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Floyd Hite made a trip to Beatrice turday. Fred Towle was in Plattsmouth on

used. usiness Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tool drove to incoln Monday.

H. A. Tool made a business trip to

Omaha on Thursday. The auditor for the Farmers Union dames W. O. Gillespie and Charles

elevator was here the past week. Frank Melvin and Floyd Hite were working very industriously /at a in Lincoln on business Monday after- quilt during the time when Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Peters of Green- work at the cafe. wood were visiting with Mr. and Mrs.

Henry Gakemeier Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Eichoff and Mr.

and Mrs. Henry Heineman were shop- ha, aged 64 years, who was born in ping in Lincoln Monday afternoon. Germany, but came to this country

The Murdock high school basket when she was sixteen years of age. ball team defeated the Alvo team in and a sister of our townsman, G. a close game of 14 to 13, Friday Baur, died last Sunday at her home evening.

Emil Kuehn was working near of paralysis. The husband had prel'lysses for the greater portion of last ceded her in death a number of week, notwithstanding the very bad years ago. The funeral was held on weather and roads which made it not last Wednesday afternoon and was the best to get around.

On last Tuesday Messrs, E. W. er, and Mr. and Mrs. John Gake-Thingan, H. W. Tool, Paul Schewe meier, nephew and niece of the de-Plattsmouth, where they had some Mr. Bauer and family have the symbusiness matters to look after.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rannie, of Council Bluffs, the latter a sister of Henry Amgwert, were here spending a few days at the Henry Amgwert home. They returned to their Iowa dock Fire Department and the sehome early last week.

Miss Viola Everett who has been ment, as well as the installation of employed as a saleslady in a store at the new electric fire siren for use in Beatrice, with the slowing up of business was not required to work giving alarms in case of fire, the longer, and so returned to Murdock.

John Eppings and family were over to Murray and Nehawka on last Sunday, where they were guests for the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lancaster, of Nehawka, and where they as well as many other ed. relatives enjoyed the visit very much.

Harry A. Williams, of Elmwood, ompanied by the good wife, were ng for the day on last Sunday the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. of the Murdock Bible school, whose mgan and where a very pleasant teacher is Mr. Charles Kupke, Jr., imgan and Williams are sisters. afternoon.

Boy's Sheep Lined work on them. John Eppings, al-on the highway maintenance force, has been hustling to keep the roads open for travel. They have sure both been doing their part in this time of bad roads and bad weather to keep the lines of com-There is nothing a boy munication open so they can be

he has sure been doing a good piece

Quilted at the Cafe

Sister Died in Omaha

Looking for Better Rates

him warmer-at a price Mrs. Mathew Thimgan, with a lower than you have number of her friends, namely Mes. ever heard of-quality I. Long and Miss Viola Everett were considered. Thimgan was not busy with her

First grade moleskin shell, first grade peltsleather re-inforced. Ages Mrs. Catherine Metzlaff, of Oma-6 to 18, at-

Coats

would rather own-and

nothing that will keep

\$3.00



and Frank A. Melvin were over to ceased. Interment was at Omaha. mother has since died, preceding the husband and father to the other pathy of the entire community in world several years ago. With the Little Precipitation in the State this, their hour of grief. passing of Peter Rueter, two sons

went out to attend the funeral, they returning early last week. A more detailed account of the life of this ex-

our issue of the coming week. ouring of better fire fighting equip-

Cutting Much Wood

city has been platted by a fire in- the timber notwithstanding the deep night, biting winds drove mercury spector and there is hope that the snow in the cutting and getting wood to subzero levels in many places, fire insurance rate will be material- ready for the consumer. He has some weather bureau officials at Lincoln ly lowered. The citizens of Murdock fifty large truck loads ready for de- recording a low of zero at 6 a. m have reason to be pleased that these livery and also is offering two large Friday. The season's low for Lincoln things have occurred to bring about truck loads for the poor of Omaha, vicinity is 3 below. By 1 p. m. Frithe reduced rates which are expect- only awaiting for some one to come day mercury had risen 16 degrees,

warming of the poor of that city. Enjoyed a Fine Meeting The Young Married Folks classes

Had a Good Sale On last Tuesday at the home of W. O. Schewe, and who has taught some four miles east of Greenwood, Mesdames Henry A. Tool and Chris the class successfully for the past was held a sale for the disposing of pke were at Elmwood on last Wed- eight years and had asked for a what surplus farming machinery he ending the meeting of the Eastern one of the very live classes of the where the farming will be different ar kensington, which was held at Bible school, held a business and and where he will mostly engage in many places. home of Mrs. Dr. Liston, and social session at the Murdock school the cattle business. While the scar-

oyster supper with all the trim- business session and also a social the goods going at very fair prices. western Nebraska at noon and very that her boys would kill themselves Harry, Jennings and Paul, were just in the chase. little wind, so no drifting is antias at the Modern Woodman hall session with games and also they tesday evening. About thirty were had something to eat, which was Church Holds Official Meeting cipated. The members and officers of the No. 81 is open, with no drifting sent in spite of the drifting snow also greatly enjoyed. wo churches, the one at Murdock at Norfolk and very little snow north nd near blizzard and all report a and the other which is known as of Columbus. It is good thru Kansas. cod time. The chomical engine was **Baby Girl Blesses Home** One of the homes of Murdock the Louisville church northeast of No 77 is open from Sioux City to then demonstrated that more might learn how to use it. Mrs. Wm. Meyers, who has been staying for some time at the home of the blue-eyed baby girl, which came was blessed last Sunday by the ar-inval via me'stork route of a very fine blue-eyed baby girl, which came Murdock church on Wednesday af-the fine blue of the blu her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Mc- with a smlie and a cherry greeting ternoon of last week, where they west to Sterling and Denver. This Donald, since her return from the to the parents, and who is promis- looked after the business matters of road is also marked No. 6. No. 20 is fair in eastern Nebraska. hospital, with her improvement not ing a very happy benediction to the both churches. They employ the and open entire distance. No. 75 is open for traffic, also No.

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MURDOCK LADY MARRIED

Announcements have been received by friends of the recent marriage of Jess N Backemeyer to Miss Marie Jane Ostblom, which took place on Dec. 22, 1932, at Seward, Nebraska. This was a great surprise to many of their friends as they were not aware of the fact until announcements had been received. Mr. Backemeyer is the second son of Mr. F. W. Backemeyer. He is a graduate of the Elmwood high school and attended school at Napedville, Ill., and Peru Normal and took a course in chemistry at the State University, and is now a Chemist doing work along this line at several places in the state recently. The bride is a daughter of Mr. John Ostblom of Murdock, Nebr. They will make their home at Lincoln, Nebraska.

The friends of the newly weds extend to them their heartiest congraulations for a long, happy and pros-perous wedded life.-Leader-Echo.

Most Highways in State are Now **Open to Traffic**

Thursday Night-Low Temperatures Prevail.

In most sections of the state Fricellent gentleman will be given in day low temperatures and an abundance of snow remained to warn persons that winter still prevailed. Althe little precipitation was recorded Melvin Buskirk has been busy in thruout the storm area Thursday and get it, or for some one here to with indications of rising temperoffer to take same to Omaha for the atures continuing Saturday. The low Friday night is set at 10 above.

Reports from the Lincoln Automobile club touring bureau indicate that the main highways are practi-

snow reported, and with any wind it

would drift in again. Oxford west,

No. 11 and No. 12, Grand Island

No. 16 is drifted in places but

weather forecast was clear thruout

the state Friday morning, and no

wind, so further drifting isn't anti-

cipated. Roads are open across Iowa,

into Chicago. Roads are open south

No. 4 is open to Bruning.

No. 8 is open for travel.

to St. Paul, and to Ord, open.

No. 15 is open.

Sons' Suicide Realized Mother's Wish Choice of Death Before Capture Probably Only Decision in Lives of Young Brothers, Slavers of Six Officers, Approved by Mother. MRS ALBER CONLEY and VENITA YOUNG

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HARRY YOUNG PAUL YOUNG WHERE SIX OFFICERS WERE SLAIN MRS W.H. YOUNG

Trapped in a house at Houston, Texas, Harry and Jennings Young, slayers of six law officers at Springfield, Mo., put an end to their own lives before they would submit to capture. Thus they inadvertently committed the only act of their notorious career of which their mother approved. Mrs. W. H. Young, mother of the desperadoes, stated when questioned by police that she prayed her boys would commit suicide before they'd allow the law to exact the penalty for their crimes. Mrs. Young had eight children, four of whom were boys. Of the four, only one, Oscar, stuck to the straight and narrow path. The other three, Harry, Paul and Jennings, embarked at an early age upon a carcer of lawlessness and soon ac-guired prison records. The gun battle at the Young farm in Springfield, Mo., was the climax of their career. It resulted from an attempt by a posse to arrest Harry, wanted for a murder committed two years ago. The cold-blooded killing of six officers of the posse aroused the State and the Nation. More than 10,000 police, deputies, special officers and volunteers aided in hunting the killers. But women members of the Young family, Vineta and Mrs. Alber Conley, sisters of the killers, freely predicted that their brothers would never be taken alive. The mother said she hoped they wouldn't.

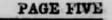
Houston, Texas-What is probably [as calloused murderers? Or who could [automobile accident and inadvertentcally open, and in fair condition in eraoon visit was had. Mesdames and whose assistant teacher is Mrs. George Tonac, who has been residing places. Heavy snows, thawing, freez- the strangest wish ever made by a see in those tiny lots desperadoes ly betrayed the fact that their wanted ing have caused the roads east thru mother regarding her offspring was whose deeds rival the worst ever per- brother was at the farm.

Iowa to become slippery, but pass- realized in dramatic manner when petrated by the notorious Jesse James What happened when the posse able with chains. Edgar, Superior, Harry Young and his brother, Jen- gang, the Daltons or the Youngers, surrounded the house to arrest him day afternoon, where they were year's vacation, and which class is had, as he is to move to near Gordon. Red Cloud report east and west roads nings, slayers of six peace officers in bad men in the real sense of the word is history. Harry and his two broin those vicinities still drifted in Springfield. Mo., committed suicide, whose depredations are still a by- there opened fire, killing six of the preferring death to capture. word?

No. 30 across Nebraska is open The mother, Mrs. W. H. Young, Mrs. Young had eight children al- Their escape to Texas was nothing ere the ladies report a very pleas- on last Tuesday evening at which city of money is felt very keenly, for traffic entirely, and in good con- who was held for questioning after together. Four were boys, Of that short of miraculous, considering the time they had a very fine program Henry A. Tool, who was the clerk at dition. excepting for a few rough the terrific gun battle at her farm-The Murdock firemen were served and a very fine time. They had their the sale, reports a very good sale and spots. No snows were reported in house, voiced the wish to authorities and narrow path. The other three, cial officers and volunteers who aided

officers and wounding three others.

contact with the wrong side of the of their criminal trail so quickly proves that the days of the Jesse will seem strange to mothers of more | Maybe they had that mental kink Jameses and Daltons are over. No world, she never ceases to regard her quire prison records and an unwhole- net justice had spread for them. Their suicide was the last desper-The climax of their career of law- ate act of trapped rats that knew lessness, which finally rung down that the hand of the law was ap-No. 2. Nebraska City to Lincoln, mother's mind, the picture of her the gun battle at the Young farm- proaching inexorably to exact retribution for their bloddy lawlessness.



being as rapid as hoped for, departed home and the fond parents. The same pastor for the both churches. on last Wednesday morning for her advent of a baby into a home is an home near Ashland, in order that she important event and one which might be nearer the family physi- changes the entire life of the home cian.

little one may be a blessing to the count of the passing of their father. Miss Martha Forbery, of Clay Center, Kansas, was a visitor in Murdock parents and a consolation for them and the vicinity for a number of in the years to come is the wish of since and at whose funeral they were by the merest accident. His mother by the merest accident. His mother by the the merest accident. weeks and while here was a guest at all their friends.

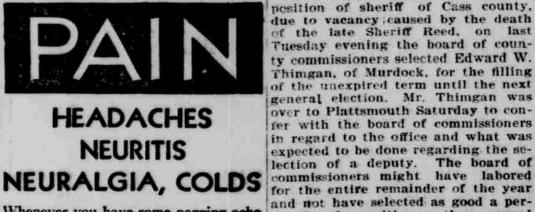
the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bor-Making Good Improvement nemeler. Miss Martha is teaching at Clay Center. Ralph Bornemeier took Mrs. W. E. Newkirk, mother of the young teacher home and was ex- Mrs. Dr. L. D. Lee, is reported as Some new equipment has been seand snow blocking the roads, he was unable to get home until Thursday of last week.

her hed . It is expected that ere ated from the office of the Lincoln

Murdock Man Beceives Appointment

With forty-two applicants for the

Hustling on the County Roads Louis Schmidt, who is supervisor ed and she will then after a time tended as a correct time signal, but of the roads about Murdoc,k has be able to be allowed to leave the as a test to insure the siren is in been more than busy getting about bed and be up again. Her many working order at all times. over the roads of this portion of the friends are pleased that she is thus county with the large grader, get- far progressing and that she will calling the telephone company office ting them opened up and in condi- soon be able to be up again. tion that they can be traveled and



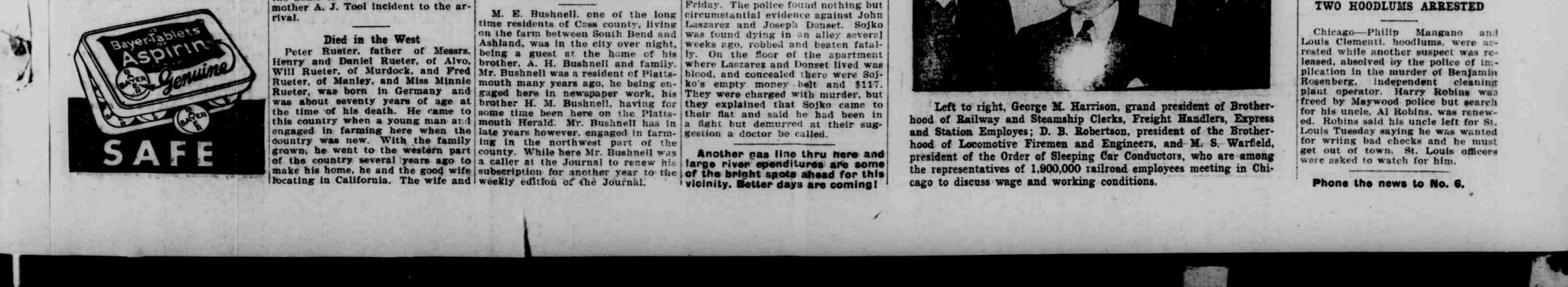
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Aspirin is the trade-mark of Bayer manufacture of monoaceticacidester of salicylicacid.



Home from the West

73 south to Kansas City. Messrs. Henry and Will Rueter. is open but fair. No. 24, East O, is children which she treasures there house near Springfield, Mo. and always for the better. That the who were called to the west on ac- open for traffic.

day of last week. Notice

spots.

leans.

pecting to get back home on Tuesday showing good progress and while cured by the Murdock Fire departof last week, but on account of the se- she has as yet to remain in her bed ment. Included in this is an electric a portion of the cast which has kept fire siren. This siren will be soundin place the fractured bone has been ed daily except Sunday at approxiremoved and the patient is kept to mately 12 o'clock noon. It is oper-

long the entire cast will be remov- Telephone company and is not in-Fire alarms may be turned in by or from the fire house.

Respectfully, THE VILLAGE BOARD.

BUY NEW APPARATUS

due to vacancy caused by the death of the late Sheriff Reed, on last The board of trustees of the vil-Tuesday evening the board of coun-

expected to be done regarding the se-lection of a deputy. The board of commissioners might have labored descructive fires in the future every precaution demon in the future every precaution demon in the future every precaution demon for the fire demon in the future every precaution demon in the future every precaution demon for the fire demon in the future every precaution demon for the fire demon for the future every precaution demon for the fire demon for the fi for the entire remainder of the year has been exercised. Among the other frigid weather persisted, the therand not have selected as good a per- equipment has been the installation mometer registering as low as 27 deson for the position as they secured of an electric siren which can be at this time. Mr. Thimgan is a man sounded from the telephone exchange 18 above. well qualified for the position he has by pressing a button. As their no-

to enforce the law impartially, every- the paper tells, this siren will be one should be satisfied. Mr. Thimgan sounded at about the noon hour every as selected Rae Becker, of Union, week day, and will tell about the

for deputy, an excellent man for the time of day being about noon, but not to the second. The idea is for about noon it is not for a call for a inch moisture. fire but any other time it is for a call and it will be sounded at that time

rather than allow the law to exact naturally bad and soon came into The fact that they reached the end its penalty for their crimes. Mrs. Young's remarkable attitude law.

worthy children. A woman's mater- that makes crimes such as those per- longer can a desperado just jump nal instinct is to protect her child, petrated by such celebrated outlaws on a horse and gallop off laughing at to the last ditch and even though the as the Jamezes seem epics of gallan- the law. The Young boys utilized world may point an accusing finger try. But whatever the reason, the autos for their get-away, but they at the being, she brought into the three Youngs didn't take long to ac- could not escape the meshes of the

some contempt for law and order. boy as a baby. One finds it hard to imagine the Young killers as babies, but if on" were privileged to look inside their the curtain on their activities, was

would doubtless be as they were when Harry, sought for a murder he

Broken Bow, is open but rough in blood on the history of their state Conley, were questioned regarding an the stamp of maternal approval. No. 3 is fair to go to Hebron, open,

but drifted in places west, should be open again soon. Eight inches of Shouse Scans Scene of 1932

should be open for travel soon. The Stadium at Chicago Seats Thirty Thousand-Additional Space Is Available

Chicago-Arrival in Chicago this section. into Kansas City, and on to New Or- week of Mr. Jouett-Shouse, executive director of the Democratic National elevated lines, by boulevards on The Burlington reported temper- Committee, to look over the Chicago which bus lines run and by several

atures on the Lincoln and Omaha di- Stadium, focuses attention on the street car lines. visions ranging from 4 below to 5 scene of the Republican as well as lage of Murdock recently added to above and on the Wymore division, the Democratic National Convention ber of leading sportsmen of this city, refrigerating plant, costing more ty commissioners selected Edward W. the fire department equipment and from 4 to 16 degrees. Snow for the next summer. They will meet in an organized by Mr. P. J. (Paddy) Har- t han \$100,000, installed to make ice Thingan, of Murdock, for the filling of the unexpired term until the next of the unexpired term until the next section Mr Thingan was of the unexpired term until the next general election. Mr. Thimgan was over to Plattsmouth Saturday to con-fer with the board of commissioners in regard to the office and what was in regard to the office and what was

Rail Labor Leaders



In the light of what their mother No. 2 west has many one way they first began to utter baby words. was suspected of having committed had hoped, their self-destruction may in attendance, returned home Tues- open Friday. No. 2 continuing to would one day write their names in and sisters. Vineta and Mrs. Alber brief but hectic careers that carried

> dium has a basement said to be equi- The chief activity throughout the valent to a city block in floor space, winter is professional ice hockey, two where committee offices may be es- leagues having a total of some 40 or tablished and press facilities set up 50 engagements. As many as 19,000, It also has office space on three floors a world's record crowd for hockey, in the four corners of the building. have been seated on several occain adidtion many of the corridors, sions. The Stadium has seated as **Conventions** in addition many of the corridors, stons. The Stadium has seated as which sweep wide in places, can be many as 25,000, which exceeds the sliced off if needed for special pur- capacity of Madison Square Garden poses. The building is square and in New York, for sporting events. One feature of the equipment the arena is oval.

This amphitheater is located on which may attract attention is the Madison Street, the north and south great pipe organ. The huge open meridian of the city, 18 blocks west sound chambers are built into and of the center of the city's business suspended from the steel trusses of the high vaulted roof.

"The full volume of the organ," It is served from the "Loop" by says a statement, "is equal to 25 brass bands of 100 instruments each, or a total of 2500 orchestral pieces." The Stadium is able to "manu-

The stadium was built by a num- facture" its weather because of the

been called an achievement by acoustic engineers, it is declared. The management asserts that the loudspeaking system is audible in every look and corner, and is so constructed that the speaking point or points can be located where desired.

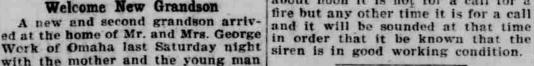
The seating capacity was recently increased by the construction of steel portable platforms, which raise many of the temporary seats which were formerly "on the flat."

This flat area contains 30,923 square feet. Surrounding this is a 12-foct brick wall from which rises a great ban kof permanent mezzanine seats numbering 7676. There are two upper balconies, the first con-taining 3178 permanent seats and the second 3518.

TWO HOODLUMS ARRESTED

with the mother and the young man

the home of Grandfather and Grand-



doing nicely. There is added joy at

OLD RESIDENT HERE

grees below and climbing as high as Boeing Air Transport officials been chosen to fill and as he expects tice, which appears in this issue of stated that all mail planes were flying along the line Friday from Chicago west.

North Platte reported a temperature of 4 above. Omaha 6 above with all to know when the siren is sounded Sioux City, 2 degrees and .38 of an .64 of an inch precipitation, and

SUSPECTS ARE RELEASED

Chicago-Two men suspected of the murder of Felix Sojko, farmer from Page, Neb., were discharged Friday. The police found nothing but