

# Alvo News

Mrs. Lizzie Lewis and son, Neal, were Lincoln visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orest Cook and son, Wendell, were Lincoln visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Steele and son, Gilbert, were Alvo visitors on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shulke announce the arrival of a baby boy born on Wednesday, Nov. 18th.

The new night operator has arrived and been duly installed in her position and has moved with her son, who will make their home here.

The George Frisbee, Paul Coatsman and John Fischer families were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Linder at Edwood on last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCartney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scattergood of Eagle, last Saturday evening.

Six couples were present to enjoy playing cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leaver and daughter, Maxine, were Lincoln visitors, Monday and of course took in the parade and saw Santa Claus and his real reindeers.

The young peoples Sunday school class enjoyed a party at the school house on Friday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Edwards is the teacher and they report a very good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hardnock and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hardnock motored to Lincoln Friday to see the new nephew, Jack Dean Miller, at the Bryan Memorial hospital.

Joseph Vickers was looking after some business matters in Omaha for the day on Tuesday of last week, driving over in his truck and taking some stock over for market.

S. C. Boyles and wife were enjoying the Thanksgiving day with its festivities in Lincoln on last Thursday, they enjoying a fine dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Boyles.

The family of Eugene Barkhurst were enjoying a vacation on last Thursday when they went to Lincoln where they enjoyed a very fine dinner with relatives as well as a pleasant day's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Peterson and family were Lincoln visitors on Sunday and were guests of the Forrest Hettrick family for dinner.

It being the birthdays of several parties of the Steele family.

At the home of C. D. Ganz were gathered a number of their relatives and friends who assisted in the enjoyment of the passing of Thanksgiving and the members of the family living elsewhere.

Mrs. E. L. Nelson was a visitor in Omaha last Wednesday afternoon where he went to take his two daughters, Cloe and Lucele, who were taking the train to Valentine to visit with relatives for over Thanksgiving and also for the remainder of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Miller entertained for the day on last Thursday Thanksgiving day, and had as their friends for the occasion Messrs. and Mesdames Elmer and Carl Rosenow, where all enjoyed the occasion very much and the excellent dinner which was served.

On Nov. 23 Noel Fischer was completely surprised by several of his schoolmates when at noon they enjoyed his 19th birthday dinner with him. Those attending were Lloyd

Shulke, Wendell Cook, Junior Clarke, Forrest Hardnock, Jimmy Roelofs, Orland Bennett from his class 5th grade, and also Gerald Peterson from the 6th grade, whose birthday was the same day, he being 11 years old. The boys were surprised too, when they entered the dining room and it was rather dark, being lighted only by the ten candles on the cake and when they were seated, lifted their plates to find a lolly pop waiting for them as favors. Noel received many little gifts, and they all seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest extent and wished him many more happy birthdays.

### Received Car of Coal.

The Farmers Union in the vicinity of Alvo has shipped in a car of coal which is being distributed among the members of the company, and which they were receiving and unloading on last Wednesday. The weighing was being look after by Joe Vickers.

### The Cow Got Away.

Simon Rehmeier, thinking it would be nice to have a good cow, purchased one of Orville Robinson on last Tuesday and got the cow home and when milking time came he was well pleased with the results of a fine full pail of rich creamy milk, and the cow given a good feed and bedding, but when Simon went out to the barn in the morning there was no cow there. He was looking for her, but no one had seen or heard of her. He no doubt has located her before now and is enjoying the good rich milk again.

### Alvo Merchants Busy.

Both the stores of Alvo, that of E. L. Nelson and Barkhurst and Son have been enjoying a good trade, on last Wednesday before the Thanksgiving holiday they were about as busy as they could be with their orders they were filling and delivering. This speaks well for Alvo and she is favored with a good business and a well satisfied citizenry.

### See Santa Claus.

On last Tuesday A. B. Stromer and wife were over to Lincoln to see the coming of Kris Krinkle, with his retinue of Christmas Elfs. They had the little daughter and also the children of C. D. Ganz and wife along with them and with what delight the little folks watched the parade.

### SEWARD BEATS AUBURN FOR NINTH WIN OF YEAR

Auburn—Lloyd Cardwell led his Seward high school team mates to their ninth straight victory of the season, defeating Auburn, southeast Nebraska champion, 7 to 2 here Thursday afternoon. The game was played on a snow swept gridiron.

Cardwell scored Seward's lone touchdown, taking a pass near the goal line and then placekicked the extra point. Auburn was awarded a safety when a Seward punter stepped into the end zone when getting off a kick.

### INJURIES FATAL TO WATERBURY, NEB. MAN

Sioux City—Lewis T. Smith, resident of Waterbury, Neb., for thirty-five years, died Tuesday in a local hospital. He was struck by an automobile ten days ago and his skull was fractured.

### "CONFESSION" IS CHECKED

Portsmouth, N. H.—Police authorities at Salt Lake City, Utah, asked officials of the United States naval prison here for further details of the statements of Warren F. Pope, alias Frank Webster, that he had slain Mrs. Dorothy M. Mooremeister in Salt Lake City. The police authorities immediately gave the Salt Lake City police details of the story told by Pope, serving twenty-four months for desertion.

Pope had told the authorities that, with a companion, he had slain Mrs. Mooremeister during an automobile party. He provided the authorities with details of the location and of the killing altho he said the slaying occurred in November, 1929, while it actually occurred in February, 1930. Salt Lake police were skeptical of the story but asked for the details in order to check them. Pope had been arrested there at one time and on that occasion had told police of a murder which proved to be a myth.

### WILL START TREK HERE

Omaha—The trek of Nebraska's delegation of the "National Hunger Demonstration" to be staged in Washington Dec. 7 when congress convenes will begin at Lincoln Wednesday, a committee of communists notified Omaha city officials. The committee asked for food and shelter for the delegates who they said, would number about 100. Some of them are coming from western states. They will travel in trucks.

From Omaha the demonstrators go to Kansas City where they will merge with groups from southwestern states. The trek then will start for Washington via St. Louis. At its conclusion 2,000 men are expected to be in the party.

Mayor Metcalfe promised Mrs. Sue Stalker of the Trades Union Unity league, communistic organization, that Omaha will see that the men are taken care of while here. The demonstration, leaders promised, will be a peaceful one.

### CRONIN MAY LOSE OUT AS MARSHAL IS RUMOR

Omaha—A report that Val J. Peter, publisher of the Omaha Daily Tribune, German newspaper, is to be made United States marshal here made the rounds Tuesday night. Dennis Cronin, present marshal, said he had heard the report a month ago but said no action had been taken yet. Cronin, who has occupied the post for ten years, said he was prepared for a change and expected to return to O'Neill, his home town, if a change is made. Senator Howell has for the past two years failed to recommend Cronin for reappointment but in each instance Cronin has been a hold over.

### LINCOLN WOMAN IS HURT IN CAR CRASH

Humphrey, Nov. 26.—Mrs. Jack Burton was recovering Thursday night from a severe head injury suffered when her automobile crashed into a post here Wednesday night.

Mr. Burton is a salesman for a motor car company at Lincoln. Mrs. Burton's daughter and a cousin were with her at the time of the accident. Neither was seriously injured.

## Over Dozen Deaths Charged to the Storm

Snow Blankets Area from Pacific Coast to St. Louis—Much Suffering Caused.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 26.—It was a white Thanksgiving day in the west.

Snow blanketed a wide area from the Pacific coast east to St. Louis, giving the traditional background for the holiday.

The snow scene was painted with a wide splash during the day across the Texas Pan-Handle, northern Oklahoma, Kansas, eastern Nebraska and Missouri for the first time this season.

A new storm was raging in Montana, which, like other Rocky mountain states, has been snow-covered since the first of the week. For the Pacific coast there was a white coating in the high mountain regions.

The gaily lent to the Turkey day festivities was not without its tragic side. More than a dozen deaths were charged to the snow and cold in the mountain regions and a party of five motorists drowned in a rainswollen creek near Tyler, Tex.

Much Suffering. There was much suffering among persons marooned with little food and shelter, principally Navajo Indian pigeon nut pickers in New Mexico, at least nine of whom froze to death.

John Moody, a sheep herder, was found dead from exposure near Glenrock, Wyo.

Among the missing were Robert Gordon and Billie Haines, 15-year-old boys who were last seen leaving for school Tuesday. Searching parties combed snowdrifts near Columbia Falls, Mont., for the youths.

Blizzards conditions were reported around Bozeman, Mont., and many highways were blocked in that state. A flock of nine hundred sheep wandered onto thin ice on a reservoir near Matla, Mont., during a snow-storm and drowned.

Some Planes Through. Blinding snow and low clouds caused the cancellation of numerous air mail and passenger flights, but some planes got through in the afternoon.

Most of Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Idaho, northern Utah and a good portion of New Mexico were under from a few inches to two and three feet of snow in the mountains, with much deeper deposits where there was drifting.

Minnesota and North Dakota were virtually all snow-covered, but there was no further fall today.

The unexpected storm in the vicinity of Kansas City found an American Beauty rose blooming under heavy swirls of snow in the garden of Mrs. J. T. Bradshaw. Apple trees near Columbus, Kans., bore both blossoms and trimmings of snow. Temperatures were not severe.

The Kansas wheat belt received a protective covering of an inch to two inches.

### RAIL WAGES ARE STUDIED

Montreal—James Murdock, vice-president of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, told the board of wage conciliation hearing proposals for a 10 percent cut in railway workers' pay that Canadian operatives receive 6 1-2 percent less than Americans, even when extra compensation to the dominion men is added to the scale. Thursday's public conference of the workers and representatives of the two leading rail systems was devoted mostly to discussion of "arbitraries" paid for services performed before and after their regular runs regarding more than 2 percent of Canadian employees in the twenty-one brotherhoods received a "fraction of 1 percent in 'arbitraries'."

All evidence was handed over to the board, which is composed of J. M. MacDonell, Toronto, chairman, and Isaac Pitblado, Winnipeg, for the companies and Dr. J. C. Hemmion, of McGill University, Montreal. The three will conclude their deliberations in private. Their report and recommendation later will be submitted to Gideon Robertson, dominion minister of labor.

### SOCIALISTS HEAR SHAW

London—George Bernard Shaw preached an eloquent funeral oration on socialism. In his annual address before the Fabian society, the inner circle of intellectual socialists in England, of whom Shaw has been the high priest for many years, he declared there was nothing left save for the Fabians to call themselves communists.

"You are either communists or you are what Ramsay MacDonald and Viscount Snowden are—whatever that is," Shaw said. "Communism is a force which will be set up against capitalism. There is nothing left of bolshevism, collectivism, anarchism or class war. Only communism remains."

After all, Shaw said, Russian communism was nothing more than the program of the Fabians had been preaching for forty years.

"Under the pressure of practical application," he explained, "the soviet government has turned communism into Fabianism. But the communists won't take our name so we must take theirs." Altho proclaiming himself a communist—Shaw said he liked—Shaw devoted most of his address to illustrating with wit and epigrams and shortcomings and difficulties of the soviet government.

### FOR SALE

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### OLD COURSE OF PLATTE FOUND

Lincoln, Nov. 26.—That flats northeast of Ashland in which the wells that will provide Lincoln its future water supply were once the bed of the Platte river as claimed by geologists, was verified when workmen digging the trench for a pipe line to the wells uncovered, about eight feet below the surface, an old beaver dam and what appeared to be drift wood.

Pieces of the dam and of the drift wood were taken out of the ditch and are in care of the contractor, who reported the find to City Commissioner William Schroeder, head of the water department.

The find is "intensely interesting," Prof. A. L. Lugin, geologists at the university said.

"It verifies the claims of geologists that many years ago the Platte river channel passed through an entirely different territory than that which it now traverses," he said. "From the standpoint of time as considered by geologists," he added, "this would not be long. But as time is considered by people generally, it might have been several hundred years ago."

### BUTLER LAUGHS AT NEWS

Philadelphia—Back home from a speaking tour and in excellent health, Major General Butler, formerly of the marine corps, chuckled when informed a tablet commemorating his service as public safety director here had been removed from the navy building in Washington to the marine barracks at Quantico, Va.

"Could anyone ask for a better break than that?" the general laughed. "It appears to be only further

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proof of my charges the swivel chair admirals are doing all they can to subordinate the marine corps. "Of course, I really don't know why it was moved. But I wish someone would start a movement to have it brought back to the city hall in Philadelphia, where the things it commemorates were performed. That has always been my fond hope. That would keep it from being knocked around in the service."

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