

MURDOCK ITEMS

Bryan McDonald is busy putting city water in the L. Neitzel home.

Martin Bornemeier and wife were in Ashland last Tuesday, where they did some trading.

Members of the Carl Schlaphoff family, who have been in poor health, are reported recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool were in Omaha last Sunday, spending the day at the George Work home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Streich visited friends and transacted business in Elmwood Wednesday of last week.

Wayland Ward was a business visitor in Ashland Wednesday of last week, driving over to transact business.

Miss Fern Buck, who is taking a course in beauty culture in Omaha, visited her parents here over the week end.

Vernon Rikli, who has been located in Wahoo for some time, was visiting his parents and old friends in Murdock last Tuesday.

Albert Tell drove the school bus to Omaha last Monday night to take a load of Murdock folks to the Ak-Sar-Ben den show, "The Dictator."

Mrs. O. J. Hitchcock, Jack and Olga Mary visited Grandpa Neitzel last Monday and brought their dinner with them. Grandpa is batching these days.

Mrs. R. Kuehn, who resides west of Murdock, was hostess to members of the Order of Eastern Star at Elmwood to which a number of the Murdock ladies belong.

A number of Murdock ladies went to Manley last Wednesday, where they attended the card party given by the Altar Society of St. Patrick's Catholic church.

There was no game at Murdock last Tuesday evening on account of the rain, which was preferable to a dozen ball games so far as the growing crops are concerned.

Elmer Schliefert went to Lincoln Wednesday of last week, to visit his wife at the hospital, following her recent operation. He reports she is recovering, but quite slowly.

Paul Murfin of Wabash, who has just completed another year at the University of Nebraska, was visiting and looking after business matters in Murdock last Wednesday.

Harold W. Tool and wife, of Denver came to Lincoln to be present at the graduation of their son from the University of Nebraska, and while that near to their old home, came to Murdock to visit relatives and old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lyons and their little one were in Wahoo last Sunday, being guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ackley. The ladies have been friends from childhood days and enjoyed their visit together very much.

W. O. Gillespie has returned home from his visit of several weeks at points outstate, principally at the home of his son, Harry Gillespie and wife at North Loup. He reports a very pleasant trip and seeing much country while away.

Willard Schewe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schewe, has resigned his position with the International Harvester company, with whom he has been employed for some time, and has accepted employment with the Nebraska Power company.

Emil Kuehn and wife of Fullerton were visiting friends and relatives in this part of the county the past week, being guests at the Harry

Williams home at Elmwood and the Frank Rosenow and Paul Schewe homes here. They returned home last Tuesday.

Eddie Craig, who is Ak-Sar-Ben ambassador in Murdock and had had charge of the issuance of tickets to last Monday night's den show, reports he had calls for 64 of the tickets, and believes that most of the people who got them went to Omaha for the show.

J. H. Buck and wife and Glen Harger and wife were among the large number from this vicinity who attended the Ak-Sar-Ben den show in Omaha last Monday night. A free lunch was served after the show, but some said the "pop" ran out before all the thirsty ones were satisfied.

The Pilgrim spent last Sunday with the M. E. church at Louisville, speaking at the morning service at the conclusion of an inspiring missionary address by a returned missionary from the Philippine Islands. He was also engaged to preach in the absence of the pastor during his vacation.

With the return of W. O. Gillespie and his resumption of handling the mail to and from the depot, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Gillespie were able to get away and departed early last week for a vacation trip to North Loup, where they are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gillespie for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buck and Carl Buck and wife were in Omaha one day last week, going to visit Otto Brockmueller, of Dakota, who is at the hospital there recovering from an operation. They found the patient rallying nicely and encouraged that he might be able to leave the hospital in the near future.

With a representation of women for the Rural women and accompanied by Miss Jessie Baldwin, Mrs. Henry A. Tool attended the state convention of farm women held at Scottsbluff last week. They enjoyed the trip to the western part of the state, which, under irrigations, is a veritable Garden of Eden at this time of year.

William Sipp, mechanic with the Paul Stock implement store, departed early last week for points in Kansas, where he will look over the wheat fields to ascertain what the prospects are for a good crop. If favorable, Mr. Stock expects to send one or more combining outfits there to help harvest the grain.

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AVOCA NEWS

The Nelson McDonald service station has installed new greasing and washing equipment.

J. M. Kokjer, with the aid of his son Jordan has been placing a new shingle roof on his residence property.

At the annual meeting of the Avoca school district last week, Thomas Akeson was elected school director.

Billie Lenhardt, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lenhardt, who had a shoulder injured recently, is reported getting along very well.

Fred Marquardt made a business trip to Omaha last Tuesday. He was accompanied by _____, the lad enjoying his trip to the city very much.

A new porch has recently been added to the home of Dr. J. W. Brendel and the home given a coat of paint, which greatly improves its appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. White of Louisville were visitors here last Thursday, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marquardt. The two ladies are sisters.

Mrs. Frank Dean, daughter Doris and son Ralph of Elmwood were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corbin a number of days during the past week.

A large number of people attended the ice cream social last Saturday night, which was sponsored by the Holy Trinity Catholic church, and a nice sum was realized.

Miss Corrine Hallstrom, who is attending a commercial college in Lincoln, was home for a two weeks' between-terms vacation, spending the time with her parents.

Robert High and wife and their two daughters of Bertrand arrived in Avoca Saturday night and have been visiting at the homes of Henry Maseman and J. M. Kokjer.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hauptman were guests at the home of Mrs. Hauptman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lillian Bachelor. Mr. Hauptman reports crops looking fine over their way.

WHERE does he live?
Robert McDonald and family spent last Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McDonald, at Manley. Monday, the father came to Avoca to look after business matters.

Mrs. C. O. Zaiser, postmistress, was in Omaha the fore part of last week, where she attended the convention of postmasters in this area. While there, she was a guest of relatives.

Fred Hutchison has closed the service station to accept employment in other lines. Due to a general quietness in trade, the service stations, along with other lines of business, are hard hit.

Mesdames J. W. Brendel, Harry Marquardt, Coroline Marquardt and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Cockel of Omaha who is visiting in Avoca from her home in Omaha, visited in Lincoln last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roelofs and daughter and husband, Rheinard Schemke, of Rochester, Minn., were visiting friends and relatives here several days last week, later returning to the home of the parents at Hamlet.

A shower was held at the church last Saturday night in honor of Mrs. Robert Markel, formerly Miss Julia Jean Ruhge. A large number of the friends of the bride were present to do honor to this excellent young woman and her husband.

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last Monday evening and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Gollner over night, driving on to Peru the next day. The two young ladies, who are both engaged in teaching school, will attend the summer school session at Peru Normal.

Recovering from Operation
Mrs. Edwin Terrell, age 79, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at an Omaha hospital a week ago, is reported to have rallied satisfactorily from the trying ordeal and now making very good progress toward recovery.

Enjoying Family Picnic
The Voyles family enjoyed a picnic dinner at the home of George Wessell last Sunday when Ora Voyles and family, George Meyers and family, Bessie Voyles and family, Mattie Voyles and Earl Carpen (the latter of Omaha) together with the George Wessell family picnicked in the woods and had a fine dinner under the shade of the trees.

SOUTH BEND

Kenneth Livers called on Loran Vogel Friday afternoon.

Mrs. George Vogel and Loran Vogel were in South Bend Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Vallery called on Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Knecht Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Timm called on Mrs. Helene Timm Monday morning.

J. L. Carnicle and Joe Knecht were business callers in Plattsmouth Tuesday.

Mrs. Homer Carnicle and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Carnicle were Lincoln visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Carnicle spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Frahm and son of Ithaca.

Mrs. Bernard Dill and Janice and Mrs. Effie McConnell spent Wednesday with Mrs. V. D. Livers.

Mrs. F. J. Knecht and Mrs. Helena Timm were supper guests of Mrs. Sadie Shrader Tuesday evening.

Bob Gans of Lincoln came Saturday to spend his summer vacation with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thimgan and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. William Blum and family were Sunday evening callers at the Oscar Dill home.

Thursday dinner guests at the William Blum home were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartman and twin daughters, Peter Johnson and Norman of Alvo.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Mooney and sons left Friday morning for Missouri, where they will enjoy their vacation with his aged parents and other relatives.

Mrs. Dewey Jensen and daughters, Jean and Marilyn, of Denver, Colo., pleasantly surprised Mrs. Cora Campbell and Russel Wednesday evening, when they arrived for a visit.

Miss Madge Garnett accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hal Garnett of Plattsmouth, Mrs. True Harmon of Avoca and Miss Florence Fouchek were Saturday afternoon guests of Mrs. F. J. Knecht.

Organizing Scout Troop
Rev. T. Porter Bennett was organizing a Boy Scout troop in South Bend Wednesday evening. Bill Rosenkrans, who is an Eagle Scout, is to be his assistant. The boys met again Friday evening to begin their first lesson.

Ninth Birthday
Sarilee Kuehn was pleasantly surprised Saturday when her mother invited some of her little friends to help her celebrate her ninth birthday. She received many nice gifts. The girls enjoyed games and the delicious lunch that was served by Mrs. Kuehn.

Friendly Circle Club Meets
The Friendly Circle club met with Mrs. V. D. Livers Thursday, with each lady answering roll call by telling where she would like to go on a vacation this summer.

Mrs. Effie McConnell and Mrs. Pauline Jensen were welcome visitors. The usual business over, the afternoon was spent socially and in quilting a quilt for Mrs. Livers.

A delicious lunch was served by the hostess and her assistants.

HE'S 40, WITH 53 ARRESTS
COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (UP)—Thomas Daniel McGuire, 40, today held the unenviable record of 53 arrests and jail terms since 1933. His 53rd arrest, the result of stealing a \$3.85 clock from a drug store, drew him a 30-day sentence. He has served sentences in jails from Chicago to the Pacific coast.

You can get Rubber Stamps at lowest prices at Journal office.

Elmwood News

Ashland baseball team will play here this coming Sunday, June 23.

Marion McCrorey and wife were business visitors in Lincoln Tuesday afternoon.

John Wood was a visitor in Lincoln last Thursday, where he was looking after business matters.

R. M. Dennis, the local mail carrier, who takes the mail to and from the depot, transacted business in Omaha one day last week.

Stanley Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, left last Monday for his home at Los Angeles, after a week's visit with the parents and his many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kuehn of Lexington were guests last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams. Mrs. Williams and Mr. Kuehn are sister and brother.

Miss Doretta Schlaphof, who has been seriously ill for some time, being confined to her home and bed, is now showing good improvement and able to be up and about the home.

Floyd Eidemiller of Weeping Water was a visitor in Elmwood, coming to bring his daughter to the physician here for treatment. While here they were guests at the home of Floyd's brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Penterman and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Penterman went to Otoe Sunday to spend the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roetter, the latter a sister of Herman Penterman.

Attorney T. S. Allen and wife of Lincoln were visiting in Elmwood Memorial day and attended the services at the Wabash-Murdock cemetery. While here they enjoyed meeting many of their old friends.

The stork paid a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Hall last Saturday, presenting them with a fine baby daughter. Mrs. Hall was formerly Miss Southerland. Both the mother and daughter are reported doing very well.

Miss Elsie Kuntz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuntz, of Elmwood, who made a trip last week to the western part of the state, accompanying the Detmans back to their home at Imperial after a visit here, arrived home last Monday.

Mrs. Emily Gonzales was in Lincoln last Sunday, calling on her niece, Miss Emily Reeve, who is a patient at the Bryan Memorial hospital. She found her improving and hopeful of being able to return home in the near future.

L. F. Langhorst was in Omaha last week and while there called on Hon. W. B. Banning at the hospital, where he has been confined the past two weeks. He found Mr. Banning recovering from the injuries he suffered two weeks ago.

Recovering from Operation
Mrs. Harry Greene, who has been troubled with ill health for some time, was taken to the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln and underwent an operation for appendicitis, from which she is recovering very satisfactorily. Friends trust that she may soon be able to return home.

Will Come No More
John Seely, who has been the esteemed and highly respected salesman for the Gillon-Bonney Candy company of Lincoln during the last 43 years, at the end of this month will retire from the work that has claimed his attention these many long years. He has made many friends here and in the other towns he visits, who will regret seeing him retire. His son, Cleve Seely, will succeed his father as salesman, covering the same territory.

Many at Ak-Sar-Ben Den Show
Elmwood sent a large delegation to the Ak-Sar-Ben den show in Omaha last Monday night, including the band, which did a lot to put the town on the map, as it shared honors with the High School band from Nebraska in entertaining the large crowd before the show started.

We are unable to give the names of all who went, but did get this many: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. West, J. Elmer Shrove and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parriott, Mr. and Mrs. Don Parish, Mr. and Mrs. George Coatman, Orville Miller and wife, and Verle Flaeschman and wife.

All were enthusiastic over the show, the title of which is "The Dictator."

Walked from Syracuse
On June 1, 1888, Louis F. Langhorst, who had then lived in Syracuse for some two years after coming out from the east, and who was employed as a clerk in a grocery store there, learned of the prospect of securing work at Elmwood. In those days it was no simple matter to get from town to town, as there

were no cars and hitchhiking had not been invented. He started out early in the day and walked almost the entire distance from Syracuse to Elmwood, arriving here just as the sun was sinking in the west. Although that was 54 years ago, Mr. Langhorst remembers how he became worried as the afternoon grew, lest darkness would overtake him and he might not be able to find the town. About that time a farmer came along and offered him a ride in his wagon, which he gladly accepted, that being the one and only lift he had received throughout the day.

Through the intervening 54 years, "Lou" has lived in Elmwood, being engaged in business pursuits the greater part of the time. He has seen good times and bad, experienced prosperity and adversity, and thru it all has been able to come up smiling. Here's to you, Lou, may you live to enjoy many more years of happy pursuits in our midst.

Death of Paul Marshall

Paul Marshall, a pioneer citizen of Elmwood, who was nearing his 81st birthday and had been a resident of Elmwood for sixty years, died at his home in the northwest part of town last Tuesday afternoon, June 11. A few months ago he suffered a stroke from which he never recovered, having been confined to his home for a long time. Throughout his illness, he was a patient sufferer.

His aged wife, also in feeble health, with the aid of a son and daughter, and later a trained nurse, cared for him as he grew gradually weaker and passed away.

Funeral services were held at the Elmwood Methodist church in which he had labored for many years in the cause of the Master. He was both a teacher and superintendent of the Bible school and found much pleasure in the study of the words of the Master. Interment was in the cemetery north of town.

Besides the wife, he leaves three children. They are a son, Harry, residing near Elmwood, a daughter, Miss Doris, and another son Frank, residing in the east. The two former, as stated, have been assisting in his care. He also leaves a brother, William Marshall, of Douglas, and a nephew, Spencer J. Marshall of Weeping Water.

Rev. Homer A. Fintel delivered the funeral discourse over the remains of his friend and parishioner.

Greenwood

Howard Richards is driving a new Chevrolet.

The M. E. Guild met Tuesday afternoon at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Knolle and baby are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Marvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Myers and son of Ashland moved into the Findley house last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Otto and son of Ithaca were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huribut.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weidman, of Lincoln, were Sunday evening visitors at the L. C. Marvin home.

The Manley team will be here this coming Sunday to play Greenwood's team in the Twin Valley league.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holka and Earl were visitors at Ceresco on Sunday with Misses Margaret and Manie Holka.

Mrs. H. Brehm came home from the hospital, where she was confined for two weeks. She is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brokhaga moved to Havlock Monday. Mr. Brokhaga is employed at the Burlington shops there.

Mrs. Elton Keller and children, Mrs. Joe Kyles and Marian and Leonard Wallace visited Mrs. Wayne Kinney at Alvo Tuesday afternoon.

The L. C. C. Kensington was entertained Thursday, June 13, at the home of Mrs. Esther Armstrong. A one o'clock luncheon was served.

Mrs. Florence Armstrong, Miss Florence Begley and Mrs. Ethel Armstrong and Max drove to Gordon, Nebraska, for a visit with relatives last week.

Mrs. Dr. Wallace of Friend visited Thursday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kyles, Marian and Leonard, who have been here the past two weeks, accompanied her home on Friday.

RARE DOCUMENTS RESTORED

PHILADELPHIA (UP) — WPA workers here have completed the work of preserving historical documents, including the wills of Benjamin Franklin, Robert Morris and other Revolutionary war figures, and court papers dating from 1716.

Whether your printing job is large or small, it will receive our prompt attention. Call No. 5.

ALVO

Mark Nickel is assisting with the shingling of Earl Fairfield's house.

Donna U. Vickers is assisting her sister, Mrs. Fifer, with the house work for a couple of weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. Hammel spent Sunday at the home of Miss Margaret Greer.

Elmer Rosenow is having considerable work done on the store building that he recently purchased. It will be a few days before he will get moved into his new location.

Miss Iris Miller, who has been attending the University of Nebraska, returned to Lincoln Wednesday for the nine weeks summer term. Miss Miller will teach next year. She has a teaching position in the third and fourth grades of the Beatrice public schools.

Position at Stanton, Iowa

Dale Ganz, who has attended the University of Nebraska the past four years, and who will graduate at the close of the summer term, has accepted a position as teacher in the Stanton high school at Stanton, Iowa.

Home from Hospital

Mrs. Sherell Fifer and baby daughter are home from the hospital. They returned home Tuesday morning. They are reported to be getting along very well.

To Attend Summer School

Dale Ganz, who has attended the University of Nebraska the past four years, and who will graduate at the close of the summer term, has accepted a position as teacher in the Stanton high school at Stanton, Iowa.

Celebrate Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dimmitt and son and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Miller and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bell and son of Waverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Bell were celebrating their sixteenth wedding anniversaries, the dates coming respectively on June 11 and 12. Mr. and Mrs. Miller's sixteenth anniversary comes in August.

The three ladies were teachers in the Alvo school before their marriage. The three couples enjoyed a delicious picnic dinner.

Preparing to Celebrate

Most of the men are preparing for the celebration in Alvo the latter part of July by letting their beards grow. Some have grown quite a beard and have cut them for some reason, but are letting them grow again. Wayne Kinney and Don Davis held the record for their beards, but Wayne cut his off after he returned home from the hospital. He gives his wife the credit for his having cut it. Walter Vincent has been letting his beard grow since school is out. With the type that he's cultivating, he resembles a funny paper character very much.

Several beautiful bouquets were brought to the meeting.