.

State league organization is expected to be shaped up so that a meeting can be had about the middle of February, according to James E. Beltzer, of Lincoln, who is promoting the organization. Beltzer expects to go to Columbus next week to talk over the baseball park proposition. Some expense of putting a fence around the park and some other matters, such as securing a manager of the team, will be taken up. It is expected that Columbus will come into the league. Mess Justus, who was to take charge of the club will not be available on account of other interests, but one or two other men are being considered, Mr. Beltzer said.

The committee at Beatrice is working on the matter and the Cass county town is practically assured. Sunday games cannot be played in the downtown park at Beatrice, but games can be played at the fair grounds, and arrangements will be made for the Sunday contests there.

Hastings has the same kind of a problem regarding Sunday games, but efforts are being made to get southside park for such games. It is expected that this deal will be made. The other towns in the six club loop are ready to go. The matter of securing players will be left up to the managers of each team. It is believed by Beltzer that the state league will arouse a great deal of enthusiasm in the towns having the teams. Norfolk, Grand Island, Fairbury and Hastings are expected to be the members in addition to Columbus and Beatrice to complete the half dozen towns in the circuit.

LUTHER IS GIVEN CONFIDENCE VOTE

Berlin, Jan. 29.—Chancellor Luther's second cabinet weathered its first parliamentary squall this afternoon, receiving a majority of 10 votes on motion of confidence introduced by the parties comprising the present government. The vote was 159 to 150, and there were 130 abstentions. The socialists gave the government the benefit of their votes by abstaining from voting, thus offering the oppositional vote of German nationalists and communists.

Forecast Big Volume of Business in 1926

Federal Reserve Report Shows Sales in 1925 Largest Ever—Other Records Established.

Lincoln, Jan. 28.—Despite an opening note of caution and curtailment, usually manifest at the beginning of a new year, conditions generally point to a heavy volume of business during 1926 in the Tenth Federal Reserve district, but with no apparent boom tendency. Such was the report made public here today in the January review of the Federal Reserve bank of Kansas City.

Previous estimates of sales in 1925, the largest ever reported both in dollars and in the volume of goods distributed, were confirmed by complete reports for that year, the review stated.

Sales in December, 1925, in nearly every line exceeded those reported for December, 1924. Retail trade at department stores in leading cities, the report said, was the largest of record for that month.

Large Building Operations "December and the year 1925 were notable for large building operations in this district," continued the review. "The value of permits, \$8,198,512 for December, and \$123,084,924 for the year, indicated a building program in 18 reporting cities had not been fully carried out, and there was promise of large construction operations during the remainder of the winter and in the spring. High records in most lines of manufacture were established during the year.

"Though restricted market supply caused the slaughter of hogs at the packing plants to fall below that for 1924, there were increases in the slaughter of cattle and calves, and the slaughter of sheep was almost the same as in the previous year. The smaller receipts of wheat at leading markets of the district was responsible for a decrease of 7.3 per cent in the year's flour output.

Stock Situation Better "Agricultural production in this district in 1925 was estimated in value at approximately \$1,229,500,000, about 23 million dollars less than the value of 1924 crops, and \$149,500,000 more than the value of 1923 crops. It was noted that the smaller production of wheat, potatoes and hay brought higher farm prices per unit than prices paid for such crops produced in 1924. On the other hand the larger crops of corn, oats and cotton in 1925 brought lower prices per bushel or pound than was paid to growers for the crops of 1924.

"The live stock situation improved in 1925, and the beginning of the present year, the industry was in a stronger position than for several years. This was due to readjustment of cattle values which placed breeding herds on a higher and more consistent level. The supply of cattle, calves and sheep was equal to market requirements, but the supply of hogs was 22.7 per cent smaller than for 1924, and indicated fewer hogs on farms and smaller pig crops last spring and fall. There was reported a considerable restocking of cattle on some of the ranges and further expansion of the pig raising industry, though late surveys gave little promise of any increase in the farm supply of hogs for this year."

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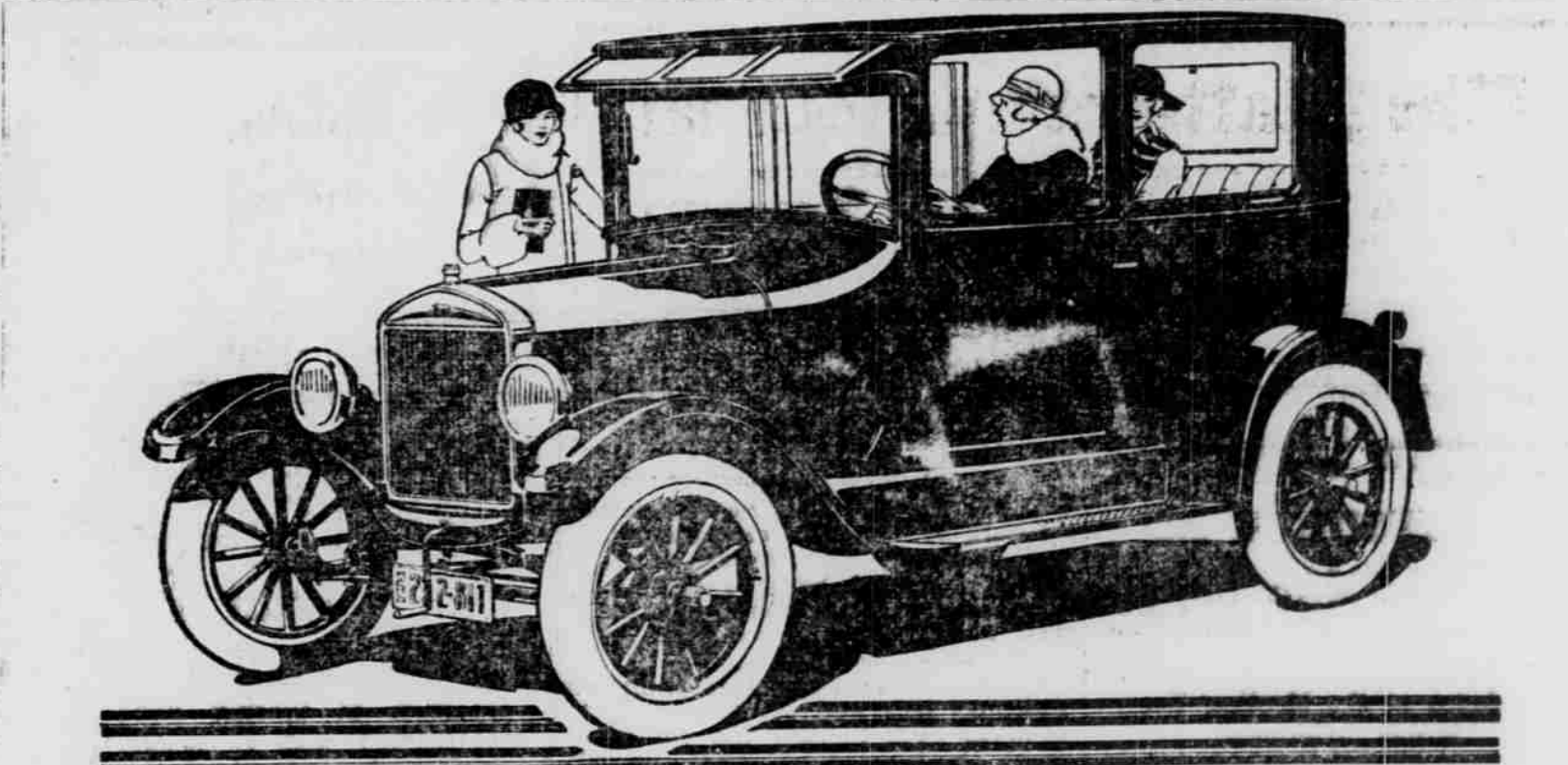
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BUYS FINE STOCK

The choicest steaks and roasts of beef which the market affords are to be served in the dining cars of the Burlington railroad as the result of its purchase on Jan. 29, of fifteen head of grand champion carload of fat steers, exhibited at the National Western Stock Show in Denver.

These pure bred Angus, long fed yearlings, were bred in Iowa and fed by A. N. Schmidt, president of the Tarkio Molasses Feed company, Kansas City, Mo. The average weight was 1,094 pounds, at \$19.75 per cwt. sold by the John Clay company and purchased by A. E. White, superintendent of commissary for the Burlington railroad, making a total of \$2,240.98 worth of prize beef to be served to dining car patrons on the Burlington lines.

At the same sale, Mr. Robert Rice, vice president of the Colorado & Southern railway, purchased through Swift & Co., the grand champion steer, pure bred Angus yearling, \$2,240.98 worth of prize beef to be served to dining car patrons on the Burlington lines.

These purchases of prize beef are in keeping with the policy of these railroads to provide the best market affords for dining car patrons, as well as to encourage production of pure bred live stock in territory tributary to their lines. The Burlington and the Colorado & Southern railroads co-operated with the Colorado breeders in 1923 in the free transportation of twenty-nine pure bred bulls and twenty-nine pure bred cows, valued at \$10,000 which were exchanged in even trade at twenty-nine points in Colorado for scrub sires which sold for \$589 on the Denver market. The Burlington assisted Nebraska breeders in 1924 by transporting \$3,000 worth of pure bred sires which were exchanged at thirty points in Nebraska for scrubs which brought -609 on the Omaha market. In recent checks on results of these campaigns, breeders in Colorado and Nebraska report marked improvement in quality of live stock in their communities.

DEPUTY SENT TO PRISON Paris, Jan. 27.—Jacques Doriot, communist deputy, was sentenced today to eight days' imprisonment for striking a policeman during the general communists' strike in Paris last October 12.

The communists' strike in October was called as a demonstration against the war in Morocco, and to continue for twenty-four hours Doriot being wounded during the rioting in the suburb of St. Denis. He had been fined and sentenced to thirteen months' imprisonment on the same day for inciting soldiers to disobedience.

KFAB TO BROADCAST STATE LEGION PROGRAM

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 28.—KFAB will be turned over to the Nebraska American Legion February 17 for the first annual legion radio night. The program will be in conjunction with the legion executive committee which will meet here the same day. Each post in the Nebraska department is urged to contribute talent to the program.

Business forms of all kinds printed at the Journal office.

TRY AGAIN TO END STRIKE

Philadelphia, Jan. 25.—Anthracite miners and operators gathered tonight for the joint conference to be held tomorrow afternoon, when another attempt will be made to end the long coal strike. The strike tomorrow enters on its twenty-second week.

Prospects for an agreement at the recent conference were apparently not so bright, as they were prior to the New York meeting which broke up January 12. At the New York gathering the conferees had a number of plans favored by one side or the other which were modified in effort to meet objections.

The plan on which tomorrow's conference was called is that offered by E. J. Lynett, published of the Scranton Times. This plan was accepted in principle by the mine workers as a basis for negotiations, but was rejected by the operators as fundamentally unsound. As it takes a unanimous vote in conference to adopt any plan, it would appear that the Lynett plan is doomed to go the way of others—into discard.

FISHING BOATS IN DISTRESS IN LAKE

Muskegon, Mich., Jan. 28.—Two fishing boats are reported in distress in Lake Michigan. The steamer Alabama of the Goodrich lines, an ice breaker, has been sent to their assistance.

The names of the fishing jugs had not been learned late Wednesday night and harbor authorities were making a check of all craft in the harbor to ascertain which were missing. It is presumed the boats left the harbor early Wednesday and were caught in the blizzard which struck western Michigan late.

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