

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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Murray State Bank

W. G. BOEDEKER, Cashier.

Mrs. Al Kennedy has been suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia this week.

Mrs. James Loughridge is confined to her bed with a severe case of neuralgia.

Jesse McVey was down from Plattsmouth Monday visiting with his friends hereabouts.

Glen Boedeker and A. L. Baker were in Plattsmouth Tuesday afternoon on business, going in Glen's auto.

Mrs. Ivan White, who has been on the sick list for the past few months, is not quite so well this week.

Grandma Fleming, who was operated upon some time since for cancer, is doing well as could possibly be expected.

Mrs. C. A. Rawls and son, Glen, were guests of her sister, Mrs. Will Smith Sunday, returning home in the evening.

Mrs. S. O. Pitman was in Plattsmouth Monday visiting her mother, Mrs. Rosa Hennings, returning home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlaugat of Ottumwa, Iowa are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown, Mrs. Schlaugat is a sister of Mrs. Brown.

John Cook and wife were visitors to Omaha Wednesday evening. John going up on business, and Mrs. going along to see that John didn't get into any trouble.

John Bauer, sr., was down from Plattsmouth a few days looking after business. The school board contemplate putting a furnace in the school house.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Bailey, Saturday, July 17, a 13 pound girl baby. This is a bouncer, and is almost big enough now to help her mother wash dishes.

Word has been received that Mrs. Mark White, who has been at the Wise Memorial hospital in Omaha for the past two months, is out and is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Daily in South Omaha.

The King's Daughters met with Miss Ethel Spangler Wednesday afternoon, one mile southwest of town, and it is unnecessary to remark that the girls had a most enjoyable time, and the lunch was simply superb.

C. C. Parmele and J. P. Falter passed through here Wednesday in the former's car, with his son, Pollock in charge of the same. Pollock is up with the best of them when it comes to managing an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Boedeker, Glen's father and sister Ida were Louisville visitors Sunday. They went in Glen's auto, and were accompanied by Miss Georgia Delzene, who had been Miss Ida's guest for several days, and who lives in Louisville.

Dr. and Mrs. Gilmore went over to Nehawka Wednesday morning to visit Dr. and Mrs. Walker, who had just returned from their wedding trip to the Pacific coast. They report a most pleasant trip and were glad to get back home.

One day last week, while Clarence, little son of Philip Keil was attempting to wash a window, he broke the glass, and in some manner cut a gash in one of his lower limbs just below the knee cap, that took four stitches to close. The wound was quite painful and bled profusely. The little one is all right again.

A thirteen pound baby made its appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Len Wede near Union, last Sunday, and both boy and mother are doing well, and the father is happy.

Dr. B. F. Brendel has made several trips to Union in the past week to see Mr. Obery Pickering, who is quite sick.

Jacob Smith's little daughter, Effie, is quite ill with remittent fever.

Mrs. Thos. Jameson of Weeping Water, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Goodwin, were guests at the Brendel home over Monday night, going to Omaha on the early train Tuesday morning. Mrs. Jameson is the mother of Mrs. J. F. Brendel.

Rev. Wallace of Rushville, Neb., will fill the Presbyterian pulpit again next Sunday and Sunday night.

Dr. W. K. Loughridge of Milford, Neb., spent Sunday with his mother and brother Jimmie and family.

Mrs. Will Lesley and Miss Lena Lapham of Greenwood, visited last week at the home of William Oliver.

Frank Oliver came down from Havelock Saturday for a week's visit with his parents. He intends to leave Sunday for Billings, Montana.

Mrs. Will Smith and Miss Ida Boedeker were Omaha visitors Monday, returning home via Plattsmouth, where they were met by Glen and his auto, and whirled home in a short time.

There will be a Kensington picnic Friday afternoon at the former home of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Davis, one mile west of Murray. The picnic was arranged by Mrs. Davis in honor of Miss Nye, and a good time is anticipated. Ora says it is an outrage that the men have to do all the work in building tables and then they won't invite them to partake of the good things placed upon them. We think Ora is right about it.

As soon as the busy season is over with the farmers, the matter of building of a new town hall will again be taken up. We understand there is one citizen who will donate a lot upon which to build such a structure. A public hall is a public blessing. All precinct meetings, town meetings, and public social gatherings can use such a hall. On with the good work, let the energy and willingness be unconfined.

All Take Notice.

All contributors to the Fourth of July celebration are requested to attend a meeting on Tuesday evening, July 17, at 8 o'clock at the Loughridge hall, for the purpose of hearing the report of the treasurer of the finance committee. There will probably be some other business come before said meeting.

W. G. Boedeker, Treasurer.

A Fine Trip.

Troy Holmes, brother of J. W. Holmes and Mrs. Will Smith, who is in the employ of J. L. Ratson, the great steel magnate of Chicago, in company with a number of the employees, and the boss included, are arranging for a pleasure trip that makes one's mouth water when he thinks of it. They will ship their large Packard touring car to some starting point in the east, from which point they will visit the east, taking in Long Island, Berkshire and White Mountains and other points of interest. They expect to be absent six weeks.

Prize Winners.

Several weeks ago Mr. S. G. Latta offered \$11.00 to be distributed in prizes to the Presbyterian Sunday school pupils for committing and reciting the first, eighth, nineteenth and twenty-first Psalm. The prizes were divided into first, second, third and fourth. The contestants for the first were Edith and Hannah Hansen, Alice Gobleman and Edith Spangler, each of whom will receive \$1.50. The second prize winners were Lydia Todd, Genevieve Marks and Wadel Spangler, each receiving \$1.00. For the third prize the winners were Chas. and Ralph Kennedy and May Loughridge, and a nice book each will be their reward for the energetic efforts. The fourth prize winners were Ralph Spangler, Helen Todd, Louis Brown, Pearl McReynolds, Harry McCullough, Walter Hamilton and Grace Luster, and they each will receive a nice book. The prizes will be awarded next Sunday, and seventeen happy hearts will return home from church.

It is remarkable the interest that was taken by these little people, and Uncle Sam has set a noble example which should be followed by other members of the church. It is worth the amount expended to notice the energy and interest taken by the girls and boys.

Dealt Conductor a Blow.

A man with a jag, which he had taken on at Nebraska City on Friday last, boarded the train coming north in the evening, became very troublesome to the conductor, and at Union he was put off, but just as the train started he got on again. At this station he was put off again, and just as the train was starting he dealt the conductor two or three blows with his fist, without serious result. It is a good thing he done the striking just as the train left the depot. That's just what saved his bacon. Such fellows give conductors a great deal of trouble, and not only that, but they are an annoyance to passengers. We failed to learn the fellow's name, but it's marbles to chalk he steers clear of that conductor's train hereafter.

Heirs Making Fight.

A dispute between heirs has led to the filing of the suit of George W. Walling, Mary J. Landon, L. C. Walling, Harvey F. Walling and Charles A. Walling against Felix R. Walling, Nellie Walling, his wife, Sadie E. Fullmer and De Alton Fullmer, her husband, and W. E. Hand, administrator of the estate of Tellitha Walling, deceased. All are heirs with the exception of the administrator. It is alleged that at the time of the death of Tellitha Walling there was an indebtedness against the estate of \$1,500 secured by mortgage against the property together with some other indebtedness, and Felix R. Walling agreed to assume this and pay for his interest therein. Said agreement was contingent upon all of the heirs agreeing thereto. In conformity to this agreement, it is claimed, that Felix R. Walling was named as grantee and the instrument was signed by the plaintiffs, G. W. Walling, C. A. Walling, Mary J. Landon, L. C. Walling and H. F. Walling and the defendant, Sadie E. Fullmer, and possession of this instrument was given to Felix R. Walling, on condition, that it should not become effective till all the heirs had signed the agreement and Walling had paid each heir the \$250.

It is alleged that the defendants, J. C. Walling, D. L. Walling, Mariah L. Horst and Laura A. Goembel refused to sign the instrument and Felix R. Walling has failed to pay the \$250 as agreed. It is claimed that pursuant to the order of the district court of Cass county, the defendant, W. E. Hand, the administrator of the estate, offered for sale the premises involved July 6, and that the sale was made subject to confirmation of the district court of Cass county. It is claimed that because of the conveyance a cloud has been cast on their interest by reason of the fact that the property had been legally conveyed to Felix R. Walling when no such intention was contemplated under the conditions stated. It is alleged that if the sale is allowed to be confirmed by the district court of Cass county the plaintiffs will be without any adequate remedy at law.

It is claimed that Mrs. Fullmer is made a defendant in the case because she refuses to join with the plaintiffs, and W. E. Hand is also included because he is administrator of the estate. The plaintiffs pray that the court may find the deed was given without consideration and should be cancelled and declared void.—Lincoln News.

Herman Bestor Getting Better.

Herman Bestor, who has been ill for so long, a sufferer from rheumatism, is reported to be greatly improved and this morning was down town getting around like a young man. Mr. Bestor recently started taking some medicine which Wm. Holly obtained for him and he states the results have been astonishing. He is able to use his hands and limbs with the utmost freedom and states that pains and aches have left him. He certainly shows a wonderful improvement over his condition for months past and his many friends in the city hope that it is permanent. Should his improvement continue which seems probable, the use of his remedy will be greatly stimulated in this vicinity for he has been one of the most acute sufferers from that dread disease in this section.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE, issued by James Robertson, clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 24th Day of July, A. D., 1909 at ten o'clock a. m. of said day at the south door of the court house, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate to-wit: Lot No. fourteen, (14) in block four (4) in the village of Murray, Cass county, Nebraska. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Lella F. Queen and Albert Queen, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Peter Campbell, administrator of the estate of Thomas L. Campbell, deceased plaintiff, against said defendants. Plattsmouth, Nebraska, June 18th, A. D., 1909. C. D. QUINTON, Sheriff Cass County, Nebraska.

Pictures Draw Large Crowds.

The Nelson-Gans fight pictures at the Majestic theater last night drew a fine crowd and Manager Walker was well pleased at the patronage his little theater received. The pictures are repeated tonight and it is believed another big crowd will attend. Tonight for the first time the raised seats will be used, making it assured that the crowd can all get a good look at the pictures. These seats enable those on the back row to see as well as those in front, and are a vast improvement. The theater is also equipped with electric fans and is the coolest place in the city. For tomorrow night Manager Walker has booked the Little Downes Sisters for a return engagement, their acts here on Tuesday night having proven winners and earning warm applause from all who heard them. They are, indeed, marvels, and no one who attended Tuesday night will say but what they are the two best child wonders ever heard here. Others attract, but the Downes children attract and hold. Hear them.

Fine Crop Outlook.

M. S. Briggs, who has been kept busy for some time past in the country with painting contracts, was in the city this morning for a few hours. Mr. Briggs has just completed his nineteenth job; quite a record for the spring business. He states that crop prospects throughout the country were never better, especially the yield of wheat. This is turning out on an average of sixteen bushels to the acre, although some exceptional pieces like the Walker farm, which Mr. Livingston is farming, yielded as high as twenty-four bushels. At the present price of wheat this makes a comfortable income for the farmer.

Mr. Egenberger's Condition.

There is small change in the condition of J. V. Egenberger. As is necessarily the case, any improvement in his condition will be slow, as he has been having a very serious time. The many friends of this worthy man trust that the progress of his illness will be speedily checked and that his advance to good health again will soon take place. Mrs. Egenberger remains at his bedside constantly and his son Eddie and daughters are also attendants upon him. It is to be hoped that his condition improves soon so that he may be safely brought to his home in this city.

The Condition of Mr. Heisel.

The condition of C. Heisel is reported today as showing little if any improvement. There are no hopes entertained of saving the foot, which has been responsible for his illness, and his physical condition and advanced age makes an operation extremely difficult and of great doubt. The illness is the result of an injury to Mr. Heisel's foot, received fifty years ago in Columbus, O. The old wound has broken out and after half a century is giving him a hard siege.

Buggies! Buggies!

I have several new up-to-date buggies that I want to sell right away, and I am going to cut the prices to bed rock, in order to do so. Come quick, while you can get one of these fine buggies at almost cost. I mean just what I say.

John H. Cook,
Murray, Neb.

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Local Events.

Mrs. E. A. Kirkpatrick of Nehawka is in the city today making a visit with Mrs. P. E. Ruffner.

Mrs. James Archer is spending today in Omaha, being a passenger on the morning train for that city.

Peter C. Hansen of Omaha is spending several days at home, where he is called by business matters.

R. R. Nickles and his son Alf. are spending today in the city, coming in to look after business matters.

Mrs. J. M. Johns is spending today with friends in Omaha, being a passenger for that city on the morning train.

Mrs. Jane Worth of Pender, who has been in the city on business, returned to her home this morning on the early train.

Mrs. E. N. Harmon and baby were passengers this morning for Greenwood, where they will visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Jessie Drost from near Murray is among those spending the day in the city, driving up from her home this morning.

Mrs. Neovetty and daughter, Miss Hermia, are spending today in Omaha with friends, being passengers for that city this morning.

Misses Gretchen and Marie Donnelly departed this morning for Nebraska City, where they will make a visit of several days with friends.

C. C. Hennings, one of the prominent and enterprising citizens of Eight Mile Grove precinct, is in the city today attending to business matters.

Mrs. W. H. Cox of Shenandoah, Ia., who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Sol Adamson, in this city, returned to her home this morning.

Mrs. D. Eick and her daughter, Mrs. Johnson and family of Plainview, Neb., who have been visiting in the city with Henry Rothman and family, returned to their home this morning.

Mrs. W. M. Stewart of Wymore, Neb., who has been visiting with her parents and her sister, Mrs. J. M. Roberts, is spending the day in Omaha, Mrs. Roberts and her being passengers on the morning train for that city.

Martin B. Hawk, assistant yardmaster of the Burlington in Omaha, who was compelled to lay off several weeks ago by illness, has again been compelled to take a vacation. Martin suffered several years ago by being overcome with the heat, and this has troubled him severely this summer, so much so that exposure to the sun meant his becoming ill with the result he has lost most of the summer.

Difference in Food.

There is a vast difference in food. It is not how much, but what we eat, some food being nutritious, some not. Eat such food as will do you good and as much as you need without having any trouble after meals. Should you notice that your appetite and your capacity for food is not as American Elixir of Bitter Wine. It will give strength to your whole digestive system and will make it to accept and digest enough nourishment. This remedy consists of pure, old, red wine and herbs and in treatment of maladies of the stomach, the intestines and the blood is without a peer. It will strengthen the body, make new blood and give new energy. At druggists. Jos. Triner, 616-622 S. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Chief of Police Ben Rainey is taking a needed vacation, having been a passenger Tuesday evening for Oklahoma City, Okla., where he will make a visit with his brother Loren. He expects to be gone about fifteen days, and to visit other Oklahoma points before he returns. During his absence James Pateck is taking his place on the force.

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Ed. Egenberger was a passenger this morning for Omaha, where he will spend the day with his father at the hospital.

Mrs. William Hunter is among those spending the day in Omaha, being a passenger for that city on the morning train.

Henry Klinger, who has been suffering from the "pink eye" for some time past, has so far recovered as to be able to return to his work with Philip Hill.

V. Zucker of M. Fanger's store is looking after business matters today in Omaha, going to that city this morning on the early Burlington train.

Mrs. Charles Tilton and daughter of Bradgate, Ia., who have been visiting in the city with Mrs. J. S. Wendell, and Mrs. C. S. Forbes, departed this morning for their home.

Mrs. G. W. Covel of Omaha, who has been visiting in the city as the guest of Mrs. P. E. Uffner and who has also been in attendance upon the W. C. T. U. convention in this city, returned to her home this morning.

Mrs. H. R. Neitzel and children are visiting in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Guthman, coming down from her home at Murdock several days ago. Both Mrs. Neitzel and the little son Francis, who were so ill for a number of weeks with malarial fever, are now in good health once more.

Miss Katie McHugh departed yesterday morning for Falls City, Neb., where she goes to make a vacation visit of six weeks with her mother and brother. Miss McHugh, who is employed in the office of Thomas Walling, the abstractor, has been steadily working and the rest comes as a needed time.

Jesse Lowther of Hartington, Neb., was in the city yesterday visiting his father, John Lowther. Mr. Lowther is in the cattle business at Hartington and came down to South Omaha day before yesterday with several cars of cattle. In company with his father he was a passenger yesterday afternoon on No. 23 for that city.

Dr. Frank L. Cummins, who has been spending several days in Colorado with his brother, Charles D. and family, returned to the city this morning. Dr. Cummins reports that his brother and family are quite well and have been favored with good crops this year, Colorado seeming to agree with them in every way.

Miss Roma Love of Columbus, O., who has been visiting in the city the guest of Mrs. C. E. Wescott, departed this afternoon for Fremont, Neb., where she will visit with other friends before returning to her home. Mrs. Wescott accompanied her as far as Omaha, where she will spend the afternoon.

E. S. Jones, circulator for the Omaha Daily and Sunday News and the Farm Magazine, is in the city today interviewing the patrons of his papers. While here Mr. Jones called upon the Journal and made a pleasant visit. Like the other brethren in the business, Mr. Jones is assured of a warm welcome whenever he calls.

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