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Frank Buell was shelling and delivering corn to the Murdock elevator on Wednesday of last week. Shelby Bridgeman and family were visiting at Fullerton for the week last week where they were the guests of relatives and friends.

Frank Hart and wife of Red Oak were enjoying a visit in Murdock last week, they being guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Scheel while here.

Wm. Blum of near South Bend was a visitor in Murdock and was looking after some business matters and meeting his many friends here on last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Reinke were enjoying a visit for a short time at Louisville on Wednesday morning of last week, they driving over to the cement town in their car.

Albert Dower and wife accompanied by Fanchion and Pauline Robinson were enjoying a visit last Sunday at Louisville where they were the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Twiss.

H. L. Fisher and family of Chadron were visiting in Murdock for over the week end, and were guests while here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool, Mrs. Fisher being a sister of Mrs. Tool. A most enjoyable visit was had.

Harry Gillespie and wife of North Loup were in Murdock for the family reunion on last Sunday at the Harry McDonald home. Harry Gillespie departing for his work at North Loup, while Mrs. Gillespie remained for a longer visit.

John Ostblom, Henry Carsens and John Krueger were over to Lincoln last Sunday where they were attending the ball game, but they think after having gotten home they would enjoy the kid ball game which Murdock provides just as well.

Gust Wendt has added to his equipment for the farm a new Buick car which will serve the family very nicely as means of transportation and sure will give the very best of service. Mr. Wendt is fortunate in the selection of a car for he could not have been pleased better.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Tool gave a reception of the newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eastman of Stirling, Colorado, and on last Sunday her brother, Lacey McDonald, and wife entertained for the newly wedded pair on Friday and the parents Harry V. Donald entertained on Saturday.

H. W. Tool was responsible for the excellent attendance at the Alumni Banquet which was held at the Murdock school on last Saturday evening. Besides the members of the alumni, who were present there were the members of the graduating class of 1929 for this year. A very enjoyable time was had and much eats.

Mrs. George W. McGuire of Stratton surprised her sisters, Mesdames Henry A. Tool and H. V. McDonald by calling on them for a couple of hours Sunday afternoon, she stopping while enroute to Omaha as she was with her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jones of Stratton, who were going to Omaha to attend the Undertakers convention which was in session at Omaha.

On last Tuesday evening at the Murdock school was held a dinner

and a general good time, when the husbands of the members of the Ladies Aid, and you can call this the Husbands Aid if you so desire, gave an evening and a banquet to the members of the aid, and sure they did have a time, the ladies were fed up so that it looked like they would not want anything more to eat for a week. But say it was well eating and the old boys knew just how to entertain at that.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eastman of Stirling, Colorado, were visiting in Murdock for a while on last week. Mrs. Eastman who was formerly Miss Irene McDonald remaining for a longer visit with the relatives and friends while Mr. Eastman had to return to look after the business and was accompanied by Jerry McHugh Jr., who was going to Denver to spend the summer. On their return to Stirling they driving, Jerry went on to Denver where he will spend the summer with Jess Hill and wife, his uncle and aunt.

Was Wonderful Concert.
The concert that was sponsored by the United States Oil Works of Omaha and Murdock, and which was looked after by A. H. Ward, manager of the business in Murdock, which was given on last Friday evening, was greatly enjoyed by a large crowd of people from Murdock and vicinity. Much credit is due to A. W. Hawkins for the efficient manner in which he has the Weeping Water band, which put on the entertainment working. One of the very pleasing features was the singing of two numbers by Rasmus Lauritzen of Weeping Water and who is a member of the band.

Card of Appreciation.
We wish to acknowledge the very beautiful concert which was given by the Weeping Water band under the efficient management of the leader, A. W. Hawkins and all concerned which contributed so much to the delight of all who were privileged to enjoy the concert. This was for the enjoyment of the people of Murdock and vicinity and we are assured that they enjoyed and we are desirous of extending our thanks to all who in any way contributed to the success of the entertainment. —A. H. Ward and the U. S. Oil Works.

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Miss Irene Weddel Entertains.
On last Sunday, June 1st, Miss Irene Weddel entertained for a number of her girl friends and where all enjoyed a very fine time. The girls all friends and well acquainted were in position for a good time and they had it. There were three for the occasion besides the hostess, Miss Irene Weddel; Isabel Gakemeier, Gruetta Schlapf, Hilda Schmidt, Mary Catherine McHugh, Blanche Eichhoff, Inez Buck and Myrtle Wendt.

Enjoyed Picnic Sunday.
John Bornemeier and family and Louis Bornemeier and family and the family of O. Townsend, all enjoyed a very fine picnic on last Sunday at the Strach grove and there was a very fine dinner of fried chicken and other fine eats and following which they repaired to the home of John Bornemeier and enjoyed another banquet of ice cream and cake.

Visited at Aurora.
L. Neitzel was a visitor at Aurora on last Sunday where he preached some forty-two years ago, and where the church which he preached in was constructed fifty-five years ago. He was pleased to look over the scenes then very familiar but now not many of the people who were there at that time.

Making Improvement.
Henry Jacobson, who is familiarly called Jake, has a new sign which reads "Jake's Garage," and also other signs placed on the windows

calling attention to the fact that he makes a specialty of restoring wrecked cars. He has also installed a 28-ton press for use in the shop.

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Enjoy Family Reunion.
On last Sunday the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. McDonald was one of much merriment as the entire family were home and a most enjoyable gathering was had. This has been the first time for a long while that all have been home at the same time. Mrs. Harry Eastman of Stirling, Colorado, who was formerly Miss Irene McDonald, and husband; Lacey McDonald and family of Murdock; Harry Gillespie and wife of North Loup; Gayle McDonald and family of Hampton; Bryan McDonald with the parents completed the entire family and sure all enjoyed the gathering.

Will Make Trip to West.
Last week W. O. Gillespie and wife and Miss Viola Everett departed in the Kid Wagon, for the northwest and will be away for some time. They will first go to Douglas, Wyoming, where they will visit with a sister of Mr. Gillespie, and from there they go to Billings, Montana, where they will visit at the home of a brother of Mr. Gillespie and from there they go to the Yellowstone park for a season. They are well equipped as the Kid Wagon affords a good place to live enroute and they do not have to stop at a hotel or any place of that kind, not even a garage, for the wagon is a house of itself.

Wedding at Church.
It was our privilege to be present last Sunday at the double wedding of the two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Reinke, Miss Bertha Reinke to Floyd McKee, and Miss Gertrude Reinke to Harold Schliefer.

Under the strains of Mendelssohn wedding march, the brides marched up the main aisle on the arm of father and mother, and were met by the grooms at the altar.

A very timely and forceful address by Rev. G. A. Zoch was delivered to the young couple based on John 2:5. "Whatsoever he saith, do it."

What makes life worthwhile is to have Jesus in the home. No new home should be established where Jesus is not the third party alive, omnipresent, omnipotent, and all-wise, he can give good counsel and advice in the perplexing problems of life. His word is very clear and understandable, and whatsoever He says therein, his followers must do to enjoy His approbation and continued blessings. A large concourse of people were present, who were wishing these worthy young people a long joyous and prosperous journey.

The church was beautifully festooned; the choir rendered a special number, and the occasion will long be remembered by all who were present.

—L. NEITZEL.

Mountains of the Bible
XI A spur of Herman.
Math 17:1 This is the most momentous episode in the life of Jesus. Here was a council held, such as the has never seen or beheld. Matter of the gravest importance was discussed. Jesus with three disciples had ascended this mountain in the late afternoon; Jesus, for the purpose of prayer, by his foreknowledge he expected something unusual to happen, he takes three witnesses with him. Peter, James and John, had been privileged to witness the raising of his daughter, they should be witnesses of his glory, also later witnesses of his bitterest agony.

Jesus talked with the father all night; the disciples are overcome with sleep. Toward dawn God answered his prayer, by glorifying Jesus, his countenance is changed, ever his garments are glistening; two messengers of the Spirit world appear, Moses, who did not see corruption, and Elias, who had such a miraculous departure, the levigiver and a representative of the prophets, came to talk matters over, regarding the demands of the law, and that prophesy must be fulfilled. All in shining raiment and amidst this splendor the dark scene of the crucifixion. After this conference Jesus set his face to go up to Jerusalem and carry out the decree and demands of the law. He has volunteered to redeem the human race and he goes forth, determined to pay the price. Yest "Jesus paid it all." The meeting ends. Moses and Elias are recognized by the three witnesses; a cloud descends, a voice is heard, the father testifies: "This is my beloved Son, hear him"; the disciples fall on their face, some afraid, Moses and Elias go up in the cloud, Jesus touches his disciples, and tells them not to be afraid; they lift up their eyes and behold Jesus only. On the way down, they are cautioned not to tell, even not the other apostles, what they had seen and heard, until after Jesus resurrection.

Let us note a few points: 1. Heaven and earth is interested in man and his welfare. 2. We will recognize and know one another in the other world. 3. If it is so good to be in such good company here, what joy must it be to be with Christ forever. 4. This experience was won-

derful for Jesus, from now on he goes unwavering to the cross, to reconcile God and man; make atonement for man's sin—bring life and immortality to all that believe on his name.

His followers must have such experiences in order to carry them through the conflicts of life—a mountain top experience is very essential for every christian—blessed is the man that has many of them.

L. NEITZEL.

Double Wedding at the Murdock Lutheran Church

Gertrude and Bertha Reinke Become Brides of Harold Schliefer and Floyd McKee.

On Sunday, June 1st, at 4 p. m., at the Murdock Lutheran church, Rev. G. A. Zoch officiating, occurred the double wedding of Miss Gertrude Reinke to Harold Schliefer and of Miss Bertha Reinke to Floyd McKee of Burwell, Nebraska. Because of the prominence of the principals and the double ceremony, the wedding was attended by a large number of relatives and friends.

The brides are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Reinke, of Murdock. The Reinkes formerly lived on a farm about a mile south of South Bend and moved to Murdock last year. The Reinke girls graduated from the Louisville High school. Miss Bertha Reinke has been a teacher at Burwell. The Reinkes are old time residents of Cass county and well known in this community.

Floyd McKee is one of Burwell's prominent young business men. He is manager of an ice plant. Mr. and Mrs. McKee will make their home at Burwell.

Harold Schliefer is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Schliefer of Manly, and will farm the home place five miles southwest of Louisville, the place of which the state recently has been moved to Manly, where they purchased the Peter Vogler home.—Louisville Courier.

State Income Tax Hinted by Weaver if Revenue Fails

Waits Fuller Test of Intangible Levy; Home Owner Burned; Seeks Tax Equality.

Lincoln, Neb., June 4.—A guarded statement that a state income tax is necessary in Nebraska if the present intangible tax fails to produce sufficient revenue was made today by Governor Weaver in a 16-page statement, the second of a series of four he plans in his "complete report on state government."

"I am not a pessimist," says the governor, "but the mounting cost of government in recent years, from the nation to the smallest political subdivision, is alarming to all thoughtful citizens. Taxes which absorb a large part of the income from property amount at least to its partial confiscation.

"The ownership of property must not become a mockery, but must continue to be the traditional assurance and inspiration to the home-builder and the home-owner. The personal rights of the citizen and of his property are the essential foundations of government in this country, and they should not be impaired by the excess weight which dreamers and faddists would add to the super-structure. We have too much government, too many laws, and too many officers."

Seeks Tax Equality.
Through the new intangible tax law, Mr. Weaver says, "much progress" has been made toward taxation on a perfectly equitable basis. He discusses the stormy history of intangible tax legislation in Nebraska and says that he believes that the taxation of all intangibles, except money, at 8 mills is just, as this is the average tax on farm land.

He continues: "What has been the result? We assessed in 1929 Nebraska intangibles to the amount of \$322,932,947, an increase of 150 million dollars over the year before. The revenue from these intangibles amounted to \$1,688,172, as compared with \$1,455,710 (in 1921) when intangibles were taxed at the full tangible rate.

A decrease this year, the governor says, need not imply that the law has failed, but it does indicate the value of stocks might cause such a drop. The law needs public support to succeed, he says.

Mentions State Income Tax.
If the intangible tax law fails, the governor says, "then the alternative is a state tax on income." He continues: "A national or state income tax, based on sound provisions, with reasonable and fair exemptions, represents a sound public policy. In all such laws, however, the taxpayer should be allowed to deduct taxes paid on both tangibles and intangible property. In other words, the taxpayer should have a maximum total for the amount of taxes he is called on to pay, and this is particularly important for the farmers."

Governor Weaver discusses new income which he says has brought

into the state treasury by the intangible tax law and the assessment of public utility franchises.

The total new income thus collected totals \$1,27,043, Mr. Weaver says of which the state received \$291,763.37, the rest going to governmental subdivisions.

Out of this, he says, the city of Omaha got \$98,547.04 additional; the Omaha school district \$102,959.24, and Douglas county, \$49,650.64.

Appropriations for the administrative cost of state government, the governor says, was \$1,944,752.96 exclusive of appropriations for educational, penal and charitable institutions and for construction of the new capitol. Of the amount given, he says, 100 thousand dollars was for capita investment on state aid bridges.

Hopes for Levy Cut.
Unappropriated receipts collected by state officers and paid by them into the state treasury for the use of the general fund totaled \$1,032,625 for 10 months.

To his statement the governor appends a series of tables giving appropriations for various state institutions. The average state levy for 10 years, he says, is 2.936 mills. In 1929 the levy was 2.4 mills and in 1930, the governor estimates, it will be 2.2 mills.

He concludes: "While it is our constant duty to eliminate extravagance, abolish useless agencies and co-ordinate and consolidate others, our real problem is to equalize the burdens of government and to place upon our tax rolls property which unjustly escapes its fair share of the cost of government.

As governor, I have directed my efforts to these ends, and if re-elected will continue to do so."—World-Herald.

MILLIONAIRE GIVEN TERM

Chicago—Thomas Condon, millionaire head of the Condon Industries, Inc., and general telephone utilities company, was sentenced Wednesday to serve six months in jail by Judge Joseph Sabath in Cook county superior court.

Judge Sabath found Condon guilty of "direct contempt" when Condon called his wife's attorney, Benjamin B. Davis, a liar of various degrees and tried to strike him in open court. He was restrained by his own attorney, Milford Olds, and by Bailiff Simon Lewis.

Condon was taken immediately to the Cook county jail, where he was quartered with the "alimony club."

Condon was in court to answer a plea made by his wife, Mrs. Mary D. Condon, for an injunction restraining him from molesting her. The two separated Sept. 24, 1928, after three years of married life and she filed a suit for separate maintenance which was not answered. She is receiving \$600 temporary monthly alimony. Davis had just finished telling of an alleged attack made on Mrs. Condon by her husband in her apartment last Sunday when Condon attacked him.

ELDERLY HIKER DIES

Wilmington, Del.—Mrs. Isabella Tyler, seventy, of Ranger, Tex., who with her ninety-six year old husband hiked 5,500 miles thru the United States and Canada since February, 1929, died of heart disease in a hospital here Wednesday.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.
In the County Court.
In the matter of the estate of Alfred W. White, deceased.
To the creditors of said estate:
You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 7th day of July, 1930, and on the 8th day of October, 1930, at 10 o'clock a. m. each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 7th day of July, A. D. 1930, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 7th day of July, 1930.

CONGRATULATES AMERICAN MASONRY ON 200TH YEAR

London, June 4.—The duke of Connaught, grand master of English Free Masons, today called his congratulations to Masons of the United States "on the eve of the two hundredth anniversary of the first grand lodge recognition of American Free Masonry, by constituting a provincial grand lodge for New England. I wish to congratulate all our brethren in the United States on the great Masonic progress they have made," the message said.

ACTRESS IS GIVEN DIVORCE

Los Angeles—Riza Royce, film actress, was granted a divorce again Wednesday from Josef von Sternberg, movie director. The superior court approved a settlement giving her \$25,000 cash and alimony of \$1,200 monthly for five years. The actress accused her husband of cruelty, starting away from home all night and once with ejecting her from their home. Sternberg denied the charges. Miss Royce divorced the director in 1927, but in 1928 they became reconciled. They were first married in July, 1926.

HONEYMOON IN 14-FOOT SAILING PUNT ON OCEAN

Hamilton, Bermuda, June 4.—Eric Johnson, a local boatman, today decided to take his honeymoon in a 14-foot sailing punt on the Atlantic ocean with his wife, formerly Florence Smith, an American waitress at a hotel here. They left for a destination believed to be New York.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by Golda Noble Beal, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1930, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south front door of the court house in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:
Fractional Lots 1 and 2 and all of Lots 3 and 4, all in Block 22 in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, subject to the mortgage in favor of the Nebraska City Building & Loan Association, not involved in this suit.
The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Ella E. Hale et al, Defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by H. J. Spurway Receiver of the Clarinda National Bank of Clarinda, Iowa, Plaintiff against said Defendants.
Plattsmouth, Nebraska, June 6th, A. D. 1930.

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