

Greenwood Department!

Prepared in the Interest of the People of Greenwood and Surrounding Vicinity

John E. Weideman of Lincoln was looking after some business matters in Greenwood on Wednesday of last week.

The new home which is being erected on a portion of the lands of J. H. Grady is getting along nicely at this time.

W. H. Lesley is assisting in the carpenter work on the new home which H. Grady is having erected southeast of Greenwood.

There was no school during the latter portion of last week on account of the teachers institute which was attended by the teachers.

The Greenwood band was over to Lincoln on last Monday where they contributed to the excellent music which was had there on that occasion.

Mrs. H. G. Taylor of Geneva, arrived in Greenwood last week and is visiting at the home of O. M. Hartsock, she being a sister of Mr. Hartsock.

Hi Perry was a visitor in the county seat one day last week, but after spending some time there concluded he would as well be in Greenwood and returned home.

Bob Mathews was called to Lincoln on Friday of last week, where he was looking after some business matters and getting repairs to be used in the garage here.

There was a large number of the young people of Greenwood in attendance at the Halloween dance which was given at the hall in Ashland on last Monday night.

W. S. Allen was repairing a corn elevator to the extent last Wednesday that he was almost making a new one, but it will work all right when he gets through with it.

George Bucknell and the family were enjoying a visit with their friends and former neighbors at Beatrice on last Sunday, they driving over in their auto for the day.

S. B. Lytle of Adams a brother of Mrs. A. W. Hudson was a visitor at the Hudson home one day last week remaining over the night and enjoying a very pleasant visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carpenter and their son were over to Ellis last Sunday where they attended a family reunion of the T. J. Carpenter family, and where a most enjoyable time was had.

Henry Talcott, who has been visiting in a number of places during the past summer and fall returned to Greenwood during the past week and will remain here for a time, expecting to spend the winter here.

Robert Bourke and wife were enjoying a visit on the day on last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Rhoden at Manley, they driving over for the day. Mrs. Rhoden is a sister of Mr. Bourke.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hudson were visiting for the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kester of near Hickman, on last Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Weatherlogg, who is making her home with the Hudsons.

Leo Peters received some two hundred dollars for sweet clover seed which he grew on twenty-four acres of land, and which cost twenty-four dollars for cutting and many other expenses which cut down the receipts very much.

Three children of W. H. Lesley, Catherine, Elizabeth and William, are assisting in the gathering of the corn of their neighbor and friend, L. M. Mowery, they making more than a hand when it comes to getting out the corn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Calfee were visiting for the day on last Sunday at the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Turley Wall of near Eagle, they driving over in their car and enjoying the day most pleasantly as well as the excellent dinner.

Paul White is enjoying the listening in on one of the very best radios, which he had installed by the enterprising firm of Mathews and Peterson, the celebrated Mohawk, and is well pleased with the excellent reception which they are having.

A most interesting Halloween party was held at the Christian parsonage on last Monday evening at which nearly a hundred people were present and which filled the house and covered the lawns with an enjoyable time was had as well as a good program given, all got better acquainted.

Mrs. Travis Cameron entertained a large number of the friends of Mr. Cameron at their home on last Sunday, the evening being in honor of the passing of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Cameron, and was most pleasantly enjoyed by the guests of honor, Mr. Cameron and others in attendance.

The Kings Daughters, the young ladies class of the Christian Bible

school were gathered in an all day meeting at the basement of the church last Saturday, where they did much work which they had in hand, and at the same time enjoyed the sociability, as well as the excellent dinner which they served at the noon hour.

Among those who are enjoying the use of some of the new autos which are dispensed from the Jardine Motor Co. are Lud Gustavson, who selected one of the late Chevrolet coupes, and with which he is very well pleased. Fred Newsham also made the same selection and says it is a dandy. Carl Kupke took a Whipper, the kind which stood the severe trial given the one which was driven by "Speed Bradford." Philip Coatsman selected a Pontiac, and says he is well satisfied.

Will Give Bazaar and Supper. The ladies of the Christian church will give at the basement of the church on Saturday of the coming week, November 19th, a bazaar and supper for the benefit of the church, and to which a general invitation is extended for all to come and enjoy the occasion and get acquainted with the other people.

The Ladies Entertain. The ladies of the Greenwood General Kensington, entertained their husbands and friends at a supper and an evening at the fascinating game of 500 at the I. O. O. F. hall on last Tuesday evening, there being some forty of the merrymakers present and a most delightful time was had.

Will Hold Banquet. There will be given at the basement of the Christian church on Friday evening of this week a Fathers and Sons banquet which will be a get together meeting and the means of getting better acquainted with each other and where a good program will be given and a fine evening enjoyed. Tickets are in the hands of W. E. Hand, Watson Howard and C. E. Calfee for sale, and must be gotten by Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning at the latest.

Had Most Interesting Evening. Last evening at the Christian church Rev. H. L. Grassmuck, pastor of the church delivered a most impressive discourse, his subject being "Details of Equipment and the Success of the Flight of Charles Lindbergh to Paris." The pastor likened the preparation for the trip to the one of a Christian in the Christian life, and with this goal instead of Paris, as in Lindbergh's flight, to Heaven in the case of the Christian.

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F. H. GOODFELLOW, Greenwood, Neb.

JAPAN BACK ON ITS FEET San Francisco, Nov. 3.—Thomas W. Lamont, member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. of New York, arrived here today aboard the steamship President Pierce, completing a tour of Japan, where he studied financial conditions and government.

Lamont was decorated by the Japanese government with the Order of the Rising Sun and had an audience with the emperor.

BANK CASHIER ARRESTED Toledo, O., Nov. 3.—Fred P. Conway, forty-two, cashier of the Arcadia (Ohio) Bank Savings company, who was reported missing here today after the bank was closed up with a shortage of \$125,000, was arrested by detectives here tonight at the home of a relative. He was held for authorities at Arcadia.

ALDRICK BANK CASE BEGINS AT NELSON Nelson, Neb., Nov. 3.—The embezzlement case against George S. Aldrich, former cashier of the State bank of Superior, was started Wednesday in district court here. Twenty-seven prospective jurors were examined before 12 were selected to hear the case. The defendant also is accused of issuing false statements of the condition of the Superior bank. Similar charges also are pending against Joseph E. Weir, president of the bank.

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MANILA'S MAYOR MOURNS

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 2.—In the city of Manila, Philippine islands, as well as in Omaha, there is general mourning over the death of Archbishop Jeremiah J. Hartly.

So declared a letter from M. Romualdez, mayor of Manila, which was received here Wednesday. The communication of condolence follows: "Allow me to express in behalf of the city of Manila and the people of the Philippine islands of the profound sorrow and sincere bereavement of your most beloved Archbishop Jeremiah J. Hartly, of Nebraska, and first American archbishop of Manila.

Archbishop Hartly endeared himself personally to all who knew him. He was a constructive American statesman, a faithful friend of racial understandings. The island mourns his death.

Comments on Wet Plans for Repeal

New York Organization Proposes Petitioners Pay \$1 Each to Split with Circulators Thereof

F. A. High, superintendent of the Nebraska anti-saloon league, was at the office of Secretary of State Marsh Wednesday to see the blank petitions which the wet is to circulate asking for the initiation of a repeal of state constitutional prohibition in Nebraska and repeal of all state laws backing up prohibition enforcement.

The initiative petition must be on file with the secretary of state by the fourth Monday in June.

"An organization in New York is behind the movement to repeal state prohibition and wipe out regulatory laws," said Mr. High. "The organization can do nothing with national laws and constitutions. Thirty-three states had prohibition before national prohibition was made a part of the federal constitution. All but two states had enforcement laws to back up prohibition, so there is plenty of territory for the organization to work."

"I have their plan of operation in my possession. The organization is proposing to circulate petitions in the various states with the suggestion to circulators of these documents that they collect \$1 or more from each person who signs an initiative petition, the organization offering to divide 50-50 with the circulators and collectors.

"This is the plan to raise funds. It is not working well in Nebraska, though I have information that it is being tried, circulators of petitions being prospective signers on some occasions that if they sign they will get beer back again, but the prospect is first to give to the cause. If it takes 41,000 petitioners on the petition to repeal the state constitution provision against the sale and manufacture of liquor, and 29,000 to a petition to repeal enforcement statutes, and each petitioner should pay at least \$1, that would mean a fund of \$70,000 to split with circulators of the petitions."—State Journal.

Late Doane Head Long in Service

Dr. Fairchild Served School in Many Capacities—Went to Institution Late in 1874

Crete, Neb., Nov. 2. Dr. A. B. Fairchild, professor emeritus of Doane college, who died at his home here Tuesday morning, held the longest period of continuous service to the school of any other man. He began his work at the institution in November, 1874, shortly after he came to the state. There were few subjects in the early curriculum of the school which he did not at some time teach. He was first made professor of mathematics.

Dr. Fairchild was born in Hartford, O., in November, 1852. He studied at Oberlin academy, Oberlin, O., the same city in which he spent the early part of his life. In the early eighties he took leave from his duties at Doane and secured a degree of bachelor of divinity from Oberlin. He also held degrees of bachelor of arts and bachelor of laws.

Dr. Fairchild retired from the faculty of Doane in 1912. In addition to his teaching he had served the institution as treasurer and business manager and from 1912 to 1914 he was acting president of the school.

Many of the students who have been under Doctor Fairchild have achieved success in the business world and the teaching profession. His sons have also found success. Prof. Fred Rogers Fairchild is a member of the Yale university's political economy department and Prof. Henry Pratt Fairchild is head of the social economy department at New York university.

Doctor Fairchild, besides his two sons, is survived by his wife.

No definite funeral arrangements will be made until word has been received from the sons in the east.

Get your school supplies at the Bates Book and Stationery Store, where you will find the complete line at all times.

Banks Seeking to be Nationalized Must Pay Levies

Guaranty Fund Assessment Rule is Provided in Nebraska Statutes Covering State Banks.

Action taken by two state banks in northern Nebraska to escape further assessment for the guaranty fund by converting themselves into national banks has directed attention to a clause in the law which apparently provides a method whereby all banks operating under state charters can be held to their guaranty obligations.

This proviso is found in Section 26 of Chapter 191, Session Laws of 1923, amending Section 8,028 of the General Statutes, and reads in its essential part as follows:

"If the depositors' guaranty fund shall, from any cause, be depleted or reduced to any amount less than 1 per cent of the average daily deposits, the department of trade and commerce shall levy a special assessment to cover such deficiency, which special assessment shall be based on said average deposits, and when required for the purpose of assessments made by depositors, said special assessment may be for any amount not exceeding one-half of one per cent of said average daily deposits in any one year."

The state trade and commerce department has been making special assessments for a number of years past under authority of the latter portion of the foregoing, "for the immediate payment of depositors," but it has not levied any assessment for the express purpose of restoring the fund to a 1 per cent basis as provided in the first part of the section.

Would Be Lien on Assets Bankers who have made a study of the guaranty law contend that the limit of one-half of 1 per cent a year applied to the assessments made by the immediate payment of depositors, and that the department would not only have power, but is required by the statute to make a separate assessment in order to bring the fund up to 1 per cent whenever it falls below that level.

It has been suggested that the extra assessment levied and carried on the trade and commerce department records as a charge against the various banks, but that it be not collected while they are paying the regular and special semi-annual assessments. In case any state bank should thereafter try to avoid future payments to the guaranty fund by taking out a national charter, the extra assessment would stand as a lien against its assets and the guaranty fund would not lose through its withdrawal.

A recent opinion given by the state legal department interpreting the amended section 8,028 holds that a levy may be made in any amount necessary to establish a balance equal to 1 per cent of deposits, over and above the twice-a-year assessments now being made for immediate payment of depositors. The ruling said:

"We therefore conclude that if the levy is intended to restore the fund and is not required for the immediate payment of depositors, the levy may be sufficient to restore the fund, not exceeding 1 per cent; but if required for the immediate payment of depositors it may not exceed one-half of one per cent in any one year."

Banks that Succeeded The two banks which have recently pulled out of the state guaranty fund system and reorganized as Nationals, were the Commercial State at Ainsworth, and the Farmers & Merchants, at Springfield, now the First National there.

G. H. Thorley is president of both institutions. He is understood to have had the change in contemplation for several years. W. H. Williams is cashier of the Ainsworth bank and H. G. Thorley of the one at Springfield.

Both of these banks, with all others operating under state charters, paid regular assessments of one-twentieth of one per cent on deposits last July and special assessments amounting to one-fourth of one per cent in October. The latter assessment was for "immediate payment of depositors," being the second of its kind during 1927.

The small balance remaining as guaranty fund reserve in the possession of the two banks must be paid over to the state treasurer for the benefit of the guaranty fund; but they will not have to contribute anything hereafter.

They had together about \$300,000 of deposits, and if an assessment had been made before they nationalized, for the purpose of bringing the guaranty fund up to 1 per cent, they would have had to pay from \$2,500 to \$3,000 more at the time of leaving the state's jurisdiction.

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Slagle Plans to Retire

Vermillion, S. D., Oct. 31.—Robert M. Slagle, veteran South Dakota educator, has resigned as president of the University of South Dakota here, effective Sept. 1, 1929. This was announced tonight by Robert Dailey Flandreau, chairman of the state board of regents. In his letter of resignation, President Slagle said that on Sept. 1, 1929, he will have completed thirty-four years in the service with state educational institutions and that at that time he will be sixty-four years old, "a proper age to retire from active work, the age of compulsory retirement in the army and navy."

"The reason for presenting this formal resignation almost two years before the date mentioned is due to my hope that as you have sufficient time to select a successor, the next interregnum, with its possible undesirable results may be avoided."

Disappointment at the trend of legislative appropriations which he deemed too meager to allow educational progress was one of his reasons for resigning.

October Weather is Doubly Unusual Contrast Between First and Last Halves Even More Marked than Continued Warm Weather

October's bright blue weather was not only unusually warm this year, but still more marked from the official observer's point of view, because of the prolonged cold weather of the first two weeks and the continuous warm weather the rest of the month. The mean temperature was 58.6 degrees or 4 per cent above normal, and this has been exceeded eleven times in the past forty-four years.

The first two weeks, except for an occasional day, averaged well below the seasonal temperature. The temperature for the first fifteen days averaged 54.3 degrees, or a daily deficiency of 3.8 degrees. Lower temperature for this period, as a whole, has been recorded in only four other years—in 1925, when it averaged 49.9 degrees; in 1891, with 50.1 degrees; 1888, with 52.7 degrees, and 1894, with 53.7 degrees.

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