

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.]

Mrs. Wm. Hendricks has been quite sick for the past week.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Troppa baby girl Wednesday, the 13th 9½ pounds.

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Mrs. J. A. Porter who has been quite sick for some time is reported much better this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brendel were visiting at the home of Mrs. Brendel's parents Sunday.

C. H. Miller has sold his Murray residence property over east of the creamery to Chas. Schwab.

James Loughbridge and W. H. McDaniel were in Omaha last Thursday to see the Silver Trowl.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Webber, a girl, Wednesday morning. Mr. Webber is our section foreman.

Miles Standish visited with friends and relatives in Plattsmouth Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

John Stones has moved to the Sam Pitman farm where he will make his home for the coming summer.

Miss Fredrich—teacher Kenosha school will give a box social Saturday night at the Kenosha church.

Arthur Baker, Dr. Brendel, C. S. Stone, Ernest Carroll and Harve Gregg were in Omaha Tuesday evening.

The thirteen lots over east of the Murray creamery belonging to Wm. Hamilton, have been sold to Mrs. C. D. Connally.

D. C. Rhoden, W. H. McDaniel and James Loughbridge were in Plattsmouth Monday evening to attend the Masonic lodge.

For Sale—300 hedge posts and 200 burr oak posts by F. M. Young, Sr., 1½ miles east of Murray. Call on him if you are in need of some good posts.

Ed Nicholas, special agent for the Columbia Fire Insurance Company of Omaha, was transacting business in our town Monday in the interest of the company.

John Porter, Col. Seybolt, Mont Robb, Wm. Oliver, Herman Reike and C. W. Crisweiser, all of Murray, were looking after business matters in Plattsmouth Wednesday.

W. K. Shepherdson, who has the past few years been residing near Mynard, has moved to the Chas. Boedeker farm near Murray, where he will reside the coming summer.

The Murray State bank has been putting a coat of paint on the interior of the building this week, which has greatly added to its appearance. Will Joiner and Mart Burton have been doing the work.

Dr. Jake Brendel went down to Avoca Monday to look after his brother's practice, who was absent for a day or two accompanying a patient to Omaha to enter the hospital for an operation.

W. J. O'Brien returned Wednesday from a two month's visit with relatives and friends at Scranton, Kan. He reports a very enjoyable visit. He is having considerable trouble with his eyes since he returned home.

The Murray rural mail route has by permanent appointment from Washington been given to Tommy Nix, the official papers arriving in Murray Wednesday of this week. Tommy has proven a good carrier and will continue to carefully look after his duties in the future.

Gates Parker, who moved from this section to Guide Rock a few weeks ago, was in Murray Monday on business. Mr. Parker lost one of his fine horses enroute to his new home out near Guide Rock. In switching the car the engine struck the train rather hard and threw the animal to the floor with such force as to kill it almost instantly.

Frank Oliver, who has been employed in the B. & M. shops at Havelock for the past number of years, came home Monday morning suffering with an attack of appendicitis, and will accompany Dr. Brendel to Omaha Saturday morning, where he will enter the hospital for an operation to be performed by Dr. Allison. Mr. Oliver has been suffering with an attack of chronic appendicitis for some time.

Joe Wheeler experienced a rather peculiar accident last Sunday evening. He attended church in Murray and shortly after he was on the streets when some unknown pedestrian approached him on the way home and without a moment's warning, struck him a blow in the face that almost felled him to the ground. When Joe recovered from the shock, there was no one in sight, but he felt a peculiar sensation about the head and face and a cut in his lip as a result of the encounter. Some of the boys were asking Joe if he was sure he did not run into a telephone pole or the sidewalk flew up and hit him in the face.

Amputated Limb Below Knee.
After a lingering illness of several months duration, caused by bone cysts, Matthew Midkiff, a prominent farmer residing near Union and Murray, underwent an operation Wednesday afternoon for the removal of a portion of the left limb which had been badly diseased. The operation was performed by Drs. B. F. Brendel, of Murray, E. W. Cook and J. S. Livingston, of Plattsmouth. Although the patient is nearly sixty-five years of age, he recovered from the operation nicely, in which the left limb was amputated a short distance below the knee.

Buys Another Good Farm.

Our good German friend, John Hobscheidt, who sold his farm near Murray some time ago, has again purchased a fine chunk of Cass county soil. The deal was closed this week whereby Mr. Hobscheidt becomes the owner of the fine 160 acre farm of J. M. Wiley, three miles southeast of Murray, the price paid for the same being \$100.00 per acre. We understand that Mr. Hobscheidt will move to his new possession in the near future.

D. L. Amick shipped a car of hogs to South Omaha Wednesday evening.

The Ladies of the Presbyterian church are preparing for a chicken pie social on the evening of March 23, at the church. They will also have on sale a supply of homemade candies, and fancy needle work goods on sale.

Leslie Hall, the genial cashier of the Murray State bank, has been the busiest man in town the past week, in fact so busy that he was unable to find time to go to Plattsmouth to have his measure taken for a new suit of clothes, and the tailor was compelled to call on him. Now, just what Leslie's hurry could be, still remains a mystery, but some of his closest friends are inclined to believe there will be a wedding here in the near future, but of course they did not tell it was to be Leslie. At any rate he is going to take a trip in the near future.

Another Pioneer Dead.

Mary Anna Rannard died at her home east of Murray on Sunday evening of this week, of diabetes, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Rannard was sixty seven years of age, and has lived in Cass county for the past forty years, and died on the old home where she first took her residence in the early days of Cass county. She leaves three children, L. E. Rannard, Jesse Rannard, both of Cass county, and Mrs. James Hamilton, who resides in Omaha. The funeral was held at the Kenosha church, and the remains laid to rest in the Lewiston cemetery Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock. Rev. Zink, pastor of the Christian church at Plattsmouth, officiating.

Mary Ann Hendricks was born in Ohio, in the year of 1840 and was married to Benjamin Rannard in 1859, and a few years later moved to Nebraska, and settled in Cass county, where she resided up to the time of her death.

Baled Hay for Sale.

I still have a few tons of good prairie hay for sale. This hay is of good quality and baled. Call and see me. H. L. OLDHAM.

Seed Potatoes for Sale.

I have some extra fine seed potatoes for sale. See me for particulars. J. T. PORTER.

A SURPRISE NEAR MURRAY

In Honor of J. H. Spangler at His Beautiful Home Near That Village

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spangler most delightfully entertained a number of friends and relatives Sunday at their farm residence, near Murray. As a surprise for her husband, Mrs. Spangler planned the affair in honor of his fortieth birthday anniversary. The surprise was complete in every respect and was very much enjoyed by all present.

One of the most enjoyable features of the day was an elegant dinner, consisting of all the good things imaginable which had been previously prepared by the hostess, and to which, it is needless to say all did ample justice. The afternoon, which was spent in music, both vocal and instrumental, and social conversation passed all too quickly, and after wishing John many happy returns of the day the guests departed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Spangler, Roy, Ethel, Wadel, Ralph and Mattie Spangler, Misses Olga Minford and Clara Copenhagen, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spangler and daughter Stella, of Weeping Water, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Davis and daughters Marie and Leona, Miss Elizabeth Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Wiles and daughter Marguerite, Mr. and Mrs. Art Sullivan and daughters Marie Hazel and Mabel, Edward Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wiles, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spangler and children Everett and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Gobelman and daughters Alice and Clara.

Farewell Party.

The hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Vallery Saturday evening, March 9, was the scene of much merriment as their daughter, Miss Leola, gave a farewell party in honor of her friend, Miss Pearl Lewis, who will depart for her home in Coleridge, Neb., in the near future. The evening was spent in playing various parlor games and other amusements. Some excellent music, both vocal and instrumental, was indulged in, and at the usual hour, light refreshments were served by the hostess. At a late hour all departed for their various homes, announcing Miss Leola a royal entertainer, and bidding Miss Pearl farewell, wishing her well in her new home, and with many regrets that she will be parted from her many friends with whom she won her way as a favorite and loved by all who made her acquaintance. On account of the bad weather but few ventured out. They were as follows: Misses Mae Lewis, Druisilla Thomas of Plattsmouth, Ada Porter, Grace Porter, Grace Grave, Clara Copenhagen, Pearl Lewis, Lela Vallery, Little Marjory Vallery; Messrs Roy Cole, Percy Wheeler, Rex Young, Henry Copenhagen of Syracuse, Neb.; Glen Porter, Arthur Copenhagen, Clint Farris, Willie Seybolt, Gile Rhoden, George Rhoden, Steve Beckner, Glen Vallery, Charlie Lutz of Plattsmouth, Lloyd Lewis, Charlie Vallery, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shrader and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Vallery.

DEATH OF J. F. SCHOMAKER

Pioneer Settler of Cass County Residing Near Nehawka Passed Away Tuesday.

The intelligence of the passing of another of Cass county's prominent citizens and early settlers was received in this city Wednesday, when it was made known that J. Fred Schomaker, residing three miles northwest of Nehawka, had breathed his last shortly before 6 o'clock Tuesday morning. The deceased was one of the best known and highly respected citizens of this community, and the news of his sudden demise was a great shock to the many friends of the family. Mr. Schomaker has been suffering from a disease of the heart for some time, but his condition was not thought to be serious until Tuesday morning when he awoke about 1 o'clock, complaining of a pain in the side, and in a few hours he expired from engima pectoris.

The worthy pioneer who has answered the last call, was born in Holstein, Germany, on the 31st of January, 1849, and located in Cass county near Nehawka in the year 1867. There he has made his home for forty years rearing a family of six children, and acquiring considerable worldly goods. Besides the wife, and children, whose names are Edwin, Katy, Mary, Clara, and another daughter, whose name we could not obtain, three brothers—Henry of Nehawka, Chris of Avoca, and Herman of Brewster, Kan., and two sisters—Mrs. Otto Schacht of Nehawka, and Mrs. Dye of Oklahama, survive him.

With regret the Journal chronicles the demise of one of its faithful patrons, and excellent citizens, and during this sad hour, sympathy is tendered to the bereaved family. The funeral will occur from the late home at 1 o'clock Friday, the services being conducted by a minister from Berlin, Neb. Burial will be made in the German cemetery near Nehawka.

EIGHTY-TWO YEARS OF AGE

Mrs. Caroline Henton Celebrates the Same at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gillispie Last Sunday.

One of the most pleasant events of the season was the celebration of Grandma Henton's eighty-second anniversary at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Gillispie in Mynard, last Sunday, March 10, 1907.

The occasion was one long to be remembered by all present and especially by Mrs. Henton happy to be surrounded for even one day only by so many of her children and grand children. The day was delightfully spent in various ways and at the proper hour they were ushered into the spacious dining room, there to view a long table loaded down with many good things to appease the appetites of all. And when all were seated around the table to partake of the excellent repast, prepared by Mrs. Gillispie, we are safe in saying all did ample justice to viands set before them.

Mrs. Henton is the mother of Mrs. W. F. Gillispie, Mrs. J. H. Adams and Mrs. J. W. Johnson. The merry throng, however, was made up of the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams, Mrs. J. W. Johnson and daughter, Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bridge and daughter of Orient, Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bridge and two sons of Moberly, Missouri, and Mrs. Lou Henton and daughter.

When the parting hour came, it was the hope of the daughters and grandchildren that their dear old mother might live many years yet to enjoy a repetition each year, of this grand event. Mr. and Mrs. Bridge and daughter of Oregon, left yesterday (Monday) for Chicago where they will visit their youngest daughter, who resides in that city. From there they expect to go to Indiana to visit the scenes and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bridge's early childhood. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bridge returned to their home in Missouri the same day, where Mr. Bridge occupies the position of lumber inspector for the Wabash railroad.

The Journal joins Grandma Henton's many friends in the wish that she may live many years to come and that each succeeding anniversary may be celebrated in as happy manner as that on Sunday last. She is a grand, good, old lady and is loved and respected by all who know her.

To remove a cough you must get at the cold which causes the cough. There is nothing so good for this as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. The liquid cold relief that is most quickly effective, that stills and quiets the cough and drives out the cold. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

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It has saved thousands from consumption.
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A 25c. bottle contains 30 doses.
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Don't accept anything else.

Weeping Water

From the Herald.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Meier and Mrs. E. T. Rickard were Omaha visitors Monday.

The infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gilbert was brought here from Omaha for burial Tuesday morning.

C. Christensen and family and David Wiseman departed Tuesday for Ponca, Neb., where they will make their home.

On Wednesday evening, March 6, a very pretty home wedding took place at the home of Wm. York four miles south of town. Mr. Floyd Cole and Miss Alice Sherman were the contracting parties. Rev. I. C. Lemon officiating.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gordon, occurred the wedding of their daughter, Ethel, to Mr. Otto Lau of Eagle, Sunday, March 10, '07, at high noon.

O. E. Chandler loaded his car and shipped their goods Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler leaves this Wednesday for their new home at Overton, Neb. They have the best wishes of a host of friends for their future success, for they have been good citizens of Cass county many years.

What probably was the largest check ever handled in this city, was the one deposited by the government in the First National bank of this city. The deposit was made Monday of this week, the amount being \$50,000.00. It is unusual for banks in cities of this size to get United States deposits. It is a compliment both to the bank and our city.

Mynard

Special Correspondent.
Adam Hill and son, Jacob, went over to Ottomwa, Iowa, Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Hill's sister.

Mrs. Cox and Porter attended the "Fatal Error" at the Parmele, Tuesday evening.

Edgar Barker returned from Western Kansas Saturday where he had been looking at land. He seems to be quite favorably impressed with that part of the country, but thinks he will wait awhile before investing.

Tom Will had a car load of cattle on the South Omaha market, Tuesday.

Jay Young, our rural mail carrier, says the roads are in the worst condition they have been since he has been carrying the mail—three years.

The Mynard grain buyers are thinking about going down to Union to look at a red box car for fear they may forget what one looks like, as it has been so long since they have seen one in Mynard.

FOR SALE—160 acres of land three miles from Murray, Neb. Most of it under cultivation, good pasture and hay land, three-room house, barn, double corn-crib and an all around good farm. Price \$75 per acre if taken at once. Will give possession this year. See J. P. Slater, Coates Block, for further particulars.



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HARNESS REPAIRS
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Boss Harness Man
Get My Prices Before Buying
WAGONS BUGGIES

DR. G. GILMORE
Physician and Surgeon
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