

MURDOCK DEPARTMENT.

PREPARED EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE JOURNAL.

Again Ready for Business!

During the past two months my health has not been good nor the roads so one can travel. But now Spring is here and we are ready for the work which you are needing. Repairing, battery charging and anything in our line.

The Landholm Garage

Jess Landholm, Manager

MURDOCK -- NEBRASKA

M. S. Briggs for County Judge.

Claude Meisinger was looking after some business matters in Murdock last week.

John Amgwert has been papering during the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schewe.

Miss Elsie Bornemeier and Miss Emma Selkjost were visiting with friends in Omaha last Thursday.

Hugh Armstrong, of Lincoln, was a visitor in Murdock and was a guest at the home of his friend, H. W. Tool, while here.

A. J. Bauer and O. W. Gillespie unloaded a car of cement and also a car of sand last week for the new school house.

M. S. Briggs for County Judge.

During the past week the Bank of Murdock has had a new roof placed on the bank building, this enhancing its value.

Louis Hornbeck, who is working at Lincoln was a visitor in Murdock for the week end, spending the time with the family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McNamara, of Fairmont, were visiting here with the sister of Mr. McNamara, Mrs. W. O. Gillespie and husband.

Mrs. M. Winkler, of Elmwood, was a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Schmidt for a number of days last week.

Gust Gakemeier was looking after some business matters at Weeping Water last Friday and found the roads there very muddy also.

Mrs. H. H. Lawton departed last Friday evening for Lincoln, where she spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sorick.

Unlimited amount of money to loan on eastern Nebraska farm land. Lowest rates. Applications taken now for future loans. See O. J. Pot-hast at Farmers' & Merchants' Bank, Murdock, Nebr.

You Sure Know It!

Murdock is an excellent town in which to live. We have at this time a number of very choice places for sale. Come, see me, and get a good home while you can. I also have farms and land elsewhere. A number of Cass county farms. I write reliable insurance of all kinds. See me.

Emil Kuehn

Murdock -- Nebraska

What the Farmers Needs!

Spring is just on the eve of arriving and you will be needing farming machinery. We have concluded arrangements for handling two celebrated lines—the John Deere and the International—the two best lines put out. I was to Omaha for a number of days during the past week and while there purchased two car loads of machinery, covering the articles which are needed on the farm. With the coming week, we will more definitely specify what we will have for your needs. We are expecting a car load here by the time this appears in print. We will soon have them on our floors for your inspection and the prices will be right.

The Thimgan Garage

E. W. Thimgan, Proprietor

MURDOCK -- NEBRASKA

Blue Ribbon Gasoline!

A Cold Weather Special

Plenty of Kick—Makes Starting Easy!

-GEO. TRUNKENBOLZ OIL COMPANY-

Eagle and Murdock

expected to get over it, but at this time he is feeling pretty fine, thank you.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heineinan are spending a number of days at the home of Will Heineinan and family at Liberty, but are expecting to come to Murdock when the roads shall get good enough to travel with any degree of comfort.

Uncle August Bronkow, who has been visiting for the past two weeks at the home of children at Ipswich, South Dakota, returned home last Friday and reports having enjoyed the visit very much and found the folks feeling finely, but reports that the ground is very dry and that the need of moisture is felt.

H. A. Guthmann and the family were spending last Sunday at the home of relatives in Plattsmouth and were accompanied by Jerry Junior, where all enjoyed the occasion very much, and especially did the boys. They were caught in the snow storm on their way home, but this only added to the spice of the occasion.

Appreciate the Kind Neighbors

To those kind neighbors and friends who worked so heroically at the time of the fire which destroyed our home, and for what they did in rescuing and saving our goods, we desire to express our thanks.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lau and Family.

Have Instituted a New Way

During the past the city expenses have been in a way paid out of the receipts of the pay from the lights, and this has cared for the expenses, but it has not allowed the expense to be laid equally on all. Now a special tax levy will be made for the caring for the salary of the police and other expenses. When these expenses are taken from the receipts from lights, which was rated at 15 cents, it did not bear equally on all, as the railroad and the vacant property and those who did not have lights did not share in the payment of the taxes. The rates will be reduced on April 1st to 10 cents and a tax levied for the other purposes.

Card of Thanks

For that friendship which has prompted to acts of kindness of our many friends here during the last illness and at the time of the death of our beloved wife and mother, we wish at this time to extend the heartfelt thanks and for the many expressions of love and sympathy.—Eddie Craig and Children.

To Let the Women Have Chance

Arrangements have been perfected for the holding of a Leap Year dance to be held at the Murdock hall on Friday, March 28th, and at which time a good time is expected, as the ladies will have charge of the occasion and we know they will make a success.

A Number Get Radios

Among those who got radios and had them installed and are enjoying the beautiful music and other things of the output of the broadcasting stations are H. A. Guthmann, Fred Stock, Sr., and Andrew Zoz. The instruments were sold by the Murdock Mercantile company, and are all giving the very best satisfaction.

Young People to Give Play

The young people of South Bend will give a play at the South Bend theatre Wednesday, March 26th, the title of which is "Contents Unknown." It is a farce comedy of three acts and they are putting in a lot of practice on it. The proceeds will go to the Methodist church of South Bend.

Mrs. Eddie Craig Dies

Mrs. Eddie Craig, who has been at the hospital in Lincoln receiving treatment following an operation, which she underwent some two weeks ago, passed away there on Tuesday evening, March 18th and was buried at her former home at Liberty on last Thursday. Mr. Craig with the family came here about a year since and entered onto the barber shop, the family making their home here since. By their quiet and friendly ways they endeared themselves to all the families of Murdock, and when the time came which Mrs. Craig had to go to the hospital, it was with the deepest regret of her host of friends here. Her friends watched with much concern the reports of her condition, and it was with deep solicitude that they inquired as to her progress every day. When the news came of her death it was a cruel blow to her many friends, and the family in their deepest sorrow the loss of the mother and wife, the true sorrow of the entire community goes. The funeral was had at Liberty where the interment was made and where they had lived for many years.

Called to See Sick Daughter

Mrs. Gertrude Ullrich called to go to Kansas City on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Gordon, who is at a hospital at Kansas City, Kansas. The condition of the daughter is very serious and much concern is had by her relatives and friends of which of the latter she has a host in this vicinity.

LITTLE WHEAT IN ELEVATORS

Interior Nebraska Supply Less Than Half of That in Storage One Year Ago.

Lincoln, March 19.—Stocks of wheat in interior Nebraska mills and elevators are low, being 43 per cent of the quantity on hand a year ago, according to the March report of the United States department of agriculture, crops and livestock statistician. The report states that stocks in interior mills and elevators of the United States are 97.6 per cent of the quantity on hand a year ago.

Interior mills and elevators in Nebraska, as distinguished from primary markets, had 1,832,000 bushels of wheat on hand March 1, as compared to 4,208,000 bushels a year ago, the report states. The five-year average for the period 1919 to 1923 is 3,324,000 bushels.

Stocks of wheat in interior mills and elevators in the United States, continues the report, "total 90,396,000 bushels, as compared to 92,538,000 bushels a year ago. Totals for previous years are: 1922, 75,071,000 bushels; 1921, 87,075,000; 1920, 123,233,000 bushels, and 1919, 107,397,000 bushels.

North Dakota has the largest decrease from 17,727,000 bushels on hand a year ago compared to 6,453,000 bushels at present. The state of Washington has the largest quantity with 14,818,000 bushels in interior mills and elevators. Minnesota, North Dakota, Kansas, Nebraska, and Kansas have 19,560,000 bushels of wheat in mills and elevators as compared to 28,355,000 bushels a year ago.

WILL GIVE COURSES

The third safety institute under the auspices of central division of the American Red Cross will be held at Lake Geneva, Wis., June 15 to 23 inclusive. According to the secretary of the local chapter, courses will be offered in the following subjects: First aid, life saving, administration of the management of summer camps, bathing beaches and swimming pools, swimming and diving and boat handling.

Diplomas for the successful completion of the course will be awarded. The faculty will include the foremost authorities in their subjects. The course is open to anyone who is interested in first aid and life saving and the rates have been made so reasonable that it will be possible for large numbers to attend. The registration fee will be three dollars and board and room for the entire week will be \$12.00 double and \$15 single.

Red Cross chapters all over the division are planning to send delegates to this institute. Further information may be secured at the local chapter or by writing to Chauncey A. Hyatt, director of first aid and life saving, central division, American Red Cross, 669 Rush street, Chicago.

LEAP YEAR TAKING ITS TOLL

Maybe it is because it's Leap Year or else the call of the glad some springtime has brought the mating call into the lives of three of the well known and popular professional rumor men of this city, but Dame Rumor has it that in the near, and very near future, at that, the wedding bells will peal forth in all their sweet-toned music for the trio as they promise to love, honor and obey and forsake the independence which our old friend Thomas Jefferson said was the birthright of all mankind.

In connection with the fact that there is to be something doing in the matrimonial line in the city the trio of young men have been in the habit of kidding each other with the fact that they were not in danger of being lured from the pathway of single blessedness and in fact they have gone so far with their attempts to

deceive each other that they have laid a wager on the time that they would leap into the circle of their own fireside and bid farewell to their former enjoyments and weaknesses.

It is understood that the pact agreed upon rivals the far famed treaty of Versailles with its many provisions for the mutual protection of the participants and to make the long story shorter, the first one of the trio that enters the ranks of the Benedictine will have to provide a feast for the other two members and their fair helpmates, but from the indications the wager is going to be a tie as all three of the young men are ready and willing to say, "I do," the only stumbling block to the plan being the fact that the ladies are not as willing as their suitors.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING AT EAGLE

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Adams Observe Their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary With Friends.

An event occurred in Eagle on Tuesday which is always of interest to even the casual reader, and of moment to the participants, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Adams had the distinction of observing the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. They had not planned for any demonstration and expected to pass the day quietly reading letters and post cards of friends, but the event was too important for these near at hand to let pass without something more than a formal note. Mrs. Carr, Mrs. Betts and others decided to hold "open house" for them, and accordingly prepared large quantities of punch, cake, etc., and a large number of townspeople called during the day to personally offer congratulations. Letters and cards came from Maine to California, also gifts of gold pieces, flowers and other remembrances. There were letters from a number of friends at Plattsmouth and Louisville stating that the writer had intended to come in person but road conditions prevented.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams are very much gratified at the spontaneous expressions of regard, and wish to publicly express through the Beacon their sincere thanks to Mrs. Carr and Mrs. Betts for presiding at the punch bowl, to Mrs. McMaster for a generous offering of delicious apples, to Mrs. Bertha Caddy for helpful assistance both during the day and after all had departed, to the W. C. T. U. and in fact to all who sent flowers or in any manner added to the pleasure and satisfaction of the occasion. They are very thankful to be spared to enjoy such an event in their own lives, but even more thankful for the many loyal friends who strew flowers along their pathway in their declining years.—Eagle Beacon.

FORMER PASTOR HERE

This morning Rev. A. V. Hunter, former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church here, arrived from his home at Gothenburg, Nebraska, and will spend a short time here with the old friends and church members. Rev. Hunter has been making his home at Gothenburg since leaving this city and has been very successful in his work there as he was while here. The many friends were very much pleased to see Rev. Hunter and to find that he was in the same splendid form as in the years past when he was a resident of this city.

Advertise your wants in the Journal for results.

MACABEE MEMBERS ENJOY FINE SOCIAL TIME LAST EVENING

Sir Knight's and Ladies' Order Have Joint Session at the M. W. A. Hall Last Evening.

Last Saturday's Daily—Last evening the members of the Knights of the Maccabees and the W. E. A. of the Maccabees held a very fine meeting at the M. W. A. hall that is going to be long remembered by all those who were fortunate enough to be in attendance.

The ladies had prepared a fine feast that was served in the most delightful manner and which was most thoroughly appreciated by the Sir Knights and the members of the ladies' auxiliary of the order.

The hall had been very attractively arranged for the occasion and was a fitting setting for the merry party of the members of the two orders.

During the course of the evening there was a most enjoyable program given. Miss Marjorie Pickett and Mrs. Hill Martin each offering a vocal solo and playing the accompaniment for each other. Mrs. L. F. Pickett also gave a very pleasing reading that was much enjoyed and received with marked approval by all of the members of the party. H. M. Ward, state commander of the Knights of the Maccabees, was introduced and gave a brief address on the benefits of the fraternity and of the ladies' auxiliary.

Throughout the evening there was a splendid feeling of friendship and interest shown by both the ladies and gentlemen.

FIXING UP STORE ROOM

The east room of the building occupied by the H. M. Soennichsen Co., which was formerly occupied by the Wreiner cafe and which was badly damaged by the fire several months ago, is now being placed in shape for occupancy. The room will probably be used by the firm as soon as it is made ready and used in handling the large stocks of goods carried in this regular metropolitan business house. When completed it will give the Soennichsen company three full business fronts in one of the best sites in the city. The company is planning a large number of improvements as the season opens up which will place their buildings in the best of shape.

ELKS HAVE FINE DANCE

Last evening the social committee of the Elks lodge staged another of their very pleasant social dances at the club house on North Sixth street and the members of the order and their ladies had a real time in the delights of the dance for several hours and to the music furnished by the Holly orchestra. The Elks have been holding a series of these social dances during the past winter season and they have proven a real delight to the membership and their friends.

COWS FOR SALE

A good Jersey heifer 2 years old and a good Jersey cow now giving milk.

ROY ARMSTRONG, South Bend.

Miss Jessie M. Robertson was a visitor in Omaha today, going to that city on the early morning Burlington train.

Journal want ads pay 7c per line

LEGION HAS MEETING

From Friday's Daily—The local post of the American Legion held a very pleasant meeting at the club rooms in the Leonard building last evening that was attended by a pleasing number of the legion boys.

The members enjoyed the initiation of several new members which have been a part of the result of the spring offensive of the legion and which has brought the membership up in fine shape and made the local post one of the live ones of the state and which is now in a position to do some real things in the fields of their activities.

The efficient lunch committee was on hand as usual at the close of the meeting and served some very fine sandwiches and Henry Soennichsen's celebrated Tricolored coffee to the members of the post and the luncheon was followed by the usual talkfest in which the former sailors and soldiers found much pleasure in renewing the old war times.

LEAGUERS ENTERTAINED

Last evening the members of the Epworth League enjoyed a wonderful evening of entertainment at the parlors of the Methodist church where a large number had assembled and where the evening was spent in games and other forms of amusement for the course of the evening. The time was far too fast fleeting for the members of the jolly party and it was a late hour when the members of the party wended their way homeward feeling that the occasion was one they would all very pleasantly remember.

The occasion was arranged by the members of the social committee of which Miss Ethel Babbitt is the chairman and the members acquitted themselves as royal entertainers in the occasion they so successfully carried out.

ENJOY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Last evening W. H. Mason was the "victim" of a very pleasant surprise given him by a number of the relatives and friends in honor of his birthday anniversary and the occasion will be one very pleasantly remembered by the members of the party. The guests spent the evening in playing high five and pinocle at which there was keen competition and interest shown by all of the members of the jolly crowd in attendance. At a suitable hour Mrs. Mason served a very delicious luncheon that was very much appreciated by all of the guests and which brot to a close a very pleasant evening. Those attending the event were: Messrs. and Mesdames Henry Hitchman, J. P. Johnson, H. E. Burdick, J. P. Sailer, Lawrence Sprecher, Miss Dorothy Satter and Mr. and Mrs. Mason and family.

PARTIAL ORDER RESTORED IN CAPITAL OF HONDURAS

Washington, March 21.—Comparative order has been restored in Tegucigalpa, Honduras capital where an American naval landing force of 176 officers and men are on guard at the American legation. Captain Asserson of the cruiser Milwaukee reported today that the defacto authorities have issued a proclamation notifying inhabitants of the coming of the American force, whose presence at first had been objected to.

Easter Novelties and Candies



Greeting Cards!

Post Cards!

The real greeting season Easter, will soon be here, and you no doubt will remember many of your friends with Easter greetings in some way, so why not send a beautiful

Easter Card!

We have them in many designs. Also Post Cards and Greeting Cards for the children.

Novelties of All Kinds!

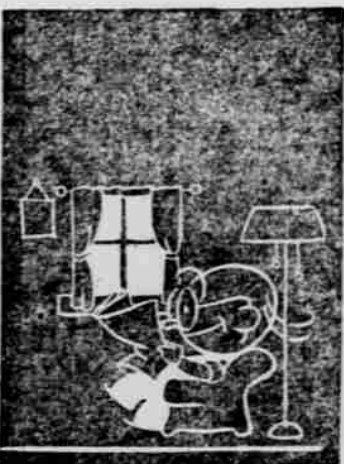
Easter Baskets, Candy Eggs and Novelties of all kinds, such as Large Eggs, Ducks, Chickens and Rabbits—in fact every kind of small Easter Novelties for the children.

Remember them All on Easter Morn!

You will appreciate the big line that you will find on display now at the

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What do you get when you use this different wallboard? Standard plaster walls and ceilings—solid, fireproof, insulating against summer's heat and winter's cold. But you get these results for less money because Sheetrock is so low in first cost and easy to erect.

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