

MURDOCK

By Journal Field Representative

Jacob Johansen was over to Lincoln last Wednesday getting some repairs for his truck.

Miss Geraldine Schmidt has had a telephone installed in her beauty shop as a convenience for her patrons.

Fred Sand of near Nebraska City was in Murdock last Tuesday and bought a combine from Paul Stock to use on his farm near Nebraska City.

The Ladies' Aid of the Murdock church was meeting last week with Mrs. Merle Gillespie, where they enjoyed an excellent program and luncheon.

Frank Rosenow was called to Elmwood last Wednesday morning to look after some business matters and while there visited a number of his many friends.

Mrs. Elmer Sundstrom of Plattsmouth, who is connected with the county assistance office, was a visitor in Murdock last Tuesday looking after business.

Johnnie Gakemeier and Fred Bassie are now attending trade school in Lincoln where they are acquiring the secrets of caring for trucks and tractors.

Mrs. V. Almy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schewe, and their little daughter was spending last week with the parents and visiting with a number of her friends while here.

Miss Elsa Bornemeier, who has been in poor health for some time and was at an Omaha hospital under observation, was sent home for a rest before returning for further treatment.

Louis Slekjost, formerly of Eustis, but who has been here for a number of years with the family have been spending a few weeks with the home folks in the west, returned home last week.

The Garden club met last Wednesday at the McDonald, home where they were entertained by Mrs. Hannah McDonald. A large number of the members were in attendance and a very pleasant afternoon spent.

Mrs. Alvin Bornemeier and little daughter who have been visiting with her folks and other friends at Eustis.

JACK FOR SALE

I have an excellent black Jack, with white nose and light stripes, coming five years old. See me for purchase or trade.

PAUL STOCK

At the Implement Company
Murdock, Nebr.

REPORT OF CONDITION

OF THE

MURRAY STATE BANK

of Murray, Nebr.

Charter No. 578 in the State of Nebraska at the Close of Business on April 9th, 1941

Assets

Including \$53.35 overdrafts	\$246,388.35
United States Government Obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	69,893.00
Political Subdivisions and Cash, Balances Due from Banks, Cash Items in process of collection	745.51
Bank Premises owned	51,945.93
Furniture and Fixtures	\$2,000.00
	660.00
	2,660.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$370,642.83

Liabilities

Demand Deposits	\$158,096.57
Time Deposits	148,106.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	9.38
Deposits of States and Political Subdivisions	25,119.00
Other Deposits (Certified and Officers' Checks, etc.)	684.35
Total Deposits, \$332,000.30	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$332,000.30

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	\$20,000.00
Surplus	17,500.00
Undivided Profits	1,322.53
Total Capital Accounts	\$38,822.53

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

	\$370,642.83
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*This bank's capital consists of common stock with total par value of \$20,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Pledged Assets (and Securities Lended) (Book Value) U. S. Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities \$26,461.00 Secured and Preferred Liabilities Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law \$19,861.00

I, Charles H. Boedecker, Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. BOEDECKER, Cashier.

Correct-Attest: G. BOEDECKER, Director G. M. MINFORD, Director

Nebraska for the past two weeks, returned home last Saturday night after having enjoyed a very fine visit in the west.

Paul Stock last week made the purchase of an eighty acre farm in Otoe county a few miles west of Palmyra, and is greatly pleased with his acquisition, and he has pinned his faith very tightly to Nebraska farm lands, saying there is no better property.

Miss Dorothy Gorthey, an instructor in a public school system in the southwestern part of the state spent the Easter season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gorthey, and also visited with her brother, Russell, who is a student at Peru Normal and was also home for Easter.

Murdock to Retain Exchange.

On account of the meager subscription list of the Murdock telephone exchange resultant to the change of system more than a year ago there were persistent rumors that the exchange would be taken away and the list of subscribers attached to the Elmwood exchange. A boost in the number of subscribers to over the hundred mark, due to increased business activity, and there is an assurance that the exchange will be maintained here.

Mrs. Platt Some Better.

Mrs. Una McHugh, who has been at North Platte for a week caring for her daughter, Mrs. Platt, who has been very seriously ill, with the improvement of the daughter, has returned to her home in Murdock. The many friends are pleased with the improved condition of the daughter.

Moves to Iowa Farm Home.

Alfred Race, a brother of our townsman, Lawrence Race, who has been employed in Lincoln, last week moved to near Leon, Iowa, where a few years ago he purchased a farm and where he will engage in farming instead of in the automobile business. Lawrence Race was assisting in the moving of the effects of his brother and family from Lincoln to Leon last week.

Spent Easter at Beatrice.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Tool were spending Easter Sunday at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Bradford and the kiddies at Beatrice, where all enjoyed the occasion very much.

Installing Water System.

Daniel Schlaphoff has been installing a farm water system on his farm which is occupied by his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith. The plant will provide water for the house as well as the farm buildings. Mr. Schlaphoff is doing the installing himself with the assistance of the son-in-law.

Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jones of South Bend, are the proud parents of a son, born to them recently. The mother was formerly Miss Bernice McCrorey and Mr. and Mrs. I. C. McCrorey are sharing in the joy of the arrival, as well as Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones of South Bend. All concerned are getting along nicely.

Announce Birth of Son.

Announcement has been made of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Verner Perry, Jr., formerly living near Murray. The new arrival is son of Verner Perry's son, was born in the west part of the state near Prule and is also a great nephew of I. C. McCrorey, the mother being a niece of Mr. and Mrs. McCrorey.

Teaches at Louisville.

L. Neitzel motored to Louisville Sunday morning, worshipping with

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the Methodist church. He taught the adult class of which James Stander is the teacher. L. N. has taught this class many times before, but finds it growing smaller, the members being transferred, one by one, by translation to their permanent stay with their Lord, where they will be rewarded for faithful attendance. It was a great delight to teach and visit with these splendid people.

50th Anniversary of Murdock. (1891-1941)

April 7th completed the first half century of the establishment of one of Cass county's most substantial, solidest, cleanest towns, where the forces of righteousness predominate. Her foundations were laid by prayer and dedicated to the service of God, where people could come with their families and find a clean and wholesome atmosphere to raise their children. The writer was the first to stake out his home on the then unnamed plat, which he a little later named "Murdock." Mr. A. J. Tool and Mrs. H. V. McDonald are the next oldest in residence. Not many founders of towns live to see the development of their beginning so long, but the writer does enjoy good health, although retired from business, and is justly proud of the work of 50 years, having had a vital part in its development.

The writer made no mistake when he chose this place for a home. He brought a family of four children here, who received their training in a high grade school (we mean high class) and were well prepared to go to college from here. Many of our graduates are in the field of education as teachers, doctors, dentists and professors. Much could be said of the old pioneers who ended their career here and have passed on. Among these would be E. J. Tool, H. V. McDonald, Frank Martin, F. Wolf, Jacob Goehry, Dr. I. D. Jones, Sam Kitts, A. Panska, Christ Miller, C. Gurr and others; they all left their mark on the community. The town at one time had three churches, but was only able to support one, so two were discontinued, that left one which serves the spiritual needs of its people and is well supported. The business men belong to and support the church.

In this connection I want to say, although going on 87 years and retired from business, I am still interested in keeping and holding town and community to the ideals we started out with, to have a clean, wholesome atmosphere to live in. I go about during the warmer days teaching and preaching each Sunday, and besides editing the weekly Sunday school lesson for the Plattsmouth Journal, which should be in every home. So I shall keep on in the good work until I reach the end of the road, and go the way of those pioneers who labored with me, to make Murdock what it is. May someone continue the story at Murdock's centennial, and have as much and more good to say for than the writer had today.

Today I am alone, the children have all gone; the life's companion is gone (5 years ago); that is a great change, but that comes to all of us, in time. I do not expect to see the centennial of Murdock, but will be here yet for some time—sitting on the sidelines, and see the procession pass by and some day I will be missed there, but I will try to live so that there will be no doubt in anybody's mind where I am gone—my home is "over there."

L. NEITZEL.

ON DOANE TENNIS SQUAD

John Tibball, Doane sophomore, is a returning letterman on the tennis squad this year.

Doane has tennis matches scheduled with Wesleyan, York, Hastings, and Chadron, beside the NCAC meet at Fremont, and hopes to repeat her 1940 golf and tennis leadership.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest gratitude to the many kind friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and sympathy in the hour of our bereavement. Also our deepest thanks for the beautiful floral tributes.—Chris Tschirren and families.

EAGLE

Special Journal Correspondence

Deal-a-Deck Pinochle club met on Thursday, April 10, at the home of Mrs. Roy Comstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kyles and Mrs. Elton Keller and Jaunce were in Lincoln Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garcia and family spent last Sunday at the Dan Griffith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gribble gave a six o'clock dinner Thursday evening for the grade school basketball boys.

Andy Leadabrand has purchased the Cline property recently vacated by Warren Ellison and will move in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde James and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nickols of Ponca City, Oklahoma, visited at the Pete Schroeder home last week.

Ben Buckingham is still at the hospital. His condition remains the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Peters returned from California last Monday, following a month's visit there.

Beverly Casey is reported as better, but will remain in the hospital for some time yet.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Marvin were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shepard at Lincoln Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Ehrbridge is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Diemer, at Sioux City.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kinney of Alvo, Mr. and Mrs. Urban Kyles of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Keller and family and Dr. and Mrs. Wallace and family of Friend were all at the Joe Kyles home Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Miller underwent a serious operation at Bryan Memorial hospital on Wednesday of this week.

HAVE WEDDINGS HERE

From Saturday's Daily—The residence of Judge and Mrs. A. H. Duxbury on west Pearl street was the scene of two weddings last evening, out-of-town couples coming here to have their ceremonies performed.

Russell T. Moss, U. S. A. from Fort Robinson, Arkansas, and June Marie Ward, of Lincoln, were married by Judge Duxbury in the presence of Miss Ruth L. Ward, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Duxbury.

Roy P. Newman and Agnes M. Newman, both of Omaha were also re-married last evening with Mrs. L. D. Stahn and C. O. Stahn, also of Omaha as the witnesses.

OPEN NEW FUNERAL HOME

The Hubert Janda-Ralph Koch new funeral home, located on Second and Linden avenue in Wahoo, was opened for public inspection recently.

This home, just recently constructed, is built along the modernistic lines, being a 36x50 structure.

Mr. Koch and family occupy the living quarters of this new modern funeral home.

Both men are well known in Plattsmouth. Mr. Janda is a brother of Mrs. Frank Slavicek and a brother-in-law of Edward Donat, Sr., both of Plattsmouth.

VACATION AT UNIVERSITY

From Thursday's Daily—The University of Nebraska opens its Easter vacation today and the students are planning on many pleasant home visits during the time they will be free of their studies. Miss Maxine Clodt, Stephen Davis and Stephen Devoe are among the first of the students to be home for the vacation.

HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Kenneth J. Dunlap arrived in the city Tuesday morning from Salinas, California, where she has been making her home, and will visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen McClure. Mr. Dunlap is a member of the 17th infantry at Fort Ord, near Salinas.

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BOY SCOUT NEWS

From Saturday's Daily—

Regular meeting of Boy Scout Troop 367 was held last night in the basement of the First Christian church. Seven Boy Scouts and the Scoutmaster were present. They studied on first class First Aid and the General Service code. Each boy of the troop will make a bird house. The boy who makes the best bird house will receive a prize.

The next meeting will be on April 18 at the Scout cabin if the weather is nice.

TENNIS TEAM TO TARKIO

From Friday's Daily—

The tennis team of the Plattsmouth high school were at Tarkio Missouri, today where they enjoyed a match with the representatives of several other high schools. The team comprised Donald Martin, Lars Larson, Corbin Davis, and Ralph Hill. Ray Larson, veteran tennis player, accompanied the group to enjoy the matches. Kenneth White accompanied the boys to visit his brother, Allen White.

WORK ATTRACTS ATTENTION

A bouquet of Easter eggs which cleverly arranged resembles a group of tulips is one of the attractions prepared by the workers at the Recreation Center in this city. The contents of the eggs are removed and the eggs colored in varied hues and then the green stems and unfolding leaves are added to make an almost perfect tulip just bursting into flower. The Journal has received one of these very clever bouquets.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

Among the most recent books received at the Plattsmouth Public Library are included: "Intrude No More" by Virginia Creed, "The Story of Aircraft" by Fraser, Building and Flying Model Airplanes, and "The Theater, 3,000 Years of Drama, Acting and Stagecraft" by Sheldon Cheney. "Intrude No More" is a pay-shelf book, while the others are for general circulation.

SELLS TEXAS HOLDINGS

From Thursday's Daily—Mrs. D. C. Morgan was in the city today for a few hours looking after the sale of her pictorial history of Plattsmouth. She also states that she has disposed of the lot in the Los Angeles Heights addition to San Antonio, Texas. Frank J. Libershal has also sold his lot in that part of San Antonio.

VISIT AT SPRINGFIELD

From Thursday's Daily—This afternoon Marilyn and Billy Kieck were taken to Springfield by their mother, Mrs. Lora Lloyd Kieck. The young folks will spend the Easter holiday with their grand-mother, Mrs. William Kieck and their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kieck.

SHOOTING GALLERY AND RIFLE RANGE OPENS HERE

A first class shooting gallery and rifle range is opening in the Anheuser-Busch building at 4th and Main streets, today by H. A. (Dutch) Hanzlick of Lawrence, Nebraska, and an announcement of same will be found elsewhere in today's issue of the Journal.

TO RETURN TO OHIO

From Friday's Daily—Miss Hazel Dovey, who is head of the commercial department at the McKinley high school at Canton, Ohio, is to leave tomorrow for the east. Miss Dovey has been in Plattsmouth a week as a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver C. Dovey.

ATTENDS SUPREME COURT

From Friday's Daily—County Attorney Walter H. Smith was in Lincoln today where he was called on some official business. He is filing a reply brief in the case of Robert Fitch vs. Cass County.

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LENTEN SERVICES CLOSE

From Friday's Daily—

This noon was held the last of the Holy Week services that have been in progress at the Cass theatre for the week. The large number attending has been most gratifying and many have been at every one of the inspiring meetings.

The chairman of the meeting today was W. H. Puls, member of the board of the St. Paul's church, who introduced the various participants. Don C. York, well known vocalist, was the soloist of the meeting and gave a most appropriate number, "The Old Rugged Cross," with feeling and artistic finish. Mrs. Wiley Sigler was the pianist.

Dr. W. H. Phelps of the Lowe Avenue Presbyterian church of Omaha, was the guest speaker and brought a message most fitting for this day of Good Friday.

The services have been a great success and one of the loyal and enthusiastic workers whose contributions have made possible the fine meetings is Mrs. Wiley Sigler. Mrs. Sigler has devoted her time each day to be at the theatre and play for the various soloists who have appeared in the meetings. Her fine spirit and service deserves the fullest commendation.

The Scouts assisting today were Richard Sack and Robert Stones.

Rev. J. W. Taenzler, who has led the group singing was on the job today to lead in the opening hymn.

DOES GOOD WORK

From Thursday's Daily—

Father J. R. Sinkula, pastor of the Holy Rosary church on west Pearl street, was in the county court today to intercede with the court in the matter of Leonard Baxter, 16-year-old youth, who has been a problem for some time.

The boy is one that certainly needs the careful study and steady hand of one trained to provide a greater spiritual and moral background for the youth.

Father Sinkula, following the great example of Father Flanagan, who has saved many boys from destruction, is taking the local boy on probation, giving the case his study and attention and providing the boy the care and security that he has so long needed.

The case is one in which the genial priest will find a field for his desire to serve those who need it most and to guide the youth if possible in lines that may make him a useful man.

LOCAL RELATIVES WILL ATTEND FUNERAL TOMORROW

From Friday's Daily—

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Novotny, Mrs. Joseph F. Kvapil, Mrs. August Kopp and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kopp will motor to Omaha tomorrow morning. They will attend the funeral of Mrs. William Holly, 70, who died at her foster son's home Wednesday afternoon. Funeral services will be conducted at the C. C. Hayes mortuary, Omaha, at 10 o'clock. Rev. P. A. Flanagan, pastor of the Holy Angels Catholic church, will officiate. The funeral cortege will then motor to Plattsmouth where interment will take place in Oak Hill cemetery. The cortege is expected to reach the cemetery between 11 and 12 a. m.

Mrs. Holly is Mrs. Novotny's sister-in-law and an aunt of Mesdames Kvapil and August Kopp.

POSTOFFICE SHOWS GAIN

From Friday's Daily—

Postmaster Milo W. Price reports that the stamp sales at the local postoffice have shown a fine gain in the first ten days of April over that of 1940. For the period from April 1 to April 10th, 1940, the receipts on the stamp sales were \$425.16 while from April 1 to April 10th 1941, the receipts were \$507.96.

These are strictly stamp sales and do not include special request envelope sales, but ordinary stamp stock.

Plattsmouth Ladies Return from the East

Mrs. V. F. Kelley and Daughter, Miss Hazel Return Thursday—Visit Many Interesting Places

Mrs. V. F. Kelley and daughter, Miss Hazel returned home Thursday from a very pleasant trip in the east covering many of the most interesting of the eastern cities and places of historic interest.

They made their main stay at Philadelphia with Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Kelley and family, who have made their home there for the past several months. They found their relatives very much pleased with the home in the east. Mr. Kelley is employed by the Bendix company and has been very successful in his work.

The ladies on their first week-end took a motor trip to Atlantic City, New Jersey, one of the great pleasure resorts of the Atlantic seaboard, with good hotels and nationally known board walk and here they enjoyed the glimpses of the pleasure seekers from the large cities of that territory.

In Philadelphia they had the opportunity of visiting the many historic spots so closely associated with the early life of the colonies and the revolution, including Independence hall, the liberty bell, Carpenters hall, spots where the infant government of the United States was founded and placed in operation.

The trip afforded them the opportunity of a visit at Washington, D. C., to visit the national capitol and enjoy congress in session. They had the pleasure of a personal greeting with Vice-President Henry Wallace as well as seeing many of the leaders of the nation in this great national crisis. The party was accompanied by Mrs. Vincent Kelley on the motor trip to Washington and over the river to the Arlington national cemetery, the tomb of the unknown soldier and the Lee mansion as well as Mt. Vernon.

New York City afforded the ladies a great treat in the rush and bustle of the great city, the skyscrapers and other points that make this city one of the world wonders.

The ladies had the pleasure of visiting John Jacobs, who is also located in Philadelphia. The other former Plattsmouth residents, now working in New Jersey, are expected to be located in Philadelphia by the first of May.

N.Y.A. SUPERVISOR TO VISIT PLATTSMOUTH APRIL 17TH

Robert M. Harrison, youth personnel supervisor for the National Youth Administration, will be in Plattsmouth at the district court room, third floor of court house, from 8 to 12 Thursday, April 17, 1941. At that time he will interview young men between the ages of 17 and 25 who are interested in applying for admission to the NYA boys' resident project at Bellevue. Employment is available at the project in the following types of work: radio and electrical work; sheet metal; carpentry and woodworking; cooking and baking; auto mechanics; welding, painting, including silk screen work; and sign painting; clerical work; and building construction. Youth workers are given an opportunity to transfer from one shop unit to another to determine which type of work each is best qualified to do.

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