

MURDOCK ITEMS

Orville Noel and young son, who reside west of Murray, transacted business in Murdock last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Robson, of Lincoln, the latter a daughter of Edward Ganaway, the shoemaker, visited at the home of the father here last Sunday.

With the installation of city water at the McCrorey service station, the well is no longer needed the steel being filled with dirt, after the steel tubing was removed.

Charles Bates and wife, of near Weeping Water, were business callers in Murdock last Saturday, and enjoyed the buffalo meat barbecue featured by a local business firm.

Inspector Ney, who has in hand the work of erecting a new school building at Weeping Water, was a Murdock visitor, conferring with the parties here who are interested in the proposed Murdock community building.

Louis Schmidt and family of Wabash came via Murdock and were accompanied to Lincoln by his mother, Mrs. H. R. Schmidt one day last week. The mother remained in the capital city for a longer visit, while Louis and family returned to their home the same evening. Miss Geraldine is keeping house for Grandpa during the absence of Mrs. Schmidt.

Home from the South

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gamlin, who have been visiting friends and looking after business matters in Arkansas for some time, arrived home about a week ago. Since his return home, Mr. Gamlin has been kept busy with his trucking work. Last Wednesday he brought a load of 21 feeders to Herman Schweppe, who is adding them to the corn already in his feed lots. With corn prices low, many are turning to feeding as a means of converting their grain into greater profit.

To Spend Winter in South

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Craig spent the week end visiting at the home of E. H. Craig, father of Eddie, at Liberty. Mr. Craig, Sr., is preparing to leave soon for Knoxville, Tenn., where he will spend the winter. The Craig family resided at Knoxville in earlier days and it was there that our townsman, Eddie, was born and spent the first nine years of his life.

Mr. Craig, Sr., is looking forward to a very pleasant winter among old friends at Knoxville.

Pheasant Supper

Lacy McDonald, while on a hunting trip in the west, was able to bag a considerable number of pheasants, and on his arrival home arranged a pheasant supper for several friends of the McDonald family, which was prepared and served at the McDonald home on Tuesday evening. Besides the host and hostess, those present were W. O. Gillespie and wife, Merle Gillespie and wife and L. B. Gortney and family. All appreciated the fine hospitality of their friend and sportsman.

Sightseeing Trip to Omaha

Members of the Junior class of the Murdock high school, with their teacher and sponsor, Miss Lane, went on a sightseeing trip to Omaha last Friday. They were transported to and from the metropolis in the Al Theil school bus, with Al as driver. In Omaha they were able to see and enjoy many sights of interest and educational value, limited in number only by the lack of time at their disposal.

Besides the teacher, Miss Lane, the Junior class members who were able to make this interesting trip were Irene Timm, Betty Brown, Idella Buell, Verla Rau, Lila Stock, Hazel Neitzel, Mary Creamer, Neal McCrorey, Russell Gortney, Howard Bornemeier and Milford Hansen.

Likes His Work in West

A letter received recently from Douglas Tool conveys the information that he is well pleased with his work as instructor in chemistry in the state teachers' college at Alamosa, Colorado. He also states the climate is ideal there.

Ladies Aid Meets

The Ladies Aid Society of the Murdock church met last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miller. Following the business session, a social hour was enjoyed, followed by the serving of a fine luncheon by the hostesses, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. W. H. Zabel.

To Spend Winter in West

Messrs. Oris, Morris and Allen Richard and Norman Schewe depart-

ed last week by auto for Oregon, where they expect to spend the winter. They have employment promised them there for a time and are optimistic that they will be able to find other employment which will provide them with something to do during the entire winter.

Entertained Neighbor Society

The E. L. C. E. society of the Murdock Evangelical church met last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fornoff, at which time they had as guests members of the like society of the Evangelical church at Elmwood.

As the weather was favorable for an outdoor gathering the group had a most enjoyable time in the woods near the creek. Weiner roasting was one of the principal pastimes, with two large bonfires lighting the landscape and providing a very fine setting for the games which the young folks played, making the event one long to be remembered.

Pilgrim Goes Visiting

L. Neitzel, Murdock Pilgrim, made an enjoyable trip to Kansas City, where he remained from October 21 to 23. Friday evening he attended the horse and cattle show, and Saturday enjoyed a drive over the city, viewing the developments of the last twenty years. He was particularly impressed with the shaded residential streets, with their rows of beautiful elm trees. Saturday evening he paid a visit to the Bavarian "Rathskeller," where patrons are entertained with music and song. Bavarian yodlers sing in their own dialect and the audience sing their German songs, ate and drank to a late hour.

Sunday morning found the Murdock Pilgrim in Central Presbyterian church, taking part in a men's class in Sunday school, where total attendance exceeded 700. The men's class numbered about 60, all over 60 years old. The great auditorium, seating over 1,000 people, was filled for the uplifting service that stirred the people to the depths of their souls, although the sermon lasted only 20 minutes.

The greeting strangers get is expressed in their bulletin, like this: "You enter this church, not as a stranger, but as a guest of God."

Evening found Mr. Neitzel in an Italian cafe, where he attempted to eat spaghetti with a fork (try and see if you can do it—you push the fork into the heap and begin to turn and twist until you have a good mouthful secured, then eat it). Mr. Neitzel says he doesn't know what is used to wash it down with, as he used milk and water.

Another interesting trip was that to the airport to see the big airliners come and depart. The increase in air travel has made the airports resemble busy railway stations in the old days before autos replaced much of the rail business.

Mr. Neitzel enjoyed his trip and says traveling is a great school, if one keeps his eyes open, broadening the horizon of observation and enriching the mind, as well as leaving pleasant memories, which he cherishes of his three day journey.

Four Square Club Activities

Fifteen members attended the Reading and Music meeting at the home of Mrs. A. J. Tool Monday evening, October 24. Mrs. Harvey A. Schwab, music leader, had charge of the music, with Mrs. L. C. Unland at the piano. The songs, "Dixie" and "Our Project Clubs" were enjoyed and everyone wanted to sing.

Mrs. Henry A. Tool talked on "Scrap Books" and offered suggestions for making one, beginning her talk with this quotation: "You create your own life by the thoughts you are thinking." It was voted that each member be held responsible for filling one page of the club scrap book during the year.

Mrs. A. J. Tool, reading leader, gave a concise review of the book, "Madam Courie," written by her daughter, E. Courie. Many fine examples of determination and application could be followed by all who would read this remarkable book.

Mrs. Wm. Elsel invited the club to meet with her November 7th, where we begin to think of candy-making and Christmas. Mrs. L. W. Rase, club president, closed our meeting.

Handiwork on Display

Friends will be pleased to hear that Mrs. Henry A. Tool is at Lexington, Kentucky, where her hooked rug represents the handwork of Nebraska women who are taking the work of the Home Demonstration clubs of the Extension Service, College of Agriculture. From this national convention of

Home Demonstration Council, handiwork will be selected to represent the United States at the international convention to be held in London, England, next June.

Much credit is due our county agents for this service open to all who wish to have it. This extension service is the door by which any mother may come close to our state university and become familiar with the things which her children must contact in their daily lives as they grow to manhood and womanhood. It isn't luck that gets you places, but the wise application of education, energy and thrift.

Visited Son and Family

Rev. J. W. Schwab, pastor of the Evangelical church at Sutton made a recent trip to Johnstown, Pa., to attend the annual national convention of the church. While in the east, Rev. Schwab visited at the home to his daughter, Mrs. Edward A. Brand at Oneonta, New York. En route home, Rev. Schwab stopped in Murdock for a few days' visit at the home of his son, Rev. Harvey A. Schwab, pastor of the Evangelical church here.

AVOCA NEWS

Wesley Strang and wife, of Syracuse, were looking after business matters in Avoca last Tuesday afternoon.

The A. Z. Thomas family of Shenandoah were guests Sunday at the home of Postmaster W. H. Bogaard, father of Mrs. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Marquardt have both been feeling quite poorly this past week, their condition necessitating a call from the doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marquardt attended the funeral of William A. Cleghorn, aged pioneer citizen and relative of Mrs. Marquardt, at Louisville last Sunday.

Claude Durham and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Goss and wife, left Saturday for their home at Pineville, Wyoming, after a very pleasant visit with relatives and friends here.

John Ruge and wife were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ruge. Ernest Emschoff and wife, parents of Mrs. Morris Ruge, were also guests and a fine family dinner was enjoyed.

Mrs. Anna Meyers was a guest of her daughter, Miss Clara, in Lincoln, the fore part of last week. Returning, she came by way of Malcolm, where she visited another daughter, Mrs. Ella Barker and the latter's daughters.

Brother Visited Here

Mrs. Henry Wulf enjoyed a visit from her brother, Chas. Buck, of Osage, Wyoming, during the past week. While he was here, the two made it a point to visit other relatives in this part of the country, going to Murray to call on Fred L. Hild and A. F. Hanson and family, sons-in-law of Mrs. Wulf, and with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hild, the latter a sister of Mrs. Wulf.

Shower for Bride

Prior to the wedding of Miss Mueller Shackley, a very delightful pre-nuptial shower was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Marquardt. Associated with Mrs. Marquardt as hostesses were Miss Anna Marie Salling and Mrs. Emma Ravalt. Many friends of Miss Shackley were there to extend congratulations and best wishes to her. She was the recipient of numerous gifts that will prove useful in her new home.

Home from the Hospital

Joseph Sudman, who has been at the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln for some time, recovering from an operation, was brought home by his daughter, Mrs. Henry Herman and husband, last week. He is continuing to improve since his return home, which will be good news to his many friends.

Married in South Dakota

Ed Shackley and daughter, Miss Mueller, accompanied by George Shackley and wife departed last Monday for Rapid City, South Dakota, and there in the midst of the Black Hills, Miss Shackley was united in marriage Wednesday to Phillip Balweber. The bridal couple will make their home in Wyoming.

Other members of the wedding party are due to arrive home early this week.

Visiting Grandfather in South

Miss Corinne Hallstrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hallstrom, departed on last Monday for Lake Worth, Florida, where she will be a guest at the home of her grandfather, Robert L. Propet, for the next six weeks. She will also visit her uncle, Wayne Propet and family, who reside at Janesville, Florida.

Greenwood

Miss Dorothy Smith is helping at the Harold Olson home.

Miss Lucille Kelly spent Friday and Saturday in Lincoln with Irene. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fernon Stuart a baby girl Sunday, October 23.

Mrs. Flora Loomis was an overnight guest at the L. C. Marvin home Thursday.

H. Le Provost has rented the Olson property vacated by the Goodhart Vant family.

Warren Ellison has been unable to work the past week, due to infection in his hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Peters spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gail Pollard.

Mrs. Mary Tracy, of Columbus, Kansas, is helping care for her mother, Mrs. N. A. Kirk. Shirley Bright went to Fremont Thursday to spend the week end at the Wm. Lundberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sloan, of Superior, Nebr., visited at the Fred Etheridge home the past week.

Happiness was brought to the Harold Olson home Sunday, October 23, when a baby boy was born.

Marion and Leonard Wallace, of Friend visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Klyes, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Peters called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brockhaga home in Ashland Thursday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Dyer is laid up with a sore foot. Part of the pump fell on it breaking a bone and causing her much pain.

Mrs. John Schulling and Mrs. Lillian Tolhurst and daughter Petty of Raymond called on Miss Elva Coleman Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vant observed their 53rd wedding anniversary Sunday. Everyone wishes them many more years of health and happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Coleman and Lawrence attended the funeral services of an aunt, Mrs. E. V. Phillips, at Lincoln, Tuesday. Burial was in the Greenwood cemetery.

Miss Marguerite Hartman left Sunday for Weeping Water, where she will take the position as kindergarten teacher. Miss Virginia Newkirk will fill the vacancy.

There was a good attendance at the Dorcas meeting at the Christian church Friday. Lunch was served by Miss Edith Landergren, Mrs. Nannie Coleman and Mrs. N. O. Coleman.

Arthur and Henry Kirk of Bayard, Nebr., Chas. Kirk of Scottsbluff, and Mrs. Elsie Wiles, of Bridgeport, visited their mother, Mrs. N. A. Kirk, Sunday. Mrs. Kirk is very ill at the Henry Kirk home.

The Deal-a-Deck Pinochle club met with Mrs. Laura Trunkenbolz at Ashland Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Adeline Newsham was high and Mrs. Mildred Comstock second. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Lillian Jardine.

Preceded Over County Meeting

Mrs. Mildred Comstock, county president of the American Legion Auxiliary, was at Weeping Water last Wednesday, where she presided over the fall county-wide meeting. Five units, including Greenwood, were represented at the meeting. The total number attending was 40. A covered dish luncheon at noon was followed by the afternoon business session.

Entertained for Miss Hartman

Mrs. D. H. Headley entertained at a farewell surprise for Miss Marguerite Hartman Monday evening, October 24. Guests were the school faculty, Mrs. E. L. McNurlin, Mrs. W. Earl Dyer and George Rouse. A very enjoyable time was had.

Stewart-Erickson

Mrs. Nancy Stewart and Mr. Ed Erickson of Niobrara, Nebr., were wed in Lincoln, Friday, October 21. They left immediately for Niobrara, where they will make their home. Friends wish them much happiness.

PLAN STANDARDIZED WAGE

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 29 (UP)—The United Automobile Workers plan for standardizing wages, hours and working conditions in plants throughout the nation which supply automobile parts provides for cooperation from the Ford Motor Co., it was learned today. The proposed standardization program is being drafted by a special UAW committee and is expected to be presented to the union's executive board at its November 1 meeting. President Homer Martin of the union disclosed. Less than two weeks ago Martin met Henry Ford for the first time.

Rubber Stamps at lowest prices at the Journal Office.

Alvo News

Forrest Hardnock is husking corn for Paul Coatsman during vacation. Jerry Starks of Elmwood is spending his vacation with Billy George Coatsman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stroemer and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bornemeier attended the Ak-Sar-Ben stock show Wednesday evening.

Reo Timblin has gone over north-east of Ashland to husk corn this season. He reports the corn yielding quite well in that vicinity.

Miss Grace Muenchau came from Peru Wednesday afternoon to spend a few days at home while school was closed for the State Teachers' convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Muenchau accompanied Supt. and Mrs. Buehler to Peru Sunday, where they visited Miss Grace Muenchau, who is attending the Peru State Teachers college.

Elmer Rueter, who has been husking corn in northern Iowa, came home Saturday to visit home folks. He reports that corn is very good there, and that everything looks fine. He returned to Iowa the first of the week.

Farmers are busily engaged with the task of gathering their corn. The yield is very uneven this autumn however. Some farmers are reporting a fair yield from their fields. H. L. Bornemeier was reported to have 1,000 bushels husked last Tuesday.

Teachers Attend Convention

School was closed Thursday and Friday for the purpose of allowing the teachers of the school to attend the district meeting of the State Teachers Association. The teachers attended at Lincoln except Miss Ross of Louisville, who attended at Omaha.

Motor to Wichita, Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bornemeier and Mrs. Bornemeier's mother, Mrs. Osterlag, of Elmwood, motored to Wichita, Kansas, Saturday where they visited a brother and son and family respectively of the ladies. They made the trip especially to visit a nephew and grandson respectively, who about three months ago was in an accident and very badly hurt.

Physicians believe it will be nearly a year before he will fully recover. They returned late Sunday evening and report having had a very fine trip.

Alvo Ladies at Institute

Mesdames Minnie Peterson, Roy Coatsman, Kahlor, Wm. Hiers, Fairfield, Deles Dernier, Rouse, Mark Nickel, Hammel and Miss Bertha Kosin attended the W. C. T. U. Institute held at Eagle Wednesday. The ladies heard an excellent program.

Broken Bone in Hand

Rev. Hammel, who received a badly injured hand three weeks ago, discovered last Friday a week ago that there was a broken bone that was causing him such distress. Rev. Hammel had made previous trips to Lincoln to have his hand examined, but physicians were of the opinion that it was only a bad sprain. Rev. Hammel now has his hand in a cast. Friends hope their pastor will have a speedy recovery.

Dr. Roy Spooner, district superin-

tendent, gave the Sunday morning address at the local church last Sunday morning for Rev. Hammel.

S. O. S. Club Has Luncheon

The S. O. S. Garden club enjoyed a club luncheon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Timblin Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock.

After a bounteous dinner the business meeting was held which was mostly given over to the election of officers for the following year. Those elected were: Mrs. Frank Taylor, president; Mrs. Minnie Peterson, vice president, and Mrs. Roscoe Bird, secretary-treasurer.

This was the last meeting for the year. Mrs. John Banning extended an invitation to the club for the first regular meeting of next year to be held on the second Tuesday of March.

Club Enjoys a Character Review

The Mothers'-Daughters' Council club enjoyed a character review Friday afternoon, October 21, at the home of Mrs. Paul Coatsman. All but two club members wore costumes which made the afternoon festivity a jolly one.

First prize was awarded Mrs. Harvey Gerhardt, who characterized the Lazy Farmer. There was only one point against Mrs. Gerhardt and that was her goatee was of sandy color which was a contrast to her hair. Besides, the judges were of the opinion that the Lazy Farmer's goatee is gray. Mrs. Gerhardt was presented with a lovely cake by Mrs. Frank Hemke, who was the party leader.

Some of the other interesting characters were the Gypsy, portrayed by Mrs. Stella Weichel; five-year-old girl, Grandma Rouse; school girl, Mrs. Deles Dernier; an Indian, Mrs. Fairfield; Maggie (Jigg's wife), Mrs. Paul Coatsman; screen star, Mrs. Buehler. There were also several others.

Games were played during the afternoon and all enjoyed themselves immensely.

Mrs. Frisbie, Sr., and Mrs. Milo Frisbie, b'gh of Elmwood; Mrs. Fishner, of Eagle; Mrs. Harry Linder, of Elmwood; Mrs. Paul B. Johnson and Mrs. Dick Elliott were guests.

Very delicious refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

RECOVER HIDDEN MONEY

BOSTON, Oct. 29 (UP)—Fifteen \$100 bills recovered after a three-day search through 75,000 discarded telephone books were restored today to Richard V. Harkins. Harkins secreted the bills between the pages of his telephone book Sunday for safe keeping. Next day the book was picked up by the telephone company and replaced with a new one.

When Harkins returned home he discovered the loss. Then began a systematic search of discarded telephone books. A brother-in-law, John M. West, finally found the book with the money.

BRITISH OCCUPY GAZA

JERUSALEM, Oct. 29 (UP)—British troops occupied the coastal city of Gaza today and made an intensive search for arms and suspect rebels.

Wabash News

Mrs. Lyle Horton of Plattsmouth visited a few days last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Wendt.

John Woods, the trucker, made a trip to Weeping Water and another to South Bend on last Tuesday, securing a load of wheat at each place, which was delivered to the Murdock elevator.

Ira Helms, of near Humboldt, knowing a party there in search of a good reliable corn picker, advised Howard Pool, who hurried down and started in making the ears fly. The corn in that vicinity is yielding around 45 bushels to the acre.

The Wabash Kensington club met Wednesday last week at the home of Mrs. John Thoms, near Murdock. A goodly number of members were present and the business meeting was followed by a pleasant social hour and a delicious luncheon served by the hostess.

Purchased Obernaulte Farm

At the sale last Tuesday of the Obernaulte farm located northeast of Wabash, L. R. Stanley was the purchaser, paying \$61 an acre for the land. This is a good farm and well worth the price paid for it. A dozen or so years ago it would have brought several times that much.

Home from the West

William Franklin Reese arrived home last Monday from a visit of a month at the home of a daughter residing in Los Angeles. Mr. Reese enjoyed his stay in the west very much. While there, he went aboard the passenger-ship Tango, a pleasure boat operating in Pacific waters outside the three mile limit. He also visited Tijuana, Mexico, famous as a racing center.

Spent Week in the West. Guy Hinds and family and W. L. Copple and family spent the past week visiting at Berns, Wyoming, where Jesse Hinds, brother of Guy, resides. They arrived home Sunday night. During the absence of the Hinds family the dog was lost and kept going back and forth from the hotel to the garage and then to the store seeking members of the family, and was much pleased at their return.

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