

Old Fashioned -DANCE!

AT MURRAY, NEBRASKA

Wednesday Night

January 5th

Come and have a good time!

OSCAR NAILOR

To Depositors of the First National Bank N-O-T-I-C-E

We, the officers of the First National Bank, have investigated the following plan of liquidating the assets of the First National Bank and recommend it as being the most feasible, economical and surest way for the depositors to get their money.

We have found, in our investigation, that it will be ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY for EACH and EVERY DEPOSITOR to go to the Bank and sign an agreement to the effect that they will be willing to have the combined assets of the Bank turned over to the depositors. Then the depositors will organize and appoint a Board of Trustees to look after the collection of the assets. The Board of Trustees will employ a responsible and experienced man to do all this work under the supervision of the Board of Trustees.

We feel that under this plan the depositors will receive nearer 100% on their money than they would under any other method of liquidation. It will be the most satisfactory to every one concerned from the fact that the money will be equally divided, pro-rata to the depositors. Under this plan the depositors will save thousands of dollars in avoiding the ordinary receivership method of liquidation. From the best information obtainable, it is estimated that under this method, the depositors may be able to receive at least one-fourth and possibly one-third of their money within sixty days. The balance would be paid out as fast as the Board of Trustees would be able to collect it, without sacrificing or creating any necessary expense in the collections.

We are very much pleased to know that the men in charge are anxious to get the most they can for the depositors and we trust that you will appreciate their efforts and help them by signing up on the new plan.

OFFICERS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

MARRIED IN THIS CITY

From Saturday's Daily—
On Friday afternoon at the home of Rev. Harold E. Sontor pastor of the First Methodist church, occurred the marriage of Miss Edith Ethel Baldwin of Omaha and Mr. R. Ray Jones of Blair. The bridal couple motored to this city in company with C. F. Simpson and Miss Ruby Reeves, friends of the contracting parties in Omaha and who served as the witnesses of the wedding. Following the ceremony the newly weds and their friends returned to Omaha and from there will go to Blair where they will make their home in the future.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Farmers Mutual Tornado, Fire and Live Stock Insurance company of Cass Co. Nebraska, will be held at the Taylor school house Dist. No. 37 in Plattsmouth precinct on January 8th, 1927, at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose of electing officers for the year and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

A. A. WETENKAMP, President.
J. P. FALTER, Secretary.

For Farm Loans OR Farm Mortgages -FOR- Investment -SEE- Searl S. Davis

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Eagles Hold Large Class Initiation

Representatives from Many Aeries Present—John S. Parry, Grand Secretary Speaks.

From Friday's Daily—
One of the largest and most interesting meetings in the history of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in this city was staged last evening at the lodge rooms in the Coates block.

The local aerie has been taking on a great deal of renewed life in the last few months and as the result there has been a splendid class of candidates prepared and who last evening were received into the order with due ceremony and thirty-one of the candidates were present to receive the ritualistic work.

The local aerie had as their guests a large delegation from Omaha aerie No. 38, headed by the crack drill team of that aerie and which conducted the initiation ceremony for the local candidates and gave them a very impressive appreciation of the work of the Fraternal Order of Eagles and the lofty principles on which the order is based.

Worthy President A. R. Johnson of Plattsmouth aerie presided and introduced the different speakers of the evening who included Clarence Kennedy president of Omaha aerie No. 38, Secretary Matthews of No. 38, Judge Britt of Omaha, G. F. Berschner of Lincoln, state organizer and William M. Barclay of this city, past state president of the order, all of whom gave a few remarks.

The chief address of the evening was made by John S. Parry, of Kansas City, grand secretary of the Eagles in the United States and which was a real treat as Mr. Parry is a gifted orator and one of the leaders in the Eagles in the nation. The speaker said, in part:

"No great corporation run for private profit is trying harder than is the Fraternal Order of Eagles to give its members 100 per cent service; and that explains its driving power as a fraternality. That is the reason why 96,665 men within the past year have joined the ranks of the Eagles. That is what makes this order the 'fastest growing fraternity of the United States.'

"Speaking of service, I wish to cite you the single example of our auditing department. Perhaps that may sound a dry subject. But it is not, really, when you come to look into it with me.

"Colonel Conrad H. Mann, chief auditor to this vast body of more than 1,000,000 men, employs many expert auditors, whose business it is to circulate among the 1500 aeries, as our lodges are called, keeping a constantly watchful eye on the handling of aerie finances. And the aeries welcome their friendly oversight and advice, for the purpose served is mainly this: That when a man gets sick and puts in a claim for the benefit to which he is entitled, he does not have to worry for fear the secretary will send back word, 'our treasury is temporarily empty—payments have been suspended for six months.'

"He knows, beyond any shadow of doubt, that he will get his weekly payment promptly and regularly as long as he is disabled, up to 12 weeks in one year. He will get it because the laws of the order specify that a certain ascertained percentage of dues must go into the benefit fund. And because the laws require, further, that the money in the benefit fund can be used for no other purpose than the payment of sick and funeral benefits, except it be investment in securities approved by the chief auditor. It is the business of the auditing department of the order to see that these laws are obeyed.

"And this is as it should be. For you cannot pay rent or grocery or other living expenses with promises. You can only pay them with good American dollars.

"But we have gone a great step further than that in guarding the Eagle home. We help the member to provide the additional protection of life insurance. We cannot insure every member, but if he is physically and financially able to carry insurance, we offer him the best insurance, the safest insurance, with the kind of options that most nearly anticipate the probable needs of his life; and we offer this insurance at a reasonable, not an excessive, rate.

"So we say, without fear of successful contradiction, that the Fraternal Order of Eagles gives more to its members for every dollar they pay in dues than any other fraternal organization in the country today. And more members have come into the fraternity because of this fact than for any other reason.

"Man is a social creature. He wants to pass his leisure hours in pleasurable surroundings and in the company of his friends. To gratify this very reasonable desire of our members is one of the avowed purposes of the F. O. E. So, during recent years a prominent member of the order, a business man and fraternalist of eminent standing, has directed a widespread movement among our aeries to erect and equip buildings that will meet lodge and social needs. The financing, in most instances, has been brilliantly achieved. Today aerie buildings costing from \$50,000.00 to one million dollars may be found, east, west, north and south and many others are under consideration. Any aerie seeking a building

that will be at once a clubhouse and an income-producing structure has the sympathetic help of Financial Advisors. Favorably on our purposes. The work out plans and erect buildings that will meet local needs. This insures well appointed clubhouses, with lodge room, billiard rooms, bowling alleys, an auditorium, a dance floor, and card rooms. This building program has become so extensive that within five years few aeries that earnestly wish such edifices, will be without them.

"We cannot make rich men of our members, but we aim to give them the sense of security and many of the pleasurable advantages of the rich man. Above all we claim to make good citizens. We want our members to be alert and informed. On such citizens the social welfare depends.

"Years ago, the order supported workmen's compensation until those laws were on the statute books of every state in which we were strong.

"We espoused the mother's pension when the mother's pension seemed but the ideal of a visionary. Perhaps it was—but we made it a reality. For a law was framed in 1911 by an Eagle and passed by the legislature of Missouri. It was administered in Jackson county, Mo., by the Eagle who wrote the law. It was the first mother's pension law adopted in this country. The man who wrote the law, secured its enactment and put it into operation and is, a member of Kansas City Aerie—Judge Everett Porterfield. For years, he had heard mother's pensions advocated by the leaders of this order. Recently, in a public statement, he has testified to the fact that the F. O. E. played in his inspiration and in the enactment of the law. 'You Eagles,' he said, 'are entitled to the credit for the creation and making of this the most constructive law on any book of statutes the world knows, for you pioneered with me in this.'

"The Fraternal Order of Eagles was the first advocate of the national observance of Mothers' day—that dear and sacred custom. Public recognition of this fact came on May 15, 1925, when the officials of the American War Mothers appointed a veteran member of this order, who is known among us as the 'Father and Mothers' Day,' to deliver the address during the observance of Mothers' day at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington cemetery at Washington.

"The Fraternal Order of Eagles was first in providing for the dependents of its soldiers and sailors in the World War. Seventeen hundred aeries through their delegates in the Grand Aerie in the summer of 1917 voted, without a dissenting voice, to pay a substantial gratuity to the dependents of our members who made the supreme sacrifice. The government followed with its insurance plan and some other organizations adopted the general idea. But the Eagles were FIRST.

"And today, though the war is eight years behind us, the Fraternal Order of Eagles is still recording payments to the dependents of the men who die as the result of wounds or sickness incurred in that war. We do not forget these heroes, though the sum paid has reached the total of one and one-half million dollars.

"Our patriotism is sincere—not lip service. The Eagle and the Flag are our symbols. Liberty, Truth, Justice, and Equality are the principles that we have sworn to uphold.

"That sacred oath, taken with faces uncovered at the altar of our fraternalism, is now leading us to the accomplishment of another great social reform.

"Today we seek to life from the hearts of millions of humble workers the fear of hunger and the winter's cold and all the bitter ignominy of poverty in old age. Many of these workers have never been paid more than enough to meet the simplest daily needs, and as they approach the age of 65 and 70 they find themselves being turned from the door of employment by the coldly appraising eye of an efficient department head who says to them: 'You are too old.'

"My friends, have you ever seen one of these aging, work-worn men, refused employment, standing in the middle of the sidewalk in front of that door, uncertain where to turn next, staring at invisible wraiths of despair? Have you seen in the pupils of their widened eyes what I have seen—starvation, incarceration in the poorhouse, the longing for death?

"Justice demands that they be pensioned.

"If it is not so, where is 'Equality' that a life of ill-paid toil should be rewarded at the end with the scrapheap? Where is 'Liberty,' if a life laboriously spent leads but to the prison of the almshouse? Where is 'Truth,' if we do not recognize that such an end is the blackest injustice?

"On these principles we stand! Into this great social demand we throw our strength.

"And we are winning! The people are coming our way!

"In Montana, Nevada, Kentucky and Wisconsin the Old Age pension laws sponsored by the Fraternal Order of Eagles have been adopted. In those states old folk are being pensioned. In Pennsylvania an amendment to the state's constitution has been introduced in the legislature that will allow an Old Age pension law to function in that great commonwealth. In California and Washington, legislatures passed the bill overwhelmingly, but a governor's veto has delayed temporarily the administering of the law. In a score of other states, Old Age pension have been made a vital issue. The way is being paved, as, for example, in the state of New York, where a commission of investigation has just been voted into existence by the legislature, after strenuous work on the part of the members of this order. This insures that a thorough survey will be made of conditions among New York's aged poor.

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REX YOUNG'S SALE DATES

The following are the sale dates of Col. W. R. Young, the local auctioneer and which will be of the greatest interest to the public:

- 3 Sage and Hass, Plattsmouth.
- 4 Nelson Jean.
- 5 J. C. Olsap, Greenwood.
- 6 C. C. Templeton, Wahoo.
- 10 L. J. Baker, Weeping Water.
- 11 William Martenson, Ceresco.
- 12 Dick Schromer, Nebraska City.
- 13 J. R. Chriswiler, Nehawka.
- 15 G. C. Barger, Ashland.
- 17 C. E. Gruber, Avoca.
- 19 C. H. Wray, Plattsmouth.
- 19 William Carey, Plattsmouth.
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- 21 E. W. Ruge, Avoca.
- 24 Fred Koster, Weeping Water.
- 25 George A. Oldberg, Colon.
- 26 Joe Johnson, Mead.
- 27 Erdman Bros., Venango.
- 28 William Mara, Venango.
- 29 Jim Stone, Nehawka.
- 31 Roy Becker, Union.

- 1 Cliff Roberts, Plattsmouth.
- 2 Emil Koukal, Plattsmouth.
- 4 Kelly, Rhoden, Murray.
- 9 Louie Puls, Murray.
- 10 William G. Renwanz, Greenwood.
- 15 Shafer Bros., Hog sale, Nehawka.
- 16 25 head mules and bred sows, Murray.
- 17 Ben Noel, Murray.
- 18 D. C. Meese, Ithaca.
- 21 Frank Elmer, Ceresco.
- 24 George Sprague, pure bred, LaMar.
- 26 Albert Hausher, Venango.
- 28 H. W. Neuman, Chase.

- 2 S. H. Arrants, Cedar Creek.
- 7 Perry Nickels, Hampshire bred sow sale, Murray.
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LOCAL NEWS

Dr. Heineman, Dentist, Hotel Main Bldg., Phone 527.

Dr. O. C. Hudson, Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon, Phones 31 - 477.
From Thursday's Daily—
Jarvis Lancaster, of near Murray, was here today for a few hours attending to some matters of business and visiting with friends.

Mrs. Hallie Perry was among the passengers on the early morning Burlington train today to attend to some matters of business in that city.

George Mark, well known Weeping Water resident, was here for a short time today looking after some matters of business and visiting with friends.

Mrs. O. W. Joiner and son, Oliver and granddaughter, Lois June of Nebraska City are here for a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graves.

Bert Reed, sheriff-elect, was here today from Weeping Water arranging for his moving here next week to take up the duties of the office to which he was elected in November.

Mrs. John Dutton of Kansas City, who is here visiting with her mother, Mrs. S. E. McElwain, departed this morning for Omaha where she will spend the day visiting at the home of Mrs. Harry Northcutt and family.

From Friday's Daily—
John S. Vallery was a visitor in Omaha today where he spent a few hours with Mrs. Vallery at the hospital and expecting to bring her home today at least by Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Brewer of Callaway, Nebraska, who has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter, departed this morning for her home after a very pleasant visit here during the holiday season.

Mrs. Claus Ploehn of Scribner, Nebraska, who has been here visiting with relatives and friends departed this morning for Omaha and thence home and was accompanied by Miss Clara Wickman who will visit at Scribner for a time.

Mrs. H. A. O'Hara of Lincoln who has been a guest here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed, departed this morning for her home and was accompanied as far as Omaha by Mrs. Reed and her mother, Mrs. W. J. O'Hara of Hastings, who is here for a holiday visit.

From Saturday's Daily—
Max Capwell of Casper, Wyoming, is here to enjoy a visit at the home of his brother, Attorney J. A. Capwell and wife. This is the first visit of Mr. Capwell here in the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith were at Omaha today where they were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hanna, the latter being formerly Miss Zora Smith of this city.

Miss Ruth Sitzman, who has been

visiting at Humphrey with Leona Van Ackern and Frances Reinhart returned home last night accompanied by Miss Van Ackern who will spend a few days in this city.

W. A. Brown, former resident of this county, located at the present time near Vancouver, British Columbia, is enjoying a visit for a short period with the relatives at Murray. Mr. Brown has resided in Canada for several years.

LEAVING FOR THE WEST

From Saturday's Daily—
Herbert Swanson, who has been employed here during the summer at the refrigerator car shops, and manager of the Plattsmouth baseball team, will leave on Monday in company with Joe Love, who has been engaged at the Rosencrans barber shop, for the west coast where they will enjoy a visit and may locate. They are planning to make the trip via the southern auto route and will probably make their start Monday as Mr. Swanson goes to his old home at Hamburg, Iowa, on Sunday for a visit there with the relatives before leaving.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Ladies Auxiliary of the St. Paul's church will meet Thursday, January 6, at the church parlors. Mrs. Ed Tritsch and Miss Elizabeth Hinz are hostesses.

Journal Want Ads cost but little, and they sure do get results.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

In the matter of the Application of Wm. Hunter, Administrator of the estate of Cecelia D. Jahrig, Deceased, for License to Sell Real Estate to Pay Debts.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Order and License issued to me, William Hunter, Administrator, by Honorable James T. Bogley, Judge of the District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1926, I will on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1927, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon on the premises in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, offer for sale at Public Auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots 1, 2, 3 and the east 1/4 of Lot 9; all of Lots 10, 11 and 12 in Block 75, Original Town of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska.

subject to all liens and encumbrances. Said offer for sale will remain open for one hour to receive bids.

Dated this 3rd day of January, A. D. 1927.

WILLIAM HUNTER, Administrator of the Estate of Cecelia D. Jahrig, Deceased.

W. G. KIECK, Attorney. j3-3w

Happy New Year
will be happier still if you start it with a good, warm, stylish—
Kuppenheimer Overcoat!
Winter has just begun—and there is plenty of cold weather to follow. Come in and feel yourself slide into a real coat—sleeves that "slip" and collars that hug.

\$35 Up
"Knock around coats" as low as **\$15.00**

Philip Thieroff
VALUE GIVING CLOTHES

Sorry, if any are left out—but a constant business co-operation among all the above concerns are interests, in and among themselves would boom Plattsmouth. Try it out. The Chamber of Commerce stands ready to boost aid business in Plattsmouth, and every farmer in Cass county. Give us your hand in 1927, and accept now our wishes for a happy and prosperous year for 1927 opening up for you—and me.

W. G. DAVIS, Secretary.
Are you a member of the Chamber of Commerce?
Have you anything to sell? Tell the world about it through the Journal's Want Ad department.