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ALVO NEWS

Wall Paper, 5¢ a roll and up at Greene's Drug Store, Elmwood.

Earl Bennett butchered Tuesday.

Mrs. Stout and Mrs. Winn spent Wednesday with Mrs. Elmer Klyver.

Jesse Hardnock was assisted by relatives with his spring butchering Monday.

Vernon Bennett of Lincoln was in Alvo Monday looking after some business.

Mrs. Dave Campbell of South Bend spent Thursday with Mrs. Stout and Mrs. Winn.

Homier Cook, who was quite ill for several days with quinsy, is now entirely recovered.

Mrs. Jessie Williams and mother, Mrs. Bruner, spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Elmer Klyver.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins of Elmwood were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Stout.

Money saved on Wall Paper is money saved.—Greene's Drug Store, Elmwood. m27-2w

Dallas Fifer, who has been ill is again able to resume his duties at one of the Safeway stores at Lincoln, where he works three days a week.

Three members of the Clark family are ill with scarlet fever. They are Mrs. Clark, Zeilan and Carl Lee. All are reported to be getting better.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook were in Weeping Water Saturday. While in Weeping Water, Mrs. Cook attended a shower given in honor of a friend, Miss Doris Wolcott.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Norris were guests at the W. L. Cople home Sunday. They were also present for the church services at the local church Sunday morning.

The three little grandsons of Mrs. Mabel Winn, Hubert, Clifford and Clayton Cheever, of Lincoln, spent the week end with their grandmother and other members of the family.

Music and Dramatic Program
The school furnished a music and dramatic program for the regular March P. T. A. meeting Wednesday evening at the school house.

Elmer Sundstrom, of Plattsmouth.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of School District No. 102 of Cass County, Nebraska, that by vote of two-thirds of the District Board of said School District, an election is hereby called and shall be held at the Fire House in the Village of Alvo, in said District No. 102, Cass County, Nebraska, on the 4th day of April, 1939, between the hours of eight o'clock a. m. and eight o'clock p. m., at which election there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of said school district, the following proposition:

"Shall the District Board of Trustees of School District Number 102 of Cass County, in the State of Nebraska, issue the bonds of said School District in the amount of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed four per cent (4%) per annum, payable semi-annually, bonds to mature in a period not to exceed twenty years; and

Shall the District Board of Trustees of said School District cause to be levied annually against the taxable property of said school district, a tax sufficient for the payment of the interest and principal of said bonds, as the same becomes due, the proceeds of the sale of said bonds to be used for the purpose of building an addition to and altering the present school building, and furnishing the necessary furniture and apparatus for the same in said School District No. 102 of Cass County, Nebraska?"

"The ballots to be voted upon and cast at said election shall have printed thereon the foregoing proposition, with the words:

FOR said bond issue and said annual tax levy.
AGAINST said bond issue and said annual tax levy.

Voters who desire to vote in favor of said proposition will indicate the same by marking an X in the square following the words "For said bond issue and said annual tax levy."

Voters who desire to vote against said proposition will indicate same by marking an X in the square following the words "Against said bond issue and said annual tax levy."

By order of the said District Board this 8th day of March, 1939.

WILLARD TIMBLIN,
Secretary Board of Education
School District No. 102.

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Elmwood News

Oscar Gopen of Plattsmouth was visiting friends in Elmwood a few hours last Tuesday.

Miss Grace Wood who has been making her home alone, was quite poorly last week and her brothers, Charles and John, arranged to have a doctor call on her and someone go in to help care for her.

Earl Elliott, who has been feeling poorly for some time, was taken to the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln for treatment and observation. At latest reports his condition has not changed very much.

Don Parish, who has been suffering from an attack of flu, was down town Tuesday, although still feeling pretty much under the weather. He was not able to drive the road maintainer during the entire week.

The ladies of the Christian church met last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Wood, where they carried on their business and enjoyed a covered dish luncheon. All enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Stanton took advantage of the fine weather last Sunday and drove to Tecumseh for a visit at the home of their sister and brother-in-law, John Whitlock and wife. They returned home the same evening.

Albert Kuntz, who has been poorly for many months, after trying various things in an effort to bring about the restoration of his health, was taken to the Veterans' hospital at Lincoln one day last week. He is a World War veteran and will receive the best of treatment and medical attention there.

The ladies of the Methodist church met last Tuesday afternoon at the home of one of their members, Mrs. Dr. Totman, where they worked during the afternoon, concluding with a social hour. All enjoyed the delicious covered dish luncheon that was a part of the meeting.

During a nice warm day last week, Wm. F. Bornemeier was out in his alfalfa field and found it literally alive with little grasshoppers from a quarter of an inch in length to a full inch long. He said they were very lively and hopped about in swarms as one walked through the alfalfa. We would say that is getting here pretty early in the spring.

Are Feeling Better
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Groat, who reside near the Missouri Pacific passenger station have both been ill for a long time. Mr. Groat is now considerably improved and with the aid of crutches has been able to get up town occasionally. Tuesday being a very fine day, Mrs. Groat, with her nephew at the handle of the wheel chair, was up town a short time and enjoyed meeting her friends. With the coming summer and kindly volunteers to handle the wheel chair, Mrs. Groat will be able to get out into the open and enjoy the health-giving rays of the sun.

When misfortune comes, it is nice to realize one has friends who will look after the needs of those who cannot help themselves and Mr. and Mrs. Groat are very thankful to all who have ministered to their comfort during their long illness.

Edward Pennerman Still Poorly
Edward Pennerman is still very poorly at the home of his wife's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winkler. Although every care is being extended to the patient, he does not seem to improve. Callers last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. William Maseman and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maseman, of Avoca, nephews and nieces of the patient. Mr. and Mrs. Rannager and other relatives from Leigh also called on Mr. Pennerman, together with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson and his mother, Mrs. Oscar Johnson. Edward enjoyed their visit notwithstanding the fact that he was not able to converse with them.

Garden Time at Hand
With the very fine weather of the opening week of springtime, which began last Tuesday, March 21, Alex Mitchell informed us he was going home and start preparing for a garden, but the smaller it might be, the better it would suit him. Some others, however, are planning extensive gardens and will raise all sorts of crops therein. Wm. Flaishman was working in his large garden and will plant potatoes, lettuce, radishes and carrots as well as a number of other early garden vegetables.

Visited His Mother
Last Monday being a very fine day, Lester Christian, the Elmwood night-watchman, concluded he would go to Weeping Water to visit his mother. He started out on the gravel road that runs eight miles east and then two miles north into Weeping Wat-

er, looking back every once in a while in the hope of seeing an auto coming from behind, but none came and so he just kept on walking until he arrived in Weeping Water sore and stiff from his long hike. He enjoyed a pleasant visit with his mother and then returned home—how.

Chickens Doing Nicely
Kenneth West, who made the purchase of a few hundred baby chicks some three weeks ago and has been giving them the best of care and has been rewarded by the chicks making good progress. They are now past the danger age and are doing very well.

Mrs. O. D. Quellhorst decided to stick to the old method and has a number of setting hens which she expects to do as well as the incubators and brooder houses when it comes to hatching and mothering chicks.

SOUTH BEND
Mrs. F. J. Knecht was a business visitor in Lincoln Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Mooney were shopping in Lincoln Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Knecht were business visitors in Omaha Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Winget of Alvo were Sunday guests of Mrs. Florence Nelson.

Mrs. George Vogel and Loran were Friday evening callers at the F. J. Knecht home.

Mrs. Jennie Livers of Cherryvale, Kansas, is visiting relatives in this part of the country.

Miss Ellen Leddy spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leddy.

Mrs. George Braun drove to Alvo on Tuesday to spend the day with her mother, Mrs. Yager.

Mrs. Ernest Nelsen was a dinner guest at the home of Mrs. Florence Nelsen and daughters Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leddy and family called at the Henry Oehelking home near Wabash Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Knecht were Sunday evening dinner guests at the home of Miss Elsie Bornemeier in Murdock.

Florence Nelson was a dinner guest Wednesday at the Wesley Wagner home helping Mrs. Wagner celebrate her birthday.

Sunday dinner guests at Wm. Blum's were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hoffman and family of Lincoln and Peter Johnson of Alvo.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Skinner, Dorothy, Clyde Dale and Donald called on Mrs. Florence Nelson and family Tuesday evening.

Sunday dinner guests at Wesley Wagners were Archie Baumgartner of Omaha, Miss Lela Lahl of Lincoln and Miss Evelyn Baumgartner of Ashland.

The Pawnee Bird and Forestry club of which Wm. Leddy, Jr., is local leader and Mrs. Ray Nelson assistant, held their first bird hike Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Livers and family were Sunday dinner guests at a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Jenny Livers, of Cherryvale, Kansas, which was held at the Dallas Livers home in Ashland.

Don Williams, who resided near South Bend a number of years ago, passed away in a Lincoln hospital last week. The family has the sympathy of the old neighbors and friends in this community.

Vernon Thimgan and Miss Irene Glaubitz of Alvo were married on Monday, March 13th, in Plattsmouth. A group of young people charivariated the same evening. Their friends offer congratulations and best wishes to the newlyweds.

Mrs. R. B. Dill and son Jamie and Vernon Dill left Friday morning for Taylor, Neb., where they will visit Mrs. Dill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Christensen. They will meet Mrs. Dill's sister, Miss Grace Christensen at Central City and she will also visit the parents in Taylor.

The Friendly Circle club met with Mrs. Daisy Peterson in her new home in Gretna. Nearly all members were present to answer roll call with their favorite memory gem. The vice president, Mrs. George Brann, had charge of the meeting. Usual business was taken care of. A flower committee, Mrs. Helen Mooney, Mrs. Henry Stander and Mrs. Lottie Knecht, was appointed. Visitors were Mrs. Jennie Livers, Mrs. Hazel Peterson and Mrs. Dickenson. A delicious luncheon, consisting of chicken sandwiches, angel food cake and coffee was served by the hostess and assistant hostesses, Mrs. Stander and Mrs. Haswell. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Amy Thissen and Mrs. Nancy Straight on April 13th. Roll call will be answered with "My Favorite Flower."

MANLEY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Harms and Junior were guests last Sunday at the August Pautsch home in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Harms entertained the F. D. R. card club Sunday evening. After a spirited session of pinochle a lunch was served.

Frank H. Stander and daughter, Miss Lillian, of Omaha, were visiting in Manley last Tuesday, and looked after business matters while here.

Mrs. Adolph Steinkamp, who has been visiting for the past month at the home of a sister, Mrs. Isaac Buskirk, of North Platte, arrived home last week.

Teddy Harms made a trip to the county seat Tuesday and was accompanied by Roy Steinkamp, who goes over every day to receive treatment for his back.

Roy Steinkamp, who has been poorly since an injury to his back a couple of weeks ago, makes daily trips to Plattsmouth for treatment, and is now somewhat improved.

Marion Koop and wife and Miss Margaret Bergman, who is taking a course of nurse training in an Omaha hospital, were guests at the R. Bergman home last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rohrdanz were spending last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Heil, where they enjoyed a very fine visit and an excellent dinner. The ladies are sisters.

Mrs. Elmer Salsberg, of Omaha, spent a number of days during the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haws, returning home the latter part of the week.

Joe Sheehan moved last week to the farm west of Manley now owned by Frank H. Stander, but better known as the Calkins Estate farm, where he will farm for the coming season.

Harold Wiles, who has been farming on the Isaac Wiles estate farm is moving to the farm where Roy Wiles has been residing, while Roy is moving where Harold has been residing.

Leslie J. Wiles, who returned last week from the hospital in Lincoln, where he had undergone an operation for sinus trouble, has been recovering rapidly and has been able to get out and hustle with the farm work every day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flaishman were in Ashland last Sunday, where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cochran for the day and a very fine dinner. Mrs. Cochran is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Flaishman.

Happy Birthday Celebration
Mesdames Emma Breckenridge and George Davis had the distinction of having their birthdays fall on the same date as that of Ireland's patron saint, the ever popular St. Patrick's, were entertained by the local tea club of which they are members at a most pleasant luncheon. Both were the recipients of well wishes from their fellow members.

Married Twenty Years
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lawrensen who have lived in Manley the greater portion of their life, Mrs. Lawrensen having been born in Manley and her husband a resident here for more than a quarter of a century, were celebrating their twentieth wedding anniversary last Sunday and had as their guests, Mrs. Emma Lawrensen, mother of Fred; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lawrensen, Jack Valley, wife and son Larry and George Coon, father of Mrs. Lawrensen. With the departure of the guests they extended to the happy couple best wishes for many years of happy life.

Guests at Herman Rauth Home
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rauth entertained Miss Hedwig Sorensen and her mother of Omaha, and Mrs. Lillian Hayworth, of St. Louis. Miss Rena Christensen, who has been visiting at the Rauth home since leaving

the hospital where she underwent an operation some weeks ago, was also present. She accompanied the Omaha guests back to the metropolis and will resume her former employment there.

War Record on Army Musket
When Henry F. Bennett, uncle of George Coon, died in 1909, he left his nephew a peculiar record of his service in the Civil war which the nephew prizes very highly. It is the trusty old musket that he carried throughout the time of his enlistment, and on the stock of which is inscribed the various battles he took part in and dates of same.

Mr. Bennett was born in Pennsylvania and enlisted in the 143rd Penn Volunteers, being a sergeant in Co. B. He served throughout the duration of the war and came through without a scratch, although participating in a number of important battles.

The old time musket was first used by Mr. Bennett in the battle of Chancellorsville, which was fought on May 1, 2 and 3, 1863. The next battle was that of the Wilderness on May 5, 6 and 7, 1864 followed in rapid succession by the stormy battles of Spottsylvania, May 7 and 8, 1864, the battle of North Anna River on May 23 and the battle of Cold Harbor on June 2, 1864. Then followed the battles of Pelenberg on June 19 and Waldo Railroad, August 2, that same year. The following winter, on February 26, 1865, he participated in his last battle of the war at Holders River.

In addition to the musket, Mr. Coon has a canteen and cartridge box which his uncle carried throughout the war. He prizes these items very highly, and especially the musket with its history of the activities of his uncle during the war.

Mr. Bennett, the deceased veteran, lived in Manley and vicinity many years before his death, and is remembered by many of the older citizens of this community.

REPORT KIDNAP ATTEMPT
NEW YORK, March 25 (UP)—A servant reported today that an attempt had been made to kidnap the granddaughter of Bishop William T. Manning of the Episcopal church.

Thomas Wilson, 50, Negro butler, employed by Griffith Coale, an artist and husband of Manning's daughter, said that while his employers were away from their Greenwich Village home last night he answered the door bell and found two men on the stoop.

They asked if they were at the home of Bishop Manning's daughter. Then they asked if Betsy, the Coale's 2½-year-old daughter was home. Wilson said she was in bed. Then they asked in which room she slept and if her nurse was in. When one of the men produced a wad of currency saying "Here's \$1,000 if you'll play ball with us," Wilson slammed the door. The Coales were to a cocktail party at which Newbold Morris, president of the city council also was a guest. He ordered a police guard at the home and a guard for the child when she is taken out.

DOLLAR SAVES INJURY
CHICAGO, March 24 (UP)—Fred Lather, New York truck driver, is going to keep his silver dollar as a luck charm because it made such a good impression on him. A stray bullet from a light half block from Lather struck the truck driver on the hip. Physicians found his only wound was the black and blue impression of the head of the dollar which he had carried in his hip pocket.

LAND, FARM and RANCH BARGAINS
FOR SALE—Four work horses and two good Jersey cows. See Leslie Winters. m27-2tw

FOR RENT—Good six-room house, garden spot, room for chickens. Call at Journal. 1tw

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Wabash News

P. H. Clarke has been suffering an attack of flu, but is considerably improved at this time.

Wm. Eisele of Murdock has rented the Oscar C. Zink farm and will farm there the coming season.

John Cardwell has been confined to his home and bed a number of days during the past week with flu, and while he has been trying many things, he still remains very poorly.

Louis Schmidt, the road man, has been suffering from an attack of flu that has confined him to his home and bed. Clifford Browne has been taking his place and is maintaining the roads in a very satisfactory manner.

Ralph Richards is getting ready for the busy farm season ahead, and put in a number of days last week overhauling his tractor, after which he had to limber it up, so it would be ready to go out and handle the grilling work a little later.

Edward Obernault and Fred Hansen were in Plattsmouth last Monday, where they went for a truck load of gravel, and report the sale held there that day attracted such a large crowd of people, parking space on the streets was all taken, and it was difficult to get through the business part of town.

Reported Some Better
Friends of John C. Browne will be pleased to learn that he is making good progress at the Lincoln hospital, where he has been a patient the past fortnight. His son, Clifford Browne and wife were in Lincoln Sunday for a visit with the patient.

Wheat Showing Up
Winter wheat, which was believed to be in very poor condition, with the melting of the snow and warm, sunshiny weather, has been making its appearance to such an extent that many farmers are encouraged over prospects for a fair crop.

There are some reports of the ground cracking in the country, thus allowing needed moisture to escape. However, let us all hope for the best and trust that additional rains will come soon.

Married Forty Years
Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Gerbeling, who have resided in Wabash and on the farm for many years, being listed among the oldest and most respected citizens of the community, were passing their fortieth wedding anniversary last Monday. They made no plans to celebrate the occasion, and after busying themselves with routine work about the place retired early in the evening. During the supper hour they recalled it was their anniversary but thought nothing of it. Soon after they had gone to bed, however, they were awakened by a loud knock at the door and found that the children, Orville Gerbeling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Euaers and the folks from Lincoln had come loaded with good things to eat and the happy couple had to arise not to entertain, but rather to be entertained by their children on this happy occasion. The Journal joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gerbeling in extending best wishes for many more years of happy life to come.

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