

MURDOCK

By Journal Field Representative

Enters Officers School

Paul Murfin departed last Wednesday for Virginia where he enters the Officers Training School for a twelve weeks course in engineering, for which he is well qualified having taken a similar course while in University.

Goes to Hospital

Our friend W. T. (Billy) Wedell who has not been in the best of health was taken to a hospital for treatment. We trust he may soon regain his health and be able to return to his work at the Farmers Grain Company.

Ministers Exchange Pulpits

The Rev. Harvey A. Schwab, pastor of the Evangelical church at Murdock for a number of years was transferred by the recent conference of the church to Winslow. He will be succeeded here by the Rev. John S. Oerking. The best wishes of his congregation and friends in Murdock go with Rev. Schwab in his new field and a cordial welcome is extended Rev. Oerking.

Country Calls Murdock Young Man

Russell Goerthy who is employed by the Murdock Mercantile Company and who has been awaiting his call to serve his country was inducted into the army on Friday of last week at Plattsmouth. He has a fourteen day furlough before being sent to training camp.

Have Labor Difficulties

Will E. Zabel, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Zabel, who is manager of a large department store, reports that he is having labor difficulties along with many other establishments over the country. He was called to St. Louis on business matters for a few days and on his return found that ten of his employees had accepted positions with a defense job. This gave Mr. Zabel the task of securing additional help for the store.

Reaches Great Age

Mrs. Leah Tool, mother of townsman Henry A. Tool, passed her 99th natal day on May 22nd. It has been the custom of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tool to spend Memorial Day with the mother who resides in northern Iowa, while their daughter Mrs. Mary Bradford of Beatrice takes care of the bank business. However this year the visit had to be postponed due to chicken pox invading the Bradford home, making it impossible for Mrs. Bradford to leave. A visit is planned by the Henry Tools at a later date.

Mrs. Francis O'Brien and daughter of Manley were Murdock visitors on Tuesday of last week.

Guests over Memorial day at the A. J. Tool home were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Work and family of Omaha. Mrs. Work was formerly Miss Catherine Tool.

Mrs. O. H. Robson, who is employed in Lincoln as driver of an official staff army car, visited her father Edward E. Ganaway last week end.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. I. C. McCrorey and daughter visited at the home of another daughter, Mrs. Victor Thimgan and Mr. Thimgan at Bellevue. A very enjoyable visit was reported.

With the corn crop demanding his attention, August Kupke who has been doing his quota of shearing of sheep in the eastern portion of the county, has returned back to the farm here.

Herbert Addeman of Louisville attended to some business matters in Murdock the past week; He also visited his friends in this locality.

Vernon Rikli and family of Beatrice spent Sunday and Memorial Day visiting the W. H. Zabel family and also with the Rikli family and other relatives here. They returned to their home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Clements of Elmwood visited with friends in Murdock last Tuesday.

Herman Kupke was shelling and delivering corn to the Murdock Farmers Grain Company on Tuesday of last week in the interim of farm work between the planting and cultivation.

Paul Stock was looking after business matters in Lincoln on Tuesday of last week.

The Electric Power line near Murdock was put out of commission by the storm of Monday night, and was repaired by Floyd Hite.

EAGLE

Special Journal Correspondence

Boys in Service

Sgt. Dale Fleischman, who is stationed near Shreveport, Louisiana has enjoyed a furlough with his wife and parents and other relatives. Mrs. Fleischman who taught in Elmwood during the past term returned to Shreveport with him.

Mrs. Hallie Stewart has received word from her son, Captain Hubert Stewart, that he is in north Africa.

Robert Gardner was inducted in the army several weeks ago and is now stationed at a camp in Texas.

Harold Pettit who is stationed at Fort Wayne, Indiana, recently spent a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pettit.

Mrs. Clara Burns of Denver, Colorado is spending a few days with friends in Eagle.

Kenneth Trunkenbolz who recently was injured while pulling a tree root loose with the tractor, was able to leave the hospital last Saturday. While his friends are sorry he was so badly injured, but are glad the results were no worse.

Mrs. Sarah Keil and Miss Dorothy Keil were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Frohlich and Betty Jo last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Norris of Fairmont spent last week end with Mrs. Norris' brother, William Hudson.

The W.C.T.U. entertained the members of the L.T.L. and their mothers at the Methodist church last Thursday afternoon. A nice program was enjoyed by all who attended. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Guy Jones and Jack, spent several days last week in Palmyra with Mrs. Jones' mother and sister, Mrs. L. E. Jones, Mrs. Charles Sweet and Mr. Sweet. They left last Wednesday for Danvers, Illinois, where they will make their home. Mr. Jones recently took over the management of the Farmer's elevator there.

Mrs. Everett Morton was hostess to the Methodist W. S. C. S. at the church on Wednesday afternoon of this week.

George Meyers was able to return home from the hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wetenkamp were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kettelhut on Wednesday evening of last week.

Jack Jones will leave a few days prior to June 21st, for Charleston, South Carolina, where he is enrolled as a student at the Citadel, a military college located near there.

Mrs. Albert Munn who has been visiting her husband, Sgt. Munn at Norfolk, Virginia, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Mary Ann Trumble and Ernest Trumble of Lincoln spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. A. M. Trumble. They plan to leave soon for Washington, D. C. to spend the summer with their mother, Mrs. Marie Trumble.

Miss Ettamae Blodgett is in Lincoln taking a commercial course this summer.

Mrs. Daisy Burns of Lincoln, spent last week end with friends in Eagle.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Uрга of Kansas City, Mo., spent the week end with Mrs. Uрга's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smith.

Esther Hurst who has been employed at Camp Robinson for some time is now a WAAC.

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Visit with Relatives

William Coatman, father of W. W. Coatman, of Elmwood, was here to visit with the son and family over Memorial day. After the visit here he departed for Alvo to visit another son, R. M. Coatman and family. Mr. Coatman, Sr., is making his home at Grand Island with a daughter, Mrs. M. L. Golliver and family.

Inducted Into Army

Orville Julian, the bookkeeper at the American Exchange bank, was at Plattsmouth last Friday and from there went to Fort Crook to be examined for service in the army. After his examination he was granted a weeks furlough to visit at the home in Elmwood. He will later report at Fort Leavenworth for induction. He was accompanied by Russell Goerthy of Murdock, who was sent to Fort Crook Friday for examination.

Birth of Son

A fine little son was born to Pvt. and Mrs. William James on Sunday at the family home and all are reported as doing well. The father is now in an army camp in California and was notified of the good news. Mrs. James is the former Jean Bornemeier. The paternal grandfather of the babe is Sidney James, prominent resident of this part of Cass county.

Observe Memorial Day

The Memorial services were held in Elmwood at the American Legion hall where gathered a large number of the residents of the community and many former residents here for the day. Later the graves in the cemetery were decorated. The bank furnished music and also prepared a letter of greeting to the former members now in the armed service. This will be sent the men in the service.

Take Cheer to Hospital

Rev. and Mrs. Lind of Elmwood and Miss Myrtle Woods of Wabash, who has a large area at her home given over to the raising of iris and other beautiful flowers, drove to Lincoln on Wednesday afternoon. They took baskets of the flowers to the Bryan Memorial hospital where they were presented to the patients.

Have Family Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lorenz entertained on Monday at their home at a family dinner party. A. H. Lorenz and son, Herbert, Mr. and Mrs.

Guy Clements of Elmwood and Miss Katherine Lorenz of Omaha, comprised the guests.

Visit in Elmwood

Spencer Ledger, former head of the Elmwood school, with Mrs. Ledger, were visitors here on Memorial day. They have been in school work at Burchard, Nebr.

Theo. Thimgan, now living near Alvo, was in Elmwood Tuesday to look after some business and consulting his physician.

Mrs. L. W. Brant had as guests for dinner on Memorial day the members of the S. L. Brant family.

Teddy Hall was at Plattsmouth Wednesday to have several young trotting horses placed on pasture.

Albert Alford was in Lincoln Tuesday to consult a specialist for he has not been in the best of health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Clement of this city were in Murdock Tuesday where they spent a few hours visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Keckler of Weeping Water were guests in Elmwood Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Greene.

Elmwood Band Greetings
The Elmwood band marched to the cemetery this Memorial day as usual. They had a very fine band out this year with the help of some of the old timers, whose assistance was much appreciated.

Another feature of the parade besides school children on their decorated bicycles, was the baton section in their new blue and white uniforms. This group was composed of Wilda Widlick, Norma Clements, Margaret Sherk, Dorothy Wendt, Roberta Kunz. These girls really strut their stuff and will add lots to any parade.

Before the band was dismissed they tried to think of all their members, present and past, who were in the armed service. The following is the list they prepared and if anyone is omitted they are terribly sorry. As they are sending a letter to each, one, signed by all members that played Memorial day. This is the list prepared:

Roy Stock, Dr. Howard Liston, Weyland Ward, Neil McCrorey, Richard Blessing, David Bornemeier, Lester Rosenow, Keith Clements, Donald Kelley, Warren Pahl, Homer Williams, Betty Clements, Dwight Clements. Boyd Clements leaves for Texas and the Air Corps, Monday, and Russell Gorthy leaves after his furlough, and Dick Clement leaves June 9th.

This makes a total of sixteen or about half the band that is in the service of the nation. If anyone should think of a name that should be added to the list, Bud Clements would appreciate hearing from them.

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Behrens and Nancy, and Mrs. Oliver Bogenrief, Omaha, were visiting relatives and friends in Avoca, Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Brendel, Richard Maseman, and Dr. Richard Brendel, Lincoln, spent Wednesday in Franklin, Nebr., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brendel.

Here for Memorial

Out of town folks who were in Avoca Memorial day were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cockie and Miss Selma Marquardt, Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Graham, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Breazeale, Miss Clara Meyer and Miss Gladys Graham, Lincoln; Mrs. Ora E. Copes, Humbolt; Mrs. Elbert Kell, Murray; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Garnet and Madge, Plattsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and Karen, Shubert; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dalbo, and Mrs. Parker, Plattsmouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jorgensen, Nehawka.

The Holy Trinity church school started last Monday. The Sisters in charge and Father McFadden, were dinner guests at the J. J. Cullen home last Monday at the M. M. Straub home Tuesday, and at the Carl Zaiser home Wednesday.

Dr. J. W. Brendel, made a business trip to Nebraska City, Thursday morning.

Mrs. J. H. F. Ruhge and Miss Frances Orurey, drove to Nebraska City, Friday morning.

Mrs. Laura Stovall, Evelyn and Junior, spent several days last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Abel, in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oleuvine, Omaha, spent last Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gollner.

Louie Gother and family moved into the Neumeister property last week. Mr. Gother plans to return to his work at Grantsville, Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. Noell Golden, are the proud parents of a son born at Bryan Memorial hospital, in Lincoln, May 28th.

Mrs. Ed Terrell, visited relatives in Union several days last week. Mrs. Harry Gobelman, Union, brother to Avoca, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Carsten, Mrs. John Lingle, Eva Mae and Junior, drove to Lincoln Thursday afternoon to see John Lingle, who is in Bryan Memorial hospital. They report he is improving each day.

Mrs. Atte Nutzman, has been quite ill at her home for a week. At present she is somewhat improved.

Pvt. Herman Bradenkamp, who is stationed in Oklahoma, spent several days of his furlough with Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Brendel.

Mrs. Wm. Vette, entertained Cemetery Kensington at her home Friday afternoon.

Death of Babe

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson, born Saturday, May 29th at St. Mary's hospital, in Nebraska City, died soon after birth. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon and burial was in Avoca cemetery.

The Avoca Woman's Club, held their annual picnic supper at the Congregational church basement on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Anna Meyer, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Elbert Kell, in Murray.

Corrine Hallstrom, spent last week end with relatives and friends in Plattsmouth.

Mrs. Leo McCann and son Bob, Grand Island, spent last Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Avoca.

Oscar Zimmerer, Nebraska City, was in Avoca, Friday afternoon.

Wine Damage Award

Los Angeles, June 5.—(UP)—Mrs. Ralph Rainger, widow of the composer killed in an aerial collision Oct. 13, today held a \$77,637.73 award from American airlines for his death.


A superior court jury deliberated three hours last night before returning its verdict.

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Mrs. Minnie Thimgan has returned to her home from Argo, Kansas, where she attended the graduation exercises of her granddaughter, Darlene McGinnis who has an honor student.

Mr. ad Mrs. Oscar Dill, Mrs. B. B. Dill and children drove to Lincoln Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Campbell and daughters spent Sunday with Mrs. Cora Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Campbell.

The Friendly Circle enjoyed their annual guest day at the home of Lottie Knecht on Thursday. The program committee had a varied program prepared. Prizes went to Amy Thiessen, Mrs. Peterson, Ruth Kupke. Door prize was won by Amy Thiessen.

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by all.

Kenneth Livers will leave Plattsmouth Friday morning for his final examination for induction into the army.

Due to unusually cold weather this spring, farmers are finishing corn planting this week.

A group of friends and neighbors gathered at the V. D. Livers home Sunday evening for a picnic supper in honor of Kenneth Livers who will leave soon for army training.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wunderlich of Omaha were visitors at the F. J. Knecht home on Monday of last week.

The Fairland Farmers Tractor Club met with Herbert Blum on

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