

MURDOCK

By Journal Field Representative

Roy Ruge was a visitor in Murdock Monday evening.
Miss Maxine Miller has been selected as a teacher in the schools at Adams, and is starting the school year there today.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jochin and Miss Myrtle Wendt, who have been vacationing in South Dakota, Wyoming and Colorado, returned home last week.

The Rock Island railway has just completed the laying of new steel on the siding going past the elevator, thus putting this track in the best of shape.

Mrs. A. H. Shindlbeaver, mother of Melton Reed, living northwest of town, who visited here during the summer, but is now in California, writes that she is having a fine time in the west.

Russell Gortney left Sunday morning on a bus from Lincoln to visit a few days with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Magorian of Pallasade, Nebr. He plans to come back on the Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gustin of Wheatland, Wyoming, came to attend the Eveland-Poole wedding at Elmwood and also visited friends in Murdock, being guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Tool while here.

John W. Kruger has torn down an out building, using the lumber to add another room to his home across the entire west side, thus adding to the amount of room and providing a buffer on that side of the building.

Walter Towle, brother of Mrs. Una McHugh and Fred W. Towle of near Wabash were in Lincoln last Wednesday, called there to be present at a major operation on their brother, Walter Towle, who resides in Lincoln.

Mrs. John G. Scheel has been enjoying a visit from her daughter, Clara, now Mrs. Russell Rogers and Mr. Rogers of Denver, who have been here for a week. Another daughter, Mrs. Anna Boswell of Adams has been here also and the visit of the children has been a very pleasant occasion for all.

Mrs. Clara Kroh and her daughter Pauline, who is a teacher in the Murdock schools, moved last week to the Charles Schafer home, as the Schafer family have now located at 6024 Binney street in Omaha. The

property where Mrs. Kroh and her daughter lived has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Wehrmann. Frank F. Rosenow, who is a Spanish-American war veteran, attended the national convention which was held in Omaha last week. He stayed at the Wellington hotel and was able to meet and visit many of his former comrades of 43 years ago, including Charles and Harve Manners of Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. August Ruge, their son Daniel and daughter Dorsetta arrived home last week from a vacation trip in the west. They visited the Black Hills country, the mountains of Wyoming and Estes Park in Colorado and had a most enjoyable time.

Last week Esther Luetchens returned home from St. Louis after spending a week with friends and relatives. She was accompanied to St. Louis by a friend, Miss Laneta Bronrd, who spent the summer in Nebraska. She went on the Missouri Pacific Eagle and reports having a very enjoyable trip.

Card of Thanks
I wish to thank all my friends and neighbors for all the kindness they have shown to me during my recent illness.

The cards, flowers and visits are greatly appreciated.
Mrs. Henry Heiniman.

Accepts School at Burwell
Mrs. Georgia Hogue, who has been a successful teacher in the Murdock schools for a number of years, accepted a very appealing offer of employment as teacher of the schools at Burwell, Nebraska, and resigned her position in Murdock to accept the one at Burwell, departing for the new employment last week.

Spending Vacation at Home
Miss Fern Buck, beautician of Omaha, has been enjoying a vacation from her work in the metropolis during the past week and spending most of the time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buck. She and her mother were in Lincoln last Monday and called on Bert Muenchau, who is convalescing from a recent operation at Bryan Memorial hospital. Mr. Muenchau is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buck.

Departed for the West
Raymond Beach, who has been the manager of the T. W. Engle lumber yard in Murdock, as related last week, accepted an offer of employment in California in the same line of business. He left Sunday for the new location and W. O. Gillespie has been placed temporarily in charge as manager until the company secures someone for the place. He is well qualified to look after the business.

Foot Crushed by Tractor
While Dan Neben was working with his tractor, the heavy machine ran over one of his feet, crushing it quite severely. The young man was taken to Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln to have the injured foot cared for.

Gave Party at Callahan
The Callahan church and Bible school sponsored an entertainment at the church in honor of Roy Stock, who has enlisted in the army and reports at Fort Crook, where he will be assigned to some camp. He has been a faithful attendant at Bible school and the affair was in recognition of his sterling worth. A most enjoyable time was had.

Farewell for Schafer Family
The people of Murdock, recognizing their long and pleasant relations with the Charles Schafer family were to be broken with the removal of the family to Omaha, gave them a farewell party on the lawn of the church yard at Murdock, wishing them success in their new home.

They have been most estimable citizens and all regret to see them depart.

Getting Supply of Wood
E. E. Ganaway, who was given a number of large trees in exchange for their removal, now has a large wood pile, which he has chopped to stove size, and has also secured a quantity of coal so he will be prepared for the chilly blasts and the deep snows of winter when they arrive.

We will appreciate phone calls of news items from our readers.

Take Out Your False Teeth
OR YOU'LL CHOKe AT THE DONKEY BALL GAME AT MURDOCK
Tuesday Evening, Sept. 2, 8 p. m.
Costs only 20c and 40c admission—Worth a Dollar. Two selected teams of Murdock players. 500 attended the game at Nehawka and watched eleven donkeys make donkeys out of all the players. Game called for 8:00 o'clock sharp. Plenty of light and more delight.

Murdock Invites You—Come!
Terms of Sale: CASH
Martha Ruby, Marg'ret Stones
Administratrices of Jacob
Bengen Estate
REX YOUNG MURRAY ST. BANK
Auctioneer Clerk

A Message to Persecuted Churches

Rev. 2:1-11.
During this month we have our lessons from the Book of Revelation, so we lay a foundation today for the book. The author is John, writer of the fourth gospel and three epistles. He is the disciple whom Jesus loved; banished to the isle of Patmos because of his belief in Jesus Christ. He was spared a martyr's death, lived to the end of the First Century, died a natural death.

This book is very precious to the child of God because it reveals Christ to them in his beauty, majesty and power. (See Chapter 1). The critic finds much that he does not understand, therefore becomes a skeptic; the speculator finds a mass of material to try his wits on, but gets lost in the maze. The child of God finds it full of precious revelations regarding the future of the Kingdom, the final overthrow of the forces of evil; the conqueror riding to ultimate victory, establishing a new heaven and a new earth where righteousness reigneth. It is strange that no more people read and study this book. The author says: "Blessed is he that readeth and they that hear the words of this prophecy and keep those things written therein." That God has given this book to man, constitutes man's obligation to make every effort to understand it. The last book of the Bible is truly the conclusion of centuries of divine revelation.

Dr. W. H. Griffith Thomas in his brief outline of the successive periods of Biblical revelation clearly shows this:
Genesis-Deuteronomy, revelation. Joshua-Esther, preparation. Job-Songs of Solomon, aspiration. Isaiah-Malachi, expectation. Mathew-John, manifestation. Acts-Jude, realization. The book of Revelation, consummation.

The delay of nigh 2,000 years of fulfillment of these prophecies has proved a rich season of grace to the world.

The message to just seven churches may give us the idea that they represent a cross-section of the church at that time and even today. Paul in his day wrote to seven churches at Rome, Corinth, Ephesus, Galatia, Philippi, Colosse and Thesalonica.

The figure seven is brought to our notice among the many symbols in this book. It is found forty times. The message to the church at Ephesus was directed to the leading elder or ranking officer of each of the churches; the description of the Son of Man is different. In each letter, we have a statement of conditions as found by Christ, except the last Laodicea.

In each there is a statement of disapproval except in two—Smyrna and Philadelphia. In each there is an admonition of encouragement to be faithful in times of difficulty. In each there is a promise of a precious gift to those that overcome evil.

The church at Ephesus was founded by Paul (Acts 19), and to her he wrote that famous Epistle to the Ephesians. In all of her activity, she was perfect. But the all-seeing eye of him, whose eyes were as a flame of fire discovered that the ardor of a lover, who is espoused to one he loves, had grown cold. The elements of first love are simplicity and purity. Thus the love of the church to Christ is typified to the love of wife for the husband. The church had lost her enthusiasm, the ardor for her lover—Christ. And that is the case with many Christians—the burning heart has grown cold, the fire is gone out, no more enthusiasm—the form remains, but no life is left. Christ says, repent and do the first works—or else—?

Where is Ephesus today—nothing left. Smyrna has the shortest eulogy. Christ says he knows her tribulation, but promises no relief, rather more trials; but Jesus says: "Fear none of these, be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee the crown of life. What about the church of today? The lukewarm church. The worst we can say is—she is indifferent, negligent; love grown cold—will a divorce follow? Yes, many are really strangers to the church, they so seldom visit her. Only repentance and a new baptism of Holy Ghost fire can save them!

Edwin Steppat and Ronald Lester, who have been on an extensive motor trip to the west coast and the Pacific northwest, returned home last evening. They visited for some time in Washington and Oregon and later in California and Texas. They had a fine time and the opportunity of viewing a large part of the United States.

Secure Marriage License
From Friday's Daily—
This morning in the county court marriage license was issued to William Henry Jardine and Miss Lorene Elizabeth Wegener, both of Louisville. The groom is an employe of the Ash Grove cement plant.

Woman's Club Presents Report of Past Year

Submitted by Mrs. E. H. Wescott, President, Shows Many Activities Club Sponsored.

Eighteen regular meetings held. The theme of the year's work was "The American Home." Under the direction of the program committee with Mrs. L. S. Devoe as chairman, every phase of life in "The American Home" has been presented in program form.

The president presided over seventeen of the eighteen regular club meetings, also attended numerous executive and committee meetings. All officers served efficiently and willingly; all committees functioned.

The club is honored by having Mrs. L. S. Devoe as president of Cass County Federation, district and state chairman of the department of American Home; also in being elected at the district convention to the office of vice president of the district.

One of the first activities was the appointing of a committee to cooperate with the King Korn Carnival committee. They presented a float in the parade at the King Korn Carnival and served in other ways.

On October 4, 1940 the Cass County Federation of Women's clubs met in Plattsmouth as guests of the Plattsmouth club.

In March, 1941, the District Federation of Women's clubs met in Plattsmouth as guests of the local club and the city. Two delegates, Mrs. R. B. Hayes and Mrs. L. S. Devoe, attended state convention at Norfolk.

Each local meeting was opened with devotionals and the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

In June 1940, the club sponsored a hobby show. In September 1940, a membership tea was held. At Christmas 1940 the Junior Woman's club were guests of the senior club at the home of Mrs. Elmer Sundstrom. The club sponsored a movie, "Cheers for Miss Bishop."

Miss Fern Jahrig received first prize at state convention on the "Golden Jubilee Scrap Book." At Christmas the club assisted by contributions in placing thirty baskets of food, clothing and toys. We purchased a Red Cross membership; purchased a book for the library; observed Music Week; paid \$5.00 for Girl Scout charter and sponsored the work. Several Scout executives have visited the club, also the troops; held annual spring banquet with J. Hyde Sweet of Nebraska City as our speaker. We have had two high school girls as guests of each meeting.

The president was the recipient of a past president's pin, a gift of the club.

The constitution and by-laws were revised and accepted.

Funds received, \$311.76; funds expended \$284.01.
Perfect attendance records: Mrs. R. C. Shellenbarger, Mrs. Wm. L. Heinrich, Mrs. L. S. Devoe, Mrs. L. W. Egenberger.

The time approaches for the opening of the year's activities of the Plattsmouth Woman's club. We record the activities of 1940-41 and trust that every woman in the community who is interested in civic work of her home town will voluntarily ally herself with this group. The dues are \$1 per year. The meetings are held the first and third Mondays of every month, beginning with October and continuing through May. Mrs. W. L. Heinrich is membership chairman for the club year 1941-42.

Mrs. L. S. Devoe, president 1941-1942 is now planning and promoting activities for the coming year. Other officers assisting her are Mrs. R. C. Shellenbarger, vice-president; Mrs. L. W. Egenberger, recording secretary; Mrs. Frank Horskak, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. L. Heinrich, treasurer.

RETURN FROM OUTING
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COMPLETES TEACHING FORCE

The teaching force of the Plattsmouth city schools has been completed by the election of Miss Ruth Elizabeth Ann Mattice of Paulina, Iowa, and who is assigned to the teaching post at the Mercerville school.

Miss Mattice is a graduate of the Paulina high school and the University of Omaha. In her teaching work she has had a great deal of experience in supervision of athletics and Camp Fire work.

Mountain Lands are Visited by Local People

Emil J. Weyrich and Miss Clara Weyrich Tour Black Hills, Wyoming and Montana

The summer outing of Emil Weyrich, local druggist and photo enthusiast, and sister, Miss Clara Weyrich, led them into the mountain scenes of the Black Hills, Yellowstone, the Big Horn mountains and many other places of great interest in that part of the west.

They started their tour by way of the Black Hills, visiting many of the scenic spots and including Mt. Rushmore, where several years ago Mr. Weyrich had witnessed the first cutting of the great memorial that bears the heads of Washington, Lincoln, Jefferson and Theodore Roosevelt, carved in the side of Mt. Rushmore. They also had the pleasure of the climb of 900 steps to the top of the head of Washington where they could glimpse the fine view of the hill country.

They drove on to Sheridan, Wyoming, to enjoy a visit in the Big Horn mountains near that place, very beautiful scenery and a new spot for the travelers. The trip over the Red Lodge highway was one of the most delightful, Mr. Weyrich describing it as one of the finest auto roads that he had driven over and at one point they reached the height of 10,900 feet.

On a visit to the Medicine Bow fossil beds they found many traces of the dinosaur here in what had been their graveyards and where the monsters had come to die. In the rocks can be found traces of bones and several specimens were brought home by Mr. Weyrich.

A trip through Yellowstone was again enjoyed and many fine pictures secured of the scenes and among these of the animal life that abounds in the park. On the trip they had the opportunity to observe elk, buffalo, deer, antelope and near the Cody entrance to Yellowstone a cow moose and her calves.

The weather was very fine also in crossing the divide four times they ran into snow or rain three times and the temperature at about 46 degrees, a most pleasant relief from the heat that had been prevailing at home.

HERE FROM WYOMING
Mr. and Mrs. John Gustin, of Wheatland, Wyoming, who were residents of near Murdock for a great many years, are visiting in the city. They are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Born and family, old time friends of the Eorn family for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Gustin have been visiting in the west part of the county and attended the Eveland-Poole wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Davis of Lincoln, were here today for a few hours attending to some matters of business and visiting with friends.

WILL ENJOY HOLIDAY
From Saturday's Daily—
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burdick and children will depart tonight for Broken Bow where they will visit over Sunday and Labor day. They will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burdick, the parents of Mr. Burdick.

DOES YOUR CAR GO TO SCHOOL?
IF THE CHILDREN ARE DRIVING THE FAMILY CAR TO SCHOOL IT SHOULD BE WELL PROTECTED WITH GOOD INSURANCE.

INSURE FOR SAFETY
AN ACCIDENT THAT TAKES A SECOND MAY COST THE SAVINGS OF A LIFETIME.
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LOCAL YOUNG MAN AT NYA RESIDENT CENTER

Jack Hadraba, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hadraba, Sr., of 601 3rd Avenue, Plattsmouth, has reported to the NYA Resident Center at Bellevue for employment in the auto mechanics shop.

O. A. Fink, assistant superintendent reports Jack was assigned to the auto repair shop because of his interest in auto mechanics. The auto shop has designated as a defense training unit, since it provides youth with work experience in an industry vital to national defense. Mr. Fink expects that the State Department of Vocational Education will soon begin a training course in auto mechanics to supplement the NYA work experience program in the shop.

Hadraba will be eligible for the next class in aircraft sheet metal which will be started for Bellevue NYA youth in September. This class is conducted by the vocational department of the Omaha public schools. Completion of the course qualifies the student as an airplane riveter. Although there is no charge made, youth must attend classes on their own time.

Young Hadraba was recommended for entrance into the Bellevue Center by Mr. Devoe, superintendent of the Plattsmouth schools and Mrs. Lora Lloyd Kieck, county superintendent.

Other Cass county young men now at Bellevue include Melvin Penner, Kiech Tankersley, Charles Amick and Richard Specht, all of Weeping Water, and Elwood Younker of Union. All five are assigned to the sheet metal shop. The Journal was informed by Mr. Fink that Younger has just been designated as a junior foreman in sheet metal because of his quality of workmanship and excellence in the related training program. This is the division over which "Shorty" Burbridge, former Plattsmouth man, is foreman.

LOSE BASS DRUM
From Friday's Daily—
The Plattsmouth American Legion Junior drum and bugle corps discovered when they arrived home last evening from Syracuse, that they were short the bass drum. The drum had been tied on one of the cars and had evidently worked loose and the first noticed was when its loss was discovered.

The party drove north on highway 50 to Fort George and thence east on 34 to Union and home on No. 75. The drum was lettered and it is hoped will be found.

GIRL TO MCCONAHAS
On Wednesday, August 27 a girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis McConaha at the Alvin Smock home in this city. The McConaha family reside at Springfield, Nebraska. Mrs. Smock and Mrs. McConaha are sisters. The infant's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl McConaha of Nebraska City, and Mr. and Mrs. George Stones of Plattsmouth. The McConahas now have two children—both daughters.

EAGLE VISITORS HERE
From Saturday's Daily—
A number of the residents of Eagle and vicinity were in the city today to attend the sale of several of the town lots in the village under a tax foreclosure proceeding by the Village of Eagle. Among those here were Guy Jones, William Horn, R. C. Wendel, Glen Crandell, Warren Ruler, Floyd Bunton and Mrs. Jess Wall.

CHICAGO PEOPLE WEDDED
County Judge A. H. Duxbury was called upon this morning to speak the marriage vows for Andrew Gerald Miller and Margaret Dorothy Burbank, both of Chicago. The bride and groom were accompanied by W. T. Harbeson, also of Chicago.

Following the wedding the bridal party continued on to Kansas where they will visit relatives.

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Plan Convention of Cass County Club Federation

County Chairman Mrs. L. S. Devoe Has Presidents of Clubs Here for Interesting Conference

Friday afternoon the presidents of the clubs of the Cass County Federation of Women's clubs met in this city with Mrs. L. S. Devoe, the county president.

The meeting was to perfect plans for the annual county convention which will meet at Louisville on Friday, October 3rd. The theme of the convention this year will be "America Calls," based on the need for the service of the club women in the national defense at this critical time.

The meeting was held in the basement of the First Methodist church and opened with the salute to the flag, led by Mrs. Ray Norris, of Weeping Water.

Mrs. Devoe presided over the meeting and Mrs. Ralph M. Wiles as the secretary of the group, comprising some thirty ladies.

In addition to the plans discussed the members of the party enjoyed a delightful program comprising two piano numbers by Mrs. J. A. Capwell, "Scotch Airs" and "March Militaire"; two vocal selections by Mrs. J. R. Reeder, "Little Brown Owl" and "Springtime." Mrs. William Baird gave a very clever and much enjoyed talk, "Words" being the theme of her remarks.

Mrs. Ralph Uhley, president of the Louisville club and Mrs. C. R. Ackles, county vice-president, both of Louisville were among the participants in the meeting.

At the close of the afternoon Mrs. Devoe, assisted by her daughter, Marjorie, served refreshments.

MANY ATTEND INSTITUTE

Sixty-two rural school teachers and a little over a dozen guests formed the party attending the pre-opening institute, held at the library auditorium Friday. The main institute is to be conducted on Saturday, October 4, said Mrs. Lora Lloyd Kieck, hostess to the group.

The day's program was as follows:
Morning
Teachers' Registration
Teachers' Place in Democracy
Supt. Greenwood Schools
Putting Pep into Reading
Supt. Webster County
Art in School—Magdeline Pickens
Art Instructor, Omaha
Phonics—A Helpful Tool in Reading
Intermission—Zelma Wonderly
Magdeline Pickens

Afternoon
Health in Cass County
Language Fun—Zelma Wonderly
Art—Magdeline Pickens
Announcements—Lora Lloyd Kieck
Recreation for Rural Schools
C. O. Samuelson, Wahoo

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