

Elmwood
By Journal Field Representative

Jerry Stevens was over to Lincoln last Tuesday where he was securing some needed part for the work in the repair department of his garage.

William Groat, former resident of Elmwood, but who has been making his home at Weeping Water, was visiting with friends in Elmwood for the day last Tuesday. Mr. Groat has many friends here and comes occasionally to visit them.

Mrs. Ed Backemeier, who has been quite ill for some time, is reported getting some better, which is good news to her many friends.

Mint Weed, with his truck is getting in coal for those who must have the fuel, and will keep hauling so that the bins may be filled during the summer, so as to lessen somewhat the demand on transportation facilities during the coming winter.

Mrs. N. D. Bothwell, who with her daughter, Jean Adair, went to the west coast where she joined Mr. Bothwell at Seattle, writes that they have succeeded in getting a house in which to live and that they are greatly enjoying the new location.

Alton Miller, living southwest of Elmwood, has added to his reading material for the coming year the Plattsmouth Journal in order that he may have a perspective view of all the county as it covers the entire county news.

Rev. J. A. Adams, the new pastor of the Evangelical church, who comes from North Loup, in his initial discourse at the church greatly pleased the members of the congregation, who expect that his work here will be very satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Greene, who have been visiting their children in Illinois and New York and the south, enjoying a very fine time returned to Elmwood recently. They report they are glad to be home even though they enjoyed the visit very much.

Home From Visit in East

Mrs. Emily Gonzales, cashier of the American Exchange bank of Elmwood, who has been in the east for the past 10 days, arrived home early last week. She reports a very pleasant visit while she was away and a pleasant visit with her son, Donald, who goes to the south for training at Maxwell Field soon. Donald is already a very good pilot, having flown from New York to Lincoln a number of times.

Honor C. D. Ganz

The Cass county bankers association at a recent meeting held in Elmwood, honored C. D. Ganz who has accepted a commission in the army. There were eight members of the bankers association and also members of the bar association at the gathering. The banquet was served by the ladies of the Christian church.

Betty Lytle Crushed Under Truck

Betty Lytle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lytle, while visiting at Salina, Kansas, was riding a bicycle near a passing truck and was drawn under the vehicle. The wheels of the big conveyance crushed out the life of the nine year old child.

Decorating Cafe

The Stewart Cafe is being decorated inside and made as neat as a pin. Clarence Ohm was the man with the brush who did the work and the interior is a pleasing sight to behold.

Not Feeling So Well

David Eberling, jr., with many other young men sought to make a little more money and applied for employment at the munition plant at Mead. The work was so intense and requiring strict application, that while he is only 16 years of age, his nerves shattered and produced a collapse which caused St. Vitus dance. However, after resting for a time he is feeling much better.

Suffers from Flood Waters

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Egenberger, in the Bauer residence property just west of the garage on Vine street, suffered quite a damage from water getting into the cellar of the house. They also had a large part of the salvage rubber supply that had been collected at the Standard Oil Co., service station, washed down onto their property along with a fine array of lumber and tree branches.

RECORD QUICKSILVER OUTPUT

SAN FRANCISCO. (UP)—War demands have pushed quicksilver mining in California to a new high level. The output of the strategic mineral in the past year was 25,597 flasks, valued at \$4,505,916.

Alvo News
Special Journal Correspondence

Rain Floods Corn Fields
Over northwest of town where the country is rather flat the heavy rain of last Thursday morning flooded a considerable amount of the corn fields, the water standing in the furrows. Most of the water soaked in although some ran off, but there was some complaint of damage to the crops.

Take Fishing Trip
A fishing party composed of Elmer Rosenow, Carl D. Ganz, Art Dinger and A. B. Stomer made merry over on the Platte river last Wednesday morning, spending the night there in quest of the finny inhabitants of the placid Platte. They returned well laden with fish just in time to keep from being soaked by the heavy rain Thursday morning.

Departs for the East
Carl D. Ganz, who received a commission as attorney advocate, departed last Saturday for Maryland where he goes to locate at an ordnance proving grounds of the government, where their heavy artillery is proved before being used in the fighting or shipped to the front.

Entertains Sunday
Mr. and Mrs. John Banning were host and hostess at their home in Alvo last Sunday when they had as their guests for the occasion Hon. W. B. Banning and wife, brother of Mr. Banning, of Union, and Hallas Banning and family of Lincoln. Hallas is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. John Banning.

Turkeys Doing Fine
Joe Vickers, who has 12,000 turkeys on feed at his country home, reports they are doing fine and growing nicely. He reports that the mortality among the flock is very small and the birds are coming in in great shape. He has the flock insured which is a good way to take care of the risk involved in raising such a large flock.

New Farm Loan Head
Harold C. Elliott, of Omaha, has been appointed as manager of the Alvo group of the National Farm Loan association. The position has been filled by C. D. Ganz heretofore. Mr. Elliott will make his home in Alvo.

Mrs. Carrie Henriksen
Carrie (Nelson) Henriksen was born in Denmark in 1863 and when 14 years of age came to America with her parents. She died last week at the age of 79 years and 23 days.

The Nelsons located south of Greenwood where Carrie lived with her family until she united in marriage with Mr. Henriksen, when they located north of Eagle. To this couple were born eight children, two sons and a daughter, dying in infancy, the other five surviving the mother.

Since the death of Mr. Henriksen Mrs. Henriksen has resided with the children who have farmed the home place.

The surviving children are Sherman, Peter, Allen and Laura of Eagle, and Mrs. Walter Syngelein of Tecumseh. The interment was at the cemetery north of Alvo on Thursday afternoon. A large group of people were present to pay their last tribute of respect to this estimable woman.

A post office inspector was in Alvo on last Thursday and examined the accounts of the Alvo post office, finding them in excellent order and the office conducted in a very business-like manner.

Messrs. D. Widick and Lemeul Patch of Elmwood were in Alvo last Thursday afternoon looking after some business matters for a short time.

John B. Skinner and wife, of Lincoln, former residents of Alvo, they having resided and been in business here for many years, were in Alvo last Wednesday afternoon, calling on their many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robehrt Johnson of Clarinda, Iowa, were in Alvo on last Thursday, attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Carrie Henriksen, who was buried at the cemetery north of Alvo.

Hugh Johnson and wife of Shenandoah, Iowa, were in Alvo attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Carrie Henriksen on Thursday of last week.

The heavy rain of last Tuesday morning caused John Banning to have to make some extensive repairs on the roof of the lumber yard as he desires to keep his lumber stocks in perfect condition.

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MURRAY
By Journal Field Representative

Improve Church Building
The church building of the United Presbyterian congregation, which is one of the two church edifices in Murray, during the passing years has become in need of a coat of paint or more. The contract of painting the building and restoring its appearance as well as preserving the building, has been awarded to Earl Merritt, who is now about his work.

Farm Labor Scarce
The war, through calling of men to the colors and demand for defense plant workers, has caused an acute shortage in hands obtainable for farm work. As a result the farmers, their wives and children are putting in longer hours and doing unaccustomed labor. At the home of Chester Sporer, this has been clearly demonstrated by Mrs. Sporer and the children helping in making hay, as one man could not make much headway in haying.

Give Children's Day Program
The ladies of the Christian church and the teachers of the Bible school appointed a committee to look after the proper celebration of Children's day by the Bible school. Mesdames Russell Overhiser and R. A. Neall and Lorraine Lutz had the matter in charge and a highly appreciated program was presented to a large audience. A neat sum was realized for missionary purposes.

Many Attend Picture Show
The season's first free picture show was given on Thursday of last week and was attended by a large number of people, both of Murray and the surrounding community.

Conduct Series of Meetings
Two ministers of the "Church of God," coming from Nebraska City, were in Murray for the past week and conducted revival meetings at the store room of Miss Bertha Nickles, continuing their services through Sunday evening. They returned to their homes at Nebraska City early Monday morning.

Find This the Better Way
W. O. Troop, whose health has been so he could not do the farming in the line of two-rowing and cultivating, has secured two tractors and drivers that does away with the getting of someone to plow with horses, which Mr. Troop would find inconvenient to do.

Visit at Omaha Hospital
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Nickles were guests in Omaha last Sunday, where they were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Shrader for the day and dinner. They also visited Mrs. J. D. Kelsey, an aunt of Mrs. Nickles from Shenandoah, who has been very ill for some time and especially suffering from an affliction of one of her eyes upon which an operation was performed. Mrs. Kelsey had a cataract removed from her eye and the operation was reported as being successful.

New Daughter Arrives
At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kaffenberger, who reside in the Murray hotel building, the stork left a very fine baby girl recently. The little lady has been named Pamela Roe, and she and her mother are both doing nicely.

Departs for Home Saturday
Mrs. Anna Pitman, mother of J. W. Pitman, former superintendent of the Nebraska I. O. O. F. home at York, they formerly making their home near Nehawka, has been visiting for the past two weeks at Elmwood, Nehawka and Murray, and while here was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Pitman and Mr. and Mrs. Ora A. Davis. Mrs. Anna Pitman has reached the advanced age of 94 years and is enjoying very good health.

Enjoys His Occupation
J. D. Lewis, who is a fancier of bees and bee culture, has hived 22 swarms of bees this spring and summer and even if the season is getting rather late for a swarm to get settled and accumulate enough honey to get through the winter, Mr. Lewis could not refrain from hiving the latest swarm to take off. This colony settled on a high tree and though Mr. Lewis past three score of years he scaled the tree, sawed off the limb carrying the bees, lowered it to the ground and properly hived the insects which are now doing nicely.

J. W. Philpot was over to Omaha last Monday, taking a large truck load of fattened cattle which he disposed of at the Omaha livestock yards. He was very well pleased at the price which he was given for his shipment.

Earl Troop, who has been spending the past year at the Canal Zone, arrived at his home at Mineral Springs, Texas, where the family has been staying. He said that the Cass county contingent was all doing nicely but that Tommy Troop was also figuring on returning to the states but was solicited by those in charge to remain for a longer time.

Mrs. William Gorder of Plattsmouth and her daughter, Mary Catherine, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Troop were guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop.

Mrs. L. G. Todd was over to Omaha last week where she went to attend the funeral of M. L. McCleave, whose death followed but a short time after that of his wife, the former Jessie Todd. They were both buried at Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop passed their 44th wedding anniversary on June 7. They quietly observed the occasion at their home southwest of Murray. The sons were all away and it was deemed best to await a later anniversary in order to celebrate.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seacatt of Los Angeles have been here for the past week and are guests at the home of Mrs. George Wessell.

Victor Wehrlein of near Irvington, was a visitor in Murray last week, coming to make the purchase of a cultivator from the Murray Implement company.

Mrs. L. M. McVey has been very seriously ill at her home between Murray and Nehawka. Every attention is being given in both care and medical aid. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gregg were visiting at the McVey home Sunday evening.

Messrs. Harvey Gregg and Tom Wilson are constructing a machine shed at the home of Ernest Mintner, over towards Rock Bluffs.

John Frans, who years ago was an employe of the Burlington shops at Plattsmouth in the planning mills, has accepted a position at the shops and began work there a few days ago. He is staying at the home here in Murray and driving to and from his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lewis of east of Murray were enjoying a visit last Sunday from a brother of Mrs. Lewis, Ralph Godwin, and family, all enjoying the visit very much. The guests returned to their home in Omaha in the evening.

The Ladies society of the Murray Presbyterian church held guest day at their last meeting when each member was to bring a visitor. The ladies of the Murray Christian church ladies aid were also guests. This was a fine gesture of the women's auxiliaries of the local churches and shows a desirable community spirit.

Charles Sporer took a load of cattle to the South Omaha market on Monday of this week. Charles aims to have a truck load or more of fattened cattle for the market every few weeks. The price was very satisfactory for this load.

William Sporer was a dinner guest at the home of his son, Charles, on last Sunday.

Martin Sporer and family, taking their dinner last Sunday, drove to Nebraska City where they first attended Bible school and following that went to one of the parks where they enjoyed a picnic dinner. After completion of the repast they rested in the park and then attended a picture show, returning home in the evening.

Frank Valley of Plattsmouth, was a visitor in Murray a few days ago, looking after business and walking around endeavoring to secure by this exercise and the sunshine, more rapid recovery from his recent illness. He has been ill for a long time but is slowly recovering.

Mrs. Nellie Spangler of near Myrard, her son, Richard Spangler, and Richard's wife and her father, Chas. L. Jean, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Spangler on last Sunday, visiting for the day.

ENROLL FOR DEFENSE
Volunteer enrollment for civilian defense is being held all this week at the city library from 9 to 11 and 1 to 6 and 7 to 9. Every woman and man is urged to enroll.

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Guerrilla War Opens

LONDON, June 20 (UP)—The Yugoslav refugee government said today that guerrilla fighting against the Italians had broken out in Montenegro and that the Italians had suffered heavy casualties in a battle. The Italians claim that 150 guerrillas were killed, the statement said.

Police sources said guerrilla activity also was increasing in the central and eastern portions of Poland.

BASEBALL NOTICE

All American Legion baseballers are requested to meet at the Recreation Center Sunday at 11:30 to travel to Fremont for the second game of the district playoffs. Be sure that your suits are in good shape in order to make a respectable appearance.

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Boy Scout Notice

Scout Troop 356 will complete their training Monday and Tuesday in their 14 mile hike, cooking and camping. Chester Keil of the staff of Plattsmouth Recreation will conduct the troop to the scout cabin beginning early Monday morning and returning sometime Tuesday.

Here from Exeter

J. E. Jones, former Plattsmouth resident, is here to enjoy a short visit with the old friends and with his father, J. R. Jones and his son, Glen Jones, who is here now employed at the Martin bomber plant. Mr. Jones while here was engaged at the local Burlington shops and later in business.

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