

Murray Department.

PREPARED IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE OF MURRAY AND VICINITY ESPECIALLY FOR THE JOURNAL READERS.

[If any of the readers of the Journal know of a social event or an item of interest in this vicinity and will mail same to this office it will appear under this heading. We want all items of interest.—Editor Journal.]

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W. G. BOEDEKER, Cashier.

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Murray State Bank
Murray, Nebraska.

Billy Troop was a Plattsmouth visitor Tuesday.

D. O. Dwyer was a Murray visitor Tuesday.

J. A. Walker was in Plattsmouth Thursday.

C. Bengler from near Mynard was here Wednesday.

George Ray was a business visitor in the county seat Monday.

Dr. Gilmore was a business visitor in Cedar Creek last Saturday.

Mrs. Alfred Gansemer was a Murray visitor Wednesday afternoon.

Plattsmouth was well represented at the play last Saturday evening.

Wm. Rice was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth Tuesday.

Albert Shaffer from near Cedar Creek was here Wednesday with a load of hogs.

Ham Norris, from near Cedar Creek, was a business visitor in Murray Wednesday.

Frank Moore was looking after some business matters in the county seat Monday.

The Ladies Missionary Society met with Mrs. G. H. Gilmore Wednesday afternoon.

Ben Beckman, one of the best road overseers in the county, was in Plattsmouth Tuesday.

Shaffer Bros. shipped two cars of hogs from Murray to South Omaha Tuesday evening.

The Murray Dramatic Company will go to Union Saturday evening, where the play will be given.

J. H. Brown was a Plattsmouth visitor Monday, and found time to pay the Journal office a short call.

James Campbell is sporting a new buggy these days. When it comes to a fine turnout there is none too good for Jim.

Frank Grauf was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth Tuesday, and while here called and renewed for his paper.

Elmer Parker and wife are rejoicing this week over the arrival of a new baby girl at their home. Mother and little one doing nicely.

Mrs. George Graves departing Wednesday for the home of her mother for a short visit before going to join her husband in Oklahoma.

Planting corn seems to be the order of the day, although the ground is a little wet, they are taking advantage of every warm day.

Hugh and Miss Gussie Robb, of Wyoming, were in Murray to attend the play last Saturday evening. They were accompanied by Miss Anna Mich, of Seattle, Wash.

Our good German friend, John Hobscheidt, from near Murray, was in Plattsmouth last Saturday, and called at the Journal office for a short visit. Come again John we are always glad to see your smiling face.

Chas. Philpot and son George were Plattsmouth visitors today, looking after securing the Plattsmouth orchestra for the big dance that George, John Nohl and Albert Jones will give in the Jenkins hall in Murray on Saturday evening, May 16. This promises to be one of the good times of the season, and you should not miss it.

A. L. Baker was a Mynard visitor Tuesday evening.

Sam Pitman was in Plattsmouth last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. A. L. Baker was a Plattsmouth visitor Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holmes were Nebraska City visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. H. L. Oldham and daughter, Miss Fay, were in Omaha Tuesday.

John Durman and Miss Tilson were Plattsmouth visitors last Wednesday.

Col. Seybolt shipped 2 cars of hogs to South Omaha Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Snyder visited Wednesday with her friend Mrs. Casper Thygeson, in Nebraska City.

Miss Mary Jameson, of Weeping Water, visited over Sunday in Murray the guest of her sister.

Mrs. Dora Moore and Mrs. H. H. Snyder were visiting with Murray relatives a few days this week.

D. J. Titman went to Lincoln Tuesday to attend the big class initiation held there Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Dora Moore and Mrs. Snyder returned to Plattsmouth Wednesday evening, accompanied by the Misses Pauline and Fay Oldham, for a short visit.

The Ladies Kensington met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. O. A. Davis. They were most royally entertained and a very interesting meeting was had.

Geo. Conrad of near Nehawka was in Murray Wednesday afternoon and purchased three of those fine thoroughbred Duroc Jersey Red hogs from H. L. Oldham.

John Kinsler, the boss plasterer of Plattsmouth, is doing the work on the new church addition this week. He was assisted Wednesday by Tom Lindsay, also of Plattsmouth.

Mrs. A. L. Baker and daughter, Opha, were in Omaha last Saturday, going up to consult the physician in regard to the nose trouble of Opha. They have every hope for her complete recovery.

Dr. J. Brendel is in Lincoln this week, attending the meeting of the State Medical Association, which holds a three days session in the capital. The Doctor went up Wednesday and will remain for the three days meeting.

I. S. White and good wife of Plattsmouth, have taken up their residence in Murray, moving from the county seat this week. Mr. and Mrs. White have remodeled their Murray residence to such an extent that they have one of the coziest and most pleasant homes in our little town, and while not altogether settled they feel perfectly at home in Murray among their many old time friends, near where they have resided for the past fifty years.

H. L. Oldham is one of the proudest men in Murray this week, over the fact that he possesses one of those handsome leather easy reclining chairs, as present from the Murray friends who gathered at his home a few weeks ago to assist in celebrating his birthday. While the money with which to buy the chair was taken up on the day of the happy occasion, the mother and daughters were in Omaha this week, and the selection was made. Mr. Oldham wishes us to thank the many friends for the kindness, and to assure them that the new chair will be a source of much comfort to him.

Col. Seybolt was in Plattsmouth Wednesday.

Otto Puls was a Plattsmouth visitor last Saturday.

Walt Vallery was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth last Saturday.

There was quite a number from Murray attended the funeral of Mrs. Patterson at Rock Bluffs Tuesday.

A. M. Holmes was a Plattsmouth visitor Thursday. Mr. Holmes is slowly gaining strength from his recent sickness.

THE EVENT OF THE SEASON

"Diamonds and Hearts" the Talk of the Entire Vicinity.

To start with, Murray should feel proud of its home talent, for Saturday night fully demonstrated that everyone who took part in the "Diamonds and Heart" play deserve more praise than they really receive for the masterly manner in which each character was presented. We will guarantee that there is not a village in the state of Nebraska, or any other state for that matter, that can produce so many accomplished young people as Murray. It is not really the Journal's intention to "feed taffy" to any of those who took part in this interesting drama, but to state the solid facts as they occurred. "Diamonds and Hearts" was presented to a large and appreciative audience, Jenkins' hall being crowded to the extent that standing room really was at a premium. The frequent applause which greeted the actors was more than evident that the work of the young people was received with the greatest of satisfaction. In the character of Bernice Halstead, a young lady of eighteen, with an affectionate heart, etc., was remarkably well taken care of by Miss Margaret Jameson, who acted her part well; as was also that of Amy Halstead, her sister, two years younger, fond of frolic, which was played to perfection by Miss Bessie Brendel. Mrs. Frances Brendel, as Inez Gray, a young lady willing to share in fun, was simply immense, and acted her part in a manner that reflected much credit upon her personally. Mrs. Halstead, a widow, and step-mother to the Halstead girls, was well acted out by Miss Lena Young, and was all that could possibly be desired, while Hannah Mary Barnes, or "Sis," a maiden lady who keeps house for her brother, was most remarkably well rendered by Miss Pauline Oldham, and her manner of acting out this character pleased the audience wonderfully. Dwight Brady, a fortune hunter, and Mrs. Halstead's son by a former marriage, by Harry Baxter, was good, while that part taken by William Seybolt, as Dr. Burton, a young physician, was most excellently rendered. Sammy, the darky bellboy in the Halstead house, was well rendered by Wayne Lewis, while Abraham Barnes, or "Bub," a Yankee farmer, still unmarried at forty—a diamond in the rough—as played by W. H. McDaniel, pleased all. John Cook as attorney, and Albert Young as sheriff, acted their parts so well that their friends talk very seriously of bringing them to the front as candidates for county attorney and sheriff, respectively.

Take the play, all in all, it was simply a success in every particular, as the receipts of the evening fully show. The receipts amounted to \$110.50, which, after all expenses are paid, will be given to the Christian church, to which it was originally intended when the entertainment was forming. We reiterate that the young people deserve great credit for their energy and ability in producing an entertainment that would prove most creditable to those who profess to be professional in the dramatic line. To Miss Pauline Oldham special credit is due for the interest she took in instructing those who assumed characters, and being one of the finest instructors in elocution in eastern Nebraska, it was greatly through her efforts that such great success attended the entertainment. The play pleased everybody so well that many who were present from Union have requested them to repeat it at that place, which will be done Saturday night.

The Peach Crop Good.

In conversation with H. L. Oldham he tells us that the peach crop is still in good shape, and if no farther cold weather is experienced we will have plenty of the favorite fruit; also, cherries. Mr. Oldham undoubtedly knows whereof he speaks, as he usually raises more peaches than any other man in Cass county, and is in a position to know when the life is taken out of the buds.

New Stock Buyer

The stock firm of Amick & Berger have ceased to do business in Murray, having sold out to Col. Seybolt, who will look after the business in the future. Col. Seybolt, like the outgoing firm, needs no introduction to the people of Murray and vicinity, as he has resided here too long, and his honest business methods are too well known to his many friends, and there will be no question as to him doing the right thing in the way of buying the farmers stock. Mr. Amick and Mr. Berger have certainly been doing business on the square as the saying goes, always paying the top price for all kinds of stock, and exerting every effort to treat all alike, and by such methods have retained the warm friendship they have always held by so many residents of this community.

Grand Ball.

There will be a social dance given at the Jenkins Hall in Murray, on Saturday evening, May 16, given by John Philpot, John Nohl and Albert Jones. Music by the Plattsmouth orchestra. Good order will be maintained, and a good time assured.

District Sunday School Conventions.

PLACES: 1 Murdock, Third District, 2 Louisville, Second District, 3 Murray First District.

DATES: 1 Tuesday, May 19, 2 Wednesday, May 20, 3 Thursday, May 21.

Every Sunday School in Cass county of whatever Protestant denomination should send delegates to at least one of these conventions. They have been distributed as near as possible to accommodate the whole county. Try and attend the one in your own district if possible but attend one for sure. The practical side of Sunday School work and management will be taken up at these meetings and ably handled by competent speakers. Mrs. F. S. Warren expert primary teacher will be present to offer help and suggestions to teachers of the elementary grades. The meetings at each place will begin after dinner and occupy the afternoon and evening. Do not confound the district conventions with the county convention to be held at Alvo May 27-28. These are district meetings and are preliminary to the county convention, affording help or rather bringing a convention near to those who may not be able to go to Alvo.

Every progressive Sunday School will see to it that a good delegation attends one or all of these meetings. The meetings are entirely in your interest and if you do not benefit by them it is your fault Mr. Sunday School Superintendent.

Remember, county convention is at Alvo, May 27th and 28th.
C. C. WESCOTT, President,
G. L. FARLEY, Secretary.

Mr. W. L. Pickett,

Dear Sir: Messrs Leachman & Edelin, Grafton, W. Va., had been selling a paint, which they thought well of; and this had occurred.

They had sold a customer 18 gallons of it to paint his house. A few weeks later, they sold the same man Devoe lead-and-zink, the same number of gallons to paint the same house. He had 7 gallons left.

The point of the tale is: 11 gallons Devoe it paints an 18 gallon house.

Of course, that isn't all. Why does 11 gallons Devoe go as far as 18 gallons of other paint? Because it is all paint, all true, no sham, and full measure.

But that isn't all. Devoe lasts longer. No, no; you haven't got to wait ten years to find that out. Ten thousand people know it. We've got their names. Our agents know them; they think a heap of Devoe. There's no difficulty in showing your townspeople what to expect of Devoe. \$10 will paint a \$15 house; and the paint will last twice as long.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & Co.
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Pasture for Rent

I would like have about thirty head of horses of cattle to pasture for the summer. Good pasture with running water. Farm 4 1/2 miles northwest of Murray.
W. K. SHEPHERDSON.

Fence Posts For Sale

I have about 400 split fence posts and a few crib poles that I wish to sell soon.
Wm. Nickles.

For Sale Cheap.

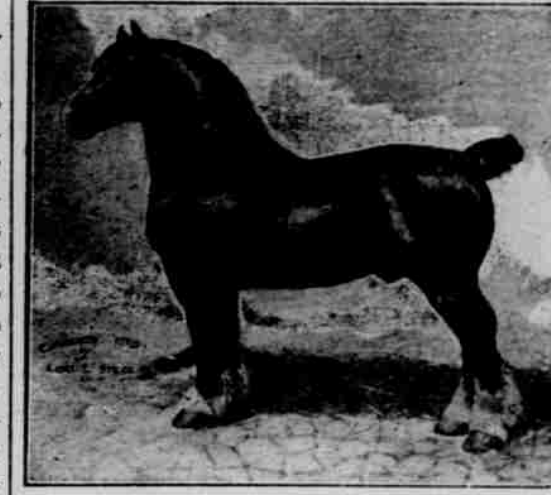
A good second hand Branley lister, in good condition.
JOHN COOK.

Mrs James Chalfant, of near Rock Bluffs, was a visitor in the city this morning.

JOHN!

This stallion is a Percheron Norman, steel gray, coming 7 years old and weighs 15,000 pounds. He has fine action and a sure breeder. He is the stallion formerly owned by Chas. F. Morton, near Union.

He will stand the season of 1908, as follows: At home, two miles west and one mile south of Murray, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, and at Rhoden's livery barn, in Murray, on Tuesdays, and at John Doty's farm, two miles north and one mile east of Nehawka, on Fridays, and at Rainey's livery barn, in Union, on Saturdays of each week during the season.



TERMS!

\$8.00 to insure a colt to stand and suck if paid in thirty days. If not service fee will be \$10.00. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but I will not be responsible should any occur. All parties breeding will take notice that I claim a lien on mares and colts until horse service is settled for, and if owners dispose of or remove the mare from their neighborhood after breeding, the insurance is forfeited thereby, and the pay for service becomes due and collectible immediately.

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with the fact that our furniture is not only handsome, but well put together, being made by skilled workmen and made to last. Our parlor, dining room and bedroom suits are in the latest and most unique designs, and upholstered in the latest style. Our prices are beyond competition.

M. HILD,
Plattsmouth, Neb.

Returns From Kansas City

T. H. Pollock returned this morning from Kansas City, where he was at a meeting of the Interstate Telephone traffic association, which was in convention at that place yesterday. Mr. Pollock, who is the chairman of the executive committee of the State Traffic association, was accompanied by the secretary of the association, R. C. Mattison, of Lincoln. At this meeting were represented the four states—Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa. The meeting was for the transaction of some important business matters.

Thayer Propst visited in the city today.

Legal Notice.

The State of Nebraska, in County Court for County of Cass.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret A. Patterson, deceased.

All persons interested or concerned are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in said court, praying for the appointment of Mae Patterson, administratrix of the estate of Margaret A. Patterson, deceased, late of said county and state, and that a hearing will be had on said petition at the office of the County Judge at the court house, in the city of Plattsmouth, in said county and state, on Saturday, May 16th, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. All objections to the prayer of said petition must be filed before said hour of hearing.

Witness my hand and official seal this 20th day of April, A. D. 1908.
ALLEN J. BEESON,
County Judge.
W. E. RAMSEY, Attorney for the Estate.
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Notice of Application for Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Emil Amende and Gust F. Mohr, have filed their petition with the village clerk of the village of Avoca, Cass county, Nebraska, as required by law, signed by the required number of resident freeholders of said village of Avoca, setting forth that the applicants are men of respectable character and standing and are residents of the state of Nebraska, and pray that a license may be issued to the said Emil Amende and Gust F. Mohr for the sale of malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for the municipal year ending May 1, 1909, in a building on the west one-third (1/3) of lot five, (5) block (10) fronting on House street in the said village of Avoca, Cass county, Nebraska.

EMIL AMENDE,
GUST F. MOHR,
Applicants.
20-30
At Avoca, Neb., April 27, 1908.

Notice of Application for Liquor License

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested and to the public, that the undersigned H. E. Rand, has filed his petition and application in the office of the city clerk, of the city of Louisville, county of Cass, and state of Nebraska, as required by law, signed by the required number of resident freeholders of the said city, setting forth that the applicant is a man of respectable character and standing and a resident of the state of Nebraska, and praying that a license may be issued to the said H. E. Rand for the sale of malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for the period of one year from the date of the hearing of said application in a building situated on the north part of lot one hundred and eighty (180), of the said city of Louisville, Nebraska.

H. E. RAND, Applicant.
April 27, 1908.

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TERMS:—\$10.00 to insure living colt. Usual reservations as to accidents. No service on Sunday.

DAVID MURRAY.