

MURDOCK ITEMS

Oscar McDonald was called to the county seat last Monday, where he was looking after some business matters for a short time.

Mrs. Henry Amgwert and son were visiting in Lincoln for a short time last week, being guests at the home of Mrs. Amgwert's parents while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Craig spent the day last Sunday at the home of the parents of Mr. Craig, E. A. Craig and family, of Wymore, driving over in their car.

Mr. and Mrs. William McNamera, of Fairmont, were visiting for a number of days with Mr. McNamera's sister, Mrs. W. O. Gillespie and husband, during the past week.

Charles Kupke and wife were enjoying a visit from a number of their grandchildren on last Wednesday, both the grandparents and grandchildren enjoying the visit.

On last Tuesday evening a game of kittenball was played at Murdock between the teams of Elmwood and Murdock, with the result that Elmwood was the winner by a score of 9 to 6.

A. H. Jacobson, proprietor of the South Garage, was called to Lincoln last Wednesday to look after some business matters for a short time, and was compelled to lock up the garage while he was away.

Mrs. Henrietta Lawton of Wabash and Grandmother Maddocks of Weeping Water were guests for the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer H. Lawton, being taken to their home at Wabash by Homer Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miller, with a full car load of others, including their daughter, who makes her home near Alvo, and three of the children of Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Knoesp, went to the Milford convention last Wednesday.

Albert Thiel took a bus load of the young people of the Evangelical church to the assembly at Riverside park at Milford, Nebraska, for a few days' outing, as well as spiritual uplift, which is the major part of the meeting.

The Rev. H. R. Knoesp and wife and children and the family of the Rev. C. F. Weber were over to Milford, where they were attending the convention of the Evangelical church, which commenced last Sunday.

After teaching a consolidated class in Sunday school and conducting service in the absence of the pastor, Rev. H. R. Knoesp, L. Neitzel and wife drove to Havelock for Sunday dinner with the Hitchcock family, and spent a very pleasant day with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool and H. S. Tool, pastor of a church in the west, went to Sioux City on last Monday, where they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Meyers for a time, after which Rev. H. S. Tool went on to Minneapolis. He will visit with relatives there before returning to his home in the west.

Our old time friend, Charles Ward, uncle of our townsman, A. H. Ward, has been in rather poor health and was compelled to give up the care of the new filling station south of Elmwood on the highway, which was taken over by the owner, Waldo Watts, who had it built. Mr. Ward is recovering at his home near the station where he lives.

W. R. Griswold, president of the Griswold Seed company, of Lincoln, accompanied by his wife, were visiting in Murdock last Thursday afternoon and were calling on L. Neitzel, who for many years has been a customer of the Griswold Seed company and was always satisfied with the excellence of the goods which he received from the company.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Kuehn and the kiddies were enjoying a trip to Chicago, where they spent a week at the Century of Progress. While they were away the farm was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kuehn and their daughter. This is a new innovation for Emil and wife, but you will remember they were farmers a number of years ago, and still know about the work.

W. E. Palmer was in Murdock last Wednesday from their home north of town, and while here arranged to take over the agency and management of the Borden Creamery station in Murdock, and on last Saturday, took possession and had his opening day in the business. Better drop around and see the new manager, who is really not new to the people of Murdock for he was a citizen here and also a business man of the town some thirty years ago. Come around and renew the old acquaintance. He will treat you right.

Won Recognition at Louisville In the swimming school and life saving course of instruction held at Louisville recently, Miss Blanche Ma-

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rie Elchoff was able to qualify for both Junior and Senior Lifesaving certificates, while Miss D. Kuehn was awarded a certificate as Junior Lifesaver. The two young women enjoyed the week's course of instruction that was provided at Louisville by the Red Cross, under the supervision of Mr. D. Chesman, an expert swimmer and instructor.

Will Improve Ball Park
The Murdock baseball park, which is located on the school grounds and is an excellent place for a game, is to be improved by the placing of flood lights around the diamond so that games can be played at night. The matter of playing kittenball has become very popular and as the night season is the best time for the game, the move is under way to procure the flood lights and make a fine place for the holding of such contests.

Returned to Home in Iowa
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruster and children, who have been visiting with relatives and friends in Murdock and vicinity for the past two weeks, returned to their home at Jefferson, Iowa, on last Monday, making the trip in their car.

Visiting in the Ozarks
Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, who conduct the cream station in Murdock were visiting with friends and relatives in southern Missouri during a portion of last week, their trip taking them into the Ozarks, playground of that section of the country. They made the trip in their car and were accompanied by their daughter. During the time they were away, the cream and produce station and store were looked after by H. H. Gerbeling, of Elmwood.

Will Teach at Masonic Home
L. Neitzel, who is a very thorough student of the scriptures and as well the author of the Bible school lesson outline published in the Journal each week, will conduct the study of the Bible class at the Masonic Home in Plattsmouth next Sunday, September 2nd. All who would like to hear this lesson which is on "God's Care for the Poor" ably discussed, are invited to be at the Masonic Home at two in the afternoon, which is the hour the Bible class there meets each week.

Young People Attend Convention
Albert Thiel, with his school bus, took a load of young people to Milford one day last week to attend the special program for the young people as part of the general conference of the Evangelical church being held there throughout the week.

CARD OF THANKS
Due to the fact we cannot meet each of you personally, and through the courtesy of our local paper, we wish to express our sincere thanks, and appreciation, to each and every one that assisted in any way, for the expressions of sympathy, and for services rendered, in the bereavement of our husband and father, God only can reward such acts of kindness.—Mrs. A. H. Graves and Family.

AN APPRECIATION
I, R. D. Fitch, Jr., wish to thank the citizens of Cass county for their loyal support shown me in the primary election.

MAKES FINE APPEARANCE
The new neon signs that have been placed at Adolph's up-to-date tavern, certainly add very much to the appearance of the place of business. They are bright and attractive and shows that Mr. Gelse is doing his part in making the place a credit to the city.

Abraham Bryant Passes Away at Age of 84 Years

Has Been Here on Visit at Home of Son, Ray Bryant; Stricken With Pneumonia.

Abraham Harry Bryant, 84, died Friday afternoon at the home of his son, Ray Bryant, where he had been visiting for the past two weeks. Mr. Bryant came here from his home at Madison, accompanying relatives here for a short visit and a few days ago was stricken with pneumonia, which at his advanced age he was unable to withstand.

The deceased was born in the state of Michigan, September 17, 1849 and remained there until twenty years of age, coming to Nebraska in 1869 and has since made his home in this state, chiefly at Overton and Madison, where he has been very active in the community life and a well known and highly respected leader.

Mr. Bryant is survived by one daughter and three sons, Mrs. V. B. Hetrick, Madison; Charles Bryant of Madison; Lee Bryant of Yakima, Washington and Ray Bryant of this city.

The body is at the Horton funeral home here and will be taken to Madison Sunday where the funeral services will be held and interment made beside that of his wife.

VISITING IN THE CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Milke Warga, Jr., of Lincoln are here to spend a short time with the relatives in this community, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Tartsch, the latter being a sister of Mrs. Tartsch. Mr. Warga is in the employ of the Burlington and has been located at the Denver shops but the family have maintained their home at Lincoln.

HAS TONSILS REMOVED

From Friday's Daily
This morning Theodore Yelick, one of the Journal force, was operated on at the office of a local physician for the removal of his tonsils. The operation proved very successful and the young man was taken to his home to recuperate from the effects of the ordeal. It is hoped that in a few days he may resume his usual activities.

TO THE CITIZENS OF CASS COUNTY

I wish to acknowledge my deep appreciation of the fine support given me by the people of Cass county for the office of commissioner of public lands and buildings. While not nominated, the spirit of confidence shown by the Cass county voters was most gratifying.

ARNOLD J. LILLIE.

ATTENDING RETREAT

Miss Constance Rea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred I. Rea of this city, who has been visiting with relatives at Hiawatha, Kansas, is now at Atchison, where she is attending the retreat held there by the Catholic college for young women. Miss Rea joined the party of Plattsmouth young women who are also spending a short time there.

RETURNS FROM OUTING

Miss Mary Swatek, who has been spending several weeks with relatives at Lakeview, Michigan, as well as enjoying the Century of Progress exposition at Chicago, returned home Friday. Miss Swatek will begin preparation for the start of her school work, she being engaged as teacher at the La Platte school in Sarpy county.

VISITING IN CITY

A number of the relatives are here as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Warthen on Wintersteen hill and enjoying a family gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Warthen and their friend, Carroll Lench, of Chicago and Mrs. Webster Warthen of Omaha, comprise the party.

NIMBLE THIMBLE CLUB

The "Nimble Thimbles" sewing club will hold their achievement program Tuesday, August 28, at the Mynard Community Hall. The public is cordially invited to attend.

From Saturday's Daily

G. C. Burton of Palmyra, who has been here visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graves and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graves, returned home this morning.

Wabash News

Ray Hansen, who has been making his home at Broken Bow, was a visitor for a short time at the home of his parents, returning to the west last week.

County Commissioner Fred H. Gorder, who is the democratic nominee for this office at the coming election, was looking after some business matters in Wabash last Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Towle, who has been in the hospital taking treatment is reported as being much improved, although her condition is not yet such as to enable her to return home.

Kenneth Munford and L. Noel Golden have been giving the new corn harvesting machine which was made by Hubert Hansen a good try out and find that it does the work properly.

By special invitation of some people in Plattsmouth and Weeping Water as well, Albert Loring was spending the week end at Plattsmouth, but turned up in Wabash again Monday morning, smiling as ever.

Lester Colwell, Bert Austin and Frank Colpert were over to Weeping Water, Mr. Bothwell taking a batch of chickens to market and the other gentleman accompanying him. Of course they visited with friends while there.

Ralph Dorr had some samples of this year's corn at the store and says they were better than one would believe could be grown this year, although far from the real corn that is grown in Cass county in normal years.

Carl Hansen and wife are in receipt of a letter from their son, Lee, who has been a substitute letter carrier at Omaha for some time, stating that he has been advanced on the list and is now on a regular route, with a substantial increase in his pay, which is pleasing to Lee as well as to the folks here.

The Ladies Aid society of the Wabash church was meeting last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rickart, east of Murdock, where they enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon, many of the members from Wabash driving over for the occasion, which was a very pleasant one, as Mrs. Rickart is an accomplished entertainer.

Lester Reasoner and family moved into the home of William Langhorst last week. Mr. Reasoner is extra agent or the so called relief agent for the Missouri Pacific, and is stationed for a short time at Hiawatha, Kansas. As he is changed frequently, being sent to different places along the line, he concluded that Wabash would be as good a place to reside as anywhere.

Entertained Friends Sunday
On last Sunday at the Woods home in Wabash there were gathered a number of friends who made up a merry party for the day, they being Hattie Barthold of Carlsbad, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Carl E. Bowman and Mrs. L. E. Zimmerman.

Brother Killed by Bandit

John Cardwell returned from the sad mission which took him to Horton, Kansas, then to a place in Missouri, where his brother, George, was killed last week. It seems that a couple of bandits were trying to make their getaway after having robbed a filling station and ran their car into the rear end of the wagon which George was driving, running the coupling pole through their radiator and throwing George from the wagon. He was killed instantly. The bandits, a man and a woman, were captured and are in custody, but this doesn't bring back the innocent man who was killed.

The Bridge Would Not Move

A bridge a short distance from Wabash got in the way of an automobile which was driven and occupied by a number of young men, and would not get out of the way, so was swatted by the car, with the result that the condition of the car was not materially improved. However, none of the young men were very badly hurt.

Visiting in the West

Miss Myrtle Woods, carrier of the rural route out of Wabash and a most efficient one, too, is taking her vacation at this time and is visiting in the west, at Denver and various other points in Colorado. While there, she will visit at the home of Mrs. C. S. Murfin, at Bennett, Colorado. She expected to be away about two weeks and while in Denver planned to attend some of the sessions of the National convention of Rural Carriers. The duty of carrying the mail on her route is in the hands of Herman F. Schweppe, regular substitute carrier.

Your home town merchant will do more to accommodate you than any big city store, mail order house or radio station peddler. Isn't he entitled to your trade?

Old Resident of Murdock is Laid to Rest

Funeral Services Held for William Lau, Prominent Resident of West Part of County.

Wm. Lau was born at Brownlake, Illinois, August 7, 1863, where he spent his childhood, attending school and was there confirmed when a lad in the Lutheran church of which he remained a constant and devoted member during his entire life.

Mr. Lau was united in marriage on March 8, 1887, they then making their home near where the city of Murdock later was located. Mr. and Mrs. Lau have lived near Murdock during their entire life and everyone they knew were their friends.

Mr. Lau had not been in good health for some time past but was not so that he could not be about only for about three weeks. He died at the home on Saturday morning at 10:18.

The funeral and burial was had on the following Monday morning, August 20 at 10 o'clock at the Trinity Lutheran church two miles north of Murdock of which he had been a member for years, being conducted by Rev. Krey, pastor of the church. Interment was in the church yard near the church.

Mr. Lau leaves besides the widow one son and five brothers, they being W. H. Lau, the son, Ferdinand Emil, Charles, Louis and Fred. The sisters are Minnie Gabel, Mrs. Anna Haas and Martha Timm.

DEATH OF FORMER RESIDENT

Friends at Lincoln have received word of the death of Mrs. Elsie N. Bushnell, widow of the late Herbert M. Bushnell, early day newspaper man of Plattsmouth and Lincoln, also postmaster at Lincoln from 1898 to 1902.

Mr. Bushnell and his family made their home in this city for several years while Mr. Bushnell was engaged in publishing the Herald, leaving here for Lincoln where he engaged in newspaper work and was active in the republican political circles of Lancaster county.

Mrs. Bushnell was a sister-in-law of the late A. H. Bushnell of this city and M. E. Bushnell of near South Bend.

VISITING WITH RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Salina, Kansas, who have been at Omaha, came down Friday to enjoy a visit at the home of Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. A. B. Smith. Mr. Carl Smith is in the insurance business as general agent at Salina and has been at Omaha attending the convention of the Blue Goose, international insurance organization.

TO VISIT AT CHICAGO

Miss Alice Eaton of Omaha, who has been here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wescott, departed this morning for Chicago where she will enjoy a visit. Miss Eaton will be a guest of her grandniece, Miss Alice Louise Wescott and visit the Century of Progress exposition while in the windy city.

HERE FROM KANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, of McDonald, Kansas, are here for a few days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaufman and Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Duda as well as meeting the many old time friends. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mrs. Kaufman and has many friends in her girlhood home.

BURKE IS AT WASHINGTON

Washington, August 23.—Representative Burke of Nebraska, recently successful in the senatorial primary campaign against Governor Bryan, has come to Washington for a few days "to get away from it all."

DEPART FOR MINNESOTA

From Thursday's Daily
This morning Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Mark and daughter, Rosalind, with Mrs. Vern Hendricks, departed for Minnesota where they are to spend a short time visiting and where Mr. Mark will enjoy the fishing at the lakes in that section.

HOLD ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM

The achievement day program of the Sunnyside Girls' Room club was held Wednesday, August 23, at the public library.

An interesting program was given by the club members. The program consisted of two plays, "A Visit in a 4-H Club Girls Room," written by Lois Giles, and "A Rich Girl Finds Happiness in 4-H Club Work," written by Lucille Wiles. Miss Baldwin, Home Extension agent, gave a very interesting talk on club work and three of the mothers of the members gave their idea of club work.

The members were very pleased to have Miss Baldwin as a guest at the meeting and appreciate her effort in coming from Weeping Water to attend the program.

The girls work was judged to see what was the most suitable for the place in which it was to be used. The first three placings were taken to Weeping Water to be judged with the best work of the other clubs in the county to see what would go to the state fair.

The placings were as follows: Reading or Writing Unit—Lois Giles, first; Lucille Wiles, second; Eleanor Minor, third; Alice Wiles, fourth.

Pictures—Grace Louise Wiles, first; Alice Wiles, second; Lois Giles, third; Lucille Wiles, fourth.

Rugs—Lois Giles, first; Virginia Trively, second; Alice Wiles, third; Grace Louise Wiles, fourth.

Lamps—Grace Louise Wiles, first; Lois Giles, second; Virginia Trively, third; Alice Wiles, fourth.

Chair Seats—Mildred Cacy, first; Alice Wiles, second; Lucille Wiles, third; Eleanor Minor, fourth.

Pillow Cases—Lois Giles, first; Alice Wiles, second; Virginia Trively, third; Grace Louise Wiles, fourth.

The club wishes to thank Mrs. Giles for her time and effort that she has put into making the club a success.

CLUB MEETING

The "Nimble Thimble" sewing club held their regular business meeting August 2 at the home of Mrs. Guy Kiser. There were fourteen members present and two visitors, Mrs. Henry Meisinger and Helen Ulrich. Plans for the picnic and achievement were discussed. The picnic was held Aug. 25. The achievement will be held Aug. 28.

Lessons were discussed in both classes. In the first class demonstrations on joining bias tape, different seams and hemming. The second class judged patches and gave demonstrations on French seams and hair washing. After the meeting delicious refreshments were served by Evelyn Meisinger and Ella Mae Ruffner.

We held our regular business meeting August 16 with eleven members present and two visitors, Mrs. Harry Wilson and Francis Evelyn. Lessons were discussed. The first class judged aprons with Shirley Leonard's first. The second class judged dresses with Helen Louise Blotzer's first. They gave demonstrations on bound buttonholes. Refreshments were served by Pauline Wilson and Mary Dirchel.

The picnic was held August 23 in Mrs. Guy Kiser's pasture, with mothers, brothers and sisters attending. A good time was had by all and ice cream, cake and lemonade was served afterwards.

The "Nimble Thimble" sewing club invites the public to their achievement August 28th, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

NEWS REPORTER.

School Supply Special

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