

MURDOCK ITEMS

Mrs. A. Streich had her tonsils removed this week, the operation being performed by Dr. Lee.

Harold W. Tool was a visitor last Tuesday at Murray, where he called on his friend, George E. Nickles, and also looked after some business matters.

Gust Gakemeier is having his home in Murdock remodeled and put in the very best of condition, the work being done by Henry Brandt, of Louisville.

John Ostblom, the market man, has had his place of business redecorated and painted on the interior, the work being done by Jesse Backmeier and Lennie Lau.

L. Neitzel and G. Bauer spent last Sunday in Plattsmouth with the M. E. church and at the Masonic Home. M. S. Briggs, of Plattsmouth, taught Mr. Neitzel's class in Murdock.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kruger were over to Lincoln last Sunday, where they were spending the day and enjoying a very fine dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Amgwert.

Charles E. Cook, of Plattsmouth, was a visitor in Murdock on last Monday, being a guest of his friend, A. J. Tool, as well as calling on other friends and acquaintances while here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ward and Mrs. W. O. Gillespie were over to Lincoln last Monday, where they were looking after some shopping as well as visiting with friends during the day.

Messrs and Mesdames Lennie Lau and Jesse Backmeier, who have been spending some weeks at Hemingford, where they have been visiting with friends and working in the potato harvest, returned to Murdock the fore part of last week.

The Senior class of the Murdock high school was enjoying a pleasant gathering of its members at the home of Mrs. August Panska, where the young folks made merry for the evening, this being the first of a series of class entertainments planned for the winter.

Mrs. Christ Kuppler, of Port Angeles, Washington, a sister of L. Neitzel, passed away last Monday. This reduces the numerous family of thirteen to five, of which three live in South Bend, Indiana, H. R. Neitzel in Boise, Idaho, and L. Neitzel in Murdock.

A. H. Ward was grievously tormented with an aching molar during the fore part of last week and last Tuesday went to Elmwood, where he had the offending tooth removed, and while the mouth is still sore, he is greatly enjoying the parting from his old time friend.

Mrs. L. D. Lee was a visitor in Lincoln on last Thursday, where she was a guest at the meeting of the Quill, an organization of lady writers, and while there visited with her friend, Miss Dorothy Thomas, who was also present at the meeting. Mrs. Lee enjoyed the occasion very much.

Shall We Have Water

The matter of an adequate supply of water for the people of Murdock and for protection from fire is being considered by the people of Murdock and arrangements have been perfected for the holding of an election to vote on the issuance of bonds for the construction of a water plant, which should provide water in abundance for the various uses of the people and at the same time provide an added protection against the fire fiend that has in the past visited the city on numerous occasions causing loss of property.

The people will be given an opportunity to express their wishes on the matter at the election which has been called for November 3rd.

Local Extension Club Meets

The Extension club of Murdock met last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Gillespie, where they had a most interesting meeting, with a very fine program and the twenty odd members who were present enjoying the hospitality of the genial hostess, who served them with delicious refreshments during the gathering.

Visited at Plattsmouth

Uncle George V. Pickwell, accompanied by his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, were called to Plattsmouth on last Tuesday, where they had some business matters to look after and as well were visiting with their friends while in the county seat.

Able to See Now

Mr. and Mrs. Herman R. Schmidt were over to Lincoln on last Tuesday, where they were looking after some business matters and as well were visiting with friends and while there purchased some new glasses, as they had been wearing the old ones for some time and they had gotten so

they were not as effective as formerly, with their changing eyesight, so they decided to secure some that would more properly fit them at this time.

Had a Busy Day

L. Neitzel received an invitation to teach the Young Men's Bible class at the Methodist church in Plattsmouth on last Sunday and also had an invitation to teach the Bible class at the Nebraska Masonic Home, and while at the Methodist church in the morning, was prevailed upon by the Rev. C. O. Troy to deliver the discourse at the morning worship hour at the Methodist church there, thus making a very full and complete day for Mr. Neitzel, but he was equal to the occasion. He was accompanied to the county seat by G. Bauer, both of these gentlemen enjoying their visit very much.

Attend Extension Club

Mrs. A. J. Tool and Mrs. Johnson were elected as the delegates from Murdock to the County Extension Board meeting which was held at Weeping Water last Wednesday.

Entertained Friends Sunday

Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Lee entertained at their home on last Sunday, having as their guests for the occasion Mr. and Mrs. Milton Van Buck and Miss Dorothy Thomas, of Lincoln. The latter is a writer of note and last spring had one of her stories published in book form, the title of which is "Ma Jetter's Girls," and the book not only met with a very favorable reception on the part of the critics, but is being widely read. The visitors are all intimate friends of Dr. and Mrs. Lee and their visit here was enjoyed very much by the host and hostess as well as the guests.

Entertained Visitors Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Craig were host and hostess to the parents of Mrs. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Friend, of near Alvo, and as well with Walter Skinner, who was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Friend, from his home in the western portion of the state.

While they were there a telephone message came from Lincoln advising them of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner, of Alvo. All are doing very nicely.

Dog Killed by Truck

James Warren and wife had a dog which made friends with everyone in the city of Murdock and was always in evidence, as it was wont to play with everybody who chanced to pass. The other day a truck was backing to the curb to unload some goods, when the wheel of the truck passed over the dog, and now he is like the good Indian—he is dead.

Visited at Ward Home

On Thursday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Keedy, of Beatrice, and Rev. and Mrs. George Clarke, pastor of the Christian church at Indianola, were visiting for the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ward, the ladies being sister of Mrs. Ward, and they all enjoyed the day splendidly.

Oldest White Child in County

Albert J. Bauer, who will be 76 years of age on next May 7th, was born in the year 1858 on a homestead which the father settled early in 1854. This place is now owned and occupied by Mr. Terryberry, being located on the township line road some five miles east of Murdock.

Mr. Bauer remembers when the Indians were here in large numbers, the Omahas, Pawnees and Shawnees, and many was the time when Mr. Bauer saw large numbers of the red skins tracking over the country.

Mr. Bauer claims the distinction of being the oldest white child born in Cass county, over three quarters of a century ago.

LIMIT ON ACTOR SALARIES

Washington.—Under presidential influence, a provision was written into the revised motion picture code by Sol Rosenblatt, NRA deputy administrator, calling for the assessment of ones up to \$10,000 against producers found to have hired talent at "unreasonably" high salaries. Recently it was disclosed that the white house was opposed to the payment to film people of salaries five or six times as large as the president's. Originally the proposed code contained nothing which could be interpreted as an attack to fix maximums. It did, however, provide for checks on competitive bidding for a star's services. The purpose of the new provision was self described as intended "to add the payment of sums unreasonably in excess of the fair value of personal services which results in unfair and destructive competition."

It would give the code authority power to investigate whether an employer in the picture industry had agreed to pay an unreasonable inducement to any person to enter his employ.

Alvo News

Sheril Pfeifer has accepted a position in Lincoln and is employed by an oil concern in the big town.

The first regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers association will be held at the school house Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Boyles, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ganz attended the convention of the Cass County Bankers' association at Elmwood Thursday.

Charles Schuelke was steepling and delivering some six thousand bushels of corn on last Wednesday to the Rehmeier elevator, getting the cribs emptied out and ready for the reception of the new crop which is now ripe and ready to be gathered.

Miss Nellie Anderson, of Kansas City was a visitor in Alvo, and a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Eugene Barkhurst for the past week, where she and the Barkhurst family enjoyed the visit very much. She departed for her home in the south on last Wednesday morning.

On Friday of last week, the members of the Alvo schools enjoyed a very pleasant gathering, when they held their High school carnival at the school building, with their programs, their games and their celebrations characteristic of the season and in accordance with the ideas of the scholars.

E. D. Friend and wife and John Skinner and wife were enjoying a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Walter Skinner, who are here from Grand Island. In company with their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Friend were over to Murdock last Wednesday, where they visited at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Craig, for the day.

Frank E. Cook and wife were over to Weeping Water on Tuesday of last week, where they were making arrangements for the gathering of this year's corn crop, which promises a very good yield and is now ready to be cribbed. The old crib had gotten in such a condition that some repairs were needed and Mr. Cook was over to look after the matter.

Mrs. William Casey, of Manley, was a visitor in Alvo on Wednesday of last week, coming to attend the 30th anniversary meeting of the Alvo Woman's club, which was organized on October 11th, 1903. There were many from out of town present to participate in this gathering, a more complete report of which will be found elsewhere in this paper. There are three charter members now remaining, they being Mesdames S. C. Boyles, Harry Appleman and E. M. Stone.

Enjoyed Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rodaway entertained at their home on O street Sunday, October 16th, when they had as guests their folks from both sides of the house at a very fine dinner. Mr. and Mrs. George Fifer, parents of Mrs. Rodaway, residing near Alvo, were among those present.

Blessed by Young Son

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Skinner are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son, who arrived at the hospital in Lincoln last Wednesday. The mother and son are still at the hospital and will remain there for some little time yet.

Near Half Hundred Mark

John Elliott and wife were married forty-nine years ago last Sunday, October 8th, and in honor of the occasion were given a reception at the home of their son, John Edwards, Jr., in Alvo, which was attended by a large number of the relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards were united in marriage October 8, 1885, the bride's name being Miss Nellie Edwards.

They have made their home in this vicinity during the entire of their married life, living in peace with all who knew them, and during which time they have done their share to subjugate the wild prairies into fertile fields and help secure the modern conveniences that we are wont to enjoy without giving thought to the hard work that has been required to provide them.

The company of celebrants enjoyed the day most pleasantly, a sumptuous dinner being served by the son and wife.

Visited with Friends Here

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Boyles, of Lincoln, were in Alvo last Wednesday, where they visited with friends for the afternoon. They were accompanied by Mrs. Dr. Muler, Mrs. Edward Casey and Mrs. Clyde Boyles, all of whom were attending the thirty year celebration of the Alvo Woman's club, which was held on Wednesday afternoon.

John H. Weychel Poorly
John H. Weychel, who has been sick for the past several weeks, still

continues in a very serious condition, and while he is being given the very best of care his condition has caused much apprehension to the family and friends. Mr. Weychel has been confined to his home and bed for many weeks and has not been able to take any nourishment for two weeks and during the past week has been in a sort of coma and not able to communicate with the family or recognizing them. At present the nurse in charge has barred visitors from the sick room and it is hoped that with quiet surroundings he may be able to rally and overcome the malady that is giving the relatives such grave concern.

Mr. C. E. Cook, of Plattsmouth, was over on Wednesday to see his friend, but was not able to see the patient.

Held Hard Times Dance

The Alvo Amusement club held a very enjoyable gathering on last Tuesday, which was designated as a Hard Times dance, with everyone dressing in keeping with the occasion, something that would not be hard for most of us to do without trying. A large number of young people were present and some very unique costumes were worn. Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell won the prize for the best representative of hard times.

Alvo Reading Club

The Woman's Reading club of Alvo met Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 11, at the Methodist church to celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of its founding. Many former members were present among whom Mrs. W. O. Boyles of Lincoln and Mrs. George Hall of Elmwood who gave short talks concerning the organization and early history of the club. Mrs. S. C. Boyles, who has held a continuous membership during the thirty years was presented with a bouquet of red roses.

The next meeting of the club will be its annual banquet to be held at the Methodist church, October 26, at 6:30 o'clock.

Urge Control of Liquor by a Private Sales Firm

Rockefeller Survey Plan Is to Banish Profit Motive—Cocktails Are Popular.

New York, Oct. 13.—Creation of a private liquor sales corporation as a possible modification of the Rockefeller survey's proposed state liquor authority plan was outlined today in a further report.

This would eliminate direct retail sales by the authority, the report said. A plan for establishing agencies to sell spirits for on-premises consumption also was discussed.

"The sales corporation would be set up under a special corporate charter," the survey said. "There would be a small board of directors, consisting in part of persons elected by the stockholders and receiving a small fee for each meeting, and in part of the members of the alcohol control authority, ex-officio.

Restricts Stock Sale.

"The original sale and subsequent transfers of stock should be restricted so as to prevent any of the stock and any of the directorships from falling into the hands of persons or corporations having a direct or beneficial interest in the liquor business."

Profits beyond dividends, the report said, should go to the alcohol control authority.

A survey added that it eliminated the profit motive from liquor sales. Discussing on-premises consumption, the report said:

"Public opinion in some states will undoubtedly demand the sale of all kinds of alcoholic beverages by the glass in hotels and restaurants. Many hotel guests, if denied a cocktail with their meals, will buy a whole bottle of spirits for consumption in their rooms.

Cocktail Habit Popular.

"We cannot blind our eyes of the popularity of cocktails in America. The growth of the cocktail habit has accompanied prohibition and has indeed been stimulated by it, because bootleggers could more readily furnish alcohol in concentrated form suitable for making cocktails than they could the bulkier alcoholic beverages."

The state authority, the survey said, would regulate the sale by fixing prices and hours and even monthly quotas of the quantities of beverages to be purchased by the hotels and restaurants at wholesale prices. —World-Herald.

If you are seeking favors or decorative features for the Hallow'en dinner or gathering, you can find just what you wish at the Bates Book store.

Relief Corporation Seeks to Care for the Hungry

Food and Clothing Will Be Purchased by the New Agency to Meet Economic Situation.

Washington.—The program of the new nonprofit federal surplus relief corporation will be geared to the needs of the hungry rather than to the economic necessity of relieving the market of crop surpluses.

The corporation is the new branch of the federal relief administration recently announced by the President to buy food and clothing for the needy as outright grants to the states.

Join in the Work.

The agricultural adjustment administration and the federal relief administration are working hand-in-hand. The corporation has been evolved to partly clear up problems for both of them. The charter is being written by the federal relief administrator, Harry L. Hopkins, named chairman by the President; Secretary Wallace and Secretary Ickes. They will constitute the governing board.

"But obviously the corporation is not going to buy surpluses just to store in warehouses," Hopkins says. "We are going to buy what the families can use."

for two purposes: To feed the needy and to take up surpluses. Plans for operation are too formative yet to say whether we can take up the entire surplus in any commodity. Obviously, it would be impossible in some commodities—cotton, for instance."

The new corporation will carry on approximately the same duties as the federal relief administration now engaged in making loans and grants of cash to states.

To Speed Up Relief.

The aim of both is to care for the needy, officials point out, but the formation of the corporation greatly

Giant Welcome for "New Man"

Welcoming Harry Newman, former Michigan University grid star, as a new member of the New York Giants' professional football team, future comrades surprise him with a blanket toss as part of his initiation into pro ranks on his arrival at New York Polo Grounds.



speeds up the process of purchasing the food and clothing necessary.

Further, the corporation will give outright grants of food, rather than of cash, as the relief administration has been doing and will continue to do.

The corporation will operate on funds from three sources—from the 323 million dollars left from the 1/2 billion voted by the last congress for relief and from the processing and compensating taxes levied under the agricultural adjustment act.

It is estimated that between 400 million and 500 million dollars will be gathered in processing taxes this year. Under the regulations of the act a large slice of the fund goes back to the farmers who agree to limit production. But a margin is anticipated, and the corporation,

Hopkins says, plans to use part of all of this surplus. No compensating taxes have been levied, but hearings are being held to consider them.

FEDERAL LOAN ASKED FOR VILLAGE WELL

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 12.—Uncle Sam's cares for his citizens are many and varied. But Kasson, Minn., is believed to be the only one to ask him to dig a well.

In need of a new water supply and with insufficient funds to finance it, the village has asked the public works advisory board to approve an application for \$190 so a well, costing \$1,168, can be dug. The village has nearly \$1,000 for the project.

Journal Want-Ads get results!

Look Pretty as a Picture at the Breakfast Table

House Frocks

\$1.29 and \$1.69

YOU'LL FEEL positively dressed up in these—they're so perky and flattering and cute! Yet they'll tub and iron in a jiffy and wear marvelously. There are plenty of styles to choose from . . . prints and plaids and dots and plain colors. Hurry before they are all gone!



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