

Murray Department

Prepared in the Interest of the People of Murray and Surrounding Vicinity Especially for the Journal Readers

If any of the readers of the Journal know of any social evils existing in this vicinity, and will mail same to this office, it will appear under this heading. We want all news items.—Editor

Behind the Kitchen Clock

That is the place many people put their valuable papers. Some put them in the bureau drawer, while others place them in the family album.

Now, none of these places are very safe.

We have just received and installed a number of lock boxes, which are located in our burglar-proof bank vault. There your valuables will be secure. We have installed these for the convenience of our patrons and the rental price on them is very low—only \$1 per year, or eight cents a month.

Your papers could not be safer anywhere, nor can you find a less expensive place to keep them.

The Murray State Bank

There is No Substitute for Safety

MURRAY NEBRASKA

Mr. Jennings is pushing the work of completing his residence in Murray very rapidly.

John Farris was a visitor at the Guy Stokes sale last Monday a few miles north of Union.

Fred Lutz and Otto Schafer shipped a car load of cattle to the South Omaha market last Monday.

R. Troop of Plattsmouth was a visitor in Murray for a short time last Tuesday while on his way to Nehawka.

Ben Hyde of Plattsmouth was a visitor in Murray last Tuesday and was the guest at the home of Thomas E. Jennings.

William Sporrer and Uncle John W. Edmunds were out spading ground for the planting of a garden last Tuesday afternoon.

C. M. Christfeiser of Nehawka was a visitor in Murray last Tuesday, coming to ship some cattle to the South Omaha market.

Ray Dill, who has been making his home at Lyons for some time past returned to Murray and will farm here for the present.

Edward Slocum received a car load of hay which he hauled to the farm to be used for feeding the stock during the spring and summer.

Perry Nickles has been constructing a chicken house on the farm for the caring of chickens, which he is assured is a good paying feature of the farm.

Troy Wiles from near Weeping Water was a visitor in Murray last Tuesday afternoon and was looking after some business matters for a short time.

John W. Chapman was a visitor in Murray last Tuesday while on his way to Frank H. Johnson's home, who lives some eight miles west of the city of Murray.

Dr. W. C. Kenner, who has been with Dr. G. H. Gilmore for some time past, was a visitor at Alliance, looking after some business matters during the past week.

Walter Anderson and wife of Weeping Water, were visiting in Murray last Tuesday, they coming over to

consult their family physician, Dr. G. H. Gilmore, of Murray.

Anton Rys, of Plattsmouth, was a visitor in Murray on last Tuesday and was looking after some business matters regarding the blacksmith shop which his father formerly owned.

Herbert Campbell, who has been farming east of Murray on last Tuesday moved to town and is occupying the Christian parsonage and will after he gets settled down work at the Murray garage.

Herold Gregg son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gregg, who has been having such a hard tussle with pneumonia, is reported as being much better at this time and it is hoped he will soon be entirely well again.

Harry L. Wiles, who has been living southeast of Murray for the last two years, during the past week, moved to the place where he had been living before, which is on the highway north of town.

W. H. Marks and wife of Union were visiting in Murray last Tuesday, they coming to consult their family physician, Dr. J. F. Brendel, and drove over to the thriving city of Murray in their auto.

Mrs. M. J. Fry and Philip Rhin were visiting in Plattsmouth last Tuesday afternoon where Mr. Rhin was also looking after some matters of business. They were also accompanied by Mr. B. A. Root.

Ed Philpot shipped a car load of cattle to the South Omaha market, this being the first of a series of shipments that he will make for he has over four hundred head of cattle to ship this spring and summer.

W. J. Donahue and family, who have been residents of Murray for the past year and who are excellent people, having closed out their business in Murray last week moved to Lincoln where they will make their home in the future.

Edward Jochin of between Louisville and Manley, was a visitor in Murray last Tuesday, he coming over to attend the sale which was being held by John M. Hanson and stopped in Murray to look after some other business matters.

Last Tuesday John Campbell, C. M. Christfeiser, Mont Shrader, John Rice, James Hill and George Shields combined and shipped a car of hogs to the Omaha market which was also combined with ten head of cattle, making the load of mixed stock.

Dr. J. F. Brendel has been putting considerable expense on the home, having just completed a barn for the stock and is now building a garage of concrete blocks and putting a concrete floor in the same which is making the place a most convenient one.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brendel entertained on last Sunday at their home in Murray and had for their guests for the day and for the excellent dinner which was served, John Ferris and family, Dr. J. F. Brendel and

family and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Seybolt. T. J. Brendel has been having his house redecorated and painted and has also purchased some new furniture which has added to the brightness and cheerful appearance of the home, and now surely they have a most lovely home with things spick and span.

Oscar Nailor, who has been giving dances, had a fine crowd and all enjoyed the excellent dance and music which was the winning feature of the occasion. Mr. Nailor has been giving some fine entertainments, and expects to keep the place in only the best of order.

Pinas Connor, who has been in charge of the section work of the Missouri Pacific at Murray for some time past has been taken to Auburn, where he has charge of a section. For the present Mr. Dukes of Plattsmouth has been placed here in charge of the work in this line.

John Ferris and family, Earl and Clara Mrasek, T. J. Brendel and wife and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Seybolt called on Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Brendel on last Thursday evening and made the evening one of much pleasure to the general doctor and his excellent helpmate, as well as their son, Richard.

Harry Nelson the popular hardware man, moved during this week to Murray and is occupying the place that was formerly occupied by Fout Winson and family. This will make it much better for Mr. Nelson, for he has had a long drive morning and evening coming to and returning from his work.

Last Friday Joseph Dietl and wife were the losers of some fifty chickens and on Monday night of this week the car came the second time and was heard by Mrs. Dietl, but they made their get away. The night that the chickens were stolen the thieves visited the home of J. V. Pitman, but when discovered made good their escape.

W. H. Hendrick, living east of Murray, has been getting things in readiness for the spring work, by getting some of the extra work out of the way. He has been building and painting a hen house for it has been the experience of most farmers that the poultry yard and hen house is as good a paying proposition as is on the farm.

Charles C. Carroll, last week was helping his son, Ern Carroll when the latter moved to Gretna. Ern was to have moved on the place where he is to farm this summer, but as the people there were sick, they could not get out in time for him to move in and he therefore moved to Gretna and will occupy the farm when the house is vacated.

See the announcement of Roy Gerking, who has leased the blacksmith shop formerly owned by Mike Rys, and will conduct the shop here for the present. Mr. Gerking will secure a good man for the place and will conduct the farm and the blacksmith shop as well. Mr. Gerking is a most

trustworthy man and will furnish the best of service in his line. George Martin and wife were visiting at Nehawka and were also looking after some business there on last Tuesday, they driving down for a short time to look after a car to ship their hogs to market in, as they had not moved them from the place where they lived before, and thought it better to ship from there than to have to move them to the place where they have moved. They moved to the Pollock farm, east of Murray.

BIBLE SCHOOL LESSON

Sunday, March 14, 1926

By M. S. Briggs

This time we are offering you a lesson written by P. H. Welshimer, superintendent of the Christian Bible school at Canton, Ohio, teacher of the Men's Bible class of the school. The bible school has an enrollment of much over two thousand and on February 21st 1926 had in attendance some 2,185 and the class which Mr. Welshimer teaches had 258 the same day. It will be interesting to have this lesson from so successful a teacher.

Golden Text: "I am the way, the truth and the life."—John 14:6.

By P. H. Welshimer. "Let not your heart be troubled." These words were spoken by Jesus to a troubled group. They had a wrong conception of His mission and His kingdom.

They thought He would establish a kingdom as in the days of Solomon. They had a vision of the King on His throne and with His disciples on His right and His left. He had frequently spoken of His death, but they understood Him not. Today, when He made known the fact that He must die, they were troubled. These words of His were intended to stimulate faith, dispel sorrow, and give wings to hope.

It was the purpose of Jesus to avoid the loss of faith on their part. There was danger that, at His death, they would be too overwhelmed with sorrow and disappointment to withstand the tide that setting in. The resurrection would explain everything, but until then this word was needed.

They again His absence after the ascension would naturally leave them lonely, and the word He spoke would comfort through coming days. And the same words have proved an unfailing source of comfort through the years as death has come and the funeral processions have all moved out to God's care.

"In My Father's house" was a picturesque way of describing the state of the blessed dead. It was then, and always has been, most difficult for the finite to understand the infinite. Jesus was speaking of a spiritual condition, and used the familiar material to convey to the mind of the people His thought. It is a beautiful description of the Christian's heritage. Every man loves a home. Jesus would carry into the great beyond the thought of home with its delightful fellowship, love and permanent features.

This, too, was a prophetic utterance concerning immortality. In other days men buried their dead, and returning home, sat by their fireside disconsolate. They called in the Wise-men and said: "If a man die, shall he live again?" But men could not answer. They only said: "We hope and trust, but we do not know." No reassuring voice spoke with authority that subject until Jesus came proclaiming the good doctrine, answering the yearning of the heart, and saying: "Because I live, ye shall live also." He said: "Of a certainty there is more beyond. In His ministry He proved conclusively His divinity. That done, it was necessary that He prove anything else, for being divine, He had all knowledge, and spoke only the truth. When He says that there is life beyond the grave and teaches that all that are in the grave shall hear voice and come forth, and when He teaches that He is coming again and will reign in glory, we believe Him. This is the Christian's hope and the source of His joy. It had the urge to keep the faith, to fight the battle, and to finish the course. The crown of righteousness which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give, becomes the goal. This Jesus placed before His disciples and left it there for every disciple until the end of the ages.

"To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord." "To live is Christ; to die is gain." These affirmations were made by Paul, who spoke as he was moved by the Holy Spirit, and his statements parallel those of Jesus in this lesson.

Thomas said: "How know we the way?" That way is not some long-drawn-out doctrine, but Jesus Himself is "the way and the truth and the life." He made the redemption of man possible. The acceptance of Him and His plan on the part of the penitent believer will lead one to put Him on, and thou to fall in line with His plan, and work out his own salvation. The entire process has been worked out and demonstrated for our benefit, and it all is so plain we need not err therein.

Phillip said: "Lord, show us the Father." This was a surprise to

Jesus, for He came to reveal the Father, to make Him manifest unto men. God was in the Son, reconciling the world unto Himself. If the disciples would see God, they should look at Jesus, for He was God in the flesh dwelling among men. If men would know how God would teach, listen to Jesus. If they would see how He moved about among men, and how He would act under all conditions in life, behold the Son, who was God incarnate. The words that Jesus spoke were the result of the Father's presence with Him, and the deeds that he wrought were evidences of God the Father and the Creator's power given unto Him.

"And greater works than these shall ye do; because I go unto the Father." Jesus had been talking of His miracles, but now announces that when He goes to the Father, His disciples will do greater works than He did. What can these words be? Surely no miracles can be performed greater than His. What miracle can be more outstanding than raising the dead, healing the sick, giving sight to the blind, multiplying food, that a multitude may be quieting the restless sea and driving the winds back to their mountain home? There is no record that those who were given miraculous power ever did anything superior to this, and yet He said: "Greater works than these shall ye do." He was not mistaken. He was right. The greater works to which he referred were not in miraculous manifestations; they did not consist in the presenting of the credentials that faith in an individual be established, they were more than building the scaffolding about a temple; they were the building of the temple itself. The greater works were the doing of the greatest things given to man—preaching of the unsearchable riches of Christ, proclaiming Him the regnant King, the divine Savior, the only begotten Son of God—and with that proclamation setting forth the great gospel with all its facts to be believed, its commands to be obeyed, its promises to be enjoyed, and its threatenings to be realized. That's the big task, the summum bonum of all, that He left for us to do.

"If ye shall ask anything in my name, that will I do." Christ will be hearing the prayers of His people. Not every prayer will be answered, for the same reason that not every word spoken by man is not heard across the continent. But, if conditions be right, and all the laws complied with, the voice of any man in the world can be heard thousands of miles away. The laws of the air must be known and obeyed to insure so great a blessing. Likewise the laws of prayer must be known and obeyed to bring the answer to prayer. In brief they are these: Pray in the name of Christ; have the forgiving spirit; "Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors;" bring one's will in submission to His will; "Not my will, but thine be done;" pray sincerely. "The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." They thought it all, remember that God will answer according to our needs rather than according to our desires.

Mrs. Eleanor V. Brewster has been awarded two hundred thousand dollars damages against Miss Corlis Palmer, movie actress, for alienation of the affections of Eugene V. Brewster, wealthy magazine publisher. The jury deliberated one hour only.

Maps of Cass county, showing every man's farm can be had at the Journal office. Price 50 cents each.

ORDER OF HEARING on Petition for Appointment of Administrator

The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of George E. Nichols, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Harold G. Nichols praying that administration of said estate may be granted to N. D. Talcott, as Administrator;

Ordered, that April 6th, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petition should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Plattsmouth Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.

Dated March 8th, 1926. A. H. DUXBURY, (Seal) m11-3w County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Lucinda Brittain, deceased.

To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth in said county, on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1926, and on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock a. m., of each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 12th day of April, A. D. 1926, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 12th day of April, 1926.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 8th day of March, 1926. A. H. DUXBURY, (Seal) m11-4w County Judge.

The Blacksmith Shop

Announcing—

I wish to announce that I have taken over the Blacksmith Shop and Business which was formerly owned and conducted by Mike Rys.

I am prepared to back after the wants of the public in this line, no matter what the work is that you may desire done. Bring in your work and we will care for it and render you the best service.

Murray needs a blacksmith shop. Now, let us make it the very best.

Yours for the best of service.

Roy Gerking.

Murray, Nebraska.

LOCAL NEWS

Dr. Heineman, Dentist, Hotel Main Bldg., Phone 527.

De. Stibal, Chiropractor, Schmidt-mann building, Telephone No. 3.

Dr. H. C. Leopold, Osteopathic physician and surgeon, phone 208, 17-tfa

From Monday's Daily— R. W. Hart and Attorney C. E. Toft of Weeping Water were here today to look after some matters in the district court.

James Stander, and C. J. Pankonin, well known residents of Louisville were here today for a few hours attending to some matters in the district court.

William B. Banning, cashier of the Bank of Union, was here today for a few hours looking after some matters of business in the county court and visiting with his many friends.

Jay Johnson and wife of St. Joseph, Missouri, were here yesterday enjoying the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman, Mrs. Chapman being a sister of Mr. Johnson.

Henry Shoemaker and D. Steffens of Nehawka were in the city today for a short time in company with Peter Opp of that place, attending the naturalization hearing in the district court.

Mrs. W. A. Schutz and daughter, Miss Grace, came in this morning from their home near South Bend and while in the city called at the Journal and renewed their subscription to the weekly edition of the paper.

From Tuesday's Daily— W. T. Richardson, the Mynard merchant, was here today for a few hours attending to some matters of business.

Ed Vallery and wife of Council Bluffs were her today visiting with friends and looking after some matters of business.

J. E. Griffin from south of the city was in the city today and while here was a caller at the Journal and had his subscription to the Journal advanced another year.

W. H. Seybert was among those going to Omaha this morning to spend a few hours in that city visiting with friends and looking after some matters of business.

William Atchison and son, William, Jr., were over from near Elm-

wood yesterday afternoon looking after some matters at the court house and visiting with their many friends in this city.

Miss Grace Furlong of Steamboat Springs, Colorado, who is attending the University of Nebraska, was a visitor here over the week end at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stamp, returned yesterday to her school work.

From Wednesday's Daily— Mrs. Robert Troop and sisters, Mrs. Mary Voody and Mrs. M. A. Leist, were among those going to Omaha this morning to visit for a few hours there with friends.

Mrs. Berg McLean of Tekamah, Nebraska, who has been here visiting with friends, departed this morning for her home, going on the early morning Burlington train.

A. S. Will of Long Beach, Cal., arrived here yesterday and is visiting at the home of his son, Robert Will and family, and with the many old time friends in this locality and also at the Chris Murray home near My-nard.

Thomas Seydletz, former well known resident of this city and who has been engaged in conducting a pool hall at Havelock for the past few years, is here enjoying a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Johnson.

Seal S. Davis departed this morning for Lincoln where he was called to look after some matters in connection with the teaching for the next year in the high school and also to remain over for the trial of the bridge case there tomorrow.

LOST

Duroc-Jersey male hog, strayed from my farm, two miles north of Nehawka, on February 13th. Anyone knowing the whereabouts please notify William Brandt, Nehawka. mS-2tsw

FOR SALE

Spotted Poland China brood sows.—W. O. Hennings & Sons, Mynard Nebraska. m1 4tsw

FOR SALE

Alfalfa hay under cover, also seasoned oak posts.—Sam Gilmour, Plattsmouth. tfw

EIGHT MILE GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Early services. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 10:30.

Murray Community Sale! Saturday, March 20th, 1926

This first Community Sale will be held at Murray on Saturday, March 20th, beginning at 11:00 o'clock sharp in the morning, with recess of one hour at noon, and continuing at 1:00 o'clock sharp. Ladies Aid to serve dinner at noon at Christian church.

THE FOLLOWING GOODS WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE

One roan team, horse and mare, 7 and 8 years old, wt. 2800; one set 1 1/2-inch harness; one low wagon; one new Newton wagon; one P and O riding cultivator; two bob sleds; one Deering binder; one International binder; one John Deere riding cultivator; one check row planter with wire; one riding lister; one 2 h. p. Rock Island gas engine; one 1 1/4-h. p. gas engine; one 1 1/2-h. p. gas engine; two kitchen cabinets; two cupboards; one settee; dining room table; one center table; one Monarch range; dining room chairs; one 2 1/2-h. p. gas engine; one No. 12 De Laval cream separator; one saddle; one 3-barrel water tank; one wheel barrow. We will also have horses, wagons, machinery, hogs, poultry, incubators and many other things to offer you.

Look for Additional List Next Week Regular Terms—They will be stated day of sale.

Col. Rex Young W. G. Boedeker Auctioneer Clerk

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for you to have your car overhauled, before the Spring rush comes.

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Extra Good Work Shoe Special

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Telephone No. 12 Murray, Nebraska

PUBLIC AUCTION

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction on the old Gapek place, four miles south of Plattsmouth, and three miles north of Murray, on—

Friday, March 19th commencing at 10:00 o'clock a. m., sharp, with lunch served at noon by United Presbyterian ladies of Murray, the following described property, to-wit:

Horses and Mules One brown gelding, 7 years old, weight 1500; one span gelding, 7 years old, weight 3100; one span mule, 4 years old, weight 2300; one span mule, 3 years old, weight 2100.

Cattle and Hogs Four Holstein cows, just fresh; one Red Polled cow, fresh soon; one Holstein heifer, fresh in about two months; one yearling Holstein heifer; one 2-year-old registered Holstein bull; one Holstein bull, 10 months old.

About twenty head of fall shoats. Farm Machinery, Etc. One P and O gang plow; one sulky plow; one new John Deere 2-row cultivator; one Moline 2-row cultivator; three New Departure walking cultivators; one Badger cultivator; one Avery corn planter; one P and O wide tread lister; one John Deere lister; one Kentucky press drill; one Superior broadcast seeder; two Rock Island 3-row machines; one Deering mowing machine; one Emerson mowing machine; one 4-section harrow; one 3-section harrow; one 2-section harrow; one hay rake; one Sterling disk; one Scheutler wagon; one low wood wheel wagon; one Hoosier corn drill; one Meadow 46 elevator; one new John Deere hoist; one Faultless stump puller and about 500 feet of steel cable; one 3-row corn stalk cutter; one bob sled; one carriage; two sets 1 1/2-inch harness; one set 1 1/4-inch harness; one buggy harness; three and one-half dozen hens, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale All sums of \$10 and under, cash. On sums over \$10 a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing eight per cent interest from date. No property to be removed from the premises until settled for.

Oscar Gapen, Owner. REX YOUNG, Auctioneer. FIRST NAT. BANK, Clerk.