

MURDOCK DEPARTMENT.

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Merideth Weddell was looking after the affairs of the Postoffice during the visit of the postmaster at the state fair.

E. W. Thimgan was a visitor in Omaha with a car of hogs for a number of the farmers, taking them over to the market.

W. F. Jourgenson of Plattsmouth was a business visitor in Murdock on Wednesday of last week and was calling on A. H. Ward.

Harry V. McDonald was called to Lincoln on last Monday to look after some business and as it was Labor day also took in the Nebraska State Fair.

Miss Ruth Bauer, better known as "Bebe" departed on last Monday for Omaha where she will attend school this year the season beginning last week.

The family of Fred Wilkin was visiting for the last week with friends and relatives at Nebraska City, they being guests while there at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Neitzel and also A. J. Neitzel and families motored to Cedar Bluffs last Sunday and spent the day with the John Martin family. Mrs. Martin is a sister of Mrs. L. Neitzel.

Miss Eleanor Harting spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. S. B. MacDiarmid, in Omaha, the Dr. and family brought Miss Eleanor home in their auto for school which opened on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ranney of Council Bluffs, Iowa, were guests at the home of Mrs. B. Amgwert and Henry Amgwert and wife in Murdock on last Sunday, all enjoying the occasion very much.

We could not help but admire the sign which Marion Schewe painted the other day on the lumber sheds of Mr. W. H. Tool, announcing the lumber and coal for sale. It sure was a good piece of work.

A. H. Ward and family were enjoying attending the Nebraska State fair on Monday of last week, and were greatly impressed by the hosts of Nebraskans who were in attendance as well as others from elsewhere.

Mrs. W. T. Weddell, who was very poorly for some time and was kept to her bed for some time, is reported as being quite a bit better and is able to be up and about the home the greater portion of the time now.

John H. Buck and the family were enjoying the state fair on Wednesday of the past week, driving over in the morning in their car and remaining until the evening and having a very pleasant day for their visit.

Mr. Henry Reichmann, still remains very poorly at his home a portion of the time he is able to be up and around and again he is kept to his bed. His many friends are hoping he may soon be able to be about again.

Henry Stubbe and wife of Central City, the parents of Mrs. John Bornemeier, were visiting with their daughter for a few days during the past week, returning to their home on last Wednesday, after an enjoyable stay here.

Julius Reinke of Murdock and B. F. Dill of South Bend were enjoying a number of days stay in Denver, they enjoying the convention which was given by the Rock Island. Mr. Reinke returned home Wednesday and Mr. Dill remained until Friday.

Fred Wilkin of Elmwood was a visitor in Murdock on last Wednesday and was delivering gasoline to the A. H. Ward family. Mr. Wilkin was sick and unable to look after the business for a time, but was able to get at the delivery early last week.

A very enjoyable time was had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool last Sunday when all the children were present from Sioux City, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Meyer, and Mr. and Mrs. George Work of Kansas City and with the folks and Douglas making a very enjoyable party.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stackaskie, who have been making their home in the Golden West, California, are expected to visit with the mother of Mr. Stackaskie during the present month for a couple of weeks. They will surely enjoy their visit here as they have so many friends which they can visit.

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A. H. WARD
Murdock, Nebr.

Postmaster L. B. Gorthey and the good, wife with their family, and accompanied by Mrs. George Vandenberg, were enjoying a few days at the state fair, during the early portion of last week, they driving over to the big city and camping there two days. They were well paid for the trouble as the fair was great by their testimony.

Miss Helen Bornemeier, manager of the Murdock Telephone company, who was enjoying her vacation and spending a portion of it at Eustis, arrived home on last Monday, and was again at her work at the telephone exchange on Wednesday of the past week. Miss Helen on her return was accompanied by Charles Seikjost and son, Louis, who are guests at the Henry Bornemeier home for the present week.

Edward Rau was called to Lincoln on last Wednesday at noon, on account of his mother being very ill, and with no hope of her recovering. Mr. Rau hastened to the bedside of his mother and found there all of the family, rendering all the assistance they could in this, her last hour. The patient, with that peace which surpasses all understanding, was and with no hope of her recovering. The good woman passed to her reward at four in the afternoon.

The pilgrim took another trip last Sunday. This time it was to Cedar Bluffs; arriving there by 9:30 a. m., we had time to attend the Sunday school of the M. E. church, and of course stayed for the preaching service, conducted by our old friend, Rev. W. D. Parker, who delighted his people with an eloquent sermon based on John 4:4. We took our modest part in the service and met a number of very pleasant people, some we had known for 45 years.

Hold Reunion.
On last Sunday at the Wabash Park was held a relative reunion, and at which time there were many happy meetings. All came with well filled baskets for a basket dinner. The afternoon was spent in playing games and also a ball game. Mr. and Mrs. Knp and family of Wabash, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Backe-mer of Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. William Heier and family of Murdock, Miss Backemeyer of Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Backemeyer of Elmwood, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hornbeck and family, of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Heier of Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huff of Havelock, Mr. and Mrs. Louise Hickman and son of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Art Heier and family of Alvo, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heier and daughter of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heier of Manley were present and reported a most pleasant time.

The Murdock Schools.
With the opening of the schools Murdock has taken on a new spirit and the streets are filled with young Americans seeking knowledge. There are now enrolled about one hundred and sixty-five in the school, and fifty-nine in the high school, these are distributed as follows: Freshmen, 21; Sophomores, 29; Juniors 8; Seniors, or those who will graduate this coming summer, 11.

Many Attend Funeral.
Many of the relatives and friends of the late Fred Bornman were in attendance at the funeral at Ashland on last Wednesday afternoon. Those present from here Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oehlerking and Mr. and Mrs. L. Neitzel, while from Elmwood were Mrs. Simon Bornemeier, August Bornemeier and family, W. F. Bornemeier and wife, and Oliver and Chester Campbell.

Convention in October.
Our informant regarding the Bible school convention which is to be held at the Callahan church, southwest of Murdock this fall, said September, when the date for the convention is to be October 13th and 14th, which is still some time away. All interested please take note of the dates of the convention.

Both Parents Die.
Mr. and Mrs. Art Reibe of Chappell, each received messages announcing the passing of their parents last week. Mr. Art Reibe was the adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bornman of Ashland, and the wire came announcing the death of the father, the funeral being held on last Wednesday. At a little earlier date, Mrs. Reibe was called by the very serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Ernestine Schneider, who was in Lincoln, and during the time of the funeral of Mr. Bornman, the mother of Mrs. Reibe died at Lincoln. Notices of both funerals will appear elsewhere.

Entertain for Dinner.
At the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Zaar, was gathered a party of friends on last Sunday for the day and an excellent dinner which was served by Mrs. Zaar. There were there for the occasion, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Guston of southwest of Murdock, Mrs. Una McHugh and family of Murdock, Emil Stutzenegger of South Bend. The occasion was a most delightful meeting of the friends.

Camping at the Grounds.
A party consisting of Mrs. W. O. Gillespie, Mrs. Gillespie of Omaha, Miss Viola Everett of Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. Will McNamara of Fairmont have been enjoying all the season of the state fair, they having camped at the grounds and were thus enabled to save the daily transportation and to be at the grounds all the time. They surely enjoyed the entire week.

Will Meet September 13th.
The extension work for Cass county

from the state agricultural college, will meet and organize for their years work on September at the school at Murdock. All interested in this work should come and assist in the organization and be there for the first meeting.

Shoe Repairing.
First class shoe repairing at reasonable prices, shop next door west of old bank building. Give me a call.—L. M. Pillsbury.

Give Piano Recital.
Miss Bessie Nickels, who has been giving instruction in music for the past summer to her class of many pupils, twenty-five of whom are residents of Murdock, ended the term by giving a musical recital at the Murdock school, in which the scholars did excellent work.

Death of Old Time Resident of Cass County.

Mrs. Ernestine Schneider Dies at Lincoln After an Illness of Some Duration.

One of the old time residents of Murdock and vicinity has been called to the last reward in the death yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Lincoln of Mrs. Ernestine Schneider aged 63 years. The death came as the result of a very severe illness of some duration and during the last months of this sickness Mrs. Schneider has been cared for at the Roeber Home in Lincoln where she has been under the treatment of specialists.

The death has brought a great regret in the community where Mrs. Schneider has been a resident for some forty years and the family have the deep sympathy of the many friends on their bereavement.

Ernestine Mann was born in Germany, July 2, 1864, and grew to womanhood in that country where when at the age of nineteen years she was married to Adolph Rau, they coming to the United States a short time after the marriage and the family has since made their home in the west. Thirty three years ago Mr. Rau passed away, and twenty-three years ago Mrs. Rau was married to Charles Schneider, one of the prominent residents of the vicinity of Murdock and who has preceded his wife in death passing away eight years ago. In the last few years Mrs. Schneider has made her home with her daughter Mrs. Esther Gachel of near Wabash.

Several months ago her condition became worse and she was taken to Lincoln for treatment and where she was called to her last rest.

There is left to survive the mother five children, Mrs. Mary Reibe of Chappell, Charles Rau of Dunning, Edward Rau of Murdock, Mrs. Esther Gachel of Wabash and Carl Schneider of Lincoln.

The body was brought back to the old home and funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon from the Lutheran church north of Murdock.

Mrs. G. H. Black was a visitor in Lincoln today where she will enjoy a visit over the week end there with relatives and friends.

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Governor of Indiana Among Those Indicted

Indianapolis Mayor, County G. O. P. Boss, Former Klan Lawyer, Charged With Corruption.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 10.—Ed. Jackson of Indianapolis, Mayor John L. Duval of Indianapolis, George V. Coffin, political boss of Marion county, and Robert L. Marsh, former Ku Klux Klan attorney, known in Klan circles as "G-4," were indicted by the Marion county grand jury here Friday afternoon on charges of political corruption according to an Indianapolis dispatch to the Omaha Bee-News.

Governor Jackson is the second successive governor of Indiana to be indicted. Former Governor McCray has just been paroled from Atlanta Federal prison after indictment and conviction on a charge of using the mails to defraud.

The governor was charged with conspiracy to commit a felony and with attempting to bribe. The charge was based on the alleged offer of \$10,000 and immunity from prosecution made by Jackson to former Governor Warren T. McCray at the time that McCray was in financial and legal difficulties which later resulted in his being sentenced to the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., for 10 years.

Campaign Wrong Charged.
Mayor Duval was charged with violating the corrupt practice act in that he failed to list and concealed important contributions during the 1925 campaign.

The grand jury after returning the two indictments issued a statement that it would continue doing its duty. This was taken as an indication that there would be additional true bills forthcoming.

The indictment against Governor Jackson charged "that Ed Jackson, then being secretary of state of Indiana, George V. Coffin then being committee chairman of Marion county, and Robert L. Marsh, an attorney of the Ku Klux Klan, did then and there unlawfully, knowingly and feloniously, unite, combine, conspire, confederate and agree to and with each other and with one D. C. Stephenson to pay \$10,000 in cash and offer immunity to Governor Warren T. McCray if he said McCray would appoint James E. McDonald as Marion county prosecutor."

Gives Selves Up.
The indictment further charges that the organization of the Ku Klux Klan, terrorized Governor McCray to such an extent that he was forced to keep silent about the deal all the time he was in the federal prison.

The grand jury states that the officials of the Ku Klux Klan threatened to use their influence to prevent the parole of McCray at the end of 40 months of his 10-year sentence.

The penalty for conspiracy to commit a felony under Indiana law is two to fourteen years imprisonment and a fine of from \$25 to \$5,000.

Capiases were issued for the arrests of Governor Jackson, Mayor Duval, Coffin and Marsh and deputy sheriffs were sent in search of indicted officials, but Governor Jackson and the other officials went to the office of Sheriff Omer Hawkins where all gave bond in the sum of \$2,500, but the mayor whose bond was fixed at \$1,000. Bonds had been set by Criminal Judge James A. Collins, to whom the indictments were returned.

Paving Coup Cited.
The charges against the mayor were practically a reiteration of the charges filed May 17, by the special prosecutors. The gravest charge was that Duval made an agreement with William H. Armitage, Indianapolis politician and paving company representative, and received \$10,000 from Armitage, on condition that Armitage would be allowed to select two members of the board of public works and the city engineer. This would give Armitage control of city paving operations involving expenditures of several million dollars.

The charges also were that Duval promised the "political committee" of the Indianapolis Ku Klux Klan to appoint klansmen to 85 per cent of the city jobs and also that he promised jobs to a number of Klan leaders and other politicians.

McCray to Testify.
Indiana will witness the novel spectacle of one governor just released from the federal penitentiary testifying at the trial of his successor for former Governor McCray has been listed as one of the state witnesses against Governor Jackson, Coffin and Marsh.

Other witnesses listed are State Senator William P. Evans, son-in-law of McCray, whose resignation as Marion county prosecutor, brought about the conspiracy which resulted in the indictment of Governor Jackson; Fred C. Robinson, campaign manager for McCray; James W. Noel, McCray's attorney, and Robert W. Lyons, formerly a power in the Ku Klux Klan.

Mayor Duval will resign as mayor at the next meeting of the city council on Monday night, according to a report from an authoritative source Friday afternoon.

Princeton archeologists discover that the permanent wave was known to Roman women in 168 A. D. However, the Romans knew too much about the meaning of the word "permanent" to call it that.

NEBRASKA INDUSTRIAL NOTES

To add 10,000 acres of irrigated land to farm productivity in Hitchcock county is the ambition of F. H. Krotter, president of the electric company at Palisade. He already has large land and mercantile holdings and has developed a private irrigation system that is used in conjunction with his electric flour mill businesses.

Although Falls City boasts a population of 6,000 there is nothing about which the citizens are prouder than two rock-walled wells from which "old oaken buckets" daily draw "sweet water" for domestic uses.

Kearney is installing additional ornamental lights on its principal streets and boulevards. In some cases cluster lights will be used but single light standards are going up in the residential districts.

A new 5 million candle-power revolving light has been installed on the water tower at Wood River as a signal for airmail fliers. Its beams can be seen for 75 miles.

During the month of July nine Iowa counties voted \$7,580,000 road bonds. During the month 60 miles of road were graded, 63 miles graveled and 127 miles graded.

Public indebtedness in Nebraska was reduced a half-million dollars in July by payment of county, city and district bonds.

Union will have a waterworks system, the result of a four to one vote on a bond issue for \$18,500.

The city of Schuyler expects to spend \$15,000 for a new electric generating unit for the muny plant.

The Thirty Mile irrigation canal south of Gothenburg has been completed and will be available for service this fall.

Electric power through a transmission line from Greeley will serve a church, convent and parish house at O'Connor.

Albion will have its new electrolier lighting system installed before the opening of the Boone county fair. Extension improvements will be made in the telephone plant at Oakland before December.

A cheese factory is proposed for Ravenna. It will make three for Buffalo county.


The electric distribution system of Wood River is being completely rebuilt.

Minatare boasts that it is to have a new \$25,000 Burlington station.

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WHEAT BEST SINCE 1919 **ONE OF THE LARGEST HOG RANCHES IN WEST**

Nebraska's 1927 wheat crop is valued at approximately \$88,528,000 as compared with \$46,753,000 last year, according to the state and federal division of agricultural statistics. The crop of 1919 was worth \$122,564,000 and is the highest on record. In that year 60,675,000 bushels of wheat were raised, and the price was \$2.02 per bushel. This year production is more than 75,500,000 bushels and the average price paid to farmers during July and August was \$1.17 per bushel.

The value of Nebraska's 1927 wheat crop is the highest since 1919 in which year the price was abnormally high due to post-war inflation. This year a record crop of wheat totalling more than 75,500,000 bushels was raised, and the value based on the average price of \$1.17 per bushel paid to farmers during July and August is \$88,528,000. Last year's crop of 60,675,000 bushels was valued at \$46,753,000 on the basis of Dec. 1 prices. The crop of 1927 is worth nearly \$42,000,000 more than the crop of last year, and \$33,614,000 more than the average value of the wheat crop during the five preceding years which was \$49,914,000.

Gering—The Davis ranch, located on Horse creek, is becoming known as one of the largest hog ranches in the west and is at this time the largest in Wyoming. At the present time it is running more than 2,000 head of pure-bred Durocs. The new railroad which is being built from the valley to the main line runs through the ranch, and a siding is to be built where shipments of hogs may be made and feed unloaded. The ranch consists of approximately 15,000 acres and is ideally situated for hog raising and farming. Cattle were formerly kept on the ranch, but quicker turnover was desired. The ranch is not far from the Nebraska line.

Dempsey has outlined the plan of attack he proposes to employ against Tunney and Tunney has told in detail just what he proposes to do when he meets the former heavyweight champion. Poor old Napoleon! He was an amateur at the art of fooling the enemy.



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