

Murray Department

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Louis Hallas was called to Omaha on last Monday to look after some business for the Murray State bank. Jack Philpot had a load of cattle on the South Omaha market on last Tuesday which brought very good prices.

W. J. Philpot was in Murray on last Tuesday hauling lumber for the construction of some hay sheds on the farm.

Thomas Nelson was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. West Hill at their country home on last Sunday for a chicken dinner.

The Missouri Pacific railway has been putting a new concrete bridge over Rock Creek just south of their station at Murray.

A baby girl arrived at the home of John Atkins and wife during the past week, and all doing nicely with much joy abounding.

George Jenkins and Lyons is visiting in Murray and a guest at the home of his mother, and is reported as being quite poorly.

O. T. Leyda of Bethany was looking after some business matters in Murray and the community for the fore part of this week.

A girl is reported as having arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Shumaker, with everybody happy and doing nicely.

George Nickles had unloaded at the lumber yard a car of cement on last Friday and again on Monday a car load of bridge plank.

Dan Hoschar took his rack number 11 from the Nickles lumber yard a few days since which shows a very good business in this line.

Charles Sporer has been feeling quite poorly for a number of days but was reported as being some better on Wednesday of this week.

Attorney J. A. Caspell of Plattsmouth was a visitor in Murray looking after some business matters for a short time on last Tuesday morning.

Richard Brendel has been visiting for the week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Brendel of Avoca, and also attending the chataqua there.

J. W. Holmes, postmaster of Plattsmouth and Attorney C. A. Rawls accompanied by T. M. Patterson were looking after some business matters in Murray on last Monday evening.

W. G. Boedeker who has been looking after some business matters in the northwest, for some time past returned home and reported a very pleasant trip and with good crops all over the country.

Miss Gertrude Beckner and son, Stephen as the driver were over to Plattsmouth on last Monday, and while Mrs. Beckner is not feeling the best she went to secure some medicine that she might be better.

C. D. Spangler, county commissioner was over to Plattsmouth on last Tuesday where he was meeting with the other members of the board of county commissioners looking after the business of the county.

Mrs. Myra McDonald and Miss Bertha Nickles were visiting with friends and also looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth last Tuesday morning, they driving over to the county seat in the car of Miss Bertha.

Mrs. Wm. Minford of Lincoln, aged sixty-nine years and formerly Miss Alice Hall, of this portion of the state died at the late home on last Sunday, the funeral and burial being had at Lincoln on Tuesday of this week.

AMERICAN LEGION DANCE

Plattsmouth, Neb.—Saturday Night
Barn Yard Twins Orchestra
NO LUNCH COLD POP. 5c

Peter Connors of Coal Valley, Ill., accompanied by the wife, and also by his sister, Mrs. John Lloyd of Council Bluffs were visiting for the day on last Sunday at the home of D. C. Rhoden, who are uncle and aunt of the visitors.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore who has been at the camp at Fort Crook for the past two weeks, returned home the latter portion of last week and will depart soon again for a vacation in the northwest, and is waiting for the new car for the trip.

B. H. Nelson and family were visiting in Omaha, where they were visiting for the day at the hospital where the father of Mr. Nelson is receiving treatment. Oscar Nelson, the father, is rather poorly and is getting every care that his health may be restored.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Browne of Omaha gave a dancing party Saturday evening at King Lake Club House in honor of Mrs. E. M. Steiner and daughter, Miss Mildred, of Oklahoma City. After the dance the hostesses served refreshments at their summer cottage.

Mrs. Una Murray of Hennessey, Okla., and her son, George, were guests at the home of Mrs. W. E. Milbern for the part of the week, they also visiting for a time at Lincoln and were accompanied by Mrs. I. M. Davis, mother of Mrs. Milbern, Mrs. Fred Johnson also accompanying Mrs. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berger accompanied by Mrs. E. M. Steiner and daughter, Miss Mildred of Oklahoma City, visited in Blair Tuesday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gilbertson, and family, also Richard Johnson. The party then drove to Hermon and visited at the home of Emmett Johnson and family, returning to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown of Omaha in the evening. All enjoyed the trip immensely.

BIBLE SCHOOL LESSON

Sunday August 12th.
By M. S. Briggs

Golden Text: "I therefore the Son shall make you free, you shall be free indeed." John 8:36.

A Vexed Question Settled

Some people come from Jerusalem to Antioch and brought the question of essentials of salvation, saying that it was needful for a Christian to be circumcised in order to attain eternal life, when Christ said to Martha, (John 11:25-26) "I am the resurrection and the life; he that believeth on me, though he were dead yet shall live; and whosoever liveth and believeth on me shall never die." Believeth thou this? In verse 27, Martha replies, "Yea Lord I believe that thou art the Christ, the Son of God which should come into the world." Now comes some zealous saying that it is needful that the Christian should be circumcised, that they might be saved.

They being so filled with the teachings of the Jews that they could not see that Christ who is the very Son of God, should have power to put into effect the terms where by we must be saved. Later did Paul say: "There is no other name given under heaven and among men whereby we must be saved." Paul when the trouble makers came among the church at Antioch, held that the circumcision was not required, and as he had been a convert to Christ out of due time he was willing to pass the question on to the council of the band of apostles at Jerusalem, and after much discussion it was concluded that they would send delegation to Jerusalem to consult with the elders, that is the apostles who were there. Therefore Paul and Barabbas were selected with certain others, and they were sent to Jerusalem to take the case before the Church there.

Now this was at a time when there had been a drought and times were rather hard for the people living in Jerusalem, and a collection by the prosperous members of the church at Antioch, which was a strong church, was made and this was sent by the hands of Paul to the needy members at Jerusalem.

Hearing the Question Discussed

The journey was made as most of the journeys were made in that country at that time, on foot, and it required some time to make it as Antioch was some distance, and a portion of the trip was made by boat. Paul had had his lesson, and had learned that what God called clean and acceptable was to be so considered by him notwithstanding he might have differed with the laws of God before he had been converted.

Now when he got to Jerusalem they found some difference also, and the case of not circumcision was championed by that eminent leader of men, and of the little band of apostles, Peter, the sturdy fisherman when the Lord Jesus had made a fisher of men. When the sheet let down from heaven and Peter was commanded to slay and eat, and he had replied that he had never eaten anything that was common and unclean, and the voice of the Father said, "call not common what I have cleansed." Peter who had been calculating, and an outlaw to mortal men, was as the Master said when thou shalt become converted, thou shalt lead my people. When the question was brought to the council for adjustment, Peter rose and said, "Brethren, ye know that good while ago God made choice among them, that the Gentiles by my mouth should hear the word of the gospel and believe. And God who knoweth the heart, bear them witness. Giving them the Holy Spirit, even as he did unto us. And he made no distinction between us and them, cleansing their hearts by faith. Now therefore, why make you a trial of God, that ye put yoke upon the neck of the disciples which neither our fathers or we were able to bear? But we believe we shall be saved through the grace of the Lord Jesus in like manner as they."

One Salvation For All Men

Peter meant when he interpreted the meaning of the terms of Salvation as had been given out by the Master while he was on earth, and Peter had been with the master, and had been the very close friend, and was able to put forth the true meaning of what the Master had meant when he said: "He that believeth on me," meant he that accepts the message as I have given it coming directly from the Father of all, and doeth the things which is required shall be an inheritor of eternal life. The Gentiles are not required to do anything which is not required of the Jews, and neither was the Jew required to do something, for Christ died for all people, those who were born and lived before His coming and those who lived at that time, and all who should come afterwards, the plan was universal in its application.

You must believe on Jesus the Christ the Son of God, and conform your life to that which he lived, and do the things which he commanded. Christianity is no idle life, for when salvation is received and is worth the Christian anything he seeks to be the Christian which he professes to be, should be willing to pass this

HEAVY RAIN IN NORTHEAST NEBRASKA BENEFITS CORN

From Tuesday's Daily—
The Elmer Webb family returned home last night from a brief vacation visit with relatives at Creighton, and were accompanied from West Point by Misses Mary Ellen and Rose Ann Holst, daughters of a cousin of Mrs. Webb's residing there.

They found thrashing the order of the day around Creighton, where several of the old time steam rigs were in evidence. The principal small grain crop is oats, although some barley is raised. The average oats yield is from 32 to 36 bushels to the acre, the quality is very good as a result of the dry weather that prevailed there for nearly a month past. The hot winds were scorching the corn, however, and Sunday community prayers were offered in Creighton churches for rain.

Yesterday, enroute home, the Webb family drove through heavy rainfall, accompanied by some hail, from Pierce almost to Fremont and indications were the downpour was widespread over that portion of the state. Around West Point the rain came down in blinding sheets and small hailstones were driven with much force by the shifting winds.

GOES TO REFORM SCHOOL

From Tuesday's Daily—
This morning the county court was occupied in hearing a complaint that had been filed against Glen Eckard of Weeping Water. The young man was charged with having forged checks to which were signed the names of Henry Urish and Wallace Philpot, well known residents of that section of the county. There were five of the checks and which aggregated something like \$36. To the charge as preferred by County Attorney W. C. Kleeck, the prisoner entered a plea of guilty and on hearing the evidence in the case and the fact that the parents had done their utmost to keep the young man in the right path, the court decided to have him committed to the state industrial school at Kearney.

The young man who is eighteen years of age will be taken to Kearney this afternoon or Wednesday to start on the serving of his sentence.

PURCHASES HOME HERE

From Tuesday's Daily—
This city is to have the addition of a fine suburban family in the near future as the purchase of the Henry Brinkman residence on Elm street, just opposite the Masonic Home, has been made by John M. Meisinger, well known residents of near Mynard. Mr. and Mrs. Meisinger have decided that the years in the future in a well deserved rest from their labors and have made the purchase of this home which is a splendid home and well located and one that will make them a fine home. The many Plattsmouth friends of this estimable couple are delighted to learn that they are to make this city their future home and extend to them a cordial welcome to this city to reside.

IS THE CELLAR PASSING?

One of the big items of expense in building the average home is the excavation required for building the cellar. Architects and heating engineers are cooperating in designing cellarless houses.

The chief purpose of the cellar is to house the heating plant. Elimination of the cellar calls for a system of heating that occupies a minimum of ground floor space and is free from dust and ashes.

The perfection of automatic heating plants using oil or gas for fuel, thus eliminating the old fashioned coal bins and ash cans, is revolutionizing home construction. Fuel oil can be kept in a tank underground and piped to an oil burner, while gas is piped to a house from mains in the street.

It is stated that architects figure that the elimination of the cellar makes it possible to save from \$1,000 to \$2,000 in the construction of the average dwelling, which in many instances will more than offset the cost of automatic heating plants with their greater convenience, safety and comfort.

BEAUTIFYING HOME

From Tuesday's Daily—
Michael Hild is having his residence on Main street repainted and placed in the best of shape for the fall and winter and the addition of the new paint makes the home very attractive to the eye and a great improvement of that section of the city.

RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

From Monday's Daily—
Clarence Price of this city, who was operated on a few days ago for an affliction that has bothered him for some time and which affected the lid of one of his eyes, is doing very nice and it is thought will result in the permanent cure of the affected eyelid.

Two Bandits Get \$3,000 from Bank in Newman Grove

Lock Cashier and Assistant in Safety Vault and Escape—Asked for Change at Closing Hour.

Newman Grove, Neb., Aug. 7.—Two young bandits robbed the Newman Grove State bank just as it closed this afternoon, escaping with about three thousand dollars in currency and gold after locking two officers in a safe deposit vault.

They are believed to have traveled west in a green Auburn automobile along the road to Albia.

The men entered the bank at five minutes to four, asking change for a \$5 bill. They ordered the cashier and assistant cashier to hold up their hands. They then had the front door closed, collected the funds in a flour sack, and left by the back door.

Made to Lie on Floor.

F. M. Juselson, cashier, and G. R. Peterson, his assistant, were in the bank at the time.

The robbers wore overalls, work shirts, and gray felt hats, were of slender build and appeared to be about 30 years old, according to Peterson.

As Peterson described the holdup, one of the men came to the second window, asking for change for a \$5 bill. Then as the banker turned, he said, "Just a moment, stick 'em up."

"I did and then they ordered me to lie on the floor," said Peterson. "They made Juselson put all the money in a bag, had him lock the front door and open the back one."

Unable to Lock Vault Door.

After some 20 minutes, he continued, the robbers ordered them into a safety deposit vault, where a gate was closed and locked on them. The robbers were unable to lock the outer door, which would have shut off the air, because the bolts were out and locked, Peterson said.

A few minutes after the bandits left, Peterson continued, they succeeded in opening the gate. He said the loss included all gold and currency in the bank, but that no silver was taken.

According to George Gutru, president of the bank, who returned from a trip to the country a few minutes later, the bandits must have had a car parked in the alley. He said the loss is covered by insurance.

Sheriff C. S. Smith, Madison, came here to investigate. He traced the green Auburn as far as Bradish.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES

Tekamah—First 2 chicken days, recently held here were successful.

Aridona Center—Thrashing of grain in full swing here.

Good corn crop in prospect in Nebraska.

Scribner—Wheat thrashing under way here.

Valyrag—Harvesting of grain in progress here.

Pender—Pender-West Point highway being graveled.

Florence—Now floor laid at entrance of local post office.

Johnstown—Improvements being made at Johnstown filling station.

Johnstown—Erection of new town hall discussed.

Beaver Valley—J. Gilek shipped carload steers to Omaha from here on recent day.

Clarks—Streets and culverts here recently cleaned.

Gothenburg—E. A. Calling erects new building here.

Gothenburg—G Avenue being graveled southward from cemetery road.

Gothenburg—Berger garage installs wood ceiling.

Gothenburg—Farmers here busy with their crops.

Moorefield—Carload cattle shipped from here on recent day.

Crawford—Western Public Service Company installs modern boiler in local plant.

Crawford—New Hallsford-Norman elevator here in operation.

Wolbach—Several streets in town being graded to improve drainage.

Homer—Thomas Ashwood store front newly painted.

Ord—Masonic Lodges here will build \$25,000 new temple.

Beaver City—Masonic Lodge plans erection of new building here.

Alliance—Burlington Railroad Co. spending \$20,000 for increasing its yard facilities here.

Brule—Electric distribution system here sold to Nebraska Electric Power Company.

Franklin—Highway No. 3 being graveled.

Roseland—Plans making for erection of addition to high school building in this place.

Roseland—77 purebred hogs shipped from here to Omaha during recent week by H. Goedert.

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Gunmen on a Freight Robbed Harvest Hands

Clothes Stripped Off Hoboes by Pair to Find Hidden Money—75 Lose All Earnings

Seventy-five hoboes, mostly harvest field workers, were held up and robbed on a fast Missouri Pacific freight train between Auburn, Neb., and Gilmore Junction, north of Fort Crook, during Monday night, according to reports this morning to G. W. Monroe, special agent. The men were beating their way to the northern harvest fields, from Kansas, and many of them are said to have had considerable wages on them.

Clarence and Ernest Olsen, brothers of Avon, Minn., said they had each lost \$67. W. E. Polk, conductor on the train, reported the hold up to the special agent's office. He estimated 75 men were riding the train.

The Olsen boys said there were 10 men in the empty car in which they were riding. The robbers, they said, were well-dressed, and not of the usual type found riding the trains.

They climbed into the car, the brothers related. One held two guns while the other went about the gathering in of the money in a business-like manner. They compelled their victims to take off shoes and other clothing in their search for hidden money, the Olsens said.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McMaken motored to Sidney, Iowa, last evening leaving Mrs. Rae McMaken and children there for a short visit. They are taking Mrs. McMaken to Tabor where he is engaged in work there with a road construction gang.

HAS HAND INJURED

From Wednesday's Daily—
Paul Lempke, who has been engaged in working on the Holmes farm northwest of this city, suffered a rather painful injury this morning when he ran the tye of a pitchfork through the palm of the right hand. The accident occurred just as the last of the threshing was being completed and makes a painful wound and which required the services of a physician to look after.

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Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Trimpe of Omaha, entertained at dinner in honor of Mrs. E. M. Steiner and daughter, Miss Mildred of Oklahoma City, Sunday, August 5th.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Topf and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan De Les Dernier and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berger and Mr. and Mrs. Will Berger of Omaha, and Mrs. Steiner and daughter, guests of honor.

Murray Presbyterian Church

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