

MURDOCK DEPARTMENT.

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Making Business Safe!

Every year some firms who have ventured upon the stormy sea of commercial life found hidden reefs of rock which wreck their ship and leave their business a dreary waste. They have failed to study the situation and have ventured upon propositions which involved considerable investment, without first knowing if the things were safe.

Better know that your proposition is "water tight" before you risk your all on it.

The banking house that is conservative and looks after the welfare of the community is the safest institution to obtain the knowledge necessary to make you safe when needed.

The Bank of Murdock, which has done business in this community for the past thirty-five years is the best place to get the knowledge and service required in a safe commercial enterprise. Always at your service.

The Bank of Murdock

Murdock, Nebraska

"The Bank where You Feel at Home"

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

Here You Are!

Farm lighting plant—the Delco system—which I have been using until the electric lights came. I am offering this plant for \$90.00, which is a very low price for it. Also have an—

EXCELLENT ROADSTER, in good condition and very cheap at the price we are making, \$165.00.

ED. W. THIMGAN,

The Automobile Man

MURDOCK -- -- -- NEBRASKA

Mrs. Henry Gakemeler was visiting with friends in Omaha last Friday.

Otto Miller and W. H. Rush were attending the sale near Elmwood on last Thursday.

Fred Reikman and wife were attending the wedding of Mr. Fred Buell in Elmwood last Wednesday.

Last Wednesday E. K. Nowron purchased some 200 pounds of poultry, for which he paid the highest market price.

Hugh Armstrong, of Omaha, was a visitor in Murdock last Thursday evening, a guest at the home of H. W. Tool and wife.

J. E. McHugh was looking after some business matters for the Murdock Mercantile company last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Robert Crawford was a visitor in Alvo last Thursday at the home of W. L. Copple for a short time, driving over in his auto.

The Evangelical association ladies are at this time practicing on a program which they will give at the church at Christmas time.

Edward and Ferdinand Bronkow and their wives were visiting at Nehawka with friends last Tuesday, driving down in their car.

Joe Gustin has been moving a barn from about a mile west to the place where he is living and which is known as the Peter Evelyn place.

E. L. Potthast and wife were visiting in Murdock last Monday from their home in Lincoln, and were guests at the home of O. J. Potthast and wife.

E. W. Thimgan and O. E. McDonald and wife were looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth last Wednesday, driving over in the latter's car.

Mrs. C. Guern has been very poorly for some time past, being confined to her bed, but it is hoped that she will soon be able to be up and out again.

G. W. Olson, of Plattsmouth, who is purchasing and shipping poultry from there was up and purchased a truck load of poultry from W. A. Schutz last Wednesday.

County Agent L. R. Snipes was a visitor in Murdock last week, coming to look after some business matters of the county and also having a personal mission as well.

L. Neitzel and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Lacey McDonald were in attendance at the wedding of Mr. Fred Buell and Miss Gladys Marshall at Elmwood last Wednesday.

V. A. Mockenhaupt and wife and P. A. Mockenhaupt and wife from near Alvo and Greenwood, were attending the dance given at the Woodman hall last Thursday evening.

W. H. Rush and Robert Crawford were shelling corn for Warren Richards and G. W. McBride last Monday.

and on Tuesday at the home of Peter Friend and Tony King near Alvo.

Miss Catherine Tool, who is a teacher in the schools at Elkhart, was a visitor at home for over Sunday and was joined by her sister, Miss Margaret, who is attending the state university.

Professor Way, who has been making his home west of town on account of not being able to get a place to live, has on the moving away of Mr. Robert Williams moved into the place where he lived.

Master August Wendt has an excellent coupe and rides very nicely as some of the young ladies of Murdock can testify as August is very gallant and courteously gives the ladies a ride in the new car.

Mrs. Wuestlehoft, living in the east portion of town had the misfortune to fall when about her work a few days since, and since then has been confined to her bed on account of the injury which she then received.

Carlton Zink, who is attending the state university at Lincoln was a guest at the wedding of Mrs. Fred Buell and Miss Gladys Marshall last Wednesday, returning to his studies on the early train of the Missouri Pacific.

Mr. Simon Scheuter, who suffered a stroke of paralysis a few weeks since is so far recovered that he is able to walk a little with assistance, and while he is far yet from his former health, he is making some improvement which is very pleasing.

The Woman's Missionary society is the excellent program which they gave at the Callahan church on last Sunday were able to raise something over \$200 for their missionary cause, besides producing a most pleasing program for the large crowd who attended.

T. H. Pollock, president of the

Weak Batteries Freeze!

Winter is knocking at our door, better have the battery looked after before it is too late. We also sell the

"Exide Battery"

Exide Service Free!

The Landholm Auto Co.,
Murdock, Nebraska

Bank of Cass County, accompanied by G. W. McClerkin, vice president of the same institution, were over from Plattsmouth last Thursday looking after some business in the west portion of the county, being callers at the L. C. Dehning sale.

After having visited at Tobias for a short time, Mr. I. G. Hornbeck returned and departed for the south, where he will expect to stay for a number of weeks, and will then visit his old home in Missouri, also with his sister, at Fort Worth, Texas, and also will spend some time in Oklahoma.

The young people of Murdock and vicinity have been having some very enjoyable times at the social dances which they have been giving at the Modern Woodman hall, they furnishing their own music, all who can play contributing to the occasion. They will have another of their social dances on Thursday of this week.

It looks like Christmas was coming near, from the new dress which the Murdock Mercantile company is putting on, given by the deft hands of Miss Selma Brackle and the manager of the store, Mr. J. E. McHugh. That there is to be a Christmas will be certain from the efforts of this store. See their half page ad in this week's Journal.

S. M. Cox and wife, who have been making their home at Oregon City, Oregon, for some time past, returned to Murdock last week in time to attend the wedding of Mr. Fred Buell and Miss Gladys Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Cox think the west an excellent place to live, they having been there for a year and a half. They will visit here for some time yet.

Max Dusterhoff and Joe Wutchinek who have been working for some time in Omaha, returned home last Friday, after having completed the second floor of the house where they are engaged and remained for over Sunday, assisting in the decoration of the Christmas window at the Murdock Mercantile company and looking after some business which they have in hand. They are returning this (Monday) morning to Omaha to complete their work of decorating the first floor.

People Like Them
The halters which A. J. Tool has been making, are meeting with popular favor over the country. He has shipped many of them to different places and finds in every case they meet with favor. He sent a half dozen to the fair near Elmwood and found that they were sold very rapidly and more could be used.

Miss Angwert Too Sick to Teach
Miss Angwert, one of the teachers in the Murdock schools, has been kept to her home by an affection of her throat, and during the time the position has been filled by Miss Alma Oshlerking and Mr. Henry Angwert, they teaching alternately.

Will Entertain Kensington
The ladies of the Kensington club of the Royal Neighbors of America will be entertained at the home of

Corn Shelling Machinery

We are handling the famous John Deere line of farming machinery and are desiring to call your attention to our shellers.

HAND SHELLERS
HOLE SHELLERS
CYLINDER SHELLERS

We have the goods to suit all. A full line of manure spreaders and gas engines—Come in and see us!

WM. GEHRTS,

The Implement Man

MURDOCK -- -- -- NEBRASKA

Mrs. H. V. McDonald, they will enjoy the occasion Thursday afternoon of this week. Mrs. Harry Gillespie, daughter of Mrs. McDonald, will be assistant hostess.

Are Gaining Many Members
The Royal Neighbors of America are doing some good work in the line of getting new members and at their meeting which occurs on December 20th, they will initiate a class of four into the mysteries of the order. Those to take the degree will be Mesdames E. K. Norton, V. A. Mockenhaupt, Edward Bronkow and Wm. Stockizkie.

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-BRUSHES-

of All Kinds!

At prices which prevailed before the war, for outside work and inside painting and varnishing. All sizes just right for your particular job. REAL BRISTLE, the kind the painter uses.

We beat the work on the price. The quality and price will surprise you. Enough to paint all Cass county. Do not forget full stock of Lowe Bros. paints.

The Dusterhoff Shops,

MURDOCK -- -- -- NEBRASKA



Men's Hose!

Men's Silk and Wool Mix Hose—pure silk hose,

\$1.00 to \$1.50

Silk Lisle Hose 35c.



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Dress Shirts!

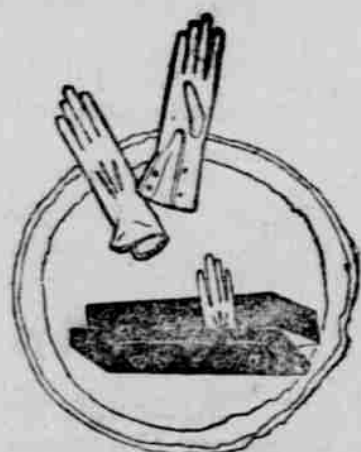
\$2.50 to \$5.00

Thermo Sport Coat

\$6



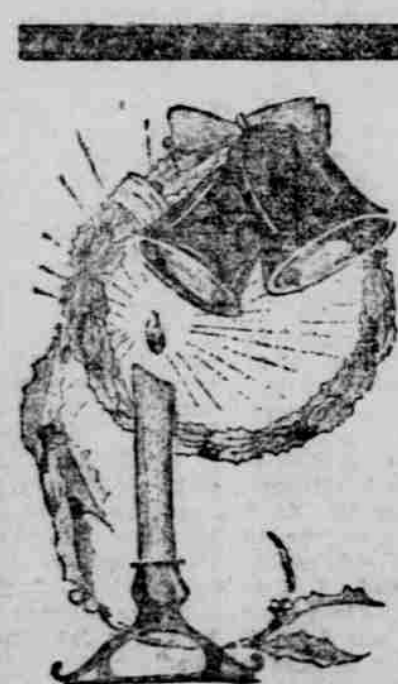
Santa Claus' Headquarters!



Men's Furnishings!

Men's Neckwear, Scarf, Fancy Gloves and Mittens—

50c to \$4



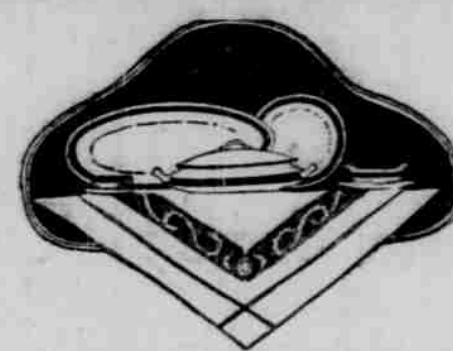
Fancy Felt Slippers

for Ladies and Men!

Eastman Kodaks

in Brownie and Folding. Kodak Albums.

Ladies' and Children's Gloves and Mittens!

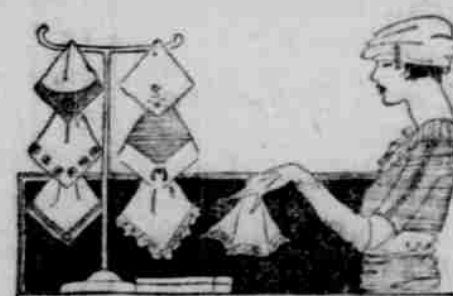


Dishes!

Cut Glass, Fancy China, Star Cut Glass, Condiment Sets, Creamers Sugars in China and Cut Glass, Fancy Plates, Berry Sets, Bread Carving Sets, Etc.

Jewelry of All Kinds!

Rings for Ladies and Men, stick pins, cuff links, tie clasps, coat chains, vest chains, belt chains, pearl necklaces, lavallieres, neck chains.



-Handkerchiefs!-

Ladies' and Childrer's Fancy Handkerchiefs,

5 to 50c

Plain or Fancy Borders.

English Walnuts

30 and 35c lb

Fresh roasted peanuts and mixed nuts, fancy candy in 1/2 and 1-lb boxes, Xmas mixed candy 20c per lb. A dandy good line of candy at 25c; chocolates and creams.

Fresh Vegetables and Fruits of all Kinds!

Murdock Mercantile Company,
MURDOCK, NEBRASKA