

# MURDOCK ITEMS

Henry Tool was an Omaha visitor Friday.

Victor Thimgan drove to Omaha on Saturday.

Miss Euna McHugh was calling on friends at Lincoln Saturday.

Matt and Victor Thimgan made a business trip to Lincoln Tuesday.

H. W. Tool went to Lincoln Thursday evening to practice with the Shrine band.

W. O. Gillespie made a trip to Lincoln last Monday to get repairs for his school bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Elsemann entertained a few friends with a card party Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Friend of near Alve were visiting with their daughter Mrs. Ed Craig and Mr. Craig Friday.

Miss Viola Everett, who has been at Elliott, Iowa, caring for her father for some time, arrived here Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. S. B. MacDiarmid, of Omaha, was a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Neitzel for a number of days during the past week.

Dr. Lee, John Kruger, Charles Leng and Lacey McDonald drove to Lincoln Saturday afternoon to take in the finals of the basketball tournament.

A. H. Ward and the good wife were over to Omaha on both last Wednesday and Friday, being called there to look after some business matters for a short time.

At the school caucus Friday evening the names of Frank Melvin, Chas. Long, Chas. Buell and Oscar Zink were put on the ballot for the election of two, April 5th.

Miss Minnie Klemme, who was to have taken a part in the program of last Thursday evening at the school building was prevented as she was taken ill that evening.

Louis Wendt and mother, Mrs. Gust Wendt and a sister were over to Lincoln on Thursday, where they were looking after some shopping as well as visiting with friends.

J. H. Buck and son, Otto, were called to Lincoln on Thursday of last week, where they were looking after some business matters in line with their blacksmith shop here.

The Washington program was given Tuesday evening, March 15th, to an overcrowded house and was well received, all the children taking part being well trained.

Mrs. Charles Schaefer was a Lincoln visitor Saturday, where she called on her little nephew Donald Rau, who has been seriously ill at the Lincoln General hospital for some time.

Sheriff Ed Thimgan stopped here Thursday en route to the state hospital with a patient. His daughter, Mrs. Bryan McDonald came with him,

having been visiting them several days.

The Rev. H. R. Knosp, who has been suffering for some time with inflammatory rheumatism which kept him in bed for some time, is now much better and is getting along nicely.

Robert Walling, abstractor, and his friend, Judge A. H. Duxbury, both of Plattsmouth, were spending some time last Thursday afternoon in Murdock, looking after business and visiting with their many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Amgwert and their son were over to Omaha on last Sunday, where they were visiting for the day at the home of the mother of Mr. Amgwert, Mrs. L. M. Amgwert and other relatives in the big city.

Fulton Harris, son of the former county commissioner from Union was a visitor in Murdock last Tuesday, coming to visit his friends and to make more, as he is a candidate for the nomination for the position of county surveyor.

The vacant lot between the "Merc" store and that of A. J. Tool was being utilized last Thursday as a practice ground for the great national game of baseball and a goodly crowd of young men were there getting themselves in condition for the coming season.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Timm, Jr., was gladdened on last Thursday morning when a little baby daughter came to their home to stay. The mother and little lady are getting along very nicely and the proud father is whistling as he goes about his work on the farm.

Mrs. George Work and two sons were visiting in Murdock for a number of days last week, guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool. While here, Mrs. Work, with her brother, Douglas Tool, rendered a number on the program which was given at the High school building as a demonstration of the friendship of the city and community to M. S. Briggs, who was the city's guest for the evening.

Lacey McDonald opened the fishing season on Thursday of last week, when he went over to the Platte river with the rod and tackle and sought an acquaintance with the bass, cat fish and other varieties, but found them rather shy as to going for his bait. Later, with the warming up of the weather, Mr. McDonald expects to establish a better acquaintance with the finny tribe and bring home some visible evidence thereof. He is one of our leading nimrods and if anyone can catch them, Lacey can do it. So, here's hoping.

**Business is Good, Says Race**  
Lawrence Race, the garage man, says that business is good and getting better at this time, as he was hardly able to get all the work done which came to his place of business on last Thursday. At the garage of A. H. Jacobson he was also hustling with the added work which is coming his way.

**Grandmother Merckle Poorly**  
Mrs. George Merckle has been quite poorly for some time past and still remains confined to her bed. During the past few days her daughter, Mrs. Henry Koelling, of Ord, has come to assist in the care of the aged patient. The many friends of this excellent woman are hoping that she will soon be in her former good health again.

**Met with Mrs. H. A. Tool**  
The Ladies Aid society of the Murdock Evangelical church met on last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Tool, and first looked after the business coming before them and later enjoyed their customary social hour with good eats which added to the enjoyment of the afternoon. The ladies were loud in their praise of the excellent time their genial hostess had furnished them.

**Visited Sons at Fairbury**  
On last Sunday Uncle John Ostbloom and his friend, Henry Carsten, better known as Slatts, were over to Fairbury, where they went to visit for the day at the home of the sons of Mr. Ostbloom, Messrs. Archer and DeVoe Ostbloom, who had established themselves in business in the market line some time and are doing very nicely. All enjoyed the visit very much.

## Golden Beauty—The Eyes Have It

Lashes of Real Gold to Veil the Languorous Orbs of the Woman Who Would Be Fashionably Beautiful. Lacquered Hair and Painted Toenails Also in Demand.



According to the International Association of Beauty Culturists assembled in convention at New York, the woman of the future who desires to be ultra-fashionable in her make up will wear lashes of gold to veil her slumberous orbs. Though artificial eyelashes are not new, having long been in use on stage and screen, they have never reached the point where they were accepted by the ordinary seeker after beauty. But now it is proposed to introduce them for formal evening wear in silver, gold and platinum, to suit the individual purse. Demonstrated at the convention, the eighteen-carat eyelashes at first produced a weird effect on the beholder—especially if the beholder were a man—but after a while one gets accustomed to milady's facial frills and ceases to marvel at anything but milady's fortitude in her pursuit of beauty. And it is not the eyes alone that have it. Woman's crowning glory, too, is to be subjected to reform. Hair, lacquered in gold and silver, is to top off the evening ensemble of the woman of fashion. And, to go to the other extreme, her toenails, painted to harmonize with her gown, will peer through Gandhi sandals. Thus, it would seem that when the poet of the future verifies about the "desire eyes" and "spun-gold hair" of his lady love, he'll be uttering more truth than poetry.

# Sample Ballot

## Village of Murdock

### April 5, 1932

**For Village Trustee—Two Year Term**

Vote for TWO

JOHN OSTBLOOM

W. J. B. McDONALD

H. J. AMGWERT

W. O. GILLESPIE

**For Village Trustee—To Fill Vacancy**

Vote for ONE

L. D. LEE

JOHN EPPINGS

**For Police Magistrate**

Vote for ONE

H. W. TOOL

# Sample Ballot

## School District C-7

### April 5, 1932

**For Member of School Board—3 Year Term**

Vote for TWO

F. A. MELVIN

O. C. ZINK

C. I. LONG

CHAS. BUELL

**Certificate of Village Treasurer**

I, H. J. Amgwert, Village Clerk, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing "Sample Ballots" are true copies of the official ballots (except for rotation of names, as provided by law) to be voted upon at the Village election and School District C-7 election to be held in Murdock on Tuesday, April 5, 1932.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my signature and affixed my seal this 25th day of March, A. D. 1932.

H. J. AMGWERT  
Village Clerk.

**MURDOCK HONORS THEIR FRIEND**

Appreciating the faithful work of M. S. Briggs, who for the past fourteen years has been the field representative of the Plattsmouth Journal, visiting every week during that time with but two exceptions, the city of Murdock, and at all times putting forth his best efforts to serve the community his level best in that capacity, and being a candidate for the position of County Judge at the coming primary and general election following, the citizens of Murdock and vicinity gave him a "Friendship" meeting by way of demonstrating their best wishes and a desire for his election.

More than two hundred friends were present at the meeting, which was held on Thursday evening of last week and at which a program was rendered, including musical numbers by the High school orchestra, the Callahan orchestra, the Wabash male quartet, and by numerous individuals, readings and addresses. Mr. Briggs responded by expressing his sincere thanks for the splendid demonstration of friendship. The following was the program:

Two selections by High school orchestra.  
Introduction, Rev. H. R. Knosp.  
Address, L. Neitzel.  
Song, Wabash quartet.  
Reading, Evelyn Kuehn.  
Trio, Mrs. Edward Craig, Bernice Miller and Ruth Miller.  
Address, F. D. Parish, principal of Murdock High school.  
Violin solo, Douglas Tool; Kathryn Work, accompanist.  
Two selections by Callahan orchestra.  
Song, Wabash quartet.  
Two selections by High school orchestra.  
Duet, Mrs. A. H. Ward and Mrs. Edna Rikill.  
Violin selection, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jacobsen.  
Address, M. S. Briggs.  
Coronet solo, Charles Long.  
Closing remarks by Rev. H. R. Knosp.  
Closing number, music by Callahan orchestra.

**Accepts Implement Agency**

Mathew Thimgan has accepted the agency of the J. I. Case Implement company and will have on hand in the near future an assortment of farming machinery for the needs of the farming districts.

**Murdock Class Entertained**

On Monday evening, March 15th, Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Knosp entertained the Seniors of the Murdock High school, their sponsor, Superintendent P. T. Johnson and wife and Miss Coleman at a 6:30 dinner in honor of their daughter, Wilma, who is a Senior this year. Following the bountiful dinner various games were played after which the guests departed having enjoyed the evening immensely.

**Hold Quarterly Conference**

The first quarterly conference of the Murdock church was held during the latter portion of last week and over the week end, the district superintendent, the Rev. C. Jannen of Lincoln, being present and delivering a most interesting discourse.

**Gave Pageant Easter Evening**

The Epworth League of the Evangelical church of Murdock gave a most interesting program at the church on Easter evening, which was in the form of a pageant, entitled "He is the Son of God." Many attended and enjoyed the excellent program.

**Young People Meet**

On Friday of last week at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rosenow, was the scene of merriment as forty-four of the members of the E. L. C. E. of the Murdock church met there for a social evening as well as a program which they had prepared and a most pleasant evening was had, with all departing saying that their host and hostess were the very best of entertainers.

**Observed Good Friday**

In line with the custom of many years past in the conduct of the business of his hardware store, L. Neitzel closed the store for Good Friday and remained home for the day, also remarking that business was much better and we also observed that the work at the business place of A. J. Tool was plentiful, for we always find Art hustling and with the added work

it looks like spring and its attendant added work is already here.

**Thought Baby Found**

Louisville, Ky.—Factory whistles were blown here Tuesday night as a signal for the American Legion to assemble for a parade launching its drive against unemployment. Immediately the telephones of newspapers and press services were swamped with calls asking if the Lindbergh baby had been found.

No matter how reminiscent it may fall upon the ear, we are assured that Mr. Spitalo, the New York gangster, never made any all-American football team.

**Words of Appreciation**

We say words of appreciation, for they are rather empty when we use them to express the feelings which we desire for the great demonstration of friendship which was expressed by the more than two hundred of our friends when they gave the friendship program at the Murdock high school auditorium on last Thursday, March 24th, and there manifested their choice for our success.

M. S. BRIGGS.

**Will Turn to Once Rejected Treasury Proposals—Vote was 223 to 153.**

Washington, March 24.—The 600 million dollar sales tax provision of the billion dollar tax increase bill went down to defeat in the house today, buried beneath an avalanche of negative votes. It was stricken from the bill on a division which revealed 153 members for the sales tax and 223 against it. There were 57 members absent.

A bipartisan insurrection against the sales tax during the last week in which both the democratic and republican leadership was repudiated reached its climax in a stormy session of the house ending in a dramatic and unprecedented episode. Representative Charles R. Crisp (dem., Ga.), acting chairman of the ways and means committee, which framed the rejected sales tax, admitted repudiation of house leadership and offered to surrender the further management of the bill to the leaders of the victorious insurgents.

As soon as the tumultuous exultation of the rebel majority that greeted the announcement of the vote was still, Mr. Crisp, looking very grim, made his way to the well of the house asking permission to make a statement. Instantly friends and foes alike arose and stood applauding and cheering the vanquished leader.

**Willing to Quit.**

"What I am about to say is not said in any spirit of pique, or discontent, and with no criticism of any member of this house who voted differently from me on the vote just

had," said Mr. Crisp. "That vote is conclusive.

"I rise to say this, and I say it impelled by a spirit of manliness and of fairness, and I have been turned three or four times on the heart of this bill—the income tax, the normal and the surtax, the estate tax, and now the manufacturers' tax. Under the parliamentary law and rules of this house I have lost the right further to manage the bill. If any member of the opposition desires to take charge I will be only too willing for him to have the right."

"No, no," the insurgents chorused no less generally than the regulars.

**Will Frame Substitute.**

Mr. Crisp then announced that the ways and means committee would meet tomorrow morning to frame a substitute for the sales tax provision and upon his motion, the house adjourned.

With the sales tax beaten the committee intends to turn for alternative taxes to the original treasury proposals which were rejected by the democratic leaders following widespread objection thereto. These proposals include excise taxes on automobiles and accessories, amusements admissions, radio and phonograph equipment, telephone and telegraph messages, checks and drafts, gasoline, domestic consumption of electricity and gas, and also increased tobacco taxes, and increased postage rates.

The votes in favor of the sales tax were cast largely by republicans. Of the 220 democrats not more than 30 or 40, it is estimated, supported the ways and means committee, the Tammany members being conspicuous in the group.—World-Herald.

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attitude in her pursuit of beauty. Of course artificial eyelashes are not new. They have long been in use on stage and screen. In fact, some of our ultra-fashionable beauties have had them in natural shades for street wear. But now it is proposed to introduce them for formal evening wear in silver, gold and platinum to suit the individual purse.

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It must be understood, however, that these fashions are intended only for the woman with unlimited means at her disposal to lay on the altar of pulchritude.

For the woman who cannot afford the shellacking and other artifices,

the beauticians have an alternative code of beauty modes. They must, if they would be fashionable, return to the tradition of other days—the rat. If you don't remember the rat, ask father. He'll recall, with a certain amount of horror, the wad of artificial hair which was used by the beauties of over twenty years ago to give the effect of an abundant crop of hair.

Used at the back and cleverly concealed among the beauty's own tresses, the rat was not so bad. But when it was used in front to puff the hair into a pompadour the effect on one without a sense of humor was simply terrible.

If the choice were left to mere man between the rat and the lacquered head, he'd probably be very hasty in exclaiming "By all means let's have the varnish," for though the lacquering would entail a heavy strain on the pocketbook, it would be nothing to the strain on the nerves entailed by the rat.