

Alvo News

Carl Johnson was a visitor in Greenwood for a short time on last Wednesday morning, where he was called to look after some business matters.

Thomas Egan and wife of Peru visited during the past week at the home of their niece, Mrs. John Banning and husband, where all were enjoying the visit very much.

Jack and Clara Mudge both of Casper, Wyoming, who are cousins of Louise Buising, were visiting here for the past few days and all were enjoying the time spent here very much.

John Banning, the lumberman, received a car load of lumber on last Wednesday, which he was having unloaded by Chris Ekerman and Robert Custer, and stored in the sheds at the yard.

Wm. Yeager, who has been kept at home for so long a time is some improved and while he is able to be up and about the home has not as yet been able to get out and see his many friends.

E. L. Nelson, the groceryman, was called to Lincoln on last Wednesday, where he had some business matters to look after and as well as making purchases of goods for the store here, bringing back a truck load with him.

Ben Menchau was in town on last Wednesday and was purchasing a load of galvanized corrugated roofing material for the purpose of re-roofing his chicken house, which is growing leaky, as it was roofed with rubberoid some thirty years ago. He was of the opinion it would be better to cover the entire roof with a new material than to continue to patch the old roof.

Fred W. Etheredge and wife, of Greenwood, and a cousin of Mrs. Etheredge, Miss Virginia Will, of Long Beach, California, who is spending several weeks at the Etheredge home in Greenwood, were visiting for the afternoon in Alvo and were guests while here at the homes of J. H. Weychel and Will Nickel, where all enjoyed the visit very much.

John Coleman and wife were blessed last Wednesday by the arrival of a son who had come to grace their home and to add to the happiness of the same. We can clearly see why the little fellow selected this day as his birthday and compliment him on the selection, as the writer chose the same day 74 years ago, on which to be born, and has been well satisfied with the date ever since.

Ivan Home from North

Ivan Barkhurst, who has been in the east and north for the past two weeks, returned home a few days ago, well pleased with the time spent in that portion of the country. While he was away, he visited the great Century of Progress exposition in Chicago and found it even more wonderful than he had anticipated. He also visited with friends and relatives at Detroit, where he found many employed, for indeed there was an army of workmen coming and going all the time and many thousands working on the many new automobiles which are coming to our country daily.

J. H. Weychel Some Better
J. H. Weychel, who has been so seriously ill at his home on the farm

for the past few weeks, is reported as being some better at this time and is able to be out and about the place, and is feeling somewhat improved and is glad to be able to be out once more. Many of his friends have been callers at the home during his illness and all are pleased at the even slight improvement which has come to this excellent citizen.

Moving to Hallam to Work

Elmer Olsen and the family on last Wednesday departed from Alvo and will make their home at Hallam, which is south of Lincoln, where Mr. Olsen, who is an operator, has been assigned to work by the Rock Island. The removal of this family from Alvo brings regret to the many friends they have made during their stay here.

Ready for School Opening

The school building of the Alvo district, which is a consolidated school, is in readiness for the opening of the school year, with the building in fine condition and the coal bins filled with fuel. The entire faculty has been chosen and are only waiting for the time to come when the janitor shall ring the bell and the scholars assemble once more for another year's work.

Baby Born at the Door of Bluffs Hospital

County Welfare Union Will Ask Removal of Doctor Who Refused Call.

Council Bluffs, Ia.—The Pottawattamie county board of supervisors will be asked by Roy Harrop, legal adviser of the county welfare union here, to remove Dr. M. J. Carey, county field physician, on charges that he refused to answer to a maternity case call, resulting in a woman's giving birth to her baby on a sidewalk.

Mrs. Richard Barber, 24, the mother, and her baby son, who made his debut on the sidewalk outside of Mercy hospital, were reported "doing fine" Thursday.

According to the story told by Doctor Carey, the Barbers had been told by their social worker to call in a private physician.

"Of course I refused the call," Doctor Carey said. "I answer calls approved by the overseer of the poor. Their request for a physician's services had been rejected by the county office. Besides, I was asked to go as the county physician, not as a private physician."

Richard Barber, the father, had borrowed a truck from his employer to transport his wife to the hospital after Doctor Carey had refused to come to their home. The baby was born a few steps from the door before the mother could be carried into the hospital.

WARNS MILK PRODUCERS

New York.—Health Commissioner Wynn warned striking milk producers in the New York shed that he would extend the inspection service westward and permit milk from as far west as Wisconsin to enter the city if they curtail the supply in any way.

U. S. to Prevent too Rapid Rise in Living Costs

Will Check the Consumer Prices with Those Paid to Farmers; To Publish Lists.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The Roosevelt administration embarked today on a program to prevent prices to consumers of products from bacon to night shirts from rising faster than the purchasing power of farmers and workers.

The first move was taken by farm administrators in announcing that a weekly list of prices paid by consumers and paid to farmers, together with changes in wage levels, would be issued.

The first will come out next week under the direction of Dr. Fred C. Cowe, consumers' counsel for farm administrators. It will show surveys of prices in 50 cities for about 40 food and textile products most commonly purchased.

This part of the administration program will be fact-finding and aimed to provide consumers with the most recent information available regarding changes in costs of the essentials of life.

Provides for Inquiries. Another part contemplates that, in instances where price increases, after allowances for differences in transportation and other costs, appear to be uniformly higher in one locality than another, investigations will be undertaken to determine whether antitrust laws are being violated.

Administrators have conflicting reports as to price trends in connection with the recovery program. One set indicates price rises to consumers may proceed at a much faster rate than increases in prices to farmers for their products and the rise in wage scales.

On the other hand, administrators have received the assurance of many of the large distributing organizations that the rises will not proceed at a faster rate and that a special attempt is being made by them to co-operate with the recovery program.

Want to Play Fairly.

Howe said that "many manufacturers and distributors have declared their readiness to play fairly and squarely with the administration in its efforts."

The point which is of most concern to farm administrators, it was said, is the possibility of sharp appreciation of inventories of processors and distributors of goods purchased during a period of low prices for which higher prices would be charged by the time the goods entered consumption channels. A close check will be kept.

"We will publish retail prices on bread, milk, meat and other food necessities," said Howe.

Will Check Against Costs.

"Second, we propose to check against these prices and show the money the farmer gets for producing the raw materials that go into these foods. Farmers have too long been getting a small return for their labor in feeding us. We are trying to increase their pay. If we want farmers to buy city-made goods at fair prices we must buy their farm products at fair prices.

"Third, we are going to report on increases in labor costs as the result of the raises in wages and new employment. Fourth, we will report on what the farmers are having to pay for the goods they must buy."—World-Herald.

COLORADO GIVEN HEARING

Washington.—The public administration deferred action on housing projects in more than thirty cities to wait reports from its engineers on the feasibility of many of them. The special public works board headed by Secretary Ickes, the public works administrator, received a partial report from the board of consultants which has been studying slum clearance projects but did not act because the information was not considered sufficiently complete.

Ickes discussed with the board his decision to permit Colorado to present its claims to water rights on the North Platte river in connection with the allotment by the board of \$22,700,000 for the Casper-Alvoca power-irrigation project in Wyoming. Governor Johnson of Colorado, although not disapproving the Casper-Alvoca scheme, had asked for a hearing in a letter to President Roosevelt. After the meeting Ickes indicated that Colorado's right to water in the river could be protected by recognition of its privilege to reserve certain flowage at any time there was development of the Poudre district of Colorado.

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Prompt Relief for the Small Home Owners

President Roosevelt Orders Immediate Administration of Funds Available.

Hyde Park, N. Y.—Orders for immediate and quick administration of the 2 billion dollars for relief of debt-burdened small home owners were given by President Roosevelt. In a talk with Vincent Dailey, New York state manager of the Home Owners' Loan corporation, the president emphasized he wanted to extend at the earliest possible moment this federal aid to reduce the debts of the home owners. Dailey assured him he would be ready to offer the 4 percent government bonds in exchange for the 6 and 7 percent interest-bearing mortgages early next week. Dailey's declaration that "we are going to the people rather than waiting for them to come to us," was regarded as reflecting the action which the president wants other state administrators of this fund to take. Dailey estimated 30 percent of the total federal funds, or about 800 millions will be employed in the Empire state alone.

The vacationing president also turned his attention to several problems of government. He talked over problems of the federal trade commission with Raymond Stephens, a democratic member. A reorganization of this commission, which is charged with enforcement of the new securities regulation, is known to be contemplated. There have been indications that William E. Humphrey, a republican of the old school, is due to be retired in favor of another but unknown republican. Roosevelt also is studying the establishment of the corporation to protect the interests of holders of defaulted foreign bonds. The president interrupted his round of business for a brief call by Mayor O'Brien of New York city.

LONG OPPOSED TO RECOUNT

New Orleans.—Proposed recount of all ballot boxes used in last November's general election here was openly assailed by Senator Huey P. Long as the criminal district court, which authorized the recount, moved to select a new grand jury for Orleans parish. The old jury was ousted by the court after it had made repeated unsuccessful attempts to "no bill" charges that fraud occurred in the "official returns" from constitutional amendments sponsored by the Long organization. An open court recount of the first six of the contested boxes under supervision of District Attorney Stanley reduced the majority for one of the amendments by 805 votes. Long charged the boxes had been "tampered with by my political enemies."

MAY HALT RIVER WORK

Nebraska City, Neb.—Unless additional funds are made available by federal authorities before Aug. 15 work on the Missouri river between Sioux City, Ia., and St. Joseph will be brought to a halt. C. C. Cook, engineer in charge of the work declared here. Cook had just returned from Kansas City where he conferred with officials of the river work. Sixty-five men in this area have been given notice that they will lose their jobs on Aug. 15, Cook said. A force large enough to handle routine work has been retained on work lists.

Attending Banquet at Omaha

A. H. Ward, manager of the Deep Rock Petroleum corporation of Omaha in their business at Muddock and vicinity, was a visitor in Omaha on Monday and was attending the business and conference meeting that was being held for the representatives of this corporation and at which plans for all representatives were thoroughly discussed. A banquet followed the business meeting, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present.

Attended the Golden Celebration

L. Neitzel, who was minister at the church at Ithica in its infancy, fifty years ago, accompanied by Mrs. Neitzel, spent three days there attending the golden jubilee celebration held the latter part of last week. The church has been a force for good in its community as well as advocating the work in Nebraska. Mr. Neitzel spoke on several occasions during the three day celebration, and his reminiscences of the early days were greatly enjoyed. Rev. A. Brauchle was also among the early minis-

MURDOCK ITEMS

Miss Ida Mae Bradford, of Carleton, is visiting in Murdock, being a guest of her brother, O. E. Bradford, for the coming two weeks.

Homer H. Lawton, the painter and sign writer, has just completed and placed in position a sign for the new cream and produce station operated by James Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool and son, Douglass, were enjoying a visit for the day last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Turner M. McKinnon, at their country home near

Homer H. Lawton has been asked to play with the Weeping Water horse shoe team in a game with an Omaha team this coming Sunday, August 6th. The game will be played in Omaha.

Kenneth Jones, who is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones, of Weeping Water and also a grandnephew of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gorthey, was a visitor for the day last Wednesday at the Gorthey home.

Lawrence Race was called to the county seat last Wednesday, where he was looking after some business matters regarding the selling of the celebrated Chevrolet autos, as well as transacting some other business matters.

Victor Hansen, of Palmyra, representing the sale of Ford products in his home town, was a visitor in Murdock on last Thursday and besides looking after business was also visiting with his friend, Eddie Craig, for a short time.

Mrs. Bryan McDonald was a visitor in Plattsmouth at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thimgan for the day on last Wednesday, and on her return was accompanied by her little brother, Larry Thimgan, who visited here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacey McDonald and two children, Maurice and Jean, accompanied by Grandmother Hannah McDonald, went to Fremont, where they spent the greater portion of last week fishing and outing and where they camped near the fishing grounds at the state recreation park.

Mortician Lyle Horton, of Plattsmouth, was a visitor in Murdock on last Tuesday and was looking after some business matters as well as visiting with his many friends here. Mr. Horton is well pleased with his location and the business which is coming to him at Plattsmouth.

Miss Mary Bornemeier, who is employed as a telephone operator in the Nebraska City telephone exchange, is also taking a course in the higher service plans of the telephone company. She writes that she is liking the work there very much and is greatly interested in the course of service which she is pursuing.

John Eppings and family were in Plattsmouth on last Sunday, where they were guests at a dinner which was served by Deputy Sheriff Jarvis Lancaster and wife, and at which there were also present the families of Earl Lancaster, of Murray, Dan Hoschar, of Mynard, and Virgil Arnold and family, of Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Muring, of Columbus, Ohio, nephew and niece of J. H. Buck, arrived in Murdock last week for a short visit and were joined here by Mrs. Sadie Muring, mother of Earl Muring, and a sister of Mr. Buck, who arrived from Guthrie, Oklahoma, and all are enjoying their visit with Mr. Buck and family.

Messrs. A. H. Ward, Bryan McDonald and Henry Amgwert were selected as delegates to the county meeting which was held at Weeping Water on last Wednesday evening to consider the matter of all the county getting behind a program for the proper observance of the NRA code, so all might be absolutely together on the matter.

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ters to this church.

Will Take On Any Team

Murdock, which has one of the best teams of horseshoe pitchers anywhere in this part of the state, has sent forth its challenge for a game with any team in the county. Anyone desiring to match a game should address H. H. Lawton and arrangements will be made therefor at an early date. The games can be arranged either at Murdock or at the home town of the other team.

Smooth Set of Thieves

Acting on advance information that there would be attempts made to raid someone's chicken house on last Tuesday night, a committee was waiting for the thieves, taking every precaution to apprehend and capture them, and although many remained up throughout the night, the thieves were able to make their touch and secured a large number of fowls at the home of Uncle G. V. Pickwell and his daughter, Mrs. Harry Davis, on the farm a mile and a half west of town. The evening before a coop had been filled for James Warren, the Murdock produce dealer, who was to pick up the fowls early in the morning. While people were stationed at different points and a couple of officers were stationed on top of the Murdock school building, the thieves succeeded in their mission and got away with the fowls.

This is the third time the yards of Mr. Pickwell and daughter have been raided and in all they have lost over 300 chickens. The shooting of the burglar who was in the act of robbing the store of Henry Amgwert a few months ago, seems not to have had any effect to deter the criminal element from coming back for more, but the loading up of a few shotguns with buckshot and their use whenever prowlers are heard might get the desired results. Certainly something ought to be done to prevent this widespread robbing of the hen roosts.

Good Milk Cow for Sale

I have an excellent Grade Holstein cow, now giving plenty of good, rich milk, which I am offering for sale well worth the money.

A. D. ZAAR,
Murdock, Neb.

Getting Better Equipment

With the prospects of enjoying a better business in his line, Ray Gamlin has purchased a new Reo truck, with increased capacity over his former equipment, thus putting him in shape to care for the business as fast as it comes.

Enjoys Visit at Home

Robert Carnicle, who has been in the hospital at Kansas City, where he has been receiving treatment, arrived at the home of his parents some weeks since and has been enjoying a

Memories

The conducting of a funeral is not a mere matter of practical utility. This brief ceremony will live for years in the memory of the bereaved as the final parting with a loved one.

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visit with his friends and relatives. He returned this (Monday) morning to the hospital for further treatment. A reception was tendered him yesterday at the home of the parents, prior to his leaving today.

In Honor of C. I. Long

The Weeping Water band, of which Charles I. Long is a member, and with whom he plays often, came to Murdock last Monday and gave the city a very fine concert, they being accompanied by their wives, which added color to the occasion. The people of Murdock greatly appreciated this visit and the excellent music which the band furnished. At the conclusion of the concert, Mr. and Mrs. Long entertained the members of the band and their wives at their home, serving ice cream and cake, and the visitors enjoyed the evening very much. On departing the members of the band expressed themselves as well pleased with the fine entertainment which had been arranged for them by Mr. and Mrs. Long.

Murdock Loses to Lincoln

In a very closely contested game, which was played at Lincoln, the Murdock horseshoe tossers, composed of Robert Miller, Homer H. Lawton, Lawrence Wise, Lyle Bouton and Albert Backemeyer, lost to the Merritt team of that place, the total number of points being 1.061 for the Lincoln team to 939 for Murdock. Our boys are to play a game at Havelock on August 13th.

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