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H. A. GUTHMANN, Cashier

Going, fast and not many left. Aprons and house dresses at the Mercantile.

Fred Towis and Ed Gullstorf were looking after some business matters in Lincoln last Friday making the trip over on the train.

C. A. Kupke has purchased a new car and disposed of the one which he has been driving and is keeping in line with the times of better things.

J. E. McHugh, manager of the Murdock Mercantile company, was a visitor in Omaha both last Thursday and Friday, where he was looking after the purchasing of goods for the store here. He returned home on the evening train last Friday.

Irvin Heizer has purchased a new Dodge roadster, trading in a former car thereon. He has exercised good judgment in the selection of a new car in that he has acquired a "nifty" wagon and one whose riding qualities are not surpassed and for insurance and cheapness of up-keep, it is difficult to find one which excels the Dodge.

Just think of it; a fine house dress or apron for \$1.98. Only a few left at the Mercantile.

Miss Lucille McKennon of Alvo, was a visitor in Murdock with friends last Tuesday and returned home the following day.

Charles Rau returned from a visit at Ogallala a few days ago, where he is interested in some land which he went to look after.

Art Bonemeyer of Lincoln, was a visitor in Murdock during the past week and with Joe Johansen made a business trip to Ashland.

Carl Schneider, Otto Wehrman Arthur Peters and Fred Kupke will soon depart for Concordia, Mo., where they will attend school for the coming year.

Wayne Schwartz of Alvo was a visitor in Murdock last Friday coming over to look after some business matters for a short time.

Wm. Lutchens purchased the tractor of Ed Gullstorf, which they have been using in conjunction of the separator which was also owned by Mr. Lutchens. Mr. Gullstorf purchased a new tractor the following day.

Al Depper, the carpenter and contractor, has not been feeling the best for some time and has been kept from his work by that reason. It is hoped that by this time he has been able to resume his work, of which he has an abundance.

Louis Hite of Cheney, accompanied by Mrs. Hite, arrived in Murdock with their new Universal car, which they were giving its maiden tryout, and visited at the home of C. F. Hite and John Amgwert for a day and returned home.

E. D. Edmonson of Omaha, representing the lighting company was in Murdock during the week looking after the matter of a contract to furnish lights to Murdock and the country surrounding the town. Nothing definite has as yet been concluded.

H. A. Guthman of the Bank of Murdock, departed early last week for the west where at Boise, Idaho, he will join Mrs. Guthman and children. E. R. Joseph and their little sister, and will spend some time visiting in the great northwest at the home of his brother Charles Guthman, and other friends, returning with the folks in time for school, which is to begin in September.

Noel Tyson, son of L. A. Tyson and wife of Elmwood, who has been looking after the business of his father while the family were in the west, was a visitor in Murdock last Friday, coming over to take the train for Scotts Bluffs, where he is the superintendent of the schools. He was brought over by two of his brothers, Cyrus Tyson of Omaha, and Richard Tyson of Hartington, who are also visiting with the folks at Elmwood.

Did you notice the bargains in aprons at the Mercantile?

Rev. I. Laipply and wife are spending some time at the state convention of the evangelical association at Millford where they have taken part in which they live, during the time.

O. E. McDonald was a visitor in Murdock last Sunday where he went to join and return with the folks who were visiting there. Mrs. McDonald and the children visited with his mother, Mrs. Myra McDonald, also.

House dresses and aprons at bargain prices, at the Mercantile. George Hapke, brother of Mrs. A. Brauchle of Hubbard, Iowa, was a visitor at the home of his sister and family in Murdock during the past week. They with Mr. and Mrs. Brauchle, also visited at Millford over Sunday.

For Sale: One Parrott tractor, 12-25 in good condition; also one Huber tractor good as new and only used a few days. Come and see them. Prices will be made right.

W.M. GEHRTS. We were pleased with and artistic dressing of the real elevation of the display space for goods in the store of the Murdock Mercantile Co., which was the effort of the work of the two clever saleswomen, Misses Selma Brauchle and Margaret Amgwert.

See the new ad of Max Dusterhoff in this issue of the Journal, which is a calling of the attention of users of varnish and paint to the fact of decay which they allow the surface of the wood to become exposed. The care of homes by paint and varnish is for the preservation of the materials used in construction. His theory, and quite correct, is "Save the surface and you save all, paint and varnish."

Will Arrange Demonstrations. Wm. Gehrt's will arrange a number of demonstrations in the near future for the showing of the good features of the tractors which he is handling. Those who are interested in the matter of tractors and work which they are capable of doing, will do well to keep in mind and watch for announcements of the dates and places where the demonstrations will be given.

Building a New Boat. W. G. Schewe, who managed the construction and did much of the work in building the boat which is owned by Messrs. A. J. Bowers, Lacey McDonald and Harry Gillespie, is at this time looking after the construction of another craft for some of his friends in Omaha and who have a lodge at the Platte river just east of Murdock. The parties who are close friends of Mr. Schewe, are W. G. Drake and Herb Pollock of Omaha. Seeing the work which was put on the boat that he constructed for the Murdock boys, they considered themselves fortunate in securing the assistance of Mr. Schewe in the construction of the boat which they desire and we are sure they will be more than satisfied.

Callahan Had a Good Crowd. Sunday, a week, there was a meeting of the Young Peoples association of the Callahan church at which time an excellent program was rendered by the members and which was greatly appreciated by those who attended. There were one hundred and eighty-five dollars realized for the missionary cause by the society.

A Ripple of Excitement. The fans who wanted to have the ball park in the best condition were given a thrill when they attempted to cut the weeds which had grown in the park when the team which belonged to Joe Johansen took fright when hit with a mow, started to run and came in contact with a post. The horses stopped, it is needless to say, but not until they had stripped the tongue of double-tress and neck yoke.

Well Pleased With the West. A short time ago John Gakemeier, with Wm. Swalm, John Sherman and Daniel Sherman, went to the western portion of the state, where Mr. Swalm and John Sherman have land, and which they had some time ago purchased through Mr. Gakemeier. They were looking after the land and the harvesting and threshing and disposition of their crops there. Mr. John Sherman in speaking of the country, said that it was the most wonderful sight he ever witnessed, when standing on an eminence he could see from fifteen to twenty threshing machines all at work and the shocks apparently so thick that one could not drive between them. He said at the elevator at Grant, where he delivered his wheat, that there was stored therein, \$65,000 worth of wheat on the day he departed for home. He and Mr. Swalm both had near 200 acres of grain which yielded 30 bushels per acre of excellent wheat and on land which a short time ago cost less than one hundred dollars per acre. Mr. Daniel Sherman purchased a farm from John Gakemeier on the trip out there. Mr. Gakemeier departed again for the west last Friday evening.

"King Oscar" Now in Murdock. While at the carnival at Louisville last Wednesday, Frank Fraum, who is a lover of fine dogs and appreciates fine qualities, purchased a Chesapeake water spaniel which was owned by Dr. O. Sandin of Plattsmouth, which bore the name of "King Oscar". The dogship is taking up the home life in Murdock and seems well contented with his surroundings. Mr. Fraum and his friends will have great sport hunting with the dog who is still of tender days, not years and is susceptible of a high education in the want of retrieving and other assistance in the chase.

Many Attend the Carnival. A large number of people from Murdock, were in attendance during the day of sport in Louisville last Wednesday, and thought the day was more than perfect for such an event. The shoot was what especially appealed to the crowd from this place.

There were among those in attendance from this place, E. W. Thimgan, John Gakemeier, J. E. McHugh, Gust Gakemeier, Lacey McDonald, Ray Baldwin, Harry Gillespie, Frank Fraum and W. O. Gillespie. Most of those attending from Murdock were in the shoot and acquitted themselves creditably in the way they broke the blue rocks. Many remained for the ball game which was played between Louisville and Springfield. The game was to have been played with Murdock, but just a short time before the date Louisville called asking to have the game cancelled.

Murdock Won Over Cedar Creek. In the ball game which was played at Cedar Creek some time ago at the Murdock grounds, the home team easily won by the score of 10 to 2. The game was a spirited one and in which there were many good plays made by both the visitors and the home team. Another game was played last Sunday at Murdock between the Mount Hope team and Murdock but the results we have as yet no knowledge.

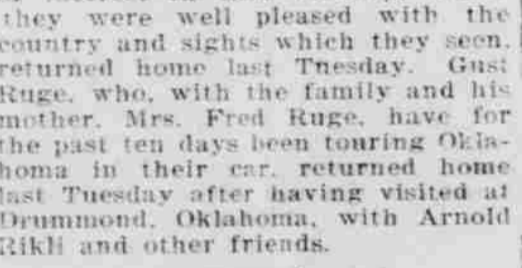
Back From Splendid Outing. L. Neitzel, who has been visiting in the north for the past two weeks, returned home last Friday morning after having enjoyed a most splendid time while away. He visited, just before his return, Lake Minnetonka, which is considered the source of the Mississippi river, as this is fed by a few small streams and there they enjoyed some splendid fishing and had a most excellent time. The business which was conducted during his absence, by his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hitchcock of Havelock, was well looked after. Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock departed for their home in Havelock last Saturday.

Enjoyed a Great Time. Henry Siaphof and wife, who have been visiting and taking a vacation at Colorado Springs and other points of interest in that vicinity, where they were well pleased with the country and sights which they seen, returned home last Tuesday. Gust Ruge, who, with the family and his mother, Mrs. Fred Ruge, have for the past ten days been touring Oklahoma in their car, returned home last Tuesday after having visited at Drummond, Oklahoma, with Arnold Rikh and other friends.

Little Child Breaks Arm. Ferdinand Bronkow and wife, who have been visiting for some time in South Dakota, returned home last Thursday after having spent some interesting days there looking over the country and visiting with friends. They had only returned and had placed their little daughter Molina, who is scarcely a year old, on the bed to sleep, when the little one in a restless sleep rolled from the bed to the floor fracturing her arm. The fracture was reduced by Dr. Hornbeck and the little one is getting along as well as could be expected under such circumstances.

Departs for Their Home. Mrs. John Meyers and daughter, Miss Esther of Pipestone, Minn., who have been visiting for some time in Murdock, the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Panska and other friends for the past ten days, returned to their home last Friday morning.

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Were Guests of Murdock Friends.

Last Friday evening Mr. Wm. Gurr of Fall River, Wis.; A. Schemeliff and wife of Deerfield, Wis.; and Mr. Henry Strausberg of Lake-mill, Wis., arrived in Murdock, being the guests at the home of Mr. Chris Gurr of the place. They are cousins of Mr. C. Gurr and while this is the case, they have not had the opportunity of visiting with him for over forty years. They were very very favorably impressed with the country here, liking the town equally as well.

Make Long Trip in Auto.

James Buskirk and brother Irvin, with W. O. Gillespie and A. D. Zaar, departed in James Buskirk's car last Sunday morning for an overland trip which will comprehend several days to Arriba, Colorado, where they will look after some land in which all are interested in that portion of the country. They will also visit at Denver as well while they are in the west.

Negotiating for the "Mt. Olympus".

James Ledge Association, a local society with sporting proclivities, perceiving the excellence of the qualities of the "Mt. Olympus" as a boat for fishing purposes and thinking it would be just the thing for use in the fall and early winter hunting season which is now rapidly approaching, have entered into negotiations with Captain A. J. Bowers of the "Mt. Olympus" for its acquisition. Notwithstanding the excellence of the boat as a sporting craft, the owners have decided to consider propositions for its disposal.

Would Make a Better Atmosphere.

The town board last Friday evening held an important meeting at the office of the secretary of the board, when they considered in the light of certain happenings recently, that some steps should be taken to clear the moral atmosphere of the city, that the purity of the citizenry might not become contaminated by the regretted practices which have transpired here of late. The board and rightly, too, decided that it was best to clean house a little in order that the good name of the city might be maintained.

White Leghorn Cockerels.

I have for sale a few White Leghorn cockerels of the famous Thos. Barron laying strain. The mothers of these cockerels, under trap-nesting, many laid 50 eggs during the winter. Buy while they are cheap, for the longer you wait the more they cost.

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MAX DUSTERHOFF.

HAS A REAL INDIAN PIPE OF PEACE

John Cory of This City Has Gift of a Genuine Indian Peace Pipe Made by Omaha Chief.

From Thursday's Daily.

A few days ago John Cory, proprietor of the Perkins hotel, received a present from his son-in-law, M. E. Brantner of Pender, of a real Indian peace pipe that is one of the finest pieces of work of its kind in the state and every bit of which was the work of the leaders of the Omaha tribe which is now located on the reservation near Pender.

The pipe is a beauty and its age is estimated at seventy-five years as far as can be ascertained from the stories of the Indians who have been familiar with the history of the Omaha tribe.

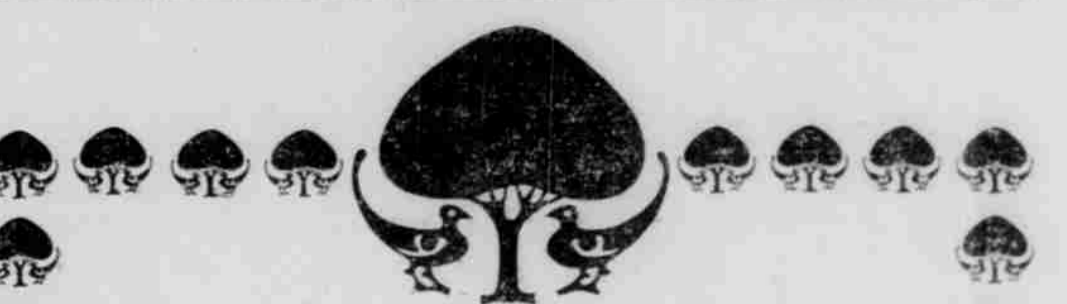
The pipe was the handwork of Chief Little Bow Walker, one of the leaders of the Omahans and shows careful construction and much care. The bowl is of red pipestone and beautifully modeled while the stem is from a wood handed down from several generations of Indians for the express use of making the tribal pipe of peace. The pipe is trimmed with streamers and beaded work and makes a beautiful piece of art work of the original American. With the pipe goes the pouch, that is the work of the wife of Chief Little Bow, and the buckskin of the pouch is a mass of the vari-colored beads that are so highly prized by the Indians and one of the best pieces of work of its kind that can be found in this portion of the west.

Both the pipe and pouch have long been in the possession of the family of Little Bow and came to Mr. Brantner from Frank Scott, one of the descendants of relatives of the great Omaha chief. The value of the pipe and pouch cannot be estimated as the work is much better than any that can be secured now owing to the lack of hands of the proper make and the owner has several times refused large sums for the pipe.

MOTORS TO IOWA

From Thursday's Daily.

J. H. Tams, superintendent of the county farm and Mrs. Tams, have just returned from an auto trip to northwestern Iowa, where they spent several days with their daughter, Mrs. Henry Carstens and family at Wall Lake and also visiting at Denison. Mr. Tams reports a very delightful trip through one of the finest portions of the state of Iowa and the outing has been much enjoyed by both he and Mrs. Tams. Being a farmer, Mr. Tams was very much



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