

MURDOCK ITEMS

Douglas Tool was spending his mid-semester vacation last week at the home of his parents.

Miss Hilda Schmidt, who is employed in Lincoln, is taking a two weeks' vacation, which she is spending with her parents at their home in Murdock.

John Amgwert and family, of Lincoln, were guests for the day and at a very fine dinner on last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Barbara Hite, mother of Mrs. Amgwert.

Charles Helmers, of Omaha, who was employed in the Bank of Murdock for some time, was a visitor in town for a couple of days during the early portion of this week.

Harold and Henry A. Tool were over to Lincoln last Tuesday, where they were present at a session of the state legislature and witnessed the second reading of the new banking bill.

Misses Helen and Elsa Bornemeier were visiting for the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bornemeier on last Wednesday afternoon, where they and Mrs. Bornemeier were enjoying the afternoon quilting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Neitzel were over to Manley on last Monday morning, where they were in attendance at the funeral of the late Mrs. August Glaubitz, as well as a host of friends residing between Murdock and Manley.

Neils Petersen, who has heretofore worked at the A. H. Ward filling station, but who has been ill with flu and other disabilities, is slowly recovering and is able to be about some, but not so that he can resume his work as yet.

A very interesting meeting was held on last Friday at the Grand Prairie school, where Miss Ruth Miller is the teacher, when the Parent-Teachers' association held its meeting and discussion from 2 to 3:30 during the afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Lowe Visiting Here

Mrs. Fred Lowe, formerly Miss Catherine Neitzel, who makes her home on a ranch operated by her husband and his father, E. Lowe, near the town of Hyannis, in western Nebraska, is visiting with relatives here for a short time, having come with her husband's father, who was bringing a large shipment of cattle to the South Omaha market. Mrs. Lowe will visit here for some two weeks.

Delivered Sermon at Callahan

On account of the very severe illness of the Rev. H. A. Norenberg, pastor of the Callahan church, who has been very poorly for the past two months, L. Neitzel delivered the discourse on last Sunday, following the close of the Bible school hour in town, of which he is the teacher. Rev. Norenberg has been suffering from an attack of acute rheumatism as well as an affection in one of his eyes, and which latter ailment requires that he remain in a darkened room most of the time.

Enjoyed a Lively Debate

At the Grand Prairie school, located a short distance east of Murdock on Highway No. 1, of which Miss Ruth Miller is the teacher, a very lively debate was staged with Paul O'Brien, R. Earhardt, Vincent Earhardt and Henry Menke as the affirmative debaters, while those of the negative were Gladys Neben, Ruth Wilson and John Borden. The question debated was: "Resolved that Arithmetic is more important than Grammar."

The victory was celebrated on last Friday evening, when the winners entertained at a party and supper at the home of the teacher, Miss Ruth Miller.

Meetings of Linger Longer Club

The Linger Longer club met at the home of Mrs. Carl Schlaphoff on December 15th. Twelve members and four visitors were present, four of the members being absent. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. O. C. Zink. The opening song, "Silent Nite," was sung by all. The minutes of the past meeting were read and approved, after which the lesson on "Home Nursing" was taken up by our leaders, Mrs. Elma Gerbering and Miss Edna McCrory. A demonstration of "Bathing the Patient" was given. At the close of the meeting, delicious refreshments were served.

The club met again on January 19, in regular monthly session, at the home of Mrs. John Thoms, for an all-day meeting. Mr. Thoms gave a

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demonstration on pork cuts. A basket dinner was served at noon. In the afternoon the meeting was called to order by the president. After singing the January song and reading of the minutes of the last meeting, the session was turned over to the project leader, who gave a discussion of home preservation of meats. She also gave a demonstration on the hot pack method of canning pork. Mrs. Zink again took charge of the meeting and a short business session was held before adjournment. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Elsie Schleuter on February 23rd.

—Reporter.

Paul-Boncour's Cabinet Beaten Over Tax Issue

Overthrow Follows Flea of Premier and by Edouard Herriot—Vote 390 to 193.

Paris, Jan. 28.—The 40-day-old Paul-Boncour government was overthrown early today by a boisterous, crowded chamber of deputies on the budgetary program by a vote of 390 to 193 after an all night battle. The ministry immediately walked out and prepared its resignation for presentation to President Lebrun.

The overthrow came on an article in the financial bill increasing the income and other general tax rates 5 per cent in efforts to balance the 1933 budget and followed a vain appeal by Premier Joseph Paul-Boncour for support. His predecessor, Premier Edouard Herriot, joined in the appeal.

Speculate on Successor.
Among prominent leaders likely to be called upon to form a new cabinet are Edouard Daladier and Camille Chautemps, ministers of war and interior, respectively, in the Paul-Boncour cabinet, and President Jeanneney of the senate.

While there was a strong movement in favor of the return of Herriot, the deadlock in the debt situation makes it extremely unlikely as he has refused to return to power unless assured that this matter will be settled.

"That is why I ask the majority—will it accept or ask other men to submit other solutions?" he said.

The socialists, with whom he was allied before he left the party to take an independent position, listened frigidly.

After a week of intense effort by the premier and Finance Minister Henry Cheron to get solid support of left parties, the chances of the government yesterday evening appeared bright. But the willingness of the socialists to accept the higher tax rate broke the left combination.

The cabinet was to submit its resignation to President Lebrun at about 7 a. m. The president will begin consultations for formation of a new government shortly afterward.

SMEEMAN ASKS A PARDON

Denver.—After making a dramatic plea before Governor Johnson for a pardon, Glenn Smeeman, Colorado fugitive who became a prosperous business man in Cleveland, returned to the state penitentiary at Canon City to await the executive's decision. In taking the case under advisement, Governor Johnson said he would not act until after he had received reports from Prison Warden Best and the board of corrections. Smeeman was serving a three year sentence for auto theft when he escaped from a prison road gang in 1918. Before coming to Denver he jumped a \$2,000 bond in St. Louis where he had appealed from a conviction on a similar charge. If the pardon is granted, sheriff's deputies will be sent from St. Louis to return him to the Missouri city.

Manley News Items

Wm. Robrdanz was at Plattsmouth on last Monday, where he was called to look after some business for a time.

John Crane, the manager of the Lumber company, was visiting with friends as well as looking after some business matters in Omaha.

Gust Krecklow, who was so severely ill during the past week, is reported as being much better at this time and is out and around again.

E. A. Pankonin, of Louisville, was in Manley on Tuesday afternoon of last week and was looking after some business matters for a short time.

Herman Dall, Phillip and Paul Fleming were over to Omaha on last Monday, where they were looking after some business matters for the day.

Miss Sue Mockenhaupt, who is here on a vacation from her work in Chicago, has been kept to her home and bed with an attack of the flu, but is better at this time.

Roy Rhoden and family, of south of Elmwood were guests for the day last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Rhoden, where all enjoyed a very pleasant visit.

James M. Carper and sons, of Lincoln, were visiting with friends in Manley and as well at the old home on the farm east of town, where his son, John F. Carper, resides.

Mrs. Vera Johnson, who has been so sick for a long time, is reported as being able to be out again and is recovering from the flu, which she had, in a very satisfactory manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Salsberg, of Lincoln, were visiting in Manley for the day last Tuesday, being guests at the home of the father of Mrs. Salsberg, Harry H. Hawes and wife.

Billie Mockenhaupt, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mockenhaupt has been feeling rather poorly last week and was kept from school for a number of days. He is feeling better at this time.

Anton Auerwald, who was kept to his home and bed for a number of days during the past week, while still feeling the effects of the illness, has been out and working some as his strength would allow.

Mrs. Rudolph Bergmann, who fell down the cellar stairs at her home last week, receiving some severe bruises, is reported as getting along nicely at this time and is getting about better every day.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rauth were over to Omaha on last Monday, where they went to take Miss Anna Rauth back to her school work in the metropolis after she had spent the week end at the home of the parents.

Mrs. Walter Mockenhaupt, Miss Lillian Tighe, of Omaha, and Mrs. Joseph Hughes, of near Glenwood, Iowa, all sisters, were guests of Mrs. John C. Rauth, another sister, on last Tuesday, where they enjoyed a very fine visit.

On account of the storm of last week, the tax meeting which was to have been held, was postponed and was held on last Tuesday night and was attended by a large and enthusiastic crowd of the members of the league.

Mrs. Martin Goodbey, of Verdun, who has been visiting for some time with friends in Chicago, on her return home stopped at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Osborne, last Sunday, and remained over until the first of the week to visit with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Meisinger were moving last week to Elmwood, where they will make their home with their daughter, Mrs. Mabel Thingman, Miss Dorothea, who has been here since the death of Harry Thingman, was assisting in the moving, after which she is returning to Omaha, where she is employed.

Obituary

The death of Mrs. August Glaubitz occurred Friday evening, January 20th, at the home of her son, Albert, of Plattsmouth, bringing regret over all sections of the county where she was well known.

Anna Rauth was born in Toledo, Ohio, February 16, 1856. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rauth, came to this county when she was 5 years of age and she has resided here the greater part of her life. She was married on December 31st, 1874, to August Glaubitz, the young people moving to the vicinity of South Bend, Nebr., and living there for a short time, then moving to a farm near Murdock, Nebr., where they resided until December, 1918, when they moved to Chappell, Nebr., where her husband still resides.

To this union nine children were born, they being: William, of Avoca; August, Jr., of Napa, Calif.; Mrs. Lizzie Miller, of Chappell, Nebraska; Charles, of Sidney, Nebr.; Albert, of Plattsmouth, and Mrs. Anna Conrad, of Julesburg, Colo. John, Frank and Lena preceded their mother in death.

She also leaves 31 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, together with five sisters and three brothers, as follows: Mrs. Lena Grauf, Murray; Mrs. Mary Stander, Omaha; Mrs. Minnie Lovell, Chappell; John Rauth, Manley; Mrs. Rose Kelly, Plattsmouth; Frank and Paul Rauth, of Stoneham, Colorado, and Mrs. Regine Beaver, of Brighton, Colorado. William Rauth preceded her in death a year ago.

The body was taken to the Hobson funeral home at Weeping Water, where the friends were permitted to take a last farewell. The funeral was held from the St. Patrick's Catholic church in Manley, interment being in the College Hill cemetery.

Statement of Financial Condition

With the closing of the past year's business transactions of the Manley Farmers Grain and Elevator company, the audit shows that the company, on account of the very quiet business, has sustained a deficit or loss of Six Hundred and Fifty-Two Dollars and Two Cents. (\$652.02).

HARRY H. HAWES,
Manager of Company.

Altar Society Met Last Week

The Altar Society of the St. Patrick's Catholic church of Manley met on Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. John Murphy, and a most enjoyable time was had. The ladies were entertained by the hostesses, Mesdames Walter O'Brien and John Murphy and Miss Leta Stander.

Gave Friend Surprise

As last Monday was the 60th anniversary of the birth of Andrew Schlieffert, a large number of his friends congregated in the evening and went to the Schlieffert home, where they made a most merry evening for their friend. After a very pleasant social session, eats were provided and also a number of tokens of remembrance of the occasion. In departing, all extended best wishes for continued years of health and happiness.

JAPANESE CHECK CHINESE

Shanghai, China.—Chiunmenkow, a pass thru the great wall of China about twelve miles north of Shanghai, was the scene of another conflict between Japanese and Chinese troops today in which the Japanese emerged victorious. The Chinese, who had been concentrating for some time at the southern end of the pass, launched an attack on the Japanese detachment at the northern end. The battle lasted for three hours, the Japanese reported, and at its conclusion the attackers retreated to the west in the direction of Shimenchai.

Tokyo.—The war office expressed the opinion that the clash between Chinese and Japanese troops at Chiunmenkow was a minor action. It was pointed out that the Japanese garrison there was small. The war office had not received details of the battle.

Pieping.—Japanese and Manchukuo troops are concentrating at Tung-liao, Manchuria, in preparation for an attack on Kailu, a city on the northwestern border of the province of Jehol, according to a telegram which Tang Yu-Ling, governor of Jehol, addressed to Chang Hsiao-Liang, north China military leader.

OMAHA HORSE BARN BURN

Omaha.—Fire of undetermined origin, lighting the early morning sky in spectacular fashion, destroyed the old Hayden horse barns here and caused damage estimated at \$15,000 to a neighboring warehouse. The unoccupied barns were valued at \$9,000.

Three fire alarms were turned in as the ramshackle barns burned like tinder and a high wind spread the flames to the roof of the Globe Van and Storage warehouse nearby.

Firemen experienced difficulty in fighting the fire because of the cold wind. Spray from dozens of hoses lines formed an ice crust on the sidewalks and pavements for two blocks around the place. Firemen took numerous spills but none was injured seriously.

A dozen firemen playing several streams of water on the barn scrambled to safety when the blazing front wall fell into the street without warning.

Morris Levey, president of a livestock company that holds a lease on the barns, said tramps used the place frequently.

KILLED BY A TRAIN

Pittsburgh.—Dr. Howard K. Kidd, internationally known railroad authority, was killed by a train while walking in a rainstorm thru the Pennsylvania railroad's yards.

Basswood (Lin) Logs wanted.—Nebraska Basket Factory, Phone No. 4.

Ford Makes Charges of a Plot to Hamper

Accuses Competitors, Aided by Bankers, of Trying to Tie Up Detroit Plant.

London.—A sensational statement that the present strike in an automobile body plant which has tied up his Detroit factory was caused by competitors who want to keep his new car off the market was made by Henry Ford in a trans-Atlantic telephone interview with the Evening Standard. "The actual truth is that certain bankers are trying to obtain control of the Ford concern," the Standard quoted Mr. Ford.

"Certain of my competitors are operating against me supported by these bankers with the object of preventing another Ford car from leaving the factory. I know this and I know what to do about it. They have succeeded for a few hours, but I am going straight out now and clean up this whole affair. I'll fight them and prove that production of Ford cars can't be stopped. It will cost a great deal of money but I can't help that. We are going after our opponents at once before the strike spreads.

"It was the biggest surprise of my career when I was informed last night that 6,000 employees of the Briggs company had walked out without giving any particular reason. I have had difficulties in my early career but this was the biggest jolt of all. The result of their action is that the Ford plant is closed down. There is a complete holdup. Cars are waiting for bodies to be assembled upon them. At present 40,000 of my own workmen cannot even if they wished do a stroke of work.

"I don't blame the employees of Briggs. They want to work. Neither do I think an attempt is being made by anyone to force me to place my motor car body contract with any other firm. As for my own employees, there is not a man among them that would strike. I have complete confidence in every man and boy. The fact they are not working does not mean they are on strike. Meanwhile the situation here is peaceful. The report that police are guarding the Ford factories is untrue and I wish you would deny it in England."

Detroit.—Officials of the Ford Motor company here described as "substantially correct" a statement that Henry Ford, in a telephone conversation with the London Evening Standard, had said that the suspension of work in his domestic plants was due to efforts of certain bankers to gain control of the Ford company.

FEAR CAUSE OF DEPRESSION

Pasadena.—Henry M. Robinson, banker and republican leader who served on the supreme economic council of the peace conference and was a member of the Dawes reparation commissions, places "fear and greed" at the root of the existing economic situation. He expressed his views in an address on "America and the World Situation."

"We are only beginning to understand," he said, "that all the suffering and loss, and all the evils that followed the war, have their origins in these entirely human instincts, selfishness, greed, and more than the others—fear."

"Fears increased and rapid sporadic emergency action became necessary to prevent the economic collapse of one country after another," he said. "The fear complex reached this country in the fall of 1929. It has been with us ever since." He cited "runs" which have caused the closing of banks.

Robinson said a "great deal has been accomplished" in legislative action to support the existing credit machinery and stop the spreading of fear and that "probably the next step should be an effort to raise commodity prices."

CABINET OFFICER GETS BEQUEST OF \$75,000

Washington, Jan. 26.—Postmaster General Brown will get about 75 thousand dollars from the estate of Joseph Henry Bagley, former vice-president of the American Bank Note company, who died November 22, and named the cabinet officer as the residuary legatee of his estate.

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Standard bred, blood-tested state accredited, Barred Rock cockerels, Booth's laying strain, 75c each. 1 1/2 miles north of Mynard.—Lola Oldham, Rt. 1, Mynard, Nebraska.

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RENO'S MAIN STREET SIGN NOW IS DARK

Reno, Nev., Jan. 26.—The huge sign on Main street that proclaims Reno to be the "biggest little city in the world" is blazing its boastful story no more.

Reluctantly, the city council decided that until times are better the lights that illuminate the sign must be turned out as part of a move to reduce expenses.

The divorce mill has slowed nearly to a standstill and doors to many gambling casinos have been barred.

State Regent to Start Tour of D A R Chapters

Mrs. E. H. Wescott of This City, Will Make Speaking Tour and Visit Nine Chapters.

Mrs. Edgar Hilt Wescott, of Plattsmouth, state regent of the Nebraska Daughters of the American Revolution, will begin a speaking tour next Wednesday which will include nine of the D. A. R. chapters of the state, and one P. E. O. chapter. On February 1 she will speak before Chapter C. Y. P. E. O., at Omaha.

On Thursday afternoon, February 2, Mrs. Wescott will be the guest of Lieutenant Richard Falley chapter, D. A. R., at Osceola, where Mrs. William Grossnicklaus is regent. That evening she will address Elijah Gove chapter, at Stromsburg. Miss Mary Buckley, regent, will preside at that meeting.

On Friday afternoon, February 3, the state regent will be the guest of Deborah Avery chapter, and will address the members at their meeting at the Hotel Lincoln. Mrs. H. W. Neginnis, regent, presiding. Mrs. Wescott will go to Seward Saturday, where she will speak before Margaret Holmes chapter, of which Miss Wilmet Norval is regent.

The state regent will continue her tour during the next week, and on Monday afternoon will be entertained by Elizabeth Montague chapter at Beatrice, where Mrs. B. L. Spellman is regent. That same evening Mrs. Wescott will address the Crete chapter, and Miss Gertrude Brown, the regent, will preside at the meeting. On Tuesday afternoon, February 7, Stephen Bennett chapter, at Fairmont, where Mrs. L. D. Arnot, of Exeter, is regent, will hear an address from the state regent, who, on that same evening will speak before Niobrara chapter, in Hastings. Mrs. T. O. Merchant, regent, presiding at the meeting.

As Niobrara chapter is to be the hostess chapter for the state conference, to be held in Hastings in March, plans for that meeting will be made while the state regent is in Hastings. Mrs. Wescott announces that the theme of the state conference this year will be "One stone upon the other," and that the motto will be the D. A. R. motto, "For Home and Country."

Mrs. Wescott considers that the "stones" to be laid are as follows: "Devotion to God; Allegiance to America; Preservation of Constitution; Renewed Zeal for Liberty; Obedience to Law; Loyalty to the Flag; Cherishing of American Ideals; Speaking the Language of America; Buying the Products of America; A Revival of the 'Spirit of '76'; Putting our own House in Order before attempting to settle the difficulties of Other Countries; National Defense for the Maintenance of Peace; Good Will Toward All, but AMERICA FIRST!"

On Wednesday, February 8, the state regent will visit Butler Johnson chapter at Sutton, and will address the meeting over which Mrs. Emma Yaple, regent, will preside.

CULBERTSON IS MODEST

Omaha, Jan. 27.—Headed for Hollywood, Ely Culbertson paused here long enough to voice some surprisingly modest remarks about bridge. The Culbertson system is exaggerated, the Sims system is exaggerated, "whole damn bridge game is exaggerated; it's not the center of the universe after all, it's only a sideshow."

That was the gist of his monologue as he lay in a Pullman berth in orchid pajamas.

He refused to list himself as one of the seven greatest bridge players in the world (because no man can judge his own game); said the present Culbertson system is by no means his exclusive invention but the product of many minds, and declared there is one system better than the Culbertson.

The Vanderbilt system he listed as superior to his own, but said only super-experts could master it, leaving his system the best for average players.

Red Cross Garments Aid in Relief Work

Garments Made Here by Volunteer Workers Reach Total of 648 to January 8th.

The prints and other materials received by the local Red Cross in the past months has greatly aided the relief work as to the volunteer workers here have been busily engaged in sewing and made some 648 garments of all classes which have been distributed.

In addition to the garments made here the local chapter has served as the distributing agent for several of the other places over the county where garments for the needy were provided. While the supply was rather limited the needy over the county have been served as far as the supply would permit.

The work was carried on under the supervision of Mrs. C. A. Rosenkrans, the county representative of the Red Cross in the handling of the material and finished garments. The work of sewing was carried on by volunteer workers from various church and fraternal groups in this city.

In the garments there were eighty-nine boys, 168 girls, 18 babies, 113 women and 21 men whose garments were prepared here by the Red Cross workers. There were also a large number of the layettes prepared and given out by the local Red Cross chapter.

The material comprised 400 yards of prints, 3 1/4 yards of gingham, 233 1/2 yards of outing, 40 1-3 of muslin, 129 1/2 yards of shirting, 60 yards of birdseye.

SCHOOL NOTES

News of the Knighthood of Youth club from Grade 5 at Central building, Miss Cook, teacher.

First Meeting

We elected a president, Frank Luschnisky; a vice-president, Donald Busch; a secretary, Jean Taylor. The other committees are: Courtesy, Betty Ann Farris; Cleanliness, Phyllis Redd; Order, Robert Gradoville and Ruth Mason; Decoration, Frank Luschnisky; Library, Dennis Scott; Entertainment, Junior Devoe; Scholarship, Thelma Capper; Safety, Edward McMaken. Then we learned one verse of the club song and two yells. Then the meeting was adjourned.

Second Meeting

First was the roll call. Then the minutes were read. Then we heard from the different committees. For a program we had three yells, Shirley Mason danced two dances. Six people sang "America." Phyllis Redd played three songs. The flag salute was given and we sang the "Star Spangled Banner." After the program we voted on a name for our club. We chose from the names Lincoln and Roosevelt but the name Washington received the most votes so our club was named Washington Circle of the Knighthood of Youth. The meeting was then adjourned.

Third Meeting

The roll call, the minutes of the last meeting and reports from the committees were read. We heard that some children were disobeying our safety rules. Then we decided to find cheer leaders. We tried Gerald Petet, Bobby Dow, and Harley Street. We had a program. Four Lincoln and Roosevelt but the name Washington received the most votes so our club was named Washington Circle of the Knighthood of Youth. The meeting was then adjourned.

Fourth Meeting

December 2, 1932.
The roll call was called. Then the minutes were read and reports of the various committees were read. The program was as follows: Thanksgiving song by fifth grade pupils. Accordion solo by Helen Slatinsky. The meaning of Thanksgiving by Junior Devoe. Harmonica solo by Phyllis Redd. Tap dance by Shirley Mason. A song by fifth grade pupils. Thanksgiving song by Joe York. Star Spangled Banner by all. The meeting was then adjourned.

Fifth Meeting

December 16, 1932.
In answering the roll call each member responded with a multiplication combination. The secretary's report was read and accepted. The good deeds were told for the month of December. All committees gave their reports. We talked about making a rule for boys and girls being punished for not staying on their own equipment. The class voted that each child disobeying should lose a recess for a week. The meeting was then adjourned.

Sixth Meeting

January 6, 1933.
First we had the roll call. Then the reports were heard from the different committees. A member of the Order committee resigned and the president chose Joe York to fill the vacancy. Then we talked about the stones in our class chart, which showed three stones: one for good deeds; one for courtesy and one for gifts to the poor. We did not have a program this week but will have one for our next meeting.

Everything for the student—from penny leadpencils to typewriters. The place to get them—why, at Eaton Book Store, of course.