

MURDOCK DEPARTMENT.

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The Bank of Murdock

The wise man, and the successful man, invariably is very careful in the selection of his bank and his doctor. He knows that his life may depend on the judgment and ability of his doctor. He fully realizes that the life and success of his business, be it professional, merchandising or farming, may depend on his banker.

There is no question but that we shall pass through an adjustment period, bordering on a panic, within the next few years, present conditions foreshow this, and the man who has not already tied up with an established, reliable bank - a bank whose officers have successfully withstood times of stress, may shortly regret his lack of judgment. Select a bank that is able to take care of you in times of plenty, as well as in times of famine, and you can then rest easy. Remember the solid, dependable things of life are not based on promises, but on deeds. Our past record is what counts.

We have the above necessary qualities to offer our customers, besides personal services whenever our opinion is desired on business or personal matters of our friends.

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The Bank of Murdock

"The Bank where You Feel at Home"

HENRY A. TOOL, President J. E. GUTHMANN, Vice-Pres.
H. A. GUTHMANN, Cashier

Wm. Gehrts was looking after some business matters in Lincoln last week.

John Miller has accepted a position on the farm of P. V. Pickwell, where he is picking corn.

H. K. Frantz of Eagle, was a visitor in Murdock last Wednesday renewing his acquaintance here.

William Meyers, who is attending the state university at Lincoln, was a visitor at home over Sunday.

Joseph Taylor has purchased himself a Metz car which he is finding plenty of use for, as it is a very serviceable "critter".

E. W. Thimman was a visitor at both Weeping Water and Elmwood last Friday afternoon, where he was called to look after business matters.

O. W. Gillespie was a visitor at Lincoln last Friday for a short time, where he was looking after some business matters.

Sheriff C. B. Quinton was a visitor in Murdock last Wednesday posting notices for the coming election and was visiting with his many friends here.

Walter Baumgartner, who is attending the state university, was a visitor over Sunday at the home of his parents, Conrad Baumgartner and wife.

Fred Reichman who has been sick for some time past with tonsillitis, is much improved and was able to be in town during the latter portion of the week.

Henry Keineman is engaged in picking corn for Henry Bornemeyer, and is rolling in big loads every day. Henry is a good worker wherever you may put him.

Orville Igeresen was a visitor at the home of friends in Pawnee City, last Sunday, returning home on the following day. He was accompanied by a very dear friend.

John Scheel and wife and their son John, Jr., spent a short time in Lincoln last Tuesday, driving over in the car of John Jr., and looking after some business for a few hours.

Lacey McDonald, accompanied by his mother and the smaller children, enjoyed the game between the Nebraska University and the team from Notre Dame, which was played at Lincoln last Saturday.

Sancientintendent of schools, J. H. Burwell, and principal, George War-

ren, departed last Friday evening for their homes at Lincoln and University Place, where they spent Sunday with their families.

Mrs. Kate Duizzo of Omaha, and Miss Lillian Amgwert of Council Bluffs, were visiting at the home of their mother, Mrs. L. G. Amgwert, and their brother John Amgwert of Murdock, for a few days.

Charles F. Hite has been busy during the past week in lining the cellar under the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Amgwert and husband with tile which will increase the warmth and keep out the vermin as well.

John Scheel, Jr., was a visitor at Weeping Water last Friday, where he attended the foot ball game between Weeping Water and Plattsmouth. The game was an interesting one, with the county seat team winning.

I. G. Hornbeck, after having spent an extended time in visiting in the south, where he was having a very good time, returned home last week looking hale and hearty, and is in good condition to take up his work again.

M. R. Thelle and Emil Kuehn of Lincoln, were in Murdock last Friday looking after some insurance business. Having an eye to business they also took home with them on their return a supply of good butter and fresh eggs for their use.

John Amgwert and family spent last Sunday at the home of their friends George Scott of Plattsmouth, driving over in their car. The families of Mr. Amgwert and Mrs. Scott were neighbors and very dear friends while they both lived at Bennett some time ago.

George L. Farley was a visitor in Murdock last Wednesday looking after his fences in the coming election, he being a candidate for county commissioner of the first district and having for his competitor Mr. C. F. Vallery, who is now highway commissioner.

O. W. Gillespie, who has been in the west for some time past, where he has been engaged in seeding some five hundred acres of wheat, returned home the first of the week. Mr. Gillespie thinks the west an excellent place and especially for wheat, but there is no place just like the vicinity of Murdock for all kinds of crops.

Farmers Needing Help Now.

The farmers are all pretty busy at this time gathering their corn crop and are finding the quality the best while the yield is more than expected earlier in the season. There is a scarcity of men to pick corn and many more could be used in this community.

Had a Wianie Roast.

The members of the high school of Murdock and a number of their friends, motored to Hope Hill school house, where they enjoyed a wianie roast in the moonlight last Wednesday evening and had a very enjoyable time. They were taken in three cars, being driven by Dan Bornemeyer, Victor Thimgan and Albert Thelle, Jr.

Entertained Freshmans

The sophomore class of the Murdock school last Friday entertained the freshman class at the high school building where they enjoyed the evening in games and had a very pleasant time, which was climaxed by a delightful luncheon. This is the initiation of the freshman class into the realities of the high school.

Grandma Gillespie Happy

One of the happiest people to be found in Murdock just now is Mrs. W. O. Gillespie. The reason of her unusual happiness is disclosed in the announcement of the arrival of a fine little son at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Blattspeller, of Tobias.

The mother was formerly Miss Cera Isenbut, adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie.

And we mustn't fail to say that Old isn't feeling so badly either over the matter of being a grandfather. His face is so wreathed in smiles that he finds it difficult to hold a cigar in his mouth at all.

Were Visitors Here

Jack, the barber, of Ashland, accompanied by a very good looking and finely dressed young man of Moline, Illinois, have been particularly attentive and pleasant visitors in Murdock a goodly portion of last week, and seemed to be much interested in the public schools.

Washed Overboard and Drowned

While engaged on a mine sweep in the North sea, which is a pretty rough piece of water during the fall and winter season, William Bauer, brother of G. Bauer of Murdock, was washed overboard and drowned despite efforts made to save him. The body was also washed away, the crew being unable to recover it.

Mr. Bauer has a letter written by his brother on September 23rd, in which he stated that he and his two daughters, Merna, 19, and Hattie, 15, expected to sail for America as soon as arrangements could be made. This letter and another written by Miss Merna early in October, telling of her father's death the day before, both arrived in Murdock in the same mail.

Mr. Bauer has arranged for the daughters, whose mother has been dead for a number of years, to sail for the United States at an early date and they will visit their uncle here for a considerable time.

Will Have Show All Week

The people of Murdock are to be entertained during the entire week by a traveling show troupe, which is holding forth in the Modern Woodman hall.

Had an Excellent Meeting

The Women's Missionary society of the Evangelical association held a very successful meeting at the Louisville church, northeast of Murdock at their annual meeting on October 19th, at which there was a large crowd present and a very interesting program was given as well as the business transacted.

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The program consisted of a number of dialogues illustrating the need of missionary work, together with special music furnished by the quartette of the Louisville church, the Callihan chorus and a special male chorus composed of twenty selected voices from the churches of Louisville, Callihan, Murdock and Elmwood; also a duet which was highly appreciated. The society was fortunate in the securing of \$265.00 for the furtherance of its program of missionary work.

Has a Very Tidy Shop

Max Dusterhoff, who carries a stock of supplies and materials for sale in connection with his business, has made some alterations in the store since the removal of Fred Ochme with his shoe repair shop from the front part of the building to a room in the rear.

Mr. Dusterhoff has built shelving for the display of his paints and varnishes and also has samples of wall paper on display. Having refurnished the room, it looks as neat as a pin and is an apt illustration of the excellent work Mr. Dusterhoff and his assistants do. He is also painting his own building, which he keeps in neat condition.

Step around when in town and cast your optics upon the neat display which Mr. Dusterhoff's shop presents.

Held Successful Meeting

The meetings which have been in progress at the Callihan church for number of weeks, were closed a few days since. Services were conducted by a number of noted ministers of the state and were productive of a great deal of good.

Those instrumental in making the meetings a success include the membership of the church and the following ministers: Rev. Ezra Soll, pastor of the Callihan church as well as that at Elmwood; Rev. A. Sohl, his father, former presiding elder at Lincoln; Rev. C. Shellenbarger, the present presiding elder at Lincoln; Rev. E. J. Wagner, of Milford; Rev. Fred Eastertag, of Ithica, and Rev. Hoesch, of Weston.

A special male chorus of twenty voices, composed of singers from Louisville, Elmwood, Callihan and Murdock; the Callihan quartette and Al Bornemeyer and Charles Lorenz, in duet singing, all contributed to the success of the meetings.

Murdock Store is Robbed

At an early hour last Tuesday morning, burglars entered the business house of the Murdock Mercantile company and made way with merchandise to the value of some \$800. Entrance was gained through a rear window, by prying open the bars and entering the ware room, which afforded easy access to the main store.

The entire stock of jewelry, valued at about \$400 was taken and a like amount of silk goods. With the exception of perhaps a few minor items, these were the only class of goods taken.

The parties committing the burglary seemed to have a pretty good knowledge of the arrangement of the store as evidenced by the way in which they went about gaining entrance and the manner in which they called the stock for the particular goods they seemed to want.

A Bauer was awakened at about the hour the burglary is supposed to have taken place, and saw some bright lights which are supposed to have been on the car of the parties doing the job.

Attended Wedding Anniversary

H. A. Tool and wife, of Murdock, were in attendance at the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, who was engaged in

business in Murdock for some fifteen years in connection with Mr. Tool under the firm name of Martin and Tool. They disposed of their business some seven years ago to the Murdock Mercantile company, Mr. J. E. McHugh taking charge, while Mr. Tool entered the banking business.

Mr. Martin retired, moving to Lincoln, where they have since been making their home in ease.

Mr. and Mrs. Tool enjoyed the occasion of their visit very much.

Are Killing Ducks

Harry Gillespie, Louis and I. G. Hornbeck and H. W. Tool are spending some time at Pawnee lodge on the Platte river bottom, where they have been enjoying some excellent shooting, having winged a number of ducks who in their pilgrimage from the frozen north to the balmy breezes of the southland made the Platte their temporary abiding place.

The sportsmen of Murdock have very correctly timed the passing of these birds and have greeted them with a very warm reception. Anyhow the members of the party have been having an excellent time.

PUBLIC SALE!

The undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, three-quarters of a mile north of Plattsmouth, on Monday, November 1st, 1920, the following described property, to-wit:

Sale will commence at 10:00 a. m. Seventeen head of horses: One black team of mares, 7 and 8 year old, well matched, wt. 2400, one bred to jack; one bay mare, 6 years old, wt. 1350, bred to jack; one gray mare, 10 years old, wt. 1400, bred to jack; one gray Gelding, 7 years old, wt. 1100; one gray team, well matched, 10 years old, wt. 2300; one black Gelding, coming 5 years old, wt. 1400; one sorrel Gelding, 4 years old, wt. 1200; one black Gelding, 4 years old, wt. 1100; one 2 year old horse, wt. 900; one steel gray mare, 2 years old, wt. 800; one bay Gelding, coming 4 years old, wt. 1100; one black Gelding, 5 years old, wt. 1350; one bay team, 9 and 10 years old, wt. 2900; two 2 year old colts.

Farming implements: One Janesville disc cultivator; one disc harrow; one 6-shovel cultivator; two hay rakes; two single row go-devils; one John Deere lister; one walking plow; one farm wagon; one top buggy, good as new; one disc harrow; one garden plow; one disc cultivator; one Emerson mower; one set inch and one-half harness; one set work harness; one set driving harness; one corn planter with one-half mile wire; one riding lister; one riding cultivator; one farm wagon; one set 1 3-4 inch harness, good as new; one set 1 1-2 inch harness.

One milk cow, fresh in March. One spring calf, one hundred chickens.

Lunch will be served at noon. Terms: All sums of \$10 and under cash; on all sums over \$10 a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving bankable paper, bearing 8 per cent from date. Property must be settled for before being removed.

Col. W. R. Young, Auctioneer. T. M. Patterson, Clerk.

FOR STATE SENATOR

Being a candidate for state senator in the second district, consisting of Cass and Otoe counties on the republican ticket, I will appreciate the support of my friends in the district.

A. F. STURM, Nehawka, Neb.

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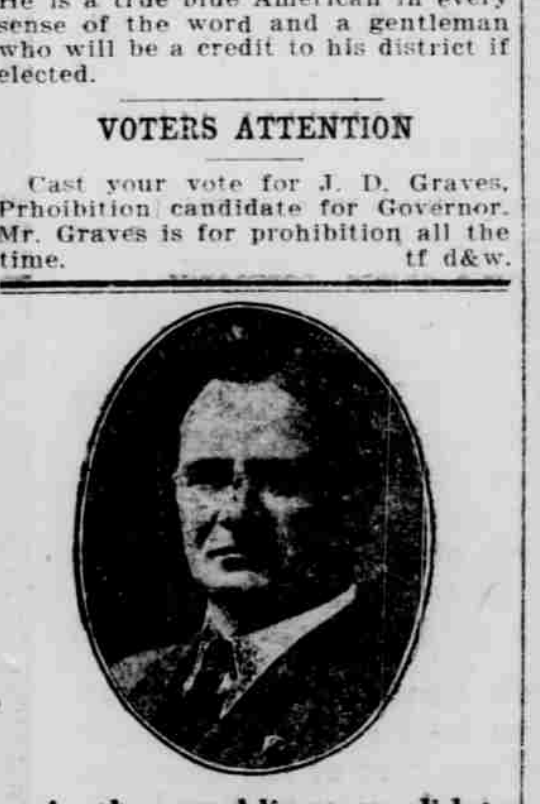
Five thousand and eight thousand mble guarantee goes with the Hawk-eye tires. See F. G. Egenberger, agent.

WILL SERVE THE PEOPLE

James P. Baker of Dunbar, democratic candidate for representative in Cass and Otoe county, came in this morning to visit with his friends and to meet the people of this portion of the county. Mr. Baker is one of the most highly respected residents of Otoe county and one whose word is as good as his bond. He is making a clean cut campaign and has only one purpose in view if elected and that is to serve the interest of the taxpayers honestly and faithfully. He is a true blue American in every sense of the word and a gentleman who will be a credit to his district if elected.

VOTERS ATTENTION

Cast your vote for J. D. Graves, Prohibition candidate for Governor. Mr. Graves is for prohibition all the time.



As the republican candidate for State Representative, I stand for the best interests of Cass county, first, last and all the time, and for the state of Nebraska. I am running for the second term. Your support will be appreciated. Election November 2nd, 1920.
H. K. FRANTZ.

VOTE FOR

William F. Moran

CANDIDATE FOR

State Senator

Cass and Otoe Counties

Mr. Moran has served as County Attorney of Otoe county for four terms and will serve the best interests of the people in the legislature.

A Vote for Mr. Moran is a Vote for a Square Deal.

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MURDOCK NEBRASKA

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THANKSGIVING

is celebrated because of our bountiful blessings. This is another occasion on which we all love to meet each other.

CHRISTMAS

of all times, appeals most to our hearts. The folks all come home then; friends delight in meeting friends in sociability.

We all like to have our friends with us and to offer them the best our homes afford. The season is near at hand when friends will be pouring in. Is there not a room or two in your home that will need touching up and putting in condition to enhance the joyous pleasures of these "homecoming" meetings?

We have the best of materials and the most experienced and best qualified artisans to place your rooms in just the condition you would like to have them for your gatherings.

The Dusterhoff Shops,

MURDOCK NEBRASKA

The TITAN TRACTOR

Keep in mind that we are handling the famous "TITAN" Tractor, and have a few on hand that we can deliver on short notice.

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WM. GEHRTS,

Murdock Nebraska

The November Election

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