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Henry Heisenman has been assisting on the farm of Martin Borneimer for some time past.

L. B. McDonald and L. B. Goerth were looking after some business matters in Lincoln last Saturday.

O. E. McDonald and wife were visiting in Murray and Plattsmouth on last Tuesday, driving over in their auto.

Wm. Bourke shipped a car of hogs to the South Omaha market last week, the same going via the Rock Island line.

E. W. Thimgan was looking after some business matters in Weeping Water last Monday, making the trip in his auto.

Bud Amgwert was a visitor in Lincoln for the day last Tuesday, being called there to look after some business matters for the day.

A. H. Ward, J. A. Bauer and W. O. Gillespie have been improving their homes by the setting out of shade and ornamental trees.

Misses Elsie Borneimer and Edith Bouton were visiting with friends at Omaha for a few days last week, making the trip via the train.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gurr, who have been so sick at their home in Murdock for the past few weeks, are both reported as being some better.

Mrs. H. A. Tool has been suffering with a badly sprained ankle for the past few days, but which is reported as getting better very rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wiseman of near Avoca with their little one, were visiting last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Norton.

Ed Gullstorf is having constructed on his farm north of town a new and commodious machine shed for a work shop and the storage of his machinery.

H. H. Lawton has been doing some work at the home of Fred Crites on the house which is owned by Mr. August Ruge, putting it in better condition.

Wm. Lau, Jr. has become the owner of a new Ford coupe which he is the very proud owner, and sure is a dandy, and will no doubt give him good service.

Gust Wendt shelled and delivered his last year's crop of corn to the Weddell elevator in Murdock, getting around the seventy cent mark for the product.

C. A. Farris, of Fairbury, who has charge of the scales for the Rock Island railway for this division, was in Murdock a few days ago looking over the track scale here.

James Scott and family of Lincoln were visiting last Tuesday for the

day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Craig, driving over from the capital city in their auto.

Mrs. Jacob Goehry, of Lincoln, has been visiting for a short time at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. Goetz and son Ed Gullstorf, at their farm home northeast of Murdock.

J. G. Scheel is fixing up the home which he purchased in Murdock and will soon move to the city to make his home, while his son John will farm the home place.

Mrs. Milo Buskirk arrived in Murdock from their former home at Scottsbluff and will make their home here in the future, Mr. Buskirk being employed in the Landholm garage here.

Bert Reed, of Weeping Water was looking after some matters and visiting with friends in Murdock last Thursday and was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Norton while here.

R. D. O'Brien from east of Cedar Creek was over to Murdock and purchased a set of the excellent harness which is being put up by Mr. A. J. Tool, and of which he is making a large number.

Louis Hornbeck, Charles Schaffer and Dr. A. R. Hornbeck were attending the meeting of the Tangier Shrine at Omaha during the past week, when a large class crossed the burning sands of the desert.

Henry A. Tool of the Bank of Murdock and Mr. Wm. Neilson were looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth last Wednesday, making their trip to the county seat in the auto of Mr. Neilson.

Messrs. J. A. Bauer, Eddie Craig, Harry Gillespie, I. G. Hornbeck and Lacey McDonald were trying out the fishing last Sunday and while they found the sport fine they did not secure many of the sparklers.

Mrs. Mary Bullis, of Weeping Water, a cousin of Mrs. J. E. McHugh, was a guest at the McHugh home in Murdock for a few days during the past week, also visiting at the home of George Towle in Lincoln.

Max Dusterhoff celebrated the passing of his fortieth birthday anniversary last Wednesday and feels like remembering the passing of the time as the refer each year. However, he with his friends, had a most excellent time.

Fred Towle purchased a Ford Coupe a few days since from the Ford agency at Weeping Water and is now prepared to ride in comfort. Just who will share the most of the rides in this new car, no one other than Fred can say at this time.

H. W. Tool who is a member of the Tangier Temple Shrine band of Omaha, was in the metropolis during the spring convocation of the Shriners there and enjoyed the initiation and other features as well as helped to furnish the splendid music.

Miss Jessie Melvin, whose health has not been the best for some time, has given up for the present the work at the postoffice and the care of it has reverted to her brother, Mr. Frank Melvin, who is really the postmaster, and who is taking care of the work for the present.

Dr. A. C. Blattspeier, wife and their children, of Tobias, who have been at Omaha for the past few days, stopped on their return home last Thursday for a short time with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Gillespie, taking din-

ner with this estimable couple and then continuing their way to their home in Tobias.

Mrs. H. S. Tool, of Reed Point, Montana, was a visitor for the week at the home of W. Tool and A. J. Tool of Murdock, Fred H. Gorder of Weeping Water and F. M. McKinnon of Alvo. Accompanied by A. J. Tool and wife they spent last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon.

Andrew Stohiman, the fruit tree man, was in Murdock last Thursday, making delivery of the orders which he has sold during the fall and winter, and which will go to make the homes in and near this place more valuable by reason of this added fruit producing trees to the numerous places here.

Clarence Ohm, while harrowing at the farm had the misfortune to receive a very severe cut on his right leg near the ankle with the sharp tooth of the harrow which he was using. Mr. Ohm and wife, immediately came to town and had the wound dressed by Dr. A. R. Hornbeck and which is doing nicely at this time.

Wm. Gehrts and wife, who have been sojourning in California for the past winter are expected home any time from the night trains and will again take up his business of furnishing farming implements for those needing the same. Mr. Gehrts is a veteran implement man and knows the business from A to Z and gives the best service possible.

Some time since while the roads were not very good, John Paulson and E. W. Thimgan, who is the Ford representative in Murdock, went to Omaha, where Mr. Paulson purchased through Mr. Thimgan a new Ford roadster which he brought home after the roads had gotten better.

Mr. Paulson is very well pleased with the new wagon and will make excellent use of it.

While shelling corn last week at the home of Gust Wendt, Mr. W. H. Rush had the misfortune to have a casting shovelled into his eye, which stripped one section of the cornea out of the shell. However, Mr. Rush, who generally is prepared for an emergency, had another along and had the break soon mended and the sheller humming away on the remainder of the crib of corn.

Mrs. John Gakemeier, who has been in the west for the past six weeks, staying on the ranch near Dunning, where Mr. Gakemeier has large land and cattle interests, returned home last Wednesday, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss Magdalena Gakemeier, with her auto. Mrs. Gakemeier will remain here for a short time awaiting advice from her husband as to whether to have the household goods moved to the ranch or maintain them here.

Howard J. Fitch, of Elmwood, who has been sinking a well on the lots which Mr. L. B. Goerth purchased for his new home. Mr. Goerth has the cellar for the new home about excavated and ready for the wall of same, and foundation of the house.

Also has been planting some trees for the beautifying of the new home and when the building has been moved into and everything gotten in shape it will make a very beautiful addition to the beautiful homes of Murdock.

Mrs. H. A. Guthman was at Omaha last week and visited with Mr. Guthman, who is making very satisfactory progress at the home of friends there and with the progress which he is making is hoping that he may be able to return home in a short time, but will have to make frequent trips to Omaha, as he is still under the care of the specialist. The many friends of Mr. Guthman, who is held in high repute, are hoping the time will soon arrive when he shall be entirely well again.

NO FEDERAL TAX LAW REVISION FOR ANOTHER YEAR

This is Dictum of Senator Smoot After Conference with President in Answer to Mellon.

Washington, April 11.—Belief that it would be inexpedient for congress at its next session to undertake revision of the federal tax laws was expressed by Senator Smoot, republican, Utah, who is in line for the chairmanship of the senate finance committee, after a discussion today of tax problems with President Harding.

The opinion expressed by Senator Smoot followed closely upon a statement made by Secretary Mellon forecasting that the treasury might renew its endeavors to decrease the surtax rate from the present 50 per cent to 25 per cent, and also the statement made at the white house yesterday that President Harding in event of a revision of taxes would prefer a reduction all along the line.

Senator Smoot said he subscribed fully to the president's view that if any reduction were made it should be applied to all federal taxes, but added that revision at the next session of congress must necessarily be based on guess work. He pointed out that not until after the payment of the June installment of income and other federal taxes would it be possible to estimate in any way the excess of government receipts over expenditures and added that even then it would be a mere estimate.

Present tax laws, in the opinion of Senator Smoot, are working satisfactorily and unless grievous faults are found, he said he personally would prefer to await at least a year before undertaking any revision.

Revision of the federal tax system always affects business and lends uncertainty to the state of the business world, the Utah senator said, adding that he thought American business was entitled to proceed for a period at least without the disturbing elements which arise from tinkering with the tax laws.

The village of Union last week was the victim of two partially successful robberies, following the discontinuance of the night police, and has quickly returned to the employment of the night man.

At the rate of pay allowed in the past, the cost for this service would amount to about seven per cent of the total taxes levied—or in other words, if one pays ten dollars taxes, he would get back ten cents of this would go to help pay the salary of the nightwatchman.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY FRIDAY

Fifty years ago yesterday—April 13, 1873—George Towle was united in marriage with Miss Mary Cavey, at Plattsmouth, the wedding being solemnized according to the beautiful ritual of the Catholic church, with Rev. Father Carney officiating. During the half century which has elapsed since then, many events of great magnitude have taken place, and there has been no time in the history of the world when greater changes have taken place.

For many years this couple lived the happy farm life near Wabash, but for a number of years past have made their home in Lincoln. To them were born during the years a family who gathered at the parental home in the celebration of the golden wedding anniversary of this estimable couple.

The celebration was in the nature of a family reunion and there were present the children and their families from widely separated sections of the country. They include Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McHugh and family, of Murdock; Fred Towle, of Wabash; Art Towle and family, of South Bend; Miss Rhena Towle, of Lincoln; Henry and Walter Towle, of Plattsmouth; George Towle, Jr., of Weeping Water, and Mr. and Mrs. Hill of Denver.

Due to the fact that the health of Mrs. Towle, Sr. has not been the best of late, a more elaborate celebration of the event was withheld, although it is doubtful if the happy parents could have enjoyed the occasion any more than they did surrounded by their children who did everything to make the day one of pleasure for them—and succeeded well in their efforts.

Machinery and Stock for Sale

I have the following machinery and stock for sale: One P. & O. nearly new Hyster, used in listing 160 acres; one truck wagon with grain box, one team horses, weight 2,800 lbs., one set heavy Concord harness, one good milk cow to be fresh in June.

L. B. GOERTHY, Murdock, Nebr.

Will Do Trucking Also

Gordon Block, the new proprietor of the West Side market will also engage in the trucking business, well as has purchased him a truck from an Omaha party and is prepared to look after hauling to and from Omaha and Lincoln as well as other trucking in this line elsewhere.

Made a Good Record

Charles Long has one hen which has made an exceptional good record of late in laying. This fowl, which is a single combed Rhode Island Red, has laid 43 eggs in 48 days, making most of the time a run of an egg a day for nine days and then would miss a day, but the best was an egg a day for ten consecutive days. However, this is an excellent fowl.

Played Basket Ball in Omaha

The Murdock town team of young lady basket ball players, who are members of the Mid West Basket Ball association, were in Omaha on both Friday and Saturday, playing with the teams from the east, and making an excellent record for this town. Those comprising the team from Murdock are Misses Eleanor, Martha and Magdalena Gakemeier, Miss Edie and Elsie Deickman, Henrietta Bauer and Hildegard Baumgartner.

Held Interesting Session

The ladies of the Royal Neighbors of America Kensington held a most interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Goerth, a large number of the ladies of this organization being in attendance, and a most interesting

AIRPLANE CARRIES FOOD TO AUTOISTS CAUGHT IN SWAMP

Members of Motor Party Marooned in Everglades Worn Out by Nine Days of Horror.

Miami, Fla., April 13.—All members of the Everglades motor party from Fort Myers, Fla., are safe but worn out and emaciated by their "nine days of horror," and never will attempt to cross Florida's swamps until a hard surfaced highway is constructed.

The information that they were well, was obtained by Capt. W. H. Carr, piloting a giant bombing plane owned by the Coral Gables Real Estate corporation, who landed near their camp and carried several sacks of food.

Completely Out of Food

"When I hit the ground, after attempting to land for almost an hour, I was met by several members of the party," said Carr. "You see, I had sighted their camp and they saw me and plowed through to where I was trying to drop. They certainly did look terrible. All mud and dirt. Their clothes were worn to shreds. Every one was suffering with mosquito bites, redbug punctures, cuts, bruises and blistered skin. They were completely out of provisions and tobacco."

"When they saw me hauling out the sacks, they started on the run toward the ship and sat down. Eight when I had laid them and started to open cans of tomatoes. Rain clouds and a stiff breeze were coming up and I stayed as long as possible. They were too intent on eating at first to talk," asserted Carr.

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DISCLOSURES ON A BIG SCALE ARE ANTICIPATED

Dishonesty Apparent in Veteran Bureau Affairs—Senate to Begin Investigation Soon.

Washington, April 11.—Disclosure of "dishonesty on pretty big scale here and there" in the past handling of veterans' bureau affairs, was predicted today by Major General John F. O'Ryan, special counsel of the senate investigating committee, who said he based his statement on a preliminary survey.

However, he declared, he was impressed with the conscientious efforts made in many directions to carry out the purpose for which the bureau was created. Many of the difficulties encountered which brought about adverse criticism, he said, probably will be traced to incompetence of unpaid employees entrusted with the expenditure of the vast sums of money.

General O'Ryan expects the committee to begin hearings next week. Complaints reaching the committee counsel cover most of the activities of the bureau, but the principal ones, General O'Ryan said, are those charging "graft in the purchase of hospital sites, and those from former service men who either have not received compensation from the bureau or who are receiving some but think they are not getting a square deal."

Wherever a clear case of injustice is shown, General O'Ryan forwards the complaint to Director Hines for action and in this way many faults are being corrected.

Complaints from individuals, the committee attorney said, have been divided into three groups:

Complaints Arranged in Groups

Those of complainants having no case; "ordinary" cases resulting from an honest difference of medical opinion, and those cases where the beneficiary lives in a remote locality, papers have been lost, compensation checks have gone astray, or maladministration is apparent.

To aid him in the sifting and investigating process, General O'Ryan said he had asked and was receiving the co-operation of the bar associations in every state. Lawyers are being designated by these organizations who have no connections that would inject politics into the investigation. If acceptable to the committee's council they are then charged with

TALK OF POSSIBLE LEAGUE ENTRY

Republicans Have Deem to the Proper Thing to Do.

Washington, April 12.—Possibility of eventual American membership in the league of nations is being seriously considered by officials of the Harding administration, a member of the cabinet stated today. The question is being studied upon this basis:

1—Should the United States join the league in carrying out the administration's pledge to take definite steps, in association with other nations, to prevent war?

If so, upon what terms should the league be entered?

These administration officials, who say they are looking far ahead take the position:

That the proposal to enter the world court of the league is only a partial step toward war prevention. That as the administration is pledged to seek war prevention, any opportunity to carry out that pledge should be seized.

That it is obvious that the league covenant would have to be materially changed before American membership could be considered.

The changes regarded as essential would include:

Separation of the league covenant from the Versailles treaty.

Elimination of the underlying idea of force as the "motive power" of the league. This would include abrogation or amendment of article X.

HAROLD LLOYD TO BRING BRIDE TO EARLY HOME IN NEBRASKA

Pawnee City, Neb., April 13.—According to plans outlined by the movie comedian, Harold Lloyd, he will soon come east with his bride for a visit at his old home in Nebraska. He will visit the place of his birth at Burchard and come to Pawnee City to see the town in which he grew to young manhood. Both the house in which he was born and the one in which he lived while here are now standing. He has never been back since becoming famous. Pawnee City will put on gala attire and play the host to a returning son at that time, plans being sketched for the occasion now. Many of Lloyd's boyhood friends are still here, and some close relatives.

CONCERT COMING

J. W. Blind Boone Concert Co. will be at Christian Church the 15th and 19th of April. There will be no tickets sold at the door. The tickets will be on sale at Morgan's Sweet Shop starting Saturday. Adults, 50c and children 35c.

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JAKE is a jet black, stands 15 hands high, is five years old and will weigh 900 lbs. He is registered in the Standard Registry of America, No. 19683. He is sired by English Boy, No. 3731; his dam is Emma Hoard, 18109. He is an excellent foal getter.

FREDERICK is a dark bay stallion, 16 hands high and weighs 1840 lbs. His registry number is 21312.

These two jacks and horse will make the season of 1923 at my home on the old Keel farm, just south of the Union school house, every day in the week except Sunday. Terms will be \$10 for both jacks and horse to insure colt to stand and suck. When parties dispose of mares or remove from locality, service fee becomes due and must be paid immediately. All care will be taken to prevent accidents, but owner will not be held responsible should any occur.

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