

MURDOCK DEPARTMENT.

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Beginning Another Year!

The problems which has confronted us the year which has just gone into history, were solved and wiped off the slate, or they are still awaiting our solution.

The local bank is ever on the alert, watching for whatever may appear over the horizon of the commercial life of its community, that will assist in the better business for all those who are associated to make the town the best, and also for those things which have a tendency to impair the business stability of the community. We are here to assist in the solution of the problems which trouble you. Do not hesitate to ask for what we can do for you in the solving of the knotty conditions which present themselves.

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HENRY A. TOOL, President J. E. GUTHMANN, Vice-Pres.
H. A. GUTHMANN, Cashier

Wm. Bourke shipped a load of hogs to the South Omaha market on last Wednesday.

Messrs Diller Utt and Victor Thimgan were assisting in harvesting ice at Ashland last week.

Emil Kuehn of Lincoln was a business visitor in Murdock during the fore part of last week.

Mr. Ivan Buskirk shelled and delivered corn during last week at the Wadwell elevator, for which he received 35 cents a bushel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tool entertained a number of their friends at a card party last Monday at which all enjoyed the occasion very greatly.

A. J. Bauer was a visitor in Lincoln last Friday, going to see that the special session of the state legislature opened and got started off right.

Miss Helen Bornemeier spent a few days during last week at the home of friends in Lincoln, being there from Monday until Wednesday evening.

Mr. J. Johanson and Neils Petersen were visiting in Plattsmouth, where they went to obtain some licenses—that is, for their autos, not for anything else.

An infant of Mr. and Mrs. John Gakemeier was reported very sick for a short time during the first of last week, but later was showing some improvement.

Our old time citizen Judge H. A. Gast has been kept to his home for a number of days on account of illness and has been compelled to keep the business closed on that account.

Mrs. A. J. Tool and Miss Catherine who is teaching at the Fifth schools, were in attendance at a piano recital given by the celebrated master musician Rachmaninoff, of the capital city.

Max Dusterhoff and Joe Watchinek have been busy during a greater portion of last week in repairing the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Norton, where they have recently moved into the property of Mrs. Martha King.

Mrs. Neitzel, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, is reported as being greatly improved at this time and is so she can be up a portion of the time, and is doing nicely, which is pleasant news to her many friends.

Herman Mann and two of the children were visiting in Murdock from their home near Kearney last Wednesday, the children driving their father over in order that he could assist in butchering at the home of his brother, Wm. Mann, north of town.

J. E. McHugh and wife, accompanied by their son, Jerry, Jr., were visiting in Omaha for over Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Mrs.

McHugh and Jerry, Jr., visiting with friends while Mr. McHugh looked after some business matters relative to the business here.

Jack Buck and Billie Rush were keeping themselves out of other mischief last week for a while by building a cart for the latter which he is using for doing small jobs of hauling. They were making a fine vehicle, and one which will serve the purpose for which it was constructed most excellently.

Louis Bornemeier and Herman Kupke, two farmers living east of Murdock, have harvested their ice crop, and found that the yield was sufficient for their needs and with no artificial irrigation. On Wednesday O. W. Gillespie and E. O. McDonald also stored their summer's supply of the frozen goods.

C. P. Hite and wife entertained for dinner last Sunday their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lies, who are visiting here and Mr. S. P. Leis, and during the day had a most pleasant visit. These people had not had a day together for the past eighteen years, prior to which they lived together as neighbors in the vicinity of "Bushberry."

Entertained for Friend

Last Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool, at their beautiful home in Murdock entertained in honor of Miss Amorette Pardee, of Lincoln, who was a week-end visitor at the Tool home, accompanying their daughter, Miss Margaret, who is attending the state university at Lincoln. The evening was spent in music and games and a most delightful luncheon, which added to the pleasure of the evening.

Organize Basket Ball Team

Last Tuesday evening a number of the young men who like athletic sport, gathered together and organized a town team for the purpose of playing clean and good basket ball. They selected the membership of the team and elected for their manager Henry Wendt and for their captain Dick Reickman. The team promises to make a good showing and with the proper practice and attention to the game they should win.

Celebrated Anniversary of Wedding

Last Sunday being the 36th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. H. R. Schmidt and Miss Agnes Elchoff, the family celebrated very appropriately the occasion when the entire family were present on the occasion, and all enjoyed the day nicely. The sumptuous dinner which was served was not the least among the pleasures of the day. Those who were present were

OPPOSE THE DEBT REFUNDING BILL

Johnson and Borah Running True to Form—Fear Complications May Result

Washington, Jan. 28.—The allied debt refunding bill was subjected again today to attack from both republicans and democrats in the senate, but was defended by majority party leaders. When the senate adjourned the end of the debate was not in sight, but those in charge of the measure thought a final vote might be reached tomorrow.

The attack on the measure was opened by Senator Johnson, republican, California, who warned the senate that if the reported plan of the administration to sell the foreign bonds to the American people was carried out "you won't need a league of nations to drag you into every embargo across the water. With the bonds distributed among the people, he asserted, there would be constant pressure on the government to interfere in the affairs of debtor nations."

Supporting his amendment requiring congressional approval of agreements entered into with debtor nations by the proposed debt-refunding commission, he said congress was responsible to the people and should not surrender its power to supervise the debt and the same of the American people.

Opposing the Johnson amendment, Senator Watson, republican, Indiana, declared a vote of the senate to accept it would be nothing less than a "vote of lack of confidence in the president."

Joy Mingled with Sorrow

Last Wednesday brought joy to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klemme when the story brought to their home two little sons, one of them only to die upon arrival. The joy at the arrival of the little ones was saddened by the calling of the one to the home on the other side. They have the sympathy of the many friends here in their loss of the little one.

Elevator Stockholders Meeting

The 7th annual elevator stockholders' meeting of the Farmers' Union association will be held on February 7th, 1922, at 1:30 p. m. in the Farmers' Union hall at Murdock, Nebraska. Every stockholder is requested to be present for election of four directors and other business which may come before the house.

FRED STOCK, President.
AUG RUGE, Secretary.

REPORTS OF WAR GROUNDLES

Mexico City, Jan. 27.—Reports from Paris that war between Mexico and Guatemala has broken out are wholly without foundation, so far as newspaper circles in Mexico City are informed.

The Mexican minister to Guatemala recently was recalled to Mexico City, giving rise to rumors of strained relations. These rumors were officially denied and the government, through President Obregon, has declared that Mexico would not interfere in Guatemalan affairs.

Mexico City is the gathering point for many Guatemalan exiles and opponents of provisional President Ornelano. In view of this fact the government has announced its neutrality and warned all persons against violation of it.

Events in Guatemala since the latest revolution in that country have been closely followed in Mexico. Every effort has been made to preserve the strictest neutrality, especially along the boundary.

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICE
In the District Court of the United States for the District of Nebraska, Lincoln Division.

In the matter of William Gehrts, bankrupt, in bankruptcy. Case No. 618.

To creditors of the above bankrupt, of Murdock, in the County of Cass, the District of Nebraska, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1922, the said bankrupt was duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held in Room 384, Federal building, in Lincoln, Nebraska, on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupt, appoint a trustee and transact such other business as may properly come before such meeting.

Dated January 21, 1922.
DANIEL H. McCLENAHAN,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

VAIN EFFORTS TO CUT STATE EXPENDITURES

OSTERMAN DENOUNCES HEAVY EXPENDITURES BY DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Lincoln, Jan. 26.—Augmenting Governor McKelvie's proposed reductions \$67,250, the lower house of the Nebraska legislature advanced to third reading at the special session this afternoon House Bill No. 1, the "un-taxing bill," carrying total appropriations of \$19,657,910 for the biennium beginning last July.

Vain efforts were made on the floor to make other reductions, but the only concession of the administration was to permit \$10,000 more to be taken from the \$45,000 for rate investigations by the Nebraska railway commission. The original bill reduced it \$10,000. As it stands, the commission will have only \$25,000. The finance committee made the other minor cuts before the bill reached the floor.

Theo Osterman, Merrick, made an unsuccessful attempt to get the \$32,042 for the department of finance reduced to \$6,000.

\$87,000 Railway Fares

"Tax charts, pamphlets and political propaganda do not have to be sent out at such an enormous cost," Osterman said.

"The department is only trying to keep the people informed as to how their money is being spent," replied Clark Jeary, Lancaster.

"I notice from one of these reports that in the last six months state officials have spent \$87,000 in railway fares. I cannot figure how many miles that would be; and \$53,000 in hotel bills, Dr. Freese, treasurer, Chase, commented, reading from one of the state's official statements.

The department can promulgate that information for \$6,000 instead of \$32,000, Osterman replied. The administration has proposed a \$6,000 cut. But the house voted that this \$26,000 balance should stand.

Henry Bock, Butler, defeated in the forenoon in his request for highway building information by a vote of the house, this afternoon introduced a resolution calling on the state treasurer to audit all balances and drafts during the biennium up to January 1, this year. Under the rules, it went over till tomorrow.

Would Cut Federal Appropriations

To meet the cry of home of excess taxes to "match dollars" with the government on road building and other projects, ten prominent republicans introduced a resolution this afternoon asking the Nebraska legislature in congress to cut out federal appropriations to be met by state aid, with this plea: "An increasing number of Nebraska citizens have indicated their unwillingness to be so taxed as well as their disapproval of federal control of state expenditures." It was signed by Armstrong, Nemaha; Green, Lancaster; Axtell, Fillmore; Bowman, Douglas; Sandquist, Thurston; Behrens, Webster; Walling, Hamilton; Leffingwell, Howard; Gould, Buffalo, and Hascall, Douglas.

Another resolution demanding that congress require the interstate commerce commission to reduce the freight and passenger rates to the comparative level of farm products was introduced by R. C. Druesedow, Douglas, and signed by Morian, Carroll, Stants, Sprick, Frost, Behrens, Lauretson, Gould, Foster and Miner. Both resolutions went over a day for consideration.

Robert Linn of Cedar wanted to see the \$339,250 appropriation from fees for the state bureau of foods, drugs and oils cut down to \$300,000, but the house voted down his plan overwhelmingly.

Members explained that fees were not taxes. "Regulars" today in the house of representatives were able to hew to the administration line only by the narrowest margin on the third day of Governor McKelvie's special session.

Blocks Senate Probe

Lieutenant Governor P. A. Barrows, presiding officer of the senate today ruled that the joint resolution in the senate, which was approved by a vote of 20 to 12 yesterday, calling for a committee to investigate the cost of state highways, was improper and void because it was not included in the governor's call. Action calling for investigation by a house committee still stands.

Senator B. K. Bushie, Kimball, spokesman for the governor, had fought for the resolution, which was opposed by Walter Hoagland, Lincoln county, on the ground that it would not be effective. The resolution in the house, introduced yesterday by Henry Bock Butler, demanding that the governor call on the department of public works for a statement of the amount of federal funds that went to each county and how they were used was voted down by the narrow margin of 51 to 49 in spite of the charges that the resolution was "democratic politics." There are only four democrats in the house.

Call for Treasury Report

Supporting his motion to adopt the resolution, for information of highway expenses, Bock said in Butler county only \$9,000 of federal aid had been received in the last five years, while the county under the federal-state aid road program had spent \$113,000.

The people thought they were matching dollars with the government but this figure shows they are paying most of the expense themselves, he said.

Administration men, opposing the resolution, said that the investigating committee authorized Tuesday would take care of all this information.

"I've been trying for two years to get the cost of roads in Clay county. The information is concealed," said Epperson in answer to Clark Jeary,



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Lancaster, who said that the state highway publication contained all essential facts.

"I am not advocating democracy," said Franklin, "but I have read all these reports and I find no information in them."

Failing to get the house to demand information on highway construction, Bock introduced a resolution this afternoon calling on the governor to make a report on the condition of the state treasury, which is reported to be 1,500,000 overdrawn.

Worth Considering

The question is not so much how you contract a cold, but how to get rid of it with the least loss of time and inconvenience. If you will consider the experience of others under similar circumstances, who have been most successful in checking their colds, in their beginning, you will secure a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy without delay and use it faithfully. There are many families who have used this preparation successfully for years and hold it in high esteem. It is excellent. Weyrich & Hadraba.

A Rat That Didn't Smell After Being Dead for Three Months

"I swear it was dead three months," writes Mr. J. Sykes (N. J.). "I saw this rat every day; put some Rat-Snap behind a barrel. Months afterwards, my wife looked behind the barrel. There it was—dead! Rat-Snap sells in three sizes for 5c, 6c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Bestor & Swatek, Weyrich & Hadraba, F. G. Fricke & Co.

STATE SHOULD BEAR HALF

Hastings, Jan. 26.—More than 200 school men are in attendance at the meeting of the state association of school boards and school executives, which opened its session Thursday afternoon, with President Cramer of Columbus presiding. Superintendent Stoddard of Beatrice advocated that the state bear a half of the school maintenance, stating that the taxes are too heavy to be borne to the extent by the local districts.

Deputy State Superintendent Speedie reported that a plan for uniform accounting for schools provided by the last legislature has been worked out in the state office and his belief is that it will simplify and make the accounting efficient.

DECLARES BONUS IS IN FAVOR

New York, Jan. 25.—Hanford MacNider, national commander of the American Legion, issued a statement today charging Secretary Mellon with having adopted a "watchdog of the treasury" attitude toward the bonus question in his letter opposing the measure made public last night. The secretary is taking the "most pessimistic view" of the bonus situation, Colonel MacNider said, asserting that figures and estimates cited in the letter did not agree with those compiled by an actuary of the treasury department and submitted by Senator McCumber at the last session of congress. "We know American people want the bonus," he declared.



Buick Prices

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1st, 1922

22-Four-34	Two passenger roadster	\$ 895
22-Four-35	Five passenger touring	935
22-Six-44	Three passenger roadster	1365
22-Four-36	Three passenger coupe	1295
22-Six-45	Five passenger touring	1395
22-Four-37	Five passenger sedan	1395
22-Six-49	Seven passenger touring	1585
22-Six-46	Three passenger coupe	1885
22-Six-48	Four passenger coupe	2075
22-Six-47	Five passenger sedan	2165
22-Six-50	Seven passenger sedan	2375

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