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Paul Reincke of near South Bend was looking after some business in Murdock for a short time on last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oehlerking and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Oehlerking and family were Milford on last Saturday and on their return done their shopping in Lincoln.

J. C. Hoenshell and wife of Ashland and J. M. Hoenshell of the same place and Paul Boessen of Greenwood were visiting for the day on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elza Winget of Murdock.

Mrs. Velma Smaha and her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Wooster, both of Lincoln, one the daughter and the other the granddaughter of Mr. John Ostblom were guests of Mr. Ostblom for the day on last Sunday where they all enjoyed the visit very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones and wife of Weeping Water were visiting for the afternoon at the home of L. B. Gortney and family, and Mrs. George Vandenberg who is mother of Messias Jones and Gortney, and who is not in the best of health.

The improvements which have been underway at the office of Dr. L. D. Lee and which has been conducted by Judge W. E. Newkirk and Dr. Lee have just about been completed and they will make their home in the apartments adjoining the office for the winter.

The Speedloder Company of Murdock received two orders last week for a speedloder, but as they are not as yet equipped to furnish these chutes in the quantities which will justify the shipping they are going to have to arrange for some way of increasing their output.

Mrs. J. C. Selas of Lincoln accompanied by her daughter, Miss Nettie Selas, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Reil of Pickrel were spending the day last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Townsend, near Townsend also being a daughter of Mrs. Selas. All enjoyed the visit very much.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. McDonald and Mrs. H. A. Tool were over to Weeping Water last Friday where they were attending a meeting of the county officers of the Red Cross society and where there was a number of greatly interested members from over the county devising ways and means of making the society more effective in its workings.

Building Making Progress.
The building which is being constructed by Charles Kupke in his farm northeast of Murdock is making headway, the building will be erected by Matt Thimman and son, which is a guarantee that the building will be constructed in the proper way when completed.

Mrs. Pickwell Very Poorly.
Mrs. G. V. Pickwell who has been in very poor health for some time and who has been in Lincoln for some time where she is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Isley, is still in very poor health. Mr. Pickwell was over to see the wife on last Wednesday and found her resting slightly easier.

Farm House Burns.
The home of John Scheel where John E. Scheel resides in some manner became afire last week with the result that the edifice was entirely consumed. Some things were saved, but they were merged. The place carried, so it is reported some three thousand dollars insurance, but it would cost twice the amount to restore the building.

Tries to Run Over Man.
It is claimed that on last Saturday night some one without lights on their auto, were chasing one of our citizens and endeavoring to run over him. As he would dodge them they would change until he came to the truck of John Eppings which afforded him some protection as he could get behind it and thus could not be harmed. He was able to get away from them later and got home.

Beginning the New Home.
Otto Miller was having the excavation done for the new home which is to stand on the site where the former Methodist church stood, and as soon as the foundation can be constructed the superstructure will also be begun.

Visit State Headquarters.
On last Monday a number of the citizens of Murdock and vicinity were over to Lincoln where they were consulting the state authorities regarding the matter of securing im possible gravel for the Red Ball highway from two miles north of Elmwood to the juncture of the work south of Manley. While in truth the Red Ball highway which passes through the center of the county should have been cared for the first of all, the officers in charge informed the delegation from Murdock that the amount of monies which are allotted for road work in Cass county had already been spent. Argue as they would the officials were obdurate and would not promise anything in the line of improvements for the Red Ball before the coming year.

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Oh You Dirty Little Skunk!
In the night of September 23, a skunk was seen to enter my oil house. He had been there before helping himself, this time he was bent on mischief, frolicking around in the oil house. He brushed against the fouse of a Linseed oil tank, which opened and let over 70 gallons of oil run out, wasting the same. If he had had any sense he would have taken it with him and made use of it, this way it was only wasted.

The dirty little skunk left his small behind him, also his fingerprints, he was easily traced to his lair. This seems to be the same animal that takes delight in destroying property, the smell and fingerprints are the same that got into a garage some time ago and destroyed three tires on a car. Well the trap is set, he either will soon be caught or he will have to move to another climate, the smell is getting too strong, we can't stand it much longer.

—L. NEITZEL.

First Meeting of Club.
The first meeting of the four square club will be held at the school building on Wednesday afternoon, October 2nd. It is desired that all members and those interested be in attendance. The business meeting which was held at the home of Mrs. Johnson was well attended and it was decided that the meeting would be held in the school house and in the afternoon instead of the evening as heretofore.

THREE KILLED IN WRECK
Kentland, Ind.—Three persons were killed near here late Friday when the automobile in which they were riding collided with a heavily loaded truck. The dead are W. B. Thomas, his wife, Mary, and a brother, Arthur Thomas, all of Wolcott, Ind.

Mrs. Thomas and Arthur were instantly killed, but W. B. Thomas who was driving the car, was rushed to the hospital at Watska, Ill., where he died. After the death of Thomas in the hospital, his body was returned to Indiana, but the coroner of Iroquois county ordered its return to Illinois and an inquest will be held at Sheldon.

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May Reveal Scandal in Indiana Inquiry

Doran Remains at South Bend to Conduct Investigation Into Grave Charges.
South Bend, Ind., Sept. 26.—Rumblings of an impending scandal which may reach into the high realms of government in northern Indiana, Indiana and Chicago were heard here today.

So serious did the situation appear that Dr. James N. Doran, national commissioner of prohibition, after hearing the charges, abandoned his announced plan to return at once to Washington, D. C. Dr. Doran set out at once in an automobile bound for Chicago to consult with E. O. Yellowley, prohibition administrator for Illinois.

Three other Washington officials, leading members of the staff of Attorney General Mitchell, joined Dr. Doran in a conference over the matter. These men, who had come here today to help carry through the federal investigation in the alleged alliance between gang lords and public officials in northern Indiana, are Oscar Raymond Lufking, first assistant to Attorney General Mitchell, and in direct charge of all criminal prosecutions for the government; Oliver Pagan, noted indictment expert, and John S. Pratt, government prosecutor, known for his prosecution for fraud of Dr. Frederick Cook, arctic explorer.

Discuss Purported Conference.
Although Dr. Doran and the other officials refuse to discuss the threat of scandal involving the prohibition department, it was learned that the charges deal with a reported conference between powerful Indiana politicians and vice and bootleg overlords, and the deal made therein where, it was alleged, bootleggers were promised protection. Afterwards, it is reported, direct evidence of corruption of northern Indiana officials was pigeonholed by prohibition officials for two years without any action being taken.

The story as it has been unfolded to agents of the department of justice during their investigation in Lake county, and which, it is thought, has been presented to the grand jury, goes back to the national election in 1926. United States Senators James E. Watson and Arthur E. Robinson, both republicans, were re-elected to the senate in that election.

County Went Wet.
Lake county went wet. Hundreds of speakeasies were set up in the communities populated by workmen from the steel mills and the factories. Warfare set up among some of the gangsters engaged in supplying the flow of moonshine, and one of them, Urash Marvich, was killed.

Nick Marvich, a brother, was sent to the federal penitentiary for violation of the white slave act. He sent word to federal prohibition officials that he would confess his activities as a booze and vice lord, and would implicate officials in his confession. He is said to have given a sworn affidavit asserting that he had paid regular tribute to police and other officials, and giving the names of those he accused.—World-Herald.

Weaver Backs Nebraska Ban on Fireworks
Governor, in Fire Prevention Week Statement, Asks for Prohibition of Explosives
Lincoln, Sept. 27.—Governor Weaver Friday ardently advocated the rapidly growing movement to ban fireworks and explosives.

In a proclamation asking for statewide observance of Fire Prevention week, Oct. 9 to 15, the governor devoted a paragraph to the perils of explosives and dire need for legislation by cities of the state and by the legislature.

"I respectfully direct the attention of the public to the necessity for the passage of such laws by the state and local subdivisions as will conserve human life and property by a better control of explosives such as firecrackers and fireworks. Frequently in the hands of children and inexperienced persons they are a menace to the individual and the public."

Bishop Praises Reply to Senator Howell's Charges

Cannon Says Hoover Is Determined to Investigate "Serious Facts" —Expect Enforcement
Washington, D. C., Sept. 26.—The hubbub over prohibition conditions in the District of Columbia has prompted Bishop James Cannon, Jr., chairman of the Board of Temperance and Social Service of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to express the conviction that if additional enforcement legislation is found necessary "the people will expect it to be promptly forthcoming."

This opinion is contained in a report he is sending to the church press concerning the work of the several concerning religious conferences which he attended recently as an official delegate. The report reads in part:

"A striking example of the Hoover method of handling important subjects is found in his reply to the statement of Senator Howell on lack of prohibition enforcement in the District of Columbia. Which should receive the hearty, enthusiastic approval and active support not only of all true friends of prohibition but of all genuine supporters of constitutional government, the president most significantly declares: 'It is the intention, not only to secure the fullest enforcement in the district possible under the organization of engagements as provided by law, but to make it a model in this country.'"

"This declaration is the climax of a statement bristling with facts, asserting that Senator Howell's statement seriously impugns the good faith and capacity of the district officials, calling them by name; that the president is glad the question has been raised, expressing a natural confidence that such charges would not be made unless they were based on facts, and declaring positively that if such facts are forthcoming the president himself will have the matter thoroughly investigated."—World-Herald.

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NONEGENARIAN ANSWERS CALL

Born in Marion, Virginia, on June 4th 1839, and making that his home during the early boyhood and manhood, Stephen N. Copenhaver was united in marriage with Virginia Anderson also of Virginia, in 1865, just at the time of the close of the Civil war. Being in the south and having his sympathies with the people of that section, when the Civil war came he went with the other troops and the latter having resided what he believed to be the proper thing. He was a member of the 8th Virginia cavalry and was comrade of Samuel A. Farris, and J. W. Thomason, the former the father of John and Lee Farris of Murray and Union and the latter having resided in Cass county on the farm where Dan Horcher now lives. During a certain scurrage Messrs Copenhaver, Farris and Thomason made their escape while Mr. Farris the father of J. H. Farris of Murray was captured by the Yankees and held for some six months. Following the war, Mr. Copenhaver returned to the pursuits of peace and continued to make his home in the east until the wife passed away some twenty-six years ago. After some time he brought the family and has made his home with the children during the years following.

Uncle Copenhaver spent much of his time in Murray at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John H. Farris, and was well known by many of the people here. At the age of ninety years and nearly four months, he passed away at the home of his son, C. M. Copenhaver at Syracuse, Nebraska, on last Saturday morning. The funeral was held at the home of the son in Syracuse early Sunday afternoon and the funeral cortege was held at the old home at Marion, Virginia, where the body will repose beside that of the wife who has preceded him over a quarter of a century to the other and better world. Uncle Copenhaver was never a member of the church as we count but affiliated with the Lutherans, and was a very regular attendant to the place of worship. The union of this man and his excellent wife was blessed by five sons and four daughters. Two have preceded him in death, those surviving are T. W. Copenhaver, H. B. Copenhaver and H. B. Copenhaver all of Syracuse, S. W. Copenhaver of Union and L. V. Copenhaver of Texas, the daughters being Mrs. J. H. Farris of Murray, Mrs. John Fox of Oakdale, Washington and one daughter, Mrs. Tom N. Mrek of Marion, Va. One brother, Mr. H. B. Copenhaver of Marion, Va., survives Uncle Copenhaver, he being eighty years of age.

W. C. T. U. COUNTY MEETING
The county convention of the various groups of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, will be held at Eagle, on Thursday, October 3rd. The meetings will be held at the First Methodist church and open at 10 a. m. The following is the program of the day:

Song—"America."
Salute to the Flag.
Prayer.—Mrs. J. H. Adea, Eagle.
Address of Welcome.—Mrs. Orville Allen, Eagle.
Response.—Mrs. Emma Olson, Weeping Water.
Appointing committees.
Reading of minutes.
Introduction of officers.
Report of local Unions.
Election of Officers.
Report of County Directors.
Music.—Union local union.
Noontime prayer.
1:30 p. m. Afternoon Session.
Song—Cruisade Hymn.
Devotionals.—Mrs. C. C. Wescott, Plattsmouth.
Music.—Eagle Quartette.
Memorial.
Report of Convention.
Address.—Mrs. Clara Clayton, state president of the W. C. T. U.
Report of National Convention—State President.
Adjournment.

COURT PONDERS M. W. A. CASE
Lincoln, Sept. 27.—Attorneys for the national organization of the Modern Woodmen of America presented to Federal Judge Munger Friday their motion for dismissal of the injunction suit brought by the Beatrice camp.

After a 2-hour session, the judge took the matter under advisement without indicating when he would make his decision.

Nelson C. Pratt of Omaha presented the motion, contending that jurisdiction in the matter is vested in the Illinois courts.

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State Bank Leaders Lay Credit Plan
Say Regional Clearing Houses Will Work for Safer Institutions in State of Nebraska.
Lincoln, Sept. 27.—Nebraska banks will be restricted into regional clearing house associations, each having a credit bureau in the near future in accordance with plans made by committees of the state bankers' association in session here Friday.

Receiver Asks for Ruling Upon Official Bonds
Insists He Is State Officer and Need Not Give Superseeds Making Him Liable
Whether the receiver of a failed state bank may be required by the district court to give a superseeds bond in order to get his case into supreme court is raised in an appeal by E. J. Dempster, in charge of the affairs of the Dunbar State bank. The district court had ordered him to pay a \$15,000 claim by banks and individuals, which he contested on the ground that they were not preferred claims because they represented the fruits of forgeries by the head of the bank. Upon insistence, he gave the superseeds bond, and now asks for a decision as to whether this is necessary.

Receiver Dempster asserts that as such he is acting as a state officer in the discharge of a superseeds duty of administering the guaranty fund created by the statute, and that in administering the trust he represents the state and stands in the same position as any other state officer conducting legislation for the state. The giving of a superseeds bond imposes on him a personal obligation, it is argued, from which he should be freed by the fact that having given a heavy bond upon which he would be liable for malfeasance he cannot be required to give another. The demand was based on the contention that he stood in the shoes of any other litigant denying payment of a claim adjudged to be due, but he says that it would be against public policy to require him to become personally liable for the payment of claims, from the allowance of which he desires to appeal since if a personal liability is thereby attached he won't imperial his own property by taking one.

REGIME STILL THREATENED
Hankow—Latest dispatches received here Friday from Nanking indicate that the revolting "Ironsiders" whose surrender had been reported, are still in the field and are offering a serious threat to the nationalist government.

WESLEYAN COLLEGE IS NOW IN 99TH YEAR
Middletown, Conn., Sept. 27.—The first of the colleges in the United States to bear the name of Wesleyan is now in its 99th year and its faculty and alumni are looking forward to the time when the centennial of the institution will be celebrated. Wesleyan university, here, with James I. McConaghy, president, announced as the year opened the largest enrollment in history, a substantial increase in buildings and faculty, and a general condition of strength all around.

WOMAN AVIATRIX IS KILLED
Abilene, Tex.—An armless woman, who became a fier despite warnings of the commerce department, fell to her death near here Friday in an unlicensed airplane. The plane, piloted by Miss Josephine Callaghan, wealthy rancher of Encino, Calif., who used a shoulder high control stick which she manipulated with her stub arms, got out of control at an altitude of several thousand feet and crashed in a cotton field. A letter in her effects, signed by

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