

# Murray

Herman Richter was threshing for Edwin Schumaker during the early part of the week.

John Farris was shelling and delivering corn to the Murray elevators on last Saturday.

Elbert Keil was stung by a bee on the shoulder which swelled and pained so that he was not able to work on last Monday.

George Lancaster was out with his grass hook early Monday cutting the grass and making the front of the building look fine.

Bales Heisinger has opened a new cream station in the Rhoden building and will buy cream and other produce in the future.

Miss Ruth Cline who was visiting at her home at Tabor for a few days last week returned to Murray on Monday of this week.

M. H. Worthan has not been feeling the best for some time past, while he has not been confined to his bed, he has been feeling quite poorly.

Louis Hallas and the family were visiting with friends and relatives in Plattsmouth last Sunday, they driving over to the county seat in their car.

Alex D. Rhoden was threshing on last Monday, he delivering his grain to the Myra elevator which is very close to the farm where he is living.

A. G. Long was threshing on last Monday morning, and also Roy Gerking at the same time, the Ritcher Brothers doing the work at both places.

Frank V. Davis of Broken Bow was visiting in Murray and vicinity as well as Weeping Water looking after some business matters for a short time.

Glen Boedeker was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth and Omaha for the day on last Monday, called there for the day and driving over.

Mrs. W. E. Hull and E. S. Tatt and wife have both installed in their respective homes a General Electric refrigerating machine, which they are liking fine.

Fred Baeschler of west of Plattsmouth was a visitor in Murray on last Saturday getting one of the celebrated hay racks which are made at the Nickles lumber yard.

Alvador Nickles and wife of Lincoln were visiting in Murray for over the week end, they being guests at the home of Mrs. J. A. Scotten, parents of Mrs. Nickles.

There will be a reunion of the Lewis family at the Murray Bathing Beach on Sunday, August 11th, when there will be representatives from four states who will be here to celebrate.

Vaclav Micklusky and two sons, were over to Omaha for Sunday, the sons coming down on the midnight train Sunday night and Vaclav coming on the train Monday morning.

A moving picture show furnished free by the business men of Murray was enjoyed by a large number of Murrayites and from the county on last Saturday night, and pronounced excellent.

L. A. Webber was a business visitor in Omaha on last Monday, driving over to the big town to look after some business matters connected with the cafe and store which he conducts here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nickles and Mrs. Henry C. Long were enjoying a visit at the home of Mrs. Robert Strader of South Omaha, they driving over to the big city for a days visit in their car.

County Commissioner George L. Farley, was looking after some county business in Murray on last Friday, while Fred H. Gorder was also looking after some business for the county on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Sporer who was visiting in Lincoln some time with two of her lady friends, and at the home of John Sporer at Valparaiso, for sometime, returned home on last Tuesday after having enjoyed her visit very much.

Frank Moore who has been having very severe pains from attack of rheumatism was a visitor in Murray on last Monday morning, but was having to use a cane to get around. His many friends are hoping he will soon be well again.

J. W. Berger has been very poorly for some time and with the warm weather and advanced age he is finding it difficult to overcome the poor health. He however, was cleaning off the grass, last week, from in front of the hotel and making it look fine.

Miss Clow who is a music teacher of Omaha and has been giving instruction in music to many classes in Murray, accompanied by her father came down last Friday evening and were entertained by her many friends here with a picnic supper at the Murray Bathing Beach.

There was to have been services at the Christian church on last Sunday but as the Rev. Robert Hansson was kept away by an engagement which he could not cancel there was no services. He will be here two weeks from last Sunday and will hold services both morning and evening.

Last Sunday W. B. Boedeker and family, and especially Charles were

over to Sidney, Iowa, where they were visiting at the home of W. B. Gregory, who was school chum with Charles Boedeker while they were at Faribault, Minnesota, in school. The two families enjoyed the visit very much.

Lester Gansemer and the good wife are rejoicing over the arrival via the stork route, of a very fine little daughter, who with the mother is doing nicely. A portion of the joy over the arrival is shared with grandfather and grandmother Alfred Gansemer and grandmother Mrs. Bessie Bourne.

Margaret Harehar who has been visiting for some time at Springfield, with her sister, Mrs. Isaac Ardeman, when they came to visit on last Sunday, returned home after having enjoyed a very nice visit. When the folks returned home Sunday evening Mrs. Harehar went with them and is visiting there this week.

There was some joy at the home of John Hill when on last Saturday the stork brought Mr. and Mrs. Hill a very fine young American, and with the mother, are doing nicely. The happy father is not alone in his joy for grandfather and grandmother Phillip Hill are feeling pretty fine over the advent, thank you.

Wilbur Hewitt, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hewitt, celebrated very properly his fifth birthday anniversary at the home of his parents in Murray on last Monday afternoon with some twenty-five of his little friends. They were served by the mother of Wilbur with light refreshments which added greatly to the pleasantness of the afternoon.

Shenandoah has a good ball team, and perhaps more than one, but the one which we refer to is the one composed of Seed House Folks from IKNF the Henry Fields Seed company, who played a very fine game with the Murray team on last Sunday with the result that they were winners over Murray by a score of 17 to 7. But a good game, nevertheless.

John F. Bates and family, wife and daughter, Miss Mary Louise, of Rising City, T. J. Jamison of Lincoln, W. L. Hobson and wife and their son, Richard, of Weeping Water, and a sister of Mrs. Hobson and Mrs. Earnest Young were all guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brendel, where all enjoyed a very pleasant days visit and a wonderful dinner which was served by Mrs. Brendel.

Gussie Brubacher and family and his parents were visiting in Omaha for the day on last Sunday, and were guests for the day with Alex Bazanz who is a cousin of Mr. Gussie Brubacher. While there they met two other cousins of Mr. Bazanz, Misses Marie and Mathilda Pabst, of New York, who had just made the trip out from their home to Omaha, coming via auto bus, and making the trip in thirty hours.

A. J. Smith and family of Cozad are visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Park and grandmother Mrs. Mary Wiley, Mrs. Smith being a daughter of Mrs. Wiley and sister of Mrs. George Parns, they driving in from Cozad in their car. We were well pleased with the attitude of Mr. Smith, towards his home town which he says is the best town in Nebraska. We like this for a man to stand up for his town and when all do this it is certain that they have a good town, for loyalty to one's town makes the town good. Mr. Smith says that from Buffalo county, his county, there are annually shipped 1800 car loads of alfalfa. Mr. Smith formerly lived in Cass county and says it is a good place to live but he likes Buffalo county better.

4-H Club County Picnic. Murray entertained on Tuesday the members of the 4-H clubs from over the county and about one hundred and sixty, they remaining for Tuesday and Tuesday night and coming with tents and bedding for a good time which they surely had. The churches of Murray entertained and the members of the Missionary society and the Ladies Aid society, surely knew how to care for the crowds. The crowd was divided each church taking half of the crowd. They were housed by the girls sleeping at the Murray school, while the boys found lodgment at the Murray garage. They held their picnic at the Murray Bathing Beach and all had a good time and will remember Murray as a town who was there and over with entertainment for their guests.

Hear of News From Missonri. Last week Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lewis returned from a trip to Missonri which gave this excellent family an opportunity to see some thing of the "Show Me" state, at its best and Wayne says that it's sure very good. Last Sunday there were with him and family a number of relatives who enjoyed a recount of the excellent time which they had while away. There were there for the occasion and to enjoy the excellent dinner which was provided, Mr. J. D. Lewis, father of Mr. Lewis from Union, Lloyd Lewis and family and Edward Lewis and family all of Union and R. H. Fitch and family of Plattsmouth. Both the guests and host and hostesses enjoyed the occasion very much.

Four Score Years and Ten. On the coming Sunday Mrs. R. H. Fitch, who makes her home with her son, James I. Fitch, will be ninety years of age. She was born in Missonri and has resided in Nebraska since she was a child. For over a half century she has been a resident of Plattsmouth. The passing of the anniversary will be duly celebrated at the home of her son and herself on the coming Sunday, with a gathering of her relatives and friends. The husband has passed many years ago, being near twenty, and a daughter, Mrs. J. D. Lewis departed about five years ago. There still remains to honor this excellent pioneer and maker of Nebraska the following

children: John Fitch of near Nehavka, Mrs. Jennie Frans, Union; Mrs. Belle Frans, Murray; L. F. Fitch, Union; James I. Fitch, Murray; Mrs. Joseph Campbell and R. H. Fitch of Plattsmouth.

Many People at Beach. A large and very enthusiastic crowd of bathers were at the Murray Bathing Beach on last Sunday and it could be seen from the world that one of the very best places to bathe in a long days walk. Say do you remember when we used to go to the old swimming hole and get washed off clean and then get dirty going home again. Well it is not required to walk for all have cars and can get perfectly clean then ride home.

Murray on the Highway. We were pleased to see many of the people cutting the weeds and grass in front of their homes and places of business on Monday of this week, and one of the citizens of the town said, Well all Murray should clean up the town and tell the world that Murray is a clean city. This little rustling city has many beautiful homes and as now the detour highway comes this way why not put the best foot forward and the best side of Murray out and have the world know how fine a place this is. With the beautiful homes, the Murray bathing beach and the houses all painted up, this town would present an appearance which would cause tourists passing this way to talk about this thriving town from Maine to California.

Received Severe Burns. While Earl Lancaster the proprietor of the Lancaster Store of Murray, was reaching in a box or carton for a box of matches, a box in some way exploded burning his hand very badly. He had the injured member treated by the physician but it is still very sore and he cannot use it.

Presbyterian Church Notes. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. (Young people's meeting). Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. You are cordially invited to worship with us. J. C. STEWART, Pastor.

MOVE MURDER TRIAL SCENE. Gastonia, N. C.—The Loray strike tent colony murder case will not be tried before a Gastonia county jury. Arguments on the question of taking the case to another county, either Mecklenburg (Charlotte) were only half completed when Judge W. V. Barnhill, presiding at the special term of superior court called by O. Max Gardner to handle the case growing out of the strike shootings, announced adjournment until Tuesday.

The adjournment was taken that Solicitor John G. Carpenter and attorneys for the state might have time to prepare affidavits and an answer to the defense motion. The court faced a mass of routine when it opened for determination of the fate of twenty-three men and women accused of various crimes growing out of the fatal wounding on the night of June 7 of O. J. Aderhold, chief of police, and less seriously wounding three other policemen. All defendants had been held on warrants, fifteen of them accused of murder and eight of assault with intent to kill.

AUTOMOBILE DEATH RECORD. Washington—Automobile fatalities in seventy-eight large cities of the United States for the four weeks ending July 13 totaled 635 compared with 523 for the corresponding period last year. For the year ending July 13 automobile fatalities for the seventy-eight cities reported to the department of commerce totaled 7,811 compared with 7,177 for the previous year. This indicated, the department said, a recent rate of twenty-four per 100,000 population, representing an increase for the year of 10 per cent.

Cities reporting ten or more deaths for the last four weeks follow: Baltimore, 13; Boston, 14; Buffalo, 14; Chicago, 48; Cincinnati, 11; Cleveland, 27; Columbus, 10; Detroit, 22; Los Angeles, 33; Minneapolis, 11; New York, 96; Newark, 11; Philadelphia, 22; Pittsburgh, 17; St. Louis 11, and Toledo, 11.

NO RELIEF FROM THE HEAT. Chicago—No relief from the week's heat wave was foreseen Thursday night in the official forecast of the government weather bureau here. Warmer weather, in fact, was predicted for Illinois, Indiana and Michigan, western and northern Wisconsin and northeastern Minnesota. Continued warmth was forecast for Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and North and South Dakota. Chicago's temperature reached 88 and was coupled with unusual humidity.

HEAVY RAIN SOUTH. St. Paul—Heat of 86 degrees registered at noon Thursday was blamed for the death of John Olson, sixty-year-old, of the special Rapid City. The successive day the temperature has reached 85 here.

TOKIO ROCKED BY EARTHQUAKE SHOCK. Tokio, July 27.—The center of the earthquake which shook Tokio, Yokohama and surrounding territory Saturday is believed to have been 30 miles south of this city, near the center of the great disturbance in 1923. The shock lasted 30 minutes and scenes reminiscent of the 1923 disaster were enacted as gardens and streets were quickly filled with frightened people. Minor casualties were widespread.

## New State Tax Levy is Smaller Than Forecast

Unofficially Placed at 2.37 Mills; Due to Large Increase in Intangible Revenue.

Lincoln, July 29.—Though the state tax levy for 1929 will exceed last year's it will not equal the early estimate of 2 3/4 mills, it was indicated Monday at the office of Harry Scott, tax commissioner.

A tremendous increase in revenue under the new intangible tax law, which included a gain in total valuation of tangible properties, will reduce the estimated levy to probably 2.37, figures foreshadowed.

Prior to a final meeting of the board of equalization Aug. 2, it may call Assessor Sam Greenleaf of Omaha to explain why increases in Douglas county on intangible holdings are relatively less than the rest of the state, it was suggested.

Law Held Valid. The law was held unconstitutional in district court in Omaha. The case will be taken to the supreme court.

During the current week the state board of equalization will meet to fix the amount of the levy as provided for by the legislature of 1927.

In 1928 the state levy was 2 3/4 mills, and the increase for the capitol and 1.84 for the general fund. The increase this year is necessitated to provide for enlarged appropriations made by the legislature.

Rail Valuation Up. Property of all classes, Commissioner Scott reports, has been raised exceedingly compared with 1928, with the most marked showing on intangibles which are appraised this year at approximately \$300,000,000.

Class A intangibles, under the new law, hopped from \$65,500,000 a year ago to \$157,000,000 this year and in class B the gain is from \$107,000,000 to \$143,000,000. With the state receiving one-sixth of all revenue from intangible taxes, the share this year is estimated at \$256,000, whereas in 1928 it received but \$116,458, an increase of nearly 120 per cent.

STATE TO RAISE \$7,731,511 TAXES. Lincoln, July 29.—Nebraska, for the current year, must raise \$7,731,511.52 by taxation for the state general fund, a tabulation prepared by C. A. Sommer, state accountant, indicated.

The entire levy for the year includes emergency appropriations of \$80,621.21, and one-half of the biennial appropriations of \$7,526,892.30, a total of \$8,667,894.67. This also includes \$330,380.56, or a 4 per cent additional levy, to cover the cost of collections and losses. Offsetting the total amount to be raised is \$936,383.35, estimated receipts in the general fund appropriated, leaving \$7,731,511.32.—Omaha Bee-News.

ENJOY SLUMBER PARTY. A very pleasant outing was enjoyed by a group of the young girls of the campfire on Monday when they spent the day in a hike to Murray and enjoying the pleasures of the bathing beach there and later returning home where they spent the evening at a slumber party at the home of Miss Irene Simons in the south part of the city. The event was in honor of Miss Helene Phillips of Omaha, guardian of this group of Campfire girls and who enjoyed to the utmost the opportunity of being together and having with them their guardians and the event will long be very pleasantly remembered by all of the jolly party.

YOUNG PEOPLE WEDDED. From Wednesday's Daily.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Powell of this city received the announcement last evening of the marriage of their daughter, Lydia, to Miss Gerda Peterson. Mr. Roy McMahan, the letter received not giving the place of the wedding which occurred on Monday, but stating that the happy wedded couple were en route to Colorado where they are to be located in the future. The young people with a number of friends were here Sunday for a dinner at the Powell home and later returned to Lincoln where the wedding is supposed to have occurred.

RECEIVES SAD NEWS. From Monday's Daily.—The message was received here last night of the death at 7 p. m. of a Sheridan, Wyoming, of Roy Enberg, nephew of Misses Gerda and Alpha Peterson of this city, the death coming at the close of a long illness and in the last weeks of which there has been no hope for the recovery of the young man. Miss Gerda Peterson has been at the bedside of her nephew in the past few days and assisting the family in his care.

SHOWING IMPROVEMENT. Mrs. Charles Lamphere who is at the hospital at Omaha, is reported as being somewhat improved following her operation on Friday although her condition is still quite serious and it will be several days before she is able to show any marked improvement for the better. The many friends will be pleased to learn that she is doing so well and trust that she may continue to show improvement until she is able to return home.

POPULAR GIRL TO WED. An item of more than passing interest to the former Wesleyan students here and particularly those of the Willard Sorority is that of the forthcoming marriage of Miss Sally Nelson of Hastings to Mr. Dell Danker, also of that city. The wedding will occur on Tuesday evening and Miss Helen Wescott of this city, a sorority sister of the bride will play the wedding march for the happy occasion.

Omaha Schlische was a visitor in Plattsmouth where he spent a few days, his visit being with his friends and looking after some matters of business.

## BUS RATES CUT

From Wednesday's Daily.—The bus fare to Omaha received a slash today when Ike Gillensky of the De Luxe bus lines announced that the fare over his line between Plattsmouth and Omaha would be forty cents in the future instead of seventy-five cents as at the present time. The bus lines have been running a rate of \$1 for a round trip and now this rate is further slashed by the De Luxe line to forty cents straight for a one way passage. This reduction brings the fare back almost to the days of the two cent railroad rate when the fare to Omaha was forty-two cents.

## Attribute 62 Deaths to Heat Wave in West

Casualties in Two Days Total 103, Including Ten Drowned in Iowa—Relief Is Predicted.

Chicago, Ill., July 29.—With the mercury down to 84 at 3 p. m. and further relief promised tomorrow, Chicago and the middle west today emerged from a two-day heat wave to take stock of casualties over the week-end.

The survey revealed a total of 103 persons dead or injured, either from the excessive heat, or as the result of accidents attributed to the temperature.

Drownings led the death list with a total of 43, divided as follows: Michigan and Ontario, 20, Wisconsin, 11; Illinois 4, and Iowa 10.

Fourteen persons were dead in automobile accidents, as a result of congested highways caused by tens of thousands who sought relief from the city's heat driving in the country. One man, a passenger on a train died of heart disease when the train struck an automobile at Galva, Ill. In addition to the dead, three persons were injured in auto crashes.

The only death reported from heat prostration was that of Morris Spiegel, 61, commercial artist, who was overcome near St. Charles, Ill. Thirty-five marchers in an American Legion parade at Decatur, Ill., were overcome by heat.

Two persons were injured in a speed boat explosion near Chicago; one man was killed while cleaning his automobile at Hammond, Ind., and an airplane pilot was injured in a crash at Lincoln, Neb.

Continued fair and cool weather was predicted for tomorrow over the middle west.—World-Herald.

## VERY HAPPY EVENT

There arrived here on Wednesday, July 24th a fine little eight pound girl born to Mr. and Mrs. George Knox of Alliance, Mrs. Knox, the youngest daughter of George Luschnusky, having been here for some time at the home of the father and where the little one was born. The arrival has brought a great deal of happiness to all of the members of the family circle and Mr. and Mrs. Knox are receiving the well wishes of the friends for the future success and happiness of the young daughter.

## "SNOWBIRDS" ARE EXILED

From Tuesday's Daily.—Last evening Officers Hadriaba and Pickrel took into custody a stranger who was one of the unfortunate drug addicts known as "snowbirds" and this morning Chief of Police Libershat rounded up one of this variety of the human race. The two drug addicts tried several means to procure a "shot" without success and the chief of police gave them orders to leave the city at once and which they did, heading southward where they hoped to have better success in securing some needed "snow."

## PREPARE ZEP FOR TRAVEL

Friedrichafen—With all of her new motors functioning satisfactorily during a test flight of nearly twelve hours the giant airship Graf Zeppelin is ready for the next flight to America. Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander, fixed Thursday morning for the start. Motor trouble spoiled the attempt of the craft to reach America last May. Already much of the freight for the trans-Atlantic crossing is stowed away in the big airship. It includes a Rubens painting, a grand piano, several gorillas instead of the solitary one on the recent unsuccessful voyage, as well as a bust of the late Baron von Huenfeld, owner and passenger in the Bremen, which flew to America last year.

New York—An announcement outlining a tentative schedule for the projected round-the-world eastward flight of the Graf Zeppelin said the giant German dirigible will depart from Lakehurst, N. J., on Aug. 7 and will end its globe circling journey at the same place, Aug. 29.

The tentative schedule, which was announced by those in charge of handling the ship at strategic points, calls for stops at Friedrichafen, the

Grat's base; Tokio and Los Angeles.

WHOLE TOWN ENDANGERED. Corning, Mo.—The Missouri river, which has been advancing on Corning for the past five years, is creeping mercilessly nearer. It is now less than one-eighth of a mile from the edge of town.

The river is attacking on a two-mile front. On its banks are eight farm homes, all in danger. Workmen are moving the barns and out-buildings on the Charles Banker farm. The house, a two-story brick building, probably cannot be moved. The road to Craig is now practically on the river's bank and it is feared that it may go down Monday.

Farmers have lost more than 160 acres of land on a two-mile front in less than a month. Corning, a town of about 300, is all on the river flats. Residents believe that eventually the entire town will go down, unless the river is halted.

A greeting card for your friend on Friendship day Sunday, August 4th. Sure, we can supply your wants at the Bates Book Store.



## Summer Sale

The specials advertised in our large circular sent out last week all hold good till Saturday night. Are you getting your share of these bargains. Scores of thrifty buyers are coming here—attracted by this unusual opportunity to save. Below we quote a few of the

**Super-Values!**  
RED SALMON—4 tall cans . 98c  
Fancy Alaska—Reg. 30c Value  
BROOMS—Reg. 50c value . 39c  
Painted Handle—4-Tie  
P - G SOAP—10 bars for . 39c  
Sells at 4 1/4 to 5c Bar everywhere

RIPE OLIVES—Per can . 15c  
Lindsay Brand—8 1/2-oz. Size  
CORN FLAKES—2 lg. pkgs. 21c  
Crispy—Guaranteed Fresh  
MALT SYRUP—Linko, can . 45c  
Regular No. 2 1/2 Size Can

MILK—Tall cans, each . 10c  
All Varieties—Take your Pick  
CASTILE SOAP—4 bars . 25c  
Genuine Hardwater Castile  
SNIDER Pork, Beans—Can . 11c  
Med. Size—10 Cans for \$1

MATCHES—6 box carton . 17c  
Less than 3c per Box  
GINGER SNAPS—2 lbs. . 23c  
Fresh Stock—Finest Quality  
HEIFER Malt—The big can . 49c  
4 1/4 Lbs.—Contains Everything

SUGAR PEAS—2 cans for . 29c  
Sweet and Tender—Med. Sieve  
SWANSDOWN Cake Flour . 27c  
Large Size—Reg. 35c Item  
PUFFED WHEAT—Per pkg. 13c  
A Fine Hot Weather Cereal

## Old Wheat Flour!

Little Hatchet, 48-lb. sack . \$1.69  
Sunkist Flour, per sack . 1.79  
I. G. A. Flour (warranted) . 1.79

We cannot impress upon you too strongly the advantage of buying this good Old Wheat Flour now at prices that won't be duplicated for some time. The market is advancing daily—but you can profit by our foresight in contracting for a large amount several months ago at quotations that permit these low prices.

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The Old Reliable Grocery Store  
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## Baseball Sunday

Murray Park  
Murray Sluggers  
versus  
Benson Boosters  
of OMAHA  
Sunday Afternoon, August 4th  
Everybody Come