

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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Wm. Bourke shipped a car of cattle to the South Omaha market last Monday.

John the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Lacey McDonald, has been feeling not the best, but is now some better.

Will Meyer, who is attending the state university was home for the week end last Saturday and Sunday.

Carlton Zink was a guest at the home of his parents for over Sunday and also visited with friends as well.

Charles Schafer, the manager of the Trunkenboltz oil station, was a business visitor in Lincoln on last Thursday.

E. W. Thimgan was a visitor in Lincoln last Monday, called there by some important matters of business in his line.

Henry Klemme, living south of town, was for a number of days very ill at his home, but has been showing some improvement of late.

Walter Baumgartner, who is attending school at Lincoln, was spending his Sunday vacation at the home of his parents, Conrad Baumgartner and wife.

Mrs. Henry Bornemeier, north of Murdock, is reported as being among those numbered with the sick, but it is hoped she will soon be feeling better again.

Burton Amgwert, who but a short time since had a tussle with the mumps, is again not feeling very well and has been kept in his bed for a number of days.

Mr. Alex Landholm of North Platte is here, called on account of the illness and death of his little niece, Irene Landholm, and is still visiting at the home of his brother, Jess Landholm and wife.

A. J. Tool, our enterprising hardware dealer, was a passenger to Lincoln last Wednesday evening, where he went to attend the convention of the Nebraska Retail Hardware dealers association.

Mrs. Mary Rush, with her guests, Jack Burt and wife of Omaha, and also Misses Mabel Racho and Ruth

Bralley, both of Omaha, were in attendance at the basket ball game at Eagle last Saturday evening.

Master Floyd Hite has been contending for points with the mumps, and while they have had the best of the game for a while our young man is gaining and with each day is giving this disease a terrible mauling.

Mrs. J. A. Bauer, who has been sick at her home in Murdock for a number of days, is showing some improvement at this time. Her daughter, Mrs. Claud Twiss, of Louisville, was here assisting in the care of her mother.

The line up of the boys' team of the city of Murdock, which is called the Boys' Town team, and who are to play at the game at this place with Waverly on Thursday of this week are Henry Wendt, Herman Wendt, August Wendt, "Dick" Ivan Reickman and Fred Towle.

During the past week a medicine show held forth in Murdock and afforded much amusement for the people and also advertised their medicines. Among the other things they gave away a diamond ring, which as we go to press, we are not aware who secured, but will leave that for the coming week.

Miss Lillian Amgwert came to Murdock for a short visit with her mother last Wednesday evening, after having accompanied a patient whom she was nursing to Lincoln, where she was placed on a train for her home and spent the night going to her work at Council Bluffs the following day.

Last Saturday Albert Thelle crossed the threshold of manhood, when he became 21 years of age, and entitled to all the rights and immunities of the American citizen. He celebrated the evening by accompanying a member of the faculty of the Murdock school to Ashland, where they all enjoyed the game and the trip very much.

Spend Day with Friends

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stock, Jr., entertained for the day at their country home, the parents of Mr. Stock, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stock, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Schmidt and family. The day was one in which all enjoyed the occasion and were loud in their praise of the host and hostess as entertainers, and also for the excellent dinner.

Will Have a Paper

The students of the Murdock high school will issue a paper during the remainder of the term, and which they will endeavor to make a very interesting feature of their school work. We are sure they will make a success of their venture and will receive much benefit from the effort.

Tested the Cows

Last week Dr. Tuck a veterinarian of Weeping Water, was a visitor in Murdock, called here to make the tuberculin test of a number of the cows in this vicinity. Among those who had their cows tested at this time are Louie Bornemeier, John Gakemeier and O. E. McDonald.

Entertained Friends Sunday

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rush and their daughter Miss Mary entertained for Sunday dinner and also for the week end a number of their friends and relatives from out of town. Among those present were Jack Burt and wife, Misses Mabel Racho, Ruth Bralley and Howard Pope of Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. Eldo Mueller and wife and Mrs. George Mueller, of Lincoln.

Murdock and the Foot Ball

There has been a considerable interest manifested in foot ball in the light of the fact that the Girls' team of the Murdock schools have made such a wonderful record thus far in the season. Last week there were a number of games played in which the young ladies as usual were the victors. We are not at liberty at this time to credit the young men with the same degree of success as the young ladies.

Notwithstanding this, in a game at Ashland last week our boys were the winners by a tally of 31 to 23. A game which was played at Weeping Water last Friday, the Murdock girls won over the girls from Weeping Water by a score of 12 to 4. The boys however lost at the same time by a score of 2 to 29. Saturday evening at Eagle the girls of Murdock won and the boys lost. There is to be a game between Murdock and the Waverly boys on Thursday of this week, at Murdock.

Judge H. A. Gast Very Sick

For some time past the health of Judge H. A. Gast, has been very poor and for the past few weeks he has been confined to his home and bed, and has been very sick. Emil Kuehn, of Lincoln, and Adolph Kuehn, of Malcolm, were here to visit the aged citizen, and while everything possible is being done for Judge Gast, he is not showing the power to rally which is desired.

Appreciate the Kindness

While our grief has been very severe, caused by the loss of our darling babe, Irene, we are desirous of extending our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly rendered assistance, and especially to the members of the Royal Neighbors, who did so much when we were not able to serve on account of illness. Again we thank you, our friends.—Mr. and Mrs. Jess Landholm.

There Were Too Many Cars

Last week, Professor Way went to Lincoln, accompanied by a number of his students, among whom were Henry Riekman, Richard Tool and Marion Schewe. They did very well as the going was good and were much interested in the affairs of the city, as well as doing the errands which called them there. Two of the young men, Richard Tool and Marion Schewe, went out at University Place, while the professor and Mr. Riekman went on down town. When they had gotten pretty well down town, the cars began to thicken and a crippled old Ford, driven by one of the denizens of the capital city got in the way of the car from Murdock and of course there was a bump, and the Murdock educator was touched for the repairs of the derelict, which required something over a dozen dollars.

Found Things in Fine Condition

Edward Shumaker, formerly of Union, but now of Omaha, and traveling auditor of the Farmers Co-Operative elevators of Nebraska, was a visitor in Murdock last week and audited the books of the company here and found that Mr. S. P. Leis had all the records of the institution in excellent condition. Mr. Shumaker departed last Wednesday for Crete, where he is to look after the affairs of the elevator at that place.

Doctor Not Immune

Dr. A. R. Hornbeck with the humanity about him which does not separate him from the remainder of the human race, was compelled to remain at his home on account of illness for a number of days. He was able to get out again last Wednesday and is again looking after his extensive practice.

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LITTLE CHILD DIES

Irene, the year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Landholm, of Murdock, was claimed by the Angel of Death on Thursday last week, at the age of just six days more than one year. The little one was first taken ill while with the parents on a visit in Omaha, and while all possible for its recovery in the way of nursing and medical attention was given, the little life returned to its Maker, and the hearts of the fond parents were rent asunder at the loss. Irene had arrived at the age when she had begun to prattle a few words of love to her parents and at that period in life where children become most interesting and her death will remove unlimited love and sunshine from the home and the lives of those who knew her.

CHANGE IN GARAGE BUSINESS AT WEEPING WATER

Last week August Meyers sold his automobile and garage business, building, etc., to John Nottlemann, of Otter. Fred Rodewald will be manager and the firm name will be known as the Weeping Water Auto Co., which will do a general business in the automobile line. Mr. Nottlemann also owns a Ford garage at Otter and has made a success in the business. The new building at Weeping Water is a most important one and is in a location that should be second to none in Cass county.

A HAPPY EVENT

This afternoon Frank Ashenbrenner was a passenger for the metropolis and he bore on his countenance a smile whose broadness was unusual and on inquiry we learned that the occasion was the fact that Frank, Jr., a fine nine pound boy, had made his appearance to gladden the Ashenbrenner household. The mother and little one are doing nicely and are now at the home of a sister of Mrs. Ashenbrenner in Omaha.

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NEW PARTY HEADS SEEK NORTON FOR GOVERNORSHIP

Want Polk County Farmer to Enter as Democrat With Progressive Backing of State.

Lincoln, Feb. 3.—An effort to induce J. N. Norton, prominent Polk county farmer and president of the Nebraska Farm Bureau Federation, to file on the democratic primary ticket as candidate for governor, and accept endorsement of the new progressive party, was being made late today by some of the progressive leaders.

"There might be some truth in that report," said J. A. Edmiston, chairman of the progressive state committee. He indicated that committee members were officially cognizant of such a move.

Another rumor, which had been given publicity, that the committee had endorsed R. B. Howell, Omaha, republican candidate for United States senator, was declared by the chairman to be incorrect. The committee has not acted on any matter of that sort, he said.

These leaders, who are talking Norton propose a slate with Judge Arthur Wray of York for the United States senate and Norton on the democratic ticket with progressive endorsement.

Those who are active in slate making said tonight that the group, acting independently of the state committee, had made overtures to Norton that he enter the progressive party, but he refused to leave the democratic party.

A tentative slate was then made out with Judge Wray for governor and R. B. Howell for endorsement for United States senator. Then the group proposed on alternative to Norton, of the other party, to accept the progressive endorsement for governor, which event, it was explained the new party would support Wray for the senate and would eliminate the Howell endorsement.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

One day last week Mr. K. D. Clark was down into the basement at his home to help a man who was cutting wood for him.

He pulled a stick on the top of the pile and it fell, striking one of his shins, making an ugly rash.

He has been laid up since but his leg is doing nicely. It is pretty hard on Mr. Clark for he has always led such an active life and he feels the responsibility of the store. It is in good hands, however, as his son, Fred, of Union, is here helping his father to look after business.—Weeping-Water Republican.

WELL KNOWN WRITER

From Saturday's Daily.

John H. Kearns, of Auburn, one of the best known newspaper men of the southeastern portion of the state was here yesterday afternoon and last evening visiting with friends and looking after some business matters.

Mr. Kearns was for many years in the newspaper game at Auburn with both the Herald and Republican and is one of the ablest and most clever editorial men of the state, and is at present enjoying a rest from his long years of service as a servator of the public in the conduct of newspapers.

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Friday, February 10th

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One black mare, 8 years old, wt. 1,500; one bay horse, 7 years old, wt. 1,500; one sorrel mare, coming 4 years old, wt. 1,400; one bay mare, 9 years old, wt. 900; one black horse, 6 years old, wt. 900; one mule coming 2 years old; one mule, coming 1 year old.

Farm Implements

One new John Deere wagon, 3 1/2 inch; one Columbus wagon, 3 1/2 inch; one hayrack and truck; one bob sled; two buggies; one Badger cultivator; two walking cultivators; one J. I. Case riding lister; one walking lister; one Budlong disc with tongue truck; one Emerson gang plow, 12 inch; one Bradley walking plow, 14 inch; one John Deere corn planter; one McCormick mower; one International hay rake; one Gilmore riding harrow; one two-row cornstalk cutter; one 24-foot corn elevator; one 4-horse power; one Gorham seeder; one cornstalk rake; one Monitor press drill; one 7-foot Deering binder; one 1-horse corn drill; two sets 1 1/2 inch work harness; one set double buggy harness; one No. 12 DeLaval cream separator.

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HOPE TO PARE DOWN OFFICERS OF ARMY

Bill to Reduce Number from Seventeen to Twelve Thousand is Introduced in Senate.

Washington, Feb. 3.—A bill to reduce the number of army officers to 12,000, as compared with 17,000 now authorized, was transmitted to congress today by General Pershing as chief of staff, and introduced by Chairman Wadsworth of the senate military committee. The bill, which also was presented in the house by Chairman Kahn of the military committee of that body, provides for a board of five officers, whose task it would be to reduce the commissioned personnel to the requirements of the legislation within five months after passage of the act. The president is given wide powers in placing officers upon the unlimited retired list.

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