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Chris A. Kupke, who with his new wife are just getting started in the mysteries of housekeeping, believes in taking the right plan, and will have good reading matter in the home, having just had their name added to the large list of readers of the Journal in this vicinity.

Burr Oak Posts and Poles—Telephone Murray 2704. H. L. Sayer, Plattsmouth, E. F. D. 1, 41st-2nd and 4th streets, of South Bend, where he is merchant, banker and postmaster, was looking after some business in Omaha last Wednesday.

Edward L. Pothast, of Lincoln, was a visitor in Murdock Wednesday last week, being called here to look after some business matters.

I. G. Hornbeck, the genial and efficient agent of the Rock Island in Murdock, was looking after some business for the company at Meadow last Wednesday.

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H. A. Guthmann was a business visitor in Omaha last Thursday, going up on the Jersey Wednesday evening and remaining over until Thursday when he returned home on the evening train.

Judge H. A. Gast, who has been feeling poorly all winter, says that with the return of warmer weather he is gaining in health and strength and hopes soon to regain his usual good health.

C. F. Hite was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Tuesday looking after some matters in the county court. He is now doing some carpenter work at the home of Ray Parcell and wife a few miles southwest of Murdock.

Louis Neitzel was confined to his home the past few days on account of sickness. During his temporary illness Wm. Weddell is looking after the business. It is hoped that Mr. Neitzel will soon be able to get out again.

Charles Letts and wife, of near Council Bluffs, were visiting in Murray for a few days a week ago, being guests at the home of Mrs. Letts' mother, Mrs. L. Amgert. Mrs. Amgert returned home with her daughter and will spend several weeks in the Iowa city.

H. W. Tool, who recently returned from a four weeks' visit in the west is feeling pretty fine and says they enjoyed the thirty days spent in the west to the best of advantage. They return with new energy and a determination to make the best of the many opportunities which the hustling little city of Murdock affords.

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Made a Trip to the West  
Emil Kuehn and Art Bornemeier, both residents of Lincoln at present, have just returned from an extended trip to eastern Colorado, where they are interested in lands. They are well pleased with the outlook of the country at this season of the year. Mr. Bornemeier came down Thursday from the capital city to visit with friends and look after some business here.

Have Changed Date of Entertainment  
The Glee club of the Nebraska Wesleyan university, which was billed to give an entertainment here on March 23rd, has changed the date of its appearance to March 24th, which falls on Wednesday of this week. This promises to be a most excellent entertainment and one that will prove pleasing to all who attend.

Moving on the New Farm  
Fred Tonac, who purchased the J. C. Stroy farm northwest of Murdock last fall, has moved onto the place, coming from his former home in Sarpy county. Mr. Tonac is an excellent farmer and knows a good farm when he sees one. Mr. Stroy will move to Lincoln to make his home in the future.

All Materials on the Ground  
With the receipt of the cut stone for the new Farmers and Merchants bank during the past week, all the needed materials are on the ground for the construction of the new financial edifice. Contractor Matt Thimgan and his force of workmen are pushing the work rapidly ahead and with the advent of good weather conditions will make an excellent showing on the structure within the next few weeks.

Aged Lady Passes Away  
At the home of her son, where she and her husband have been residing, Mrs. Henry Klemme, Sr., after an illness extending over some length of time, passed away on last Tuesday. Mrs. Klemme's illness was brought on through influenza, she and other members of the family as well being stricken with the malady. On account of the prevailing illness in the home, as well as in that of their daughter, Mrs. Henry Bornemeier, members of the families were unable to attend the funeral and

burial of the mother, the only son being able to be present being Fred, who was sufficiently recovered.

Mrs. Klemme was noted for her amiable traits of character and had a host of friends who mourn her death. The Rev. Carl Piper, of Elmwood officiated at the funeral.

Cemetery Committee Meet.  
At the recent meeting of the Wabash cemetery committee, there was somewhat of a discussion looking to better conditions about the community burying grounds, which are a place of beauty and have been kept in the best of condition by the committee commensurate with the funds available. In order to further the good work it was decided to raise the price of lots from \$10 to \$20, which considering the size of the lots (20 by 40 feet) would make them cheap for farming purposes.

The new officers selected are J. C. Brown, president; Albert Pool, vice-president and Harry V. McDonald rechosen as secretary-treasurer. The annual meeting dates were changed from the third Thursday in March to the first Monday in May. The trustees elected for the present year are George Miller, L. R. Stanley and Albert Pool.

Made a Trip to Fullerton.  
Last Friday afternoon Frank Valery, of Murray, drove to Murdock, and here picked up John Gakemeier, they then departing for Fullerton; near where they have some lands to look after.

Visited in Lincoln.  
A week ago last Friday, Mrs. O. J. Pothast, wife of the cashier of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, departed for Lincoln where she visited the remainder of the week, being joined there by her husband who drove to the capital city Saturday, and they returned home together in their car Sunday evening.

Shipped Hogs to Omaha.  
Messrs. Carl Schlapoff, Otto Miller and Will Rikil shipped a car of very fine hogs to the South Omaha market during the past week. The animals were accompanied by Mr. Schlapoff, who looked after the marketing of the shipment and realized near the top of the market on that day, the selling price being 15 cents a pound on hoof.

Is Receiving Some Fine Furniture.  
Gus Wendt has just received a consignment of very fine furniture for his elegant home a few miles southeast of Murdock, which was constructed during the past year. The grade of furniture purchased is in keeping with the elegant home, and will make one of the most beautiful homes in the state.

Has Elegant Car Now.  
The car which Stephen Leis has just gotten is in the finest condition and stands idly awaiting for some young lady who would like to take a spin in the elegant auto. Both Mr. Leis and I. G. Hornbeck are able to drive the wagon and the young lady may have her choice of these two excellent gentlemen and be assured of a very pleasant ride. In fact the young lady can do the driving herself but few of us have the one of the gentlemen had better accompany her. Who is it going to be? Do not all speak at once.

They All Have Moved.  
With the completion of the new home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tool, and the subsequent occupancy of it by the Tool family, there has been a number of moves, G. Bauer and family moving in where Mr. Tool resided, thus vacating the residence property which Harry Gillespie purchased some time ago and he in turn vacated a house which was immediately occupied by J. A. Bauer, the one move thus allowing a number of others to change.

Are Improving Their Home.  
Harry Gillespie and wife, who have just been able to get possession of their home, and who have moved therein are now busily engaged and working like beavers to put it in excellent condition. Painting and papering of the interior is first in order and this will be followed by exterior finishing as well. When finished it will make a very nice home for this popular couple. Here's to you, with your "Home Sweet Home."

See This Harness  
You no doubt have seen the famous "Boyt" harness advertised. You can examine the harness for yourself at the store of A. J. Tool and judge of its merits. Absolutely the best harness in the world for the money. m1-4w.

TRADED BUSINESS FOR FARM  
From Friday's Daily.  
In a deal that was completed Tuesday, George Mark becomes the owner of the A. Anderson 80-acre farm a mile and a half southeast of town and Mr. Anderson became owner again of the stock business, yards, buildings, etc.

Wm. H. Bohn, Auctioneer  
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business during the time he has been handling stock, the desire for the farm life in which he has spent so many years, still had its fascinations.

Mr. Anderson has handled the stock business before and knew just what he was trading for and all the ins and outs of the business.—Weeping Water Republican.

### A DAUGHTER OF REVOLUTION

That two human lives should have spanned the years since the revolutionary war to the present day was pronounced an unusual and notable incident in longevity by the Rev. Dr. Robert L. Wheeler as he conducted burial services for Mrs. Elvira Tewksbury last week. Her father, James Walker, served with the New Hampshire militia at Fort Mifflin, 1777.

"It was the happiest funeral I have ever attended," said a well known woman. "Not happy in the sense of festivity, but with appreciation of a long life well spent, and of a readiness to go when the call came. As a pioneer of Nebraska, who had spent sixty of the eighty-nine years of her life here, and with a revolutionary soldier father, 'Auntie' Tewksbury was a notable figure in local history."

Commenting on these things, Dr. Wheeler appealed to the friends present and to Daughters of the American Revolution, of which society the deceased was an honored member, to cherish the ideals of the founders of the American republic. There has never been a period in American history when greater need existed for holding fast to principles on which the government was founded. Americans should stand by their colors, not only old Glory, with its red, white and blue, but to the principles of justice and liberty, religion and home, the things that make the individual life honorable and praiseworthy and the national life an object lesson to the world.

Clean living and upright dealing do not necessarily make for puritanical and austere living, but they do exalt the individual and the cause he will support.

A child of the American revolution has joined the ranks over there, but the patriotic principles she upheld live on in the hearts of her friends, among the most notable of them being her pastor, Dr. Wheeler, who serves his country and his God by serving his fellow men.—World-Herald.

### DRAGGING THE ROADS

From Friday's Daily.  
The March wind and Paul Hei with his tractor and road drag worked wonders on about six miles of road Monday afternoon along the Louisville-Plattsmouth highway. A portion of this road has been impassable for some time and many an auto driver has come to grief and had to call on some farmer with a team of husky horses to drag him out of the mud. Paul is an expert with the road drag and Cass county should have more like him.—Louisville Coprier.

### TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL

From Friday's Daily.  
This afternoon Mrs. John Hatt, Sr., was taken to the Ford hospital in Omaha where she will be placed to undergo treatment. Mrs. Hatt has been suffering from the flu and the after effects of the malady has left her in a very weakened condition that makes it necessary for her removal to the hospital.

Mrs. Otto Fjader departed this afternoon for Omaha, where she will enter the Ford hospital and will be operated on as soon as possible.

Miss Lillian Schessel was taken to Omaha on the afternoon Burlington train today, where she was placed in the St. Joseph hospital and will be operated on there for a severe case of appendicitis.

### GIVES SHOWER FOR FRIEND

From Friday's Daily.  
Last evening the handsome Hallstrom home on South 9th street was the scene of a very enjoyable social gathering, when Miss Alpha Hallstrom entertained a number of lady friends at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. Harry Nielson of Dannebrog, Neb., who has been visiting in the city for the past few days.

The guest of honor was presented by the friends at this post-pupital shower with a large number of beautiful as well as handsome gifts that she will treasure in the years to come as remembrances of the kind friends in the old home. The evening was spent in the playing of games of all kinds as well as in the enjoyment of several piano numbers by Miss Hauer Seybert. At a suitable hour a dainty two-course luncheon was served by Miss Hallstrom, assisted by Miss Mary Hetherington. Those who were present were: Misses Sophia Chaloupka, Edith Johnson, Muriel Barthold, Catherine Egan, Mary Hetherington.

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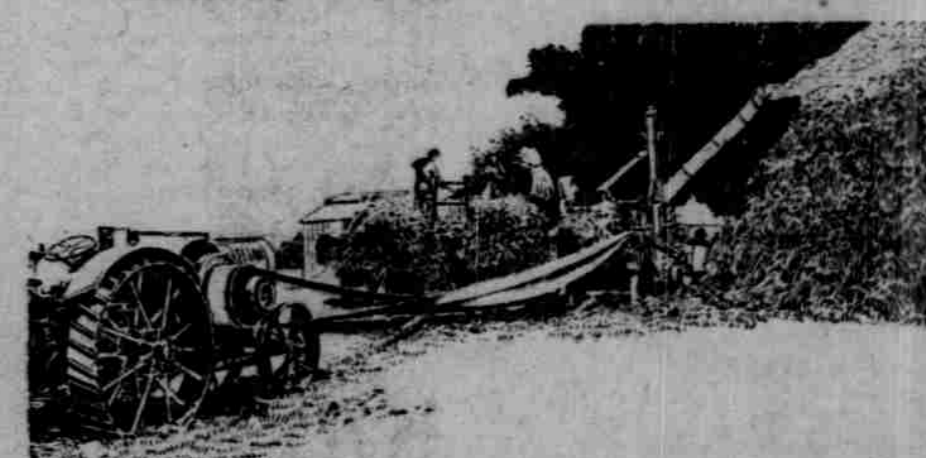
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