

## MURDOCK

By Journal Field Representative

A supply of coal was received in Murdock that temporarily offered relief to the situation here.

### Sells Corn Here

Henry Wendt, prominent resident of east of Elmwood, was in Murdock Monday and sold 1,500 bushels of corn at the elevator. The Staley Mills received it, the Murdock elevator acting as agent.

E. H. Miller was in town Tuesday getting some lumber for repair work at the farm.

Louis Neitzel was at Elmwood on Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral for Mrs. Amelia Kuntz, an old time friend.

Mrs. H. R. Schmidt, who has been quite ill for days is reported as better and able to be about again.

Louis Schmidt, who has had some 300 acres of corn to gather, has now completed the job.

John Turner, Alvo elevator man, who had his hand broken some time ago, is getting along nicely altho the hand is very inconvenient in his work.

Charles Godby of Alvo, who suffered a stroke, has remained about the same.

### Back in the States

Glen Buck, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buck, an ensign in the navy, is now back in the United States. He writes his parents that he is now at the naval hospital at San Francisco. The family and friends are pleased to learn that he is now back in the U. S.

John Gakemeier was visiting at Mynard and Plattsmouth Saturday and looking after some matters of business.

### Mother Much Better

Mrs. Ray Bambin, who has been nursing her mother, Mrs. R. E. Wyatt of Davey, has returned home. The other is reported as being very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Race and family were at Des Moines, Iowa, Sunday where they enjoyed a visit with relatives and friends. They drove from Murdock to the Iowa capital city.

L. Race was at St. Joseph, Mo., Tuesday to attend the used car auction. Mr. Race has been attending these sales for the past several months and made many purchases.

### Royal Neighbors Meeting

The Royal Neighbors of America have enjoyed a very pleasant social meeting which was largely attended. One feature of the evening was the revealing of the "secret friend" that had aided the order several times.

Henry A. Tool, Paul Stock and Fred Kasten were at Lincoln this week where they were called on matters of business.

### Visit with Relatives

Mrs. Albert Reichart, who has been making her home in Oregon City, Ore., while her husband is em-

ployed at Norfolk, Va., stopped off in Murdock to visit Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reichart, while enroute east. Orris and Morris Reichart, who are in the navy, write their parents that they are in North Africa. They send greetings to all of the old friends.

The ladies aid society of the Evangelical church had their meeting at the home of Mrs. L. B. Gorthey, having an excellent program and did much work for the church.

### Coal Mine Inspectors Sought In New Civil Service Exam

A new examination for coal mine inspectors requiring a written test and setting minimum age at 30, maximum age at 55, was announced today by the United States Civil Service Commission. Appointments will be made for field service in the Bureau of Mines, Department of Interior. Persons who became eligible under Announcement 106, issued in July, 1941, must file new applications and pass the written test if they wish to retain their eligibility under the new announcement.

Positions pay from \$3,163 to \$5,228 a year, including overtime, and require from 5 to 8 years of practical experience in coal mining. Experience connected with safety-of-operation of coal mines is required and all applicants must have done some specialized work in a responsible capacity. The written part of the examination will test the applicants ability to make written reports.

Applications must be filed with the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., not later than January 20, 1944.

Information and application forms may be secured from the Commission's local secretary, Mr. Henry A. Hughson, located at Plattsmouth, Nebr. Applications are also obtainable from most first or second-class post offices, and from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

"A Community Church"  
Union, Nebraska  
T. Porter Bennett, Pastor

9:45 "The Christmas Message," by the Pastor.

Why not unite with the church on Sunday?

10:30 The Church School: Donald McQuinn, general superintendent. There is a class for you.

7:10 Youth Fellowship—Miss Ruth Rhoades, president. Miss Vurla Meakins, counselor.

The recreation program is being carried forward. Thanks to all who are making this possible.

Friday—8:00 The Sunday School Christmas program.

### WHERE THE FUEL GOES



AN ARMY TRANSPORT burns 33,000 gallons of fuel oil a day.

### Trench Mouth

One large school had 200 cases of trench mouth. It was thought that the infection came from the drinking fountains. If improperly constructed or improperly used, the bubbling fountain may be a greater menace to health than the common drinking cup. Never touch the metal with hands or lips.

"One day not long ago, an inspector from the United States Public Health Service took a seat beside a bubbling fountain in a railway station and watched the way in which it was used. Forty-seven persons used the fountain. In almost every case the lips were placed around the metal ball, and one boy seemed to be trying to swallow it." Of the 47 people, three looked very ill and three others had face eruptions.

Trench mouth is believed by

many scientists to be an acute infectious disease characterized by a sore throat and the presence of ulcers covered by a thin pseudomembrane. A second subacute form of the disease affects the gums, causing ulceration, pain and fever. A recent article in the Journal of American Dental Association says that there is considerable debate in professional circles regarding this point. It may be readily be due to prevailing dietary deficiencies plus poor sanitary conditions. Many persons who are "carriers" harbor the causative organisms without having an active case of the disease. Improperly washed and sterilized eating and drinking utensils carrying the infection by indirect contact seem to be common sources of spread.

Mouth health, adequate nutrition and good sanitation are vitally important. If you have any symptoms

of trench mouth, see your dentist at once.

### Report on United War Fund

The United War Fund campaign in Cass county is now closed. Eleven of the seventeen towns went over the top. Avoca more than doubled their quota.

| Chairman           | Town        | Quota | Total raised |
|--------------------|-------------|-------|--------------|
| Elmer Hallstrom    | Avoca       | \$200 | \$634.00*    |
| Mrs. Karl Rosenow  | Alvo        | 275   | 302.00*      |
| Evelyn Franke      | Cedar Creek | 250   | 255.00*      |
| Mrs. G. K. Eveland | Elmwood     | 440   | 445.00*      |
| D. W. Webb         | Louisville  | 855   | 924.80*      |
| G. Wayne Dority    | Manley      | 250   | 172.30       |

| Chairman                   | Town          | Quota     | Total raised |
|----------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------------|
| Mrs. P. C. Krey            | Murdock       | 400       | 358.25       |
| Mrs. M. N. Tucker          | Nehawka       | 325       | 445.85*      |
| C. R. Olson                | Plattsmouth   | 3175      | 1490.68      |
| Mrs. F. J. Kuecht          | South Bend    | 250       | 250.00*      |
| Howard Snodgrass           | Union         | 375       | 380.60*      |
| Mrs. Ralph Richards        | Wabash        | 240       | 258.00*      |
| Mrs. R. O. Baker           | Weeping Water | 880       | 596.87*      |
| Charles Boedeker           | Murray        | 400       | 169.08       |
| Mrs. Oliver Meisinger      | Mynard        | 290       | 366.20       |
| Valley Trumble             | Eagle         | 325       | 136.40       |
| Mrs. Richard Cole          | Greenwood     | 390       | 273.75       |
| Nebraska Tel. and Tel. Co. |               |           | 50.00        |
|                            | Total         | \$4500.00 | \$7949.46    |

\* Indicates that quota was raised.

A THANK YOU  
Only the men and women in service have the right to thank all the grand folks who worked as solicitors, officers, and contributors to make possible Cass county's contribution of near \$8,000,000 to the United War Fund, but as the county officers we wish to add our sincere appreciation to every one who has helped in any way. Our special thanks to the newspapers of Cass county for their most generous publicity.

Mrs. Ray Norris,  
Cass County Chairman.

This is a family war. Put your War Bonds buying through the payroll savings plan on a family plan, which means figure it out yourself.

# Take My Advice--Shop Black & White For The Best In



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| 100 Percent PURE VEGETABLE<br><b>SNO-KREEM</b> Blends swiftly, surely<br>5 Brown points pound 1-LB. CTN. <b>24¢</b>   | <b>IGA CHU-WEE Peanut Butter</b><br>1-LB. JAR <b>28¢</b>  | <b>RINSO</b><br>LARGE Package <b>21¢</b>   | <b>WHEATIES</b><br>8-OZ. Package <b>11¢</b>  |
| <b>We Pay 2 Brown Points for each lb. of waste fat. Bring it in now!</b>  | <b>RATIONING TIME TABLE</b><br>Brown Stamp P became valid Sunday, December 12.<br>Green Stamps A, B, C expire Monday, December 20.<br>Sugar Stamp No. 29 Good for 5 Pounds. | <b>CALUMET BAKING POWDER</b><br>1-LB. CAN <b>16¢</b>   | <b>SUNSHINE KRISPY CRACKERS</b><br>1-LB. PKG. <b>17¢</b>   |
| <b>ROYAL GUEST 13 Gr. pts. can. No. 2 Can</b><br><b>CORN</b> For the holiday breakfast, serve golden, crisp corn fritters with crisp curly bacon <b>17¢</b> | <b>IGA BRAND Salad Mustard</b><br>9-OZ. JAR <b>10¢</b>  | <b>KELLOGG'S PEP</b><br>REG. Package <b>10¢</b>  | <b>IGA BRAND Black Pepper</b><br>2-OZ. Can <b>7¢</b>   |
| <b>GERBER'S Strained Baby Foods</b><br>1 Point <b>7¢</b>  | <b>HERSHEY'S Breakfast Cocoa</b><br>1-2 CAN <b>10¢</b>  | <b>IGA BRAND Corn Starch</b><br>1-LB. Package <b>7¢</b>  | <b>ROYAL GUEST PEAS 13 Gr. pts. Cans</b><br>No. 2 Cans <b>16¢</b>  |
| <b>NEW DELICIOUS NUTRITIOUS FLUF-TEX</b> Pudding Mix Easily prepared, <b>14.0Z. PKG. 11¢</b>  | <b>IGA BRAND Wheat Cereal</b><br>28-OZ. Package <b>14¢</b>  | <b>MACA YEAST</b><br>3 Packages <b>9¢</b>  | <b>SWAN SOAP</b><br>LARGE Bar <b>10¢</b>   |
| <b>IGA CUT Green Beans</b><br>5 Points No. 2 Cans <b>19¢</b>  | <b>IGA BRAND TOMATOES</b><br>21 Points No. 2 1/2 Cans <b>18¢</b>  | <b>NO COOKING - READY IN 30 SECONDS</b><br><b>SPEEDWAY LAUNDRY STARCH</b><br>12-OZ. PKG. <b>8¢</b> | <b>FRESH ROASTED PEANUTS</b><br>Pound <b>27¢</b>   |
| Top off the holiday dinner with a cup of delicious <b>IGA DELUXE COFFEE</b><br>1-LB. BAG <b>32¢</b>   | <b>IGA BRAND Cider Vinegar</b><br>24-OZ. Bottle <b>13¢</b>  | <b>IGA BRAND Toothpix</b><br>Package <b>5¢</b>   | <b>CHILL TO WHIP - HAS ADDED VITAMIN 'D'</b><br><b>IGA MILK</b> 1 Brown Point per can <b>3 TALL CANS 26¢</b> |
| <b>FRESH SEEDLESS RAISINS</b><br>4 Points Pound <b>15¢</b>  | <b>GREENIES EARLY JUNE PEAS</b><br>They're Different 16 Points can, can <b>16¢</b>  | <b>BORAXO HAND SOAP</b><br>Package <b>15¢</b>  | <b>OATMEAL QUICK or REGULAR</b><br>3-LB. Package <b>22¢</b>  |
| <b>FANCY QUALITY - NEW PACY BEANS</b> IGA CUT WAX 5 Points <b>17¢</b>   | <b>ROYAL GUEST COFFEE</b><br>1-LB. BAG <b>26¢</b>   | <b>WILBERT'S No-Rub Wax</b><br>Pint <b>39¢</b>   | <b>Pancake Flour</b><br>3-LB. Bag <b>21¢</b>   |

**PORK LOIN END ROAST** 2 to 3 LB. Average 4 Points, Pound **28¢**

**BABY BEEF SIRLOIN** STEAK Heavy Veal 7 Points, Pound **35¢**

**TENDERIZED PICNICS** Wilson's Certified Smoked, 2 pts, Lb. **31¢**

**SMOKED BACON JOWLS** 1 pt. Lb. Pound **21¢**

**LEAVE YOUR ORDERS NOW FOR FRESH DRESSED CHICKENS FRESH OYSTERS**

**LEMONS** JUICY Dozen **39¢**

**APPLES** GOLDEN DELICIOUS Pound **11 1/2¢**

**ORANGES** FLORIDA JUICE Pound **8¢**

**GRAPEFRUIT** TEXAS SEEDLESS, Pound **6¢**

**SWEET POTATOES** CELERY  
Minced Meat Mixed Nuts  
Head Lettuce Leaf Lettuce  
GRAPES DATES FIGS

## RAW FURS

**SPECIAL Pre-CHRISTMAS PRICES SPOT -- CASH**

**SKUNK, Large Prime** \$2.50  
**CIVETS, Large Prime** \$1.00  
Small and unprime at value

**MINK, Large dark prime** \$12.00  
**MINK, Medium Dark prime** \$9.00  
**MINK, Small dark prime** \$7.00

**RACCOON, Large Prime** \$5.00  
**RACCOON, Medium prime** \$4.00  
**RACCOON Small prime** \$3.00

**MUSKRATS, average collect** \$1.50  
(Kits and damaged out)

**OPOSSUM** 25 to 50¢  
**COYOTE** \$3.00 to \$6.00

**Beef Hide all weights** 10¢  
**Horse Hide, No. 1.** \$5.50

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