

MURDOCK DEPARTMENT.

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The Best Our Aim!

Our idea is service first, and the best service at that. Our garage was established in 1916, and since then we have maintained service the best during the years, day in and day out, whether a week day, holiday or Sunday. But one half day and we close our place of business and have ever been ready for extending service to the public. We are continuing our service. There are instances where it may not bring in the dollar, but the customer must be satisfied, with work, material and courteous treatment.

We will always have the very best workmen and most courteous attendants at your service.

E. W. THIMGAN,
Murdock, Nebraska

Miss Amelia Kupke, who is employed in Lincoln was a visitor at home for last Sunday.

Miss Louise Thimgan was a visitor at her home in Murdock last Sunday.

Miss and Mrs. Robert Stock were visiting and also looking after some shopping in Ashland last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bon, Jr., were spending last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deickman, of Murdock.

Miss Louise Thimgan was a visitor in Murdock with friends from home at South Bend for a few days during last week.

See the change of ad of Mr. E. W. Thimgan in this issue of the Journal and know that this is a place for service.

Messrs Kenneth Tool, Richard Tool and Carl Schneider were enjoying a dance at Ashland last Thursday evening.

O. E. McDonald was a visitor in Plattsmouth during the early portion of the week, making the trip with his auto.

Miss Elsie and Master Herbert Bornemeier were visiting with friends in Ashland for a short time last Wednesday evening.

Rev. A. Schurbacker, of Lincoln, was a visitor, accompanied by his wife, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. Bauchly last Tuesday.

Mrs. H. H. Lawton has been spending some few days during the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sorick, of Lincoln.

The Journal field man was a guest last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McDonald for supper and spent a pleasant hour with the company.

Miss Hilda Peters, who is employed in Lincoln, was a visitor at the home of her parents, north of town for over Sunday.

Miss Alice Wendt, who has been visiting for the past two weeks at the home of friends returned to Murdock last Wednesday evening.

John Amgwert has just concluded the painting and decoration of the

new home of John Scheel, which is a most beautiful place since its completion.

You can insure your grain against the hazard of hail for 3 1/2% at the Farmers & Merchants Bank, Murdock, Nebraska.

Mrs. A. J. Tool and daughter, Miss Catherine were visiting with friends and also looking after some business matters in Omaha last Wednesday.

H. H. Lawton will in a short time begin work on the home of Kenneth Sedman, which he will paint on the exterior and also do some work on the interior.

Mr. Tool is now working at the home of H. C. Backemeyer west of town, where he is painting the house both outside and doing some decorating on the interior.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pierce of Liberty was a visitor in Murdock during the past week, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Craig, they being parents of Mrs. Craig.

A crew of painters has been painting the Rock Island station both on the inside and outside which adding much to its appearance and is also a preservative to the property.

Maxon Mellinger of Murray was a visitor in Murdock and a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. McDonald for the afternoon and returned to his home in the evening.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Craig and the children were enjoying a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed McFarland, who live on a farm between Manley and Nehawka.

Emanuel Thimgan, who underwent an operation last week for some bladder trouble is reported as getting along nicely at this time and hopes are entertained that he may continue to improve.

While the Village of Murdock will not have a celebration, the citizens will celebrate at other places, but in the evening there will be a dance given at the M. W. A. hall which all will enjoy.

The tennis court at the public school grounds is a very popular place for the young people who love the game. The shade and exhilaration game makes the enjoyment of all very great.

Fred Reickman, Jr. has purchased a new Ford roadster which he thinks is just about the time, and he is right for it is a dependable little wagon and just the thing for Fred and someone else.

Wm. Westfall, of near Alvo, was a business visitor in Murdock last Thursday, getting some work done on a tractor and plow at the shop of Mr. J. H. Buck, who is noted for his excellent plow work.

T. M. Patterson, formerly connected with The Farmers State Bank of Plattsmouth, was a business visitor in Murdock last Wednesday looking after some insurance matters, he representing a line of excellent companies.

Joseph Weddell, auditor and storekeeper for the beet sugar factory located at Bayard in the western portion of Nebraska, was a visitor in Murdock and guest of his uncle, W. T. Weddell for a number of days during last week.

Paul Jarting, Jr., a 13-year-old lad of Kansas City, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. Neitzel, arrived on last Monday and will remain during the vacation at Murdock and will assist Mr. L. Neitzel and also visit with A. J. Neitzel as well.

Carl Cunningham, who is well known in this portion of the county, and Will Richardson, a salesman for the Plattsmouth Motor company, were in Murdock last Wednesday interviewing the people of Murdock and looking after some business matters.

Messrs John Gakemeier, Chas. Leu and Fred Wegener, of Omaha, who have been visiting here for the past two or three weeks, on last Thursday morning departed for Dunning, where they are interested in a ranch and are going to look after matters there.

Miss Anna Williams, of Elmwood, was a visitor in Murdock last week for a number of days, being guests at the home of E. W. Thimgan, Frank Rosenow and Emil Kuehn, returned home last Thursday evening with her father, H. A. Williams, who came after her.

Last Saturday M. L. Pedersen and family of Lincoln arrived in Murdock, where they were guests of A. J. Tool and family for the week end, and on Sunday, Messrs Tool and Pedersen, accompanied by Douglas and Margaret Tool, spent the day out at Meadow.

Emil Kuehn, who is an excellent scout, went over to Elmwood last Thursday and cared for the barber shop of Charles West, while that gentleman and his wife spent the day in Lincoln, where they were visiting with friends and looking after some shopping.

Herman Neitzel, who is distributor of the Maxwell cars in the west and who has been visiting here for some time past, departed with Mrs. Neitzel for their home at Boise, Idaho, last Thursday, making the trip in one of the celebrated good Maxwell cars.

Max Dusterhoff and his coterie of workmen who have been doing a house for Andy Zoz, have completed the work and are now employed on some decorating at the home of G. R. Eveland, west of Elmwood, which is now executing. See the new ad of Mr. Dusterhoff in this issue.

John W. Kruger and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Landholm and their little daughter were spending last Sunday at the Valley, where they were guests of friends as well as enjoying an outing consisting of swimming, boating and fishing, having a most enjoyable time notwithstanding the heated weather which prevailed then.

Charles E. Stroy is constructing a new home at this time and at this time has the excavation completed for the basement and the foundation wall laid. He will immediately begin on the superstructure. The building is to be an eight room bungalow, and one which will be a comfort to have for a home.

C. A. Besack and wife of near Eagle were visiting for a short time with relatives in Murdock and also Mrs. Besack was attending the meeting of the R. N. A., they going to Louisville to visit with a brother, who lives there and on the day following Friday Mr. Besack was looking after some business matters in Omaha.

O. J. Hitchcock and the family drove down last Monday from their home in Havelock and the family remained for the week while Mr. Hitchcock returned to his business in Havelock. Mrs. Hitchcock and the children have been picking and canning gooseberries and canning them and visiting with Grandmother and Grandfather Neitzel as well.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Pothast and their little daughter are departing early this week for Lake Okoboji, where they will spend some three weeks boating, swimming and fishing, and will expect to have a most enjoyable time. While they are away Mr. Dan Bornemeier of Elmwood will have charge and will be assisted by Mr. E. L. Pothast when his services shall be needed.

A. H. Ward, the capable mechanic with the E. W. Thimgan garage, has been overhauling the tractor and separator at the home of Timm Borchers north and a little west of Murdock. They are getting ready for the work which will soon be upon them. The wheat, while damaged some by the Hessian fly and other pests still will produce somewhat of a crop, and which will soon be needing to be cared for.

Hold Picnic at Callahan - The three Bible schools at Murdock, Callahan and Louisville joined in holding a picnic and Children's day exercises at the pleasant grove at the Callahan church on last Wednesday, at which time a most enjoyable day was had by all who attended.

During the morning a program was held which embodied the Children's day idea and with the ultimate

plan of teaching of the need of the children as well as the grown-ups working for the cause of missions.

Following the program, which was well worth while a sumptuous dinner was had under the shade of the friendly trees and in the afternoon games enlivened the afternoon and added much to the joy of the occasion. A goodly sum was realized for the use of missions.

Farm Loans made at the rate of 5%. Option to pay at any time. If you desire a farm loan see O. J. Pothast at Farmers & Merchants Bank, Murdock, Nebraska.

Miss Jessie Melvin Very Sick
Miss Jessie Melvin, who has not been feeling the best for some time, was taken very seriously ill on last Thursday morning and continued in a very serious condition during the entire day, though all was done that possibly could for her relief.

Guests of the Ladies
The ladies of the Royal Neighbors Kensington club had as their guests at their last meeting, Mrs. C. A. Besack of Eagle; Mrs. John Burley, of Danbury and Mesdames A. H. Ward and W. O. Gillespie, of Murdock.

Card of Thanks
We desire to express our appreciation of the kindly manner in which our neighbors and friends treated us, and for the helpful things they did, for the flowers and for all of their kindnesses during the illness and death of our beloved wife, daughter and mother, Mrs. Otto Reickman. -Otto Reickman and Family; Simon Schaepe and Family.

Have Excellent Time
The ladies of the R. N. A. Kensington held their meeting last week at the home of Mrs. W. T. Weddell, and a most profitable meeting was had. The work was first looked after, which was well planned and after which the time was given over to sociability and with the delightful luncheon which was served and made the occasion one grand day. Misses Marval Amgwert and Mary Isabel Tool assisted in the serving on the occasion.

Joe Gets His Arm Burnt
Joe Guthman who is always wanting to know what causes things, investigated regarding the compound which is set off when pictures are taken in the dark and was a little too close at the time of the explosion and had one of his arms singed slightly. The member is getting along nicely at this time and it is expected that the arm will soon be well again.

Finds Crops Looking Fine
W. O. Gillespie and wife were visiting for a number of days at the home of Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Blattscheller at Tobias, where they spent the greater portion of last week, returning home on Wednesday evening. Mr. Gillespie, who is very observing as to matters and things, tells of the excellence of the crops in that section, including wheat, corn and oats, all of which are looking fine.

Undergoes Operation in Omaha
Last Thursday morning Arthur, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lindell, was taken with acute appendicitis, and suffered greatly. He was rushed to a hospital in Omaha, being taken up in a car and placed immediately upon the operating table, and the cause of the suffering removed. He had not recovered from the shock when it was ascertained that the effect of the drugs administered at the time of the operation, but hopes are entertained he will soon be better and it is also hoped that he may soon be well again.

Horse Taken Up
About March 20th there came to my farm north of Murdock a bay mare with a mark "V2" on left jaw. Owner can have same by proving ownership and paying for keep and other expenses. If not called for within thirty days from July 1st, this animal will be disposed of according to law.

ALBERT BLUM,
Murdock, Nebr.

OBITUARY OF MRS. NELL DOERR.
Nellie Lenora Cook was born on June 6, 1894, in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, and died in Fremont, Nebraska, June 20, 1923, at the age of twenty-nine years and fourteen days. She lost her mother in infancy and was reared by a kind foster mother. She grew to womanhood in Plattsmouth and was affiliated with the United Brethren church of Mynard. Later she joined by letter the First congregational church of Beardstown, Illinois.

After graduating from the Plattsmouth high school in the class of 1915, she held a position as stenographer in Lincoln where she met Arthur Doerr to whom she was married on September 4, 1917.

She leaves to mourn her death, the husband, Arthur J. Doerr, a son, Arthur, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cook and two brothers, Frank and Raymond Cook.

Biliousness and Constipation
"For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, helping the system do its work naturally," writes Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. Weyrich & Hadnaba.

VERY CLOSE VOTE IN MURDOCK SCHOOL ELECTION

The village of Murdock that has been noted for the closeness of the vote on various elections to cover local questions, on Tuesday last held a special election to vote on the proposition of issuing bonds for \$35,000 for the purpose of erecting a new school building in consolidated district No. C-7.

The election was one that created much interest among the residents of the district and the proposition carried by the slender vote of 93 to 92. It will be recalled that at the spring election, when the citizens of that enterprising village were voting on the matter of empowering the town board to hire a night watchman, paying his salary out of taxable income, a tie vote resulted and later at a special election held to finally decide the matter, it was carried by a slender majority.

The proposition of the erection of a new school building at Murdock has been agitated for some time in the district and on a prior occasion was voted down at a special election. It was brought to a climax this spring however by the condemning of the old building by the state fire warden, which made necessary some action by the school board to relieve the situation, and the special election was therefore called by the county superintendent at the request of the board.

Sentiment has been divided on the question among the residents of the district which was created under the recent consolidated district school law a few years ago, and following the former voting down of the bonds an effort was made to have the district cut up into its original separate districts, including that which comprised only the village of Murdock prior to the consolidation, but even this move failed of attaining the required majority vote.

The closeness of the vote in Tuesday's election shows that the question was warmly contested and the majority of voters hid themselves to the polls to cast their ballot for or against the proposition.

TOURISTS COME FROM ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTRY

Highways Filled With Parties Enjoying Tour of the Country During Summer Season.

Despite the fact that the present season has been exceptionally rainy especially the first part of the summer, the highways and byways are filled with many tourists who are seeing America from autos, one of the most pleasant and delightful means of enjoying a tour that has been discovered.

In just a short space of time a few days ago there was noted in passing cars from Ohio, Pennsylvania, Iowa, Missouri, Idaho, Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, and all loaded with parties intent on seeing to the fullest extent the beauties of the country along the way and most of the cars seemed to be headed for the west or northern country to enjoy the coolness of the season in the mountain or lake region.

The heavy auto travel and the fact that in many cases there are whole families using the cars for travel and camping each night along the way, points out that there ought to be efforts made to make the tourist park here a real place to camp for travelers instead of merely a vacant spot. At the last session of the city council Mayor Johnson offered some very timely statements regarding the park and its condition and it should be placed in a condition that would at least give the simplest of accommodations to the travelers until it is possible to fix the park with all of the facilities that are found in similar parks over the state.

A PROGRAM TO BE PROUD OF.

Elsewhere in today's paper is published the program of the second Plattsmouth radio concert to be broadcast from Station WOA-W, Omaha on the night of Monday, July 9th, by the Eagles band and soloists of this city, appearing under the auspices of Hugh J. Kearns Post No. 56, American Legion.

Although made up largely of band numbers, this program also comprises several solos, including a cornet number by A. E. Stevenson, one of the best cornetists in the middle west. Although his home is not in Plattsmouth, Mr. Stevenson has played on past occasions and may well be considered a regular member of the organization. And by the way, at its rehearsal last night, grouped in the proper formation for playing to a radio audience, the band sure put up some classy music. Such heavy numbers as the grand selection "Mas-beth" and "Atlantis" are seldom included in the library of any small town band's offerings, so the radio fans may be assured they have a real treat in store on July 9th.

Printed copies of the program for mailing to distant friends may be secured free at Mergan's Sweet shop.

Journal ads get results.

DR. H. C. LEOPOLD
Osteopathic Physician
Eyes Tested and Glasses Fitted
Union Block Phone 208
PLATTSMOUTH

Home Again!

I have completed the work which was so urgent in Omaha, and am home again, ready to take care of your work and also figure on what you're needing in our line. We are also selling varnishes, the very best made. EFFECTO, the Auto Enamel which will allow you to refinish your car.

See us for estimates and specifications for your work.

The Dusterhoff Shops

Distinctive Decorators and Paper Hangers
Murdock, Nebraska

DOING VERY NICEL

From Saturday's Daily. Reports from the St. Joseph hospital in Omaha state that Mrs. W. A.

Swatek is still doing very nicely and her condition is very pleasing to the relatives and friends. Mr. Swatek was in Omaha today to spend a few hours with the wife.

Make the Farming Pay!

Keen competition in farming, as well as in business, requires the best machinery, best thought and best practice.

The Advance Rumley machinery embodies all this. I am handling a full line of this. "The Last Word" in power farming machinery.

The Oil Pull tractor in four sizes. The two ton Rumley truck. The Advance Rumley Steamer in three sizes. Come in and see them.

ALL KINDS OF BELTING MATERIALS

The Grand Detour tractor plow in five sizes, from two-bottom to six-bottom plows.

In the thresher line, we also have separators of five different sizes.

ED. GUILSTORFF,
MURDOCK -- -- -- NEBRASKA

M. W. A. Hall—Murdock

Murdock will have the best of moving pictures every Saturday night. You will not have to go to the city to see

Harold Lloyd in "Grandma's Boy"

HERE JULY 7th

This picture will also be shown at South Bend July 6th. Also July 14th a mixed program, "Supply and Demand," "Lost, Strayed or Stolen," and a News reel.

ADMISSION 10 and 25c

Show Starts Promptly at 8:30

Business is Good, Thank You!

The Landholm Garage is kept busy these days with the work which comes to us, and the reason is the best service, the best goods and the best work.

We carry Lee Tires and they are puncture proof. Better get your order in early.

We Are Furnishing 24-Hour Service!

The Landholm Garage

Murdock, Nebraska

Call Up "Charley!"

Don't lose your temper and abuse your wife and kids because the "Flivver" refuses to start. Put "Trunk-enbolz Gasoline" in your tank and make a quick "Get away."

Our pure Pennsylvania Motor and Tractor oils are the cheapest because they wear longer.

Call Up "Charley"

-GEO. TRUNKENBOLZ OIL COMPANY-
Eagle and Murdock



Overalls and Gloves!

Heavy 220 Wt. Overalls and Jackets, \$1.75

Work Gloves for the field, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Murdock Mercantile Co.

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