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ED. GUILSTORFF,

MURDOCK NEBRASKA

Matt Thimgan was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Saturday, where he had business to look after.

Messrs Kenneth and Richard Tool were attending a dance given at Louisville on last Thursday evening. Harry Dehning has accepted a position in the Manley State bank and is liking his employment very well.

A. J. Tool was enjoying the ball game at South Bend last Sunday, when the team of that town lost the game to Nehawka.

Charles Rau and Gust Gakemeier were looking after some business matters in Omaha last Thursday, making the trip in their auto.

Frank Valley of Plattsmouth was a business visitor in Murdock last Friday, coming to consult with John Gakemeier regarding some business matters.

Henry A. Tool and Mr. Wm. Nielson were visitors in Plattsmouth last Tuesday, driving over in the auto of Mr. Nielson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Landholm and Mrs. J. W. Kruger were visiting in Omaha last Tuesday, making the trip in the auto of Mr. Landholm.

Walter and Will Gray of Lincoln were visiting in Murdock at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gray for a short time during last week.

W. L. Hornbeck and family were visiting and also looking after some business matters in Ashland last Wednesday, having driven over in their auto.

A. J. Tool has installed an electric motor for his harness stitching machine which will enable him to do his work with less discomfort and more rapidly.

E. M. Shatto has been making some repairs and getting the separator of Herman Kupke in condition for the coming harvest and threshing which is to follow.

Little Irene Lau while playing a few days ago sprained her ankle and is having a siege of walking on crutches until the injured member shall have gotten well.

Wm. Bourke shipped a car load of cattle of his own feeding during last week for which he realized a good price for, and why not for they were an excellent load of cattle.

Messrs. John Gray and J. H. Buck were visitors in Lincoln one day during last week, where they went to

bring home a car which Mr. Gray had purchased at the capital city.

Dr. A. Russell Hornbeck had a call at Mead in Saunders county, and was accompanied on the call by his brother, I. G. Hornbeck, they making the trip in the car of his brother.

John Gakemeier and Chas. Lau, who have been making their home for some time on a ranch near Dunlap, have returned to Murdock and will make their home here for the present.

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

Elmer Souba and wife of South Omaha, where Mr. Souba is employed by the Armour packing company, were visiting for the day last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schewe.

Miss Clara Scheel who has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Glen Bosworth, of Ong, for some time past, returned home last week and reported a most enjoyable visit while there.

Max Dusterhoff and his helpers were employed in Omaha until near the last of the week, and have been working at the home of Peter Evesland in Elmwood during the latter portion of the week.

Fred Boulder and wife and their two kids, Fred, Jr. and DeWayne and Mr. and Mrs. Will Weiderberg, all of Denver, stopped for over night while on their way from Denver, to Lake Okoboji and Clear Lake, in Iowa.

Fred Towle of Wabash was ump at the ball game which was played at South Bend between that team and a visiting team from Nehawka. The score resulted in a victory for the visitors, Nehawka 6 to South Bend 1.

Charles West, the barber at Elmwood, was a visitor in Murdock last Wednesday evening, visiting with his many friends here and was accompanied by Mrs. West and children who also enjoyed the visit here very much.

See an ad in this issue of this paper relative to the sale which is to be held on Saturday of this week, of the effects of Wm. Gehrts. Not only this, but remember to go and see what he has to sell and save some money.

Mesdames H. A. Guthman and Eddie Craig gave a swimming party to the young boys a few days since at the beach at Pawnee Farm owned by Wm. Schewe, where all the boys enjoyed the sport of swimming at this popular bathing resort.

Eddie Craig and the family drove over to Liberty on last Sunday in their car, and their daughter, Miss Mayetta, who has been visiting with relatives there returned home with them, after having had a most pleasant visit for the past month.

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.

Wm. Meyers, who is to teach in the Murdock schools for the coming year, was looking after some business matters in Lincoln last Thursday, where he was visiting friends for the day and also looking after some business matters as well.

Misses Elsie and Anna Bornemeier were visiting in Ashland last Wednesday and on their return were accompanied by Miss Luella Eikerman, who is employed in Ashland and who was returning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Otto Reickman.

The Atwood Plumbing company of Ashland were in town and completed the work of plumbing at the home of L. B. Goerthy. Also a man was here and repaired the furnace at the home, which is getting the work nearly rounded up by this time.

H. H. Lawton, who has been working at the home of L. Neitzel for some time, has just completed his work and is now at the home of H. W. Tool, after which he must go to the home of Carl Schlaphoff for some work there which is waiting for him.

The village of Murdock is on the quiet order these times on account of the extreme business of the farmers in their fields. The wet weather caused them to get behind with their farm work and the need of every bit of time possible in the fields now is very apparent.

The home of Mrs. George Melvin, at Murdock, and a most desirable piece of property, was sold during the past week. Mr. W. L. Hornbeck being the purchaser. This will make Mr. Hornbeck and family a nice home. It is understood that possession will be given during the latter part of the summer or early fall.

John Albert Bauer has been assisting with the haying at the home of J. J. Gustin southwest of town and makes a good man for the business, he knowing just how it is done and not being afraid to work. When Mr. Bauer fishes he does it with a zest that surprises everyone and when he works it is the same way.

David Walters and wife who have been visiting for the past year in Washington, returned home to Lincoln a short time since and came down to Murdock to visit with relatives. Mr. Walters being a brother of Mrs. G. Bauer. Mr. Walters and wife are staying for about a week, when they will return to their home in Havelock.

Oscar McDonald and family were visiting in Plattsmouth last Wednesday, driving over in their car and on the way stopped at the home of his mother, Mrs. Myra McDonald of near Murray, picking her up and with Mrs. J. R. Kelly and Miss Edith Kelly of Plattsmouth, enjoyed a very pleasant time near the big bridge of the Burlington over the Missouri river at Plattsmouth, where they had their dinner in the cool shade.

Henry A. Guthman went to South Bend last Wednesday from where he took a train for Omaha to consult his physician there, and after having seen the specialist and found that he is making very satisfactory progress, he went to Plattsmouth, where he visited with his mother over night, and from there returned home with his sister and husband, H. R. Neitzel and wife. Mr. Neitzel and wife have been in the east for some time, visiting with friends and were at South Bend, Indiana, where they were present at the graduating exercises of their two sons. Mr. Neitzel has most flattering reports of business conditions in the east, and says there is not enough labor to do the work required and that business is booming and the good times are rapidly coming west and that it is expected by this fall to reach this section of the country in its full force.

WHY IT SUCCEEDS

Because It's for One Thing Only, and Plattsmouth People Appreciate This Fact.

Nothing can be good for everything. Doing one thing well brings success. Doan's Kidney Pills are for one thing only. For weak or disordered kidneys. Here is Plattsmouth evidence to prove their worth.

Second Plattsmouth Program Two weeks from tonight, Monday, July 9th, the second Plattsmouth radio program will be given from Station WOA-W, Omaha. This will be in the nature of a concert by the Eagles band of Plattsmouth, assisted by a few of the most talented vocalists of the county seat and will include some of the best classical and semi-popular band music it is possible to give, and of a much higher quality than that usually attempted by any small town band. As was the case with the former Plattsmouth program, owners of radio receiving sets in this vicinity will be interested in tuning in for this program given by artists with whom many here are personally acquainted.

Played at South Bend Saturday Last Saturday evening the Campfire Girls gave a reputation of their play, "Miss Boswell Puts One Over," to a well pleased house. The play has met with such success here that it was concluded to give it at South Bend when that city asked for it.

Welcome Their Minister Many of the members of the congregation welcomed their minister and wife on last Friday evening when all present as well as the minister and his wife were formally welcomed as members of the city of

Murdock as well as pastor of the church here.

Hold County Picnic

The Farmers Union of Cass county held their annual picnic last week at Eagle and a large gathering from all over the county were much in evidence. The program, which was under charge of H. L. Scatergood was one well worth while.

Among other things the music arranged for the occasion was most pleasant. The Alto quartette, composed of H. L. Bornemeier, Elbert Taylor, Mr. Richard and the minister of the Methodist church there, produced music well worth the while. When in need of something to entertain yourselves just get this quartette.

The officers of the Farmers Union in this county are Henry Oehlerking, president; Dan Schlaphoff, vice president and August Ruz, secretary.

Rev. Thimgan Very Ill

The Rev. Emanuel Thimgan, who has made his home at Sutton for some time past, has not been in the best of health and it was found necessary to take him to Lincoln for treatment and an operation, the nature of the complaint being malignant. The operation is fraught with grave danger, but it is hoped that he will get along nicely. Mr. E. W. Thimgan, his brother, has been in Lincoln with the patient and is doing what he can to make the stay there as comfortable as possible.

Ate Dinner at the River

Last Tuesday at the river, where the fishing was the best and the shade the coolest and the water, although slightly "drumley" were the deepest, a number of the people of Murdock went and spent the day very pleasantly. Among those who ate their dinner on the cool grass under the trees were Messrs and Mesdames Eddie Craig, John W. Kreuger, Jess Landholm, A. H. Ward, W. O. Gillespie and also Mr. William Gehrts. The children of those who had them were also in evidence and enjoying every minute of the time.

Kensington Next Week

The R. N. A. Kensington club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Weddell on Thursday, June 28th. This will be the last meeting for this month and all are expected to be in attendance. Come with the idea of having a good time and also of doing lots of work.

Funeral of Mrs. Reickman

The funeral of Mrs. Otto Reickman who passed away at her home west of town on last Tuesday was held from the Callihan church on last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Reickman was formerly Miss Mary Schleuter, and has lived in this community all her life.

Mrs. Reickman was united in marriage with Otto Reickman several years ago and from this union five children were born, the youngest being a boy just eight days old at the time of the death of his mother.

Every one of the large circle of friends and acquaintances of this excellent lady has words of praise and commendation for the noble life which she has lived. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Ezra Sokl, of Elmwood, A. Brauchle and A. Stroud of Murdock and interment was made in the beautiful Callihan cemetery southwest of Murdock.

Enjoyed the Open Fire

Last week or the latter portion of the same, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. McDonald and family, H. A. Tool and family and Mrs. J. E. McHugh and the children went camping at Meadow, where all had a most pleasant time notwithstanding the recent high water which has prevailed in that vicinity for some time.

NEW HEAD FOR TRADE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT

Resignation of J. E. Hart Accepted and K. C. Knudson of Genoa Appointed in His Place.

Effective today, the resignation of J. E. Hart as head of the department of trade and commerce in the fearful and wonderful code system, was accepted yesterday by Governor Chas. W. Bryan. The successor of Mr. Hart who has been in this position under the two terms of Governor McKelvie, is announced as K. C. Knudson of Genoa.

The new department head was recently appointed as chief clerk and has been getting lined up on the work that will be in his charge in the future as the head of this department. The regime of Mr. Hart has been marked in the last two years with a great deal of work as the result of the numerous state bank failures that have occurred and the department has been under considerable fire as the result of the revocations of the various banks and financial institutions that have been found to be wanting.

The resignation of Mr. Hart was tendered at the beginning of the term of Governor, but the head of the department was asked to remain until the legislature decided the fate of the code and as it decided that the measure would remain in force and effect, Mr. Hart remained to carry on the work until the governor could take other action and which has finally resulted in the naming of Mr. Knudson.

The new head has been very active in the independent political movements in the state and in the last campaign was a strong supporter of the political fortunes of the governor. The new head has been very active in the independent political movements in the state and in the last campaign was a strong supporter of the political fortunes of the governor.

Many handsome designs in incense burners can be found at the Bates Book and Stationery store and also incense in either powder or cubes. These make a very pleasant feature for the home or office.

The Farmer and the Freight Rate

HERE are the facts about the Farmer and the Freight Rate, developed at a recent investigation into grain rates before the Interstate Commerce Commission and based on Government reports, testimony of farm representatives and data from railroad records:

A ten percent reduction in wheat rates would mean an average saving in freight charges of \$9.40 per year per farm in Kansas!

On all grains, an average saving of \$6.92 per year per farm in Iowa on shipments to the Chicago market!

An average saving of \$3.62 per year per farm in Minnesota on shipments to the Chicago market!

Such a rate reduction would hardly yield the average farmer enough to buy a Ford tire.

It would not increase farm prices. The fraction of a cent per bushel represented by the reduction would be lost in daily fluctuations of the markets.

Freight rates on grain have been stationary eighteen months, yet grain prices have been advancing—and fluctuating!—on the farm.

The facts disprove the claim sometimes made that a ten percent reduction in rates is necessary for farm prosperity. On the other hand, the reduction would cost the Rock Island \$1,700,000 annually, the price of 28 locomotives or 800 freight cars.

The loss of that amount last year would have meant that the Rock Island System would have operated a whole year without returns for thousands who have their savings in it and are justly entitled to a fair return. If the railroads are to expand their facilities they must earn enough to attract new capital.

Can you afford to imperil your railroad service for \$3 or \$6 or \$9 per farm per year?

Help us to Serve by helping us to Prosper



Rock Island Lines

"Over Seventy Years of Service"

ISSUES MARRIAGE LICENSES

From Saturday's Daily. The demand for wedding permits during the month of June is still growing strong and two couples, Mr. Joseph Waller of Omaha and Miss Lawrenceine Randolph of Chicago and

Mr. Walter Hasburg and Miss Olive Hauptman, both of Omaha, were given the much desired permits which will allow them to become man and wife.

See F. G. Egenberger for real estate and insurance. Office 7th and Vine street, Tel. 372. m9-11d

-Public Sale!

Saturday, June 30th

Having decided to leave Murdock, I will sell at Public Auction Saturday, June 30th, starting at 1:30 o'clock; the following described property—

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| 1 King upright piano, good as new. | 1 Singer sewing machine. |
| 1 Side board. | 1 Household sewing machine. |
| 1 Book case. | 2 Large dressers. |
| 1 Morris chair. | 1 Small dresser. |
| 1 Plush rocker. | 1 Plush covered lounge. |
| 2 Porlor rockers. | 1 Base burner. |
| 2 Cane bottom rockers. | 1 Heating stove. |
| 2 Center tables. | 1 Four-hole cook stove. |
| 2 Extension tables. | 1 Hand vacuum cleaner. |
| 5 Dining room chairs. | 1 Washing machine. |
| 5 Kitchen chairs. | 1 Boiler. |
| 1 Large kitchen cupboard. | 3 Wash stands. |
| 2 Iron beds and springs. | 1 Lawn mower. |
| 1 Wood bed and springs. | 1 Two-row cultivator in good condition. |
| | 3 30-gallon steel barrels. |

Other Articles Too Numerous to Mention

Terms of Sale—All sums under \$10, cash. On sums over \$10, six months time on a good, bankable note, bearing 8% interest.

WILLIAM GEHRTS, Owner

Henry A. Tool, Clerk.
Col. H. A. Williams, Auctioneer.

Save Money on Tires!

SPRING TIME IS NOW HERE WITH ITS HARD WEAR ON TIRES

During the past few weeks the prices of tires have advanced some 15 per cent. Fabric and rubber are going up every day and the manufacturers promise another sharp advance in a short time.

Fortunately we have a large stock of first class guaranteed tires, including Goodyear, United States and Goodrich, which we will sell at the old prices. Buy now and save the difference.

SMALL MOTORS FOR POWER

I am carrying a quarter horse electric motor for driving your washing machine and similar other light work. Come and see me about your wants in this line.

E. W. THIMGAN,

Murdock, Nebraska

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-bolz Gasoline" in your tank and make a quick "Get-away."

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

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