

LOCAL NEWS

Oscar Collins was a county seat visitor from the farm north of Raymond Wednesday.

C. M. Vesterby was in from the farm southwest of Plentywood on business Wednesday.

B. D. Templeman, widely known citizen of Madoc, was a business visitor to Plentywood Wednesday.

Thore Johnson, who lives in the Antelope territory, was transacting business in Plentywood Wednesday.

Emil Ray, well known farmer of the Outlook precinct, was transacting business in the county seat Tuesday.

Jack Kennedy, well known farmer of the Outlook territory, was transacting business in the county capitol, Tuesday.

Mr. Ole Aspelund, well known league farmer of the Dooley precinct, was a county seat business visitor Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cral Lund, New Years day, a ten and a half pound baby boy. Mother and child doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cosper of Outlook was shopping and transacting business and renewing acquaintances in the county seat the latter part of last week.

Ed. Iverson and son Carl, and I. Mitbo, all of Antelope, were callers in the county seat Thursday. While here they made the Producers News office a pleasant call.

Rodger Burke, the genial editor of the Scobey Sentinel, spent several days the first part of this week in Plentywood in behalf of the creation of the new county of Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Odin Lutnes and children, of the McElroy precinct, returned last week from Roseburg, Oregon, where they spent a fortnight visiting Mrs. Lutnes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ueland.

Art Hansen, who recently returned from Vancouver, Wash., British Columbia and Seattle was in Plentywood Saturday from his home at Dagmar. Mrs. Hansen was in having some dental work done.

Wm. Muir, well known farmer, who resides six miles south of Navajo, and who is a member of the School Board of District No. 61, was in the county seat on business pertaining to his school district, Wednesday.

Mrs. Clair Stoner of Outlook, one of the directors of the Sheridan County Farm Bureau, left Plentywood Tuesday morning for Bozeman to attend the State Farm Bureau Convention being held at that point this week.

L. D. Budke of Raymond sent in his renewal to the Producers News last week by mail in order to take advantage of the \$2 subscription rates which hold good only until February 1st, when the price advances to \$3 per year.

Phillip Kerstein, one of the old and substantial farmers of the Scobey territory, who is on the county division committee, was in Plentywood Wednesday in connection with affairs pertaining to the proposed new county of Daniels.

Andrew Hanson, son of Jens Hanson, member of the executive committee of the Nonpartisan League of the state of Montana, was in the

county capitol on business Monday. Mr. Hanson is about to leave for Minneapolis for a three months sojourn.

I. Mitbo of Antelope recently rented the farm of Otto Hendrickson, who has moved into Antelope to manage his store, which he recently bought from Walter Nelson. Mr. Mitbo has rented the place and stock and machinery and will put in a large crop this year.

Miss Eva Onstad, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Onstad, returned to Moorhead, Minnesota, Wednesday, where she will resume her studies at Concordia College, after spending the vacation with relatives and friends in Plentywood. This is Miss Onstad's first year at college.

Mrs. Nellie Bain has leased the National Hotel to a Mr. Bryan of Plentywood, who arrived the past week and has already taken possession. Mrs. Bain and son, Lyle, expect to leave in a short time for Los Angeles, Calif., and will spend the balance of the winter there.—Bainville Tribune.

The Ford Automobile Company has announced that that company will divide \$8,000,000 among the 50,000 employees of that concern and the inauguration of a plan whereby all of the employees of the Ford Company will share in the profits of that concern. No employee will receive less than \$50 of the above bonus money.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobiason who have four children (two boys and two girls) in Minneapolis, working at different positions were pleasantly surprised by a beautiful photograph sent to them as a Christmas present. They also sent a letter, saying, "We hope this music box will keep the Home Fires Burning till the Kids Come Home."

G. E. Burdig, a farmer from the Dooley precinct, was attending to business in the county seat the first of the week. Mr. Burdig sustained a broken leg sometime ago and is still getting about with a crutch, but is slowly improving and expect to be fully recovered in another month. Mr. Burdig expects to farm his land in the Dooley territory extensively next season.

The weather in northeastern Montana, since the 17th of December has been very pleasant, which has indeed been a blessing for the farmers of this state as the cattle are doing very well on the range. The remarkable change has caused considerable comment and speculation and the people are in hopes that the latter half of the winter will be as pleasant as the first part was severe and disagreeable.

O. A. Boe, the manager of the Outlook Electric Light plant was a Plentywood business visitor Tuesday. Mr. Boe has recently been appointed rural carrier for the Outlook rural route No. 1, and will start carrying the mail the first of next week. Sheridan county has had a serious time keeping mail carriers owing to the small wages paid and the increasing cost of living.

Bert Mason, one of the leading league farmers of the Scobey county, who was delegate from that precinct to the Welliver convention last summer, was in Plentywood yesterday on important business in connection with the preliminary work of the formation of the proposed new county of Daniels. Mr. Mason reports that the farmers are now taking personal supervision of the county division project and that the ship is commencing to move. Mr. Mason made the Producers News office a very pleasant call.

Walt Nichols was a business visitor to Outlook last week.

Wm. Gottlieb was a business caller in Plentywood Tuesday.

Jack Gibbons of Reserve spent a few days in town this week.

L. S. Olson is now employed as a clerk in the office of the County Assessor.

Phillip Ziebarth is helping on the extra force in the Clerk and Recorder's office.

Judge Comer went to Mondak Thursday, where he will hold court this week.

Guy A. Nelson, auditor for the Farmers elevators, was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Dahlin is back to work in the Clerk and Recorder's office after a week of illness.

Frank Carlson, who resides several miles southwest of Plentywood, was in the city yesterday on business.

The report of the condition of the State Bank of Outlook appears in another column of this paper this week.

Carl Howland, assistant cashier of the State Bank of Outlook, was in Plentywood on business Wednesday evening.

Victor Frawley has gone to Antelope, where he is employed as the managing editor of the Antelope Independent.

Little Orville Sederberg, who is staying with his grandmother, Mrs. C. Christiansen, has been sick the past week but is reported better.

Miss Lillian Holdahl has accepted a position at the Clerk and Recorder's office to help out during the rush brought on by the transcribing of Sheridan county records.

Miss Minnie Carlson entertained at a six o'clock dinner New Year's evening five of her friends, at the Elgin Cafe. A sumptuous dinner was served which was enjoyed by all present.

Charles Westphal, who has been visiting at the home of W. A. Wheeler in the Froid territory for the past week, returned to Plentywood Tuesday and went out to the farm near Raymond.

Burley Bowler, formerly editor of the Antelope Independent, but who has for some time been associate editor on the Plentywood Pioneer Press, resigned his position on the above paper New Year's day and, it is reported, has since taken a position with the Williston Herald.

Fred Lundberg, the unorganized farmer, is laying off on the writing this week and is busily engaged hauling coal. It is reported that he threw in with the bolshevik of "sedition center" and voted against the bond issue. It is claimed that even "Looney" is commencing to suspect that there is something rotten in Denmark since Lil Joe had to come back with \$7,000 overcharge on the printing of the Primary ballots.

Lloyd Bakke, twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bakke of this city, who has been in the hospital at Williston, North Dakota, since December 4th, when he was operated upon at that place for an acute attack of appendicitis, returned home the latter part of last week, and is slowly regaining his health. The lad has been very sick and has suffered a great deal. Lloyd is the third child in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Bakke who has been so afflicted and operated upon during the past three years, Myrtle and Mable, having been operated upon before.

OPEN FORUM

Our friends and foes alike, are cordially invited to avail themselves of use of this, the "peoples" editorial column. Write plainly, on one side of the paper. Nothing obscene or scurrilous will be published. Always accompany your communication with your name and address, otherwise your article may not be published. If you do not want your name disclosed, say so, but we must know who you are. This paper assumes no responsibility for any article appearing in these columns.

Editor Producers News, Plentywood, Mont.

Dear Sir:

Ever since I started in business at Plentywood, I always have patronized home industry. When the Plentywood mill was running, I used the flour made at home, now I use Scobey and Antelope flour.

I merely state this to show that some business people are crazy when they send off for bread to Minneapolis to a bakery that is owned by the steel trust.

I offered the Redstone Mercantile Co. bread for the same price that he is paying to the Steel Trust Bakery at Minneapolis, but he refused with an excuse that my bread was baked

too hard.

I happen to have worked for the same scab bakery that the Redstone Merc. Co. is getting their bread. Yes, I even went on strike there, but we were beaten the same way as the steel strikers are now and just because of such people as the Redstone Merc. Co.

I suppose that firm is preaching to the hayseeds to buy at home and not send their money to the Mail Order Houses, but different with the Redstone Merc. Co. and some other business houses in this county: They would rather patronize Minneapolis industry than home.

Respectfully yours, Ed. WEISS.

Mrs. Lasher and son Joe have been on the sick list this week.

Mr. Wm. Rader of Raymond was a Plentywood visitor Thursday.

Wm. Knilans of Scobey was a Plentywood visitor Monday of this week.

Frances Madden left Saturday for Minneapolis to resume his studies at the University.

Atty. T. W. Greer of the Onstad & Greer law firm, was in Mondak Thursday between trains.

Joseph Whetstone of Glasgow was called on at acquaintances here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Nelson left for the Twin Cities and other eastern points Thursday morning.

Mrs. Pennek who has been visiting at the Bewick home returned to Williston Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Davis of Scobey were New Year's guests at the Gustafson home in this city.

Frank M. Catlin, deputy county attorney of Roosevelt county, was a Plentywood visitor last Monday.

Olive Nicholson returned from Grand Forks, N. D., last Thursday, where he consulted an oculist.

Atty. Paul Babeck left Monday morning for Bismarck, N. D., where he will attend to business matters.

Alma Malquist returned Saturday from Antelope, where she spent a couple of weeks visiting her parents.

W. R. Paske, a former deputy in the court house, has accepted a position in County Assessor Hill's office.

O. E. Hineine of Minot was attending to business matters in this city Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Calvin Rogers, of the Johnson Abstract force at Mondak, came up from that city New Year's to spend the day with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fishbeck returned Tuesday from Wisconsin, where they attended the funeral of Mr. Fishbeck's father.

W. C. Greer of Athabaska Landing, Canada, has been transacting business in this city this week. Mr. Greer left for Scobey Thursday afternoon.

Dr. W. P. McDaniels of Medicine Lake came up last Wednesday to attend the Leap Year ball and spent New Year's here returning Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Zeidler have been quite ill at their home here the past week. At this writing Mrs. Zeidler is recovering, but Mr. Zeidler is suffering from a bad attack of quinsy.

Mrs. Mary Funk left Monday for Los Angeles, where she will visit for about two months. She was accompanied by Miss Lucy B. Funk of The Funk Abstract Co., as far as Williston.

Arthur Ziebarth, son of A. F. Ziebarth, has purchased the delivery business from Elmer Gooder. Our delivery service has been very prompt and efficient and it goes without saying that it will be conducted in the same manner in the future.

Dr. C. C. Storkam, of Medicine Lake, who has recently resumed his practice at Medicine Lake after several months' service in Uncle Sam's army, was in Plentywood on business Wednesday and while in the capital city made the Producers News a very pleasant call and had his name added to the subscription list.

Mrs. Anna Rue of Froid has been spending the week end here as a guest at the Christiansen home. She returned to Froid Tuesday morning. Mrs. Rue is an old friend of Mrs. Christiansen's from Minnesota.

Monday evening a party in the nature of a surprise was given at the home of Fr. Hennessy. Quite a number of the people in this city were present. Cards were the event of the evening, after which a delicious lunch was served.

Deputy County Auditor Charles C. Christiansen has resigned his position in that office and left Thursday morning for Casper, Wyo., where he has accepted an offer to work for the Western Union. Charlie is one of our most estimable young men and we are very sorry to lose him in this community, and he will be especially missed in the Court House circles. He has the sincere wishes of everyone for luck in his new undertaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon of Redstone were county seat visitors Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Grady entertained the Christiansen family at dinner New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kollman are the proud parents of a nine-pound baby boy, born Wednesday.

Mrs. A. J. Garneau has been quite ill the past two weeks but at this writing is very much improved.

The many friends of County Assessor H. B. Hill will be glad to hear that he is now able to be about.

Mrs. John Bowles was taken to the Outlook hospital, where she is undergoing medical treatment under Drs. Managan and Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lair left Thursday morning for Casper, Wyo., Mrs. Lair will go to Rochester first and will later join her husband.

Miss Alma Helland left Saturday afternoon for Madoc to resume her school duties after spending the past two weeks at the home of her parents here.

MCLEAN'S GO TO SPOKANE

PROMINENT DOOLEY FARMER AND FAMILY WILL SPEND WINTER IN THE WEST.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McLean and children have gone to Spokane, Wash., to spend the winter and to put the children to school.

Mr. McLean some time ago rented his farm near Dooley, with the idea of coming to Plentywood in order that the children might have better school advantages, but upon investigation he found that he could live enough cheaper in Spokane to justify moving out there, besides the extra inducement of the milder climate.

Mr. McLean is very prominent in League circles, being on the executive committee of the Nonpartisan League of the state of Montana, and only just returned from the National Convention at St. Paul.

Mr. McLean will return to Sheridan county next spring.

JUDGE GIVES NAU'S BOOZE BACK

Famous Outlook Booze Cache Seized by Sheriff, Declared to Be Taken Illegally.

Judge C. E. Comer handed down a decision the first of the week to the effect that the famous \$10,000 cache of booze taken by Sheriff Bennett last July from Charlie Nau at Outlook, under the direction of Assistant Attorney General Grorud, but seized illegally and ordered the same returned by the Sheriff to the owner, Mr. Nau, at Outlook.

This case has been one of the cases that has attracted considerable attention during the past several months because of the size of the cache and the parties concerned.

Mr. Nau claimed that this booze was a part of his private stock which he had left over when the saloons closed last December, and had been stored in his cellar for his own private use, and that his intentions were absolutely pure and that he intended to consume the joy water all himself.

Attorney Lewis also testified that ten gallons of the precious fluid belonged to him, being purchased by him early in December.

Dr. Campbell also claimed several gallons, as did several other people, exhibiting checks to prove that the elixir had been purchased and paid for at a time when it was legal to barter in booze.

It is intimated, however, that the Attorney General will appeal, however, this does not seem probable.

DR STEEL TAKES VACATION

Dr. E. G. Steele has left Plentywood for Chicago where he will take a post graduate course in medicine, specializing in eye, ear and nose diseases. The doctor has not made up his mind whether he will leave Plentywood or not, and may return here and resume his practice after he has completed his special work.

Mrs. Steele and the children accompanied the doctor.

While Dr. Steele is absent from Plentywood, his office will be kept open by Dr. C. C. Storkam of Medicine Lake, who will reside in Plentywood while practicing here.

Real Estate Transfers

Benson Mills to Joe Wagoner, warranty deed, consideration \$2500, E 1-2 W 1-2 NE 1-4, SE 1-4, 1-36-51.

G. E. Fulkerson to E. E. Richwine, warranty deed, consideration \$1, N 1-2 28-32-57.

U. S. A. to Charlie Ross, patent, W 1-2 NE 1-4, SE 1-4 NW 1-4, NE 1-4 SW 1-4, 18-34-55.

U. S. A. to Wm. Roy Cole, patent, lots 2, 3, and 4, SE 1-4 NW 1-4, E 1-2 SW 1-4, W 1-2 SE 1-4, 31-37-52.

C. A. Jensen to Fred Olson, warranty deed, N 1-2, 19-33-58.

Louis A. Mangan to Outlook General Hospital, warranty deed, N 1-2, block 23, Outlook, Mont.

Luth. Church, Scobey, to Lutheran Church, Orville, warranty deed, consideration \$1, part SW 1-4 NE 1-4, 15-35-48.

U. S. A. to Mark Jenaoette, patent, SE 1-4, 24, E 1-2 E 1-2, 25-37-46.

Ernest Groose to A. C. Erickson, warranty deed, consideration \$600, lot 3, block 2, Riba's Add., Plentywood.

U. S. A. to Jas. A. Kin, patent, E 1-2, 34-37-50.

U. S. A. to Wm. O. Anderson, patent, SE 1-4, 35-36-46.

U. S. A. to Frederick E. Lee, patent, E 1-2 SW 1-4, 35-35-53.

U. S. A. to Harry M. Daley, R. C., SW 1-4, W 1-2 SE 1-4, SE 1-4 SE 1-4, 4 SW 1-4 SW 1-4, 3-34-52.

Pierce Egan to Central Bk. Bingham, warranty deed, consideration \$10, lot 8, block 3, lots 19, S 1-2, lot 20, block 2, Flaxville.

A. J. Jensen to Carl Emil Rasmussen, warranty deed, consideration \$4500, NE 1-4, 12-33-57.

U. S. A. to Kenneth Heize, patent, SW 1-4 NE 1-4, SE 1-4 NW 1-4, 7-35-53.

U. S. A. to Chas. Humbert, R. C., NW 1-4 SW 1-4, SW 1-4 NW 1-4, 16, NE 1-4, N 1-2 SE 1-4, 17-37-46.

U. S. A. to Edward Espelsen, patent, lots 2, 3, 4, sec. 4, lots 1-2-3, sec. 5-36-46.

Arthur Jordan to J. C. Saunders, warranty deed, N 1-2 S 1-2, 5, SW 1-4, 4-37-49.

U. S. A. to Arthur Jordan, R. C., N 1-2 S 1-2, SW 1-4, 4-37-49.

U. S. A. to Eddie Lund, patent, lots 1 and 2, sec. 3-33-47.

F. L. Houston to J. W. McKee, warranty deed, lot 14, block 2, Rie's add., Plentywood, consideration \$2500.

U. S. A. to Ole T. Isben, R. C., SE 1-4, S 1-2 NE 1-4, E 1-2 SW 1-4, 18-32-58.

B. G. Bertelson to John Rice, warranty deed, consideration \$750, NE 1-4, NE 1-4 SE 1-4, 27, S 1-2 NW 1-4, NW 1-4 SW 1-4, 26-36-57.

Nicholas Arent to Norman Scharf, warranty deed, lot 5, block 10, K. Add., Scobey, consideration \$1.

U. S. A. to Julius C. Back, R. C., S 1-2 SE 1-4, NE 1-4 SE 1-4, 4-32-58.

U. S. A. to Peter R. Kurtz, R. C., SW 1-4 SE 1-4, S 1-2 SW 1-4, 1, NW 1-4 NE 1-4, NW 1-4, 12-34-50.

Erastus Lafay to Wyman Sandy, warranty deed, consideration \$1400, NE 1-4, 18-37-52.

Wyman R. Sandy to Jas. L. Haanrehan, warranty deed, consideration \$1400, NW 1-4, 8-37-52.

Julius J. Berg to I. O. Bakken, warranty deed, E 1-2, 13-38-49.

S. O. Swenson to Emmert Gormley, warranty deed, consideration \$1, lots 3-4-5, SE 1-4 SE 1-4, 27-32-55.

Berger Larsen to Larson & Anderson, warranty deed, lots 11-12, block 9, Westby, consideration \$1.

Berger Larsen to Larson & Anderson, warranty deed, consideration \$1, one acre in lot 1, sec. 24-36-58.

U. S. A. to David J. Martin, patent, S 1-2 SW 1-4, 2, SE 1-4 SE 1-4, 3, lots 7 and 8, sec. 11; lots 5-6, sec. 12-33-50.

H. N. Stuverude to Ole C. Nelson, warranty deed, SW 1-4 SW 1-4, 9-31-55.

U. S. A. to Freda H. Semington, patent, E 1-2, 7-31-55.

U. S. A. to Albert Everson, R. C., NW 1-4, SW 1-4 NE 1-4, 15-36-50.

U. S. A. to John Winfield Lacombe, patent, SW 1-4, W 1-2 SE 1-4, 12, N 1-2 NW 1-4, 13-37-49.

U. S. A. to Henry Lindberg, patent, W 1-2, 33-37-57.

U. S. A. to John Hudak, R. C., E 1-2 NE 1-4, E 1-2 SE 1-4, SW 1-4 SE 1-4, SE 1-4 SW 1-4, 27, E 1-2 NW 1-4, 33-37-56.

U. S. A. to Amos E. Satterlee, patent, N 1-2, 28-35-49.

U. S. A. to Selma N. Hovdey, R. C., N 1-2, 32-37-55.

U. S. A. to Frank Buller, patent, lot 4, SE 1-4 SW 1-4, SE 1-4, NW 1-2 SW 1-4, 20-35-49.

PLENTYWOOD QUINTET CLEAN UP ON SYDNEY

In a very fast basket ball game, between the quintets of the Plentywood High and the Sydney High, the local bladders tossers won the game with a score of 24 to 7.

The Plentywood five is getting better all of the time.

OSCAR HUSO WRITES FROM LAKE MILLS, IOWA

Editor Producers News, Plentywood, Mont.

Dear Sir:

As I will be down here for the winter I would like to have you send my paper to the above-named address. I can't afford to let it go to waste. I'll have a few of the neighbors here read it, so they can see what is going on out there.

Very respectfully, OSCAR HUSO, Former address: Whitetail, Mont.

Commissioners in Session This Week

The Board of County Commissioners of Sheridan County met in regular Monday. Commissioners Tyler and Far session at the court house on Monday. Commissioners Tyler and Matkins were present.

Only routine business such as the approving sundry bills was transacted.

The Board adjourned Wednesday evening until next Monday when they will meet as a canvassing board to canvass the returns of the recent bond election.

Commissioner Timmons is in Iowa on a visit.



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