

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.]

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker were in Omaha Tuesday.

Chas. Carrol is building an addition to his farm house this week.

Ben Knowl has been numbered with the sick for the past few days.

Dr. Walker and Chas. Graves, of Union, were in Murray Wednesday.

Mrs. James Hatchett was in Mynard Wednesday to visit with her aunt.

Wm. Nickels and daughter, Miss Etta, were in Plattsmouth Friday.

Misses Ida Boedecker and Leona Sans were Plattsmouth visitors Monday.

Miss Isabella Young was a Plattsmouth visitor on Saturday of last week.

Sam Pittman is building an addition to his farm house south-west of town.

Charley Mutz and family are moving into the Otis McNurlin place this week.

I. M. Davis is laying the foundation for a new barn and corn crib at his farm west of town.

Miss May, of Lincoln, arrived in Murray Wednesday on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Chris. Miller.

Geo. Shields and Jimmie Erhart, of Glenwood are visiting at the home of J. A. Davis this week.

Mrs. Robert Knight, of Malvern, Ia., has been visiting for the past few days at the home of John Wiles.

Miss Amny Ferguson, of Oklahoma, is visiting in Murray this week, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmunds.

Sherman Raney, of Nebraska city, has been in Murray for the past few days visiting at the home of John Wilso.

Mrs. Wm. Rice and two daughters went to Lincoln Wednesday afternoon for a few days visit with Dr. Davis and family.

Mrs. Lee Allison returned home yesterday from an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Tigner, out in Halsey, Oregon.

H. C. Long and daughter, Mrs. Robert Shrader, were in Plattsmouth Tuesday, Mrs. Shrader having some dental work done.

Lee Allison, who was injured some time ago from a fall, and been numbered with the sick for the past few weeks, was in Murray Tuesday.

R. M. Shrader, who has been here for the past two weeks, returned to his home in Furnas county last Saturday.

Mrs. Shrader will return in a few days.

Jimmie Byers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Byers, who fell from a wagon fast week and received a badly fractured limb, is improving very nicely at this time.

Miss Isabella and Roy Young, Errett Thomason and Rex Young all departed Monday of this week for Lincoln, where they will enter the state university for the winter term.

Dr. F. F. Davis and wife, who have been visiting with friends and relatives in Myrtay and close by for the past few days, returned to their home in Lincoln Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gansemer are rejoicing this week over the arrival of a new baby girl at their home Wednesday morning. Both mother and little one are doing nicely and Ed. is the happiest man in this part of the world.

John Murray and family departed for their home in Alva, Okla., last Thursday, after a few weeks pleasant visit with relatives and friends at the old home. They were accompanied by Miss Ada Young who will remain with them a few weeks.

REMEMBER THE MURRAY LECTURE COURSE. There will be five numbers this time instead of four as there was last year. The season tickets will be sold at the same price as last year, giving one more number for the same price. The first entertainment will be the Beilharz's on the 18th of October.

H. M. Young has been rather on the sick list this week, caused from an injury received from a rusty nail being run into his foot a few days ago. This is the third time the old gentleman has been injured in the same manner within the past few months. He is getting along very nicely.

Matthew Lowridge, lately of Cully-backy, Ireland, will arrive in Murray this week for a few days visit with his uncle and family, Wm. Loughridge. Mr. Loughridge has been in this country for the past year, and is now interested in wireless telegraphy business necessitated a trip to Omaha, and he takes advantage to visit a short time with his uncle and family.

Mr. Fate Davis and Miss Nettie Connely were married in Nebraska City last Saturday and returned to Murray Sunday. The new bride and groom are quite well known in this county, where Mr. Davis has been in the stock business for some time in Murray, and where the bride has resided for many years. They will make their home in South Omaha, where Mr. Davis is in the commission business.

Mr. Wm. Jones and wife, of Plattsmouth passed through the town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker took the early train Monday morning for Omaha returning the same day.

The oldest son of Lem Bates of Rock Bluffs fell Sunday upon a stub of a weed in such a manner as to run it through the upper lip causing a large wound.

Miss Lena Young arrived in Murray Wednesday from Campa, South Dakota, near which place her brother resides and she has a claim, and will take up her duties in the Murray schools next Monday.

J. W. Berger, who was hurt a few days ago from falling across an iron beam in the lower part of the elevator pit is improving some, but the injuries received in the side from the fall still cause him considerable pain.

A little bright eyed baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wilcox Wednesday morning and contracted with the good lady and gentleman of the house for a number of years board, in fact just as long as the little stranger wishes to remain under the parental roof. Both mother and little one are doing nicely, and Steve is a great deal more happy than usual.

Mrs. Mira McDonald of Murray, and Mrs. C. W. Banning, of Pleasanton, Neb., were in Plattsmouth last Friday.

Mrs. Banning has been visiting with Cass county friends and relatives for the past few weeks. She reports Charley doing quite well in his new home.

Following were those who attended the circus in Omaha Monday from Murray: C. S. Stone, Wm. Oliver, Jr., Wm. Oliver and wife, C. L. Marks, Mose Powers, H. Beck and wife, C. Herren and wife, M. G. Churchill and wife, Dr. Brendel and wife, Col. Seybolt and wife, P. Keil and wife, Ella and Louisa Virgin, Wm. Smith, Miss Gertrude Long, H. Rice, Dr. Long, J. Baldwin and Wm. Sporer.

Stung By a Bug

L. C. W. Murray, who resides near Mynard, returned from Omaha Wednesday afternoon, where he has been in the Presbyterian hospital for the past week, taking treatment for an injured eye that was the result from the sting of a very small black bug a few days ago. The little insect was certainly very poisonous and its sting quite severe, as Mr. Murray's eye began to swell in a few hours the whole side of his head was badly swollen and could not get relief from the severe pain caused therefrom until he entered the Omaha hospital and received treatment from a specialist.

C. S. STONE
Notary Public

DR. G. H. GILMORE
Physician and Surgeon

Prompt Attention to All Calls

HARNESS REPAIRS

John Cook
Boss Harness Man

Get My Prices Before Buying

WAGONS BUGGIES

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HOLMES & SMITH
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Always carry an up-to-date line of

General Merchandise

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Dr. Hayes Gsantner
DENTIST OF OMAHA

IN MURRAY 1st AND 3d

WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

At the office of

DRS. BRENDELL & BRENDELL

A Pleasant Day.

Mrs. I. M. Davis, of Wellington, Colo., has been visiting with Murray friends and relatives in and near Murray for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis moved from this part of the country some years ago, going to Tekamah, Neb., but recently moved to Colorado, where they are doing quite well, and are pleased. On Labor Day was the first time in many years that the parents and brothers of Mrs. Davis have visited together, at which time they met with the old folks at their home in Plattsmouth, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dill.

The day was a pleasant one and those present were as follows: Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hipes, of Lyons, Neb., Riley Dill, of Tekamah, and Ben Dill and wife, of Murray; also, John Davis, of Murray. They enjoyed the day very much and father Dill made them a present of \$100.00 each.

Nature Confused

Wm. Shrader from near Rapid City, S. D., was visiting friends in Murray last Friday. He came in from Omaha on the noon train. Under his arm he carried something loosely wrapped in an old newspaper.

"Have something here to show you," he said addressing some of his friends as he placed an object about two feet in length and of considerable weight upon the counter.

Each expected a display of some mineral from the Black Hills, but started back in surprise as the object was exposed to view. A model in alabaster whiteness and the perfect form of the torso of Venus of Melos lay partly uncovered with the paper. The beautiful curves and the rounded form were surprisingly human.

"Where did you get this?" was asked in unison.

"Raised it," was the reply.

"Raised it!" all exclaimed.

"Yes, raised it," he repeated. "Raised it in South Dakota," here he replaced the statue upon its truncated limbs.

"Its nothing but a rutabaga grown in the ground," he further explained and at the same time exposing some of the tops for evidence.

An exclamation and gasp of surprise came from the spectators as they viewed this wonderful curiosity, a freak of nature—a vegetable in human form.

Closing Out

I have decided to close out my entire line of day goods, boots and shoes and all furnishings just as soon as possible, and discontinue carrying these lines of goods, and place in a larger line of staple and fancy groceries. In order to do this I will make some of the lowest prices ever, offered in Murray on this line of goods as long as the present stock lasts. Everything will be sold at or even below first cost. Call in and let us prove this to you.

W. H. MCDANIEL.

Matron at Norfolk.

Miss Gussie Robb departed on Tuesday for Norfolk, where she enters upon her duties as matron at the asylum, her father being steward of that institution.

Miss Robb's many friends here regret that she leaves, but are pleased to know that she has a good position and is in every way competent and will make a good record.—Union Ledger.

The New Pure Food and Drug Law.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the national pure food and drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Councilman F. H. Steimker was a business visitor in Omaha this morning.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Murray State Bank

Of Murray, Nebraska, Charter No. 578

Incorporated in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business August 31, 1907.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts \$30,461.26

Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 696.53

Banking house furniture and fixtures 1,040.00

Current expenses and taxes paid 772.26

Cash items 172.00

Due from national, state and private banks and bankers 24,583.04

Total cash on hand 3,842.09

Total \$88,140.81

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in \$5,000.00

Surplus fund 1,283.28

Undivided profits 696.67

Individual deposits subject to check 51,847.33

Time certificates of deposit 8,334.38

Due to state and private banks and bankers 308.78

Total \$88,140.81

STATE OF NEBRASKA, J. Chas. S. Stone, County of Cass, 1888, Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board.

CHAS. S. STONE, Cashier.

FRED L. NUTZMAN, Director.

J. A. POLLARD, Sr., Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of September, 1907. CHAS. L. GRAVES, Notary Public.

Seal My commission expires April 19, 1910.

BIG BALL GAME NEXT SATURDAY

One of the Most Interesting Games of the Season.

It will be remembered that two ball games were played at the ball park on Labor Day, one in the forenoon and one in the afternoon. The one in the forenoon was a contest between the Murray and Cedar Creek teams. The contest proved a very interesting one, and resulted in a victory for Cedar Creek by a score of 6 to 2. The game was one of the best and most interesting that has been played at the park this season, and created considerable comment among those who witnessed same.

Not content with the result of this game, and the Murray boys believing that they can defeat the victorious club of Labor Day, they have concluded to try it over again, and Saturday afternoon, September 14, is the date fixed for the same. The lovers of the game may confidently expect a most interesting game and a large crowd. The game will be called promptly at 2:30 at the ball park in Plattsmouth.

Horse Killed in Runaway

Tuesday evening as Frank Boedecker and his mother were diving home from town with their fine driving team, when near Zach Shrader's one single tree bolt broke and let the single tree down on the horses heels. This frightened the horse and he started to kick, barely missing Frank and his mother. In some way the buggy turned over and the horses breaking loose from the buggy started to run. In trying to turn the corner that leads onto a bridge one horse struck the heavy oak railing, cutting its throat and breaking into its chest, from the effects of which it died in about an hour. It was a very fortunate escape for Frank and his mother, but it occasioned the loss of a horse that was prized by Frank's father.—Nehawka Register.

Wouldn't Let Him Go

Says the Lincoln Journal, "When Julius Deitrich resigned his position as assistant to the superintendent of motive power of the Burlington lines west of the river, it was supposed that he would devote his energy in the future to looking after his personal business. The Burlington, however, was not willing to lose so good a man so he was induced to take back his former position, master mechanic of the Lincoln division. This enables him to remain in the city most of the time while the other position required him to spend much of his time on the road."

New Order to Agents

An order has been issued from headquarters to agents of the Burlington to become effective September 15th making quite a innovation in the handling of baggage. It is calculated to do away with the practice of getting baggage checks over the road without tickets and stop the handling of excess baggage without pay. Each baggage-man is to have scales in his car and will weigh and check over the pieces, attaining C. O. D. checks to the baggage in all cases where it does not come to the requirements. Then if these are not paid by the passenger at the destination, the agent checking at the place of starting will have to pay the deficit. Such agent must also fill a new form of check that will show facts relative to the tickets, number of passengers, etc.

Moving Pictures at the Parmele.

W. J. West of the Lyric at Freemont has arranged to put on moving pictures at the Parmele for the balance of the season. The Lyric has a reputation of showing the finest pictures anywhere in the west and Mr. West promises as good at the Parmele. The most advanced type of machine is being installed today and an 18 foot picture will be produced. Six thousand feet of pictures will be shown each week, with two changes per week—Monday and Thursday—for 20c. More for the money than elsewhere. The price of admission will be 10c only, for any seat in the house.

Watches Stolen.

Stolen from my residence, within the last two weeks, two gold watches and chains, one a lady's and one a gentleman's, both hunting cases. The gentleman's watch bears the initials engraved, H. B. or H. F. B., over the back, while on the inside, Tean to Henry, Dec. 18, 1903. The lady's watch bears the initials, C. A., on the outside. A liberal reward will be given for returning the watches to me, the owner.

HENRY F. BOEN.

AN EXTRA SESSION DEATH OF MRS. W. A. ALEXANDER

Railroad Action May Result in Calling Legislature Together

She Passed Away at the Home of Her Daughter, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Last Evening.

The action of the railroads in applying to and securing from the federal court a restraining order to prevent the railway commission from promulgating new grain rates, was the principal topic of discussion at the state house this morning and a number of conferences of officials were held for the purpose of considering what course could be pursued under the circumstances, says the Lincoln News. Attorney General Thompson and the members of the railway commission held a consultation, while Senator Aldrich called on Governor Sheldon and was engaged in conversation with him for some time.

It was the general opinion among the officials that there was no necessity in securing the restraining order at the present time. The commission would be powerless to put into effect any rate until thirty days notice had been given, and the roads might have applied for the act after such notice had been served.

There is little doubt in the minds of the people at the state house, that Governor Sheldon will call a special session of the legislature should developments, in the opinion warrant such action. If the railroads succeed in tying up the railway commission so that it is powerless to promulgate and enforce orders, those who know the attitude of the governor, say that the legislature will at once be conveyed in extraordinary session. This body cannot be enjoined and can be depended upon to do that which the people are now demanding of the commission and which it is attempting to do.

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Johnson, in this city, Mrs. W. A. Alexander passed away last evening after an illness of three weeks, brought on by a severe cold.

Mrs. Alexander had lived here about twenty-two years and is well known and highly respected by all. Since the loss of her husband, July 5th, 1902, she has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Emma Amelia Freese was born at Harrisburg, Pa., January 20th, 1836, where she lived until 1854, when with her parents moved to Michigan, living there for thirty years. She was united in marriage on Christmas 1859, to W. A. Alexander, and from this union four children were born, all of whom survive the parents. H. J. Alexander, of Chicago, the eldest; P. A. Alexander, of Fresno, California; Mrs. Cora M. Williams, of Houston, Texas, who is now here, having arrived in the city last evening only an hour after her mother had died; and Mrs. Delia E. Johnson, wife of Frank Johnson.

Mrs. Alexander with her husband and children came to Nebraska City in 1884, and moved to Plattsmouth in 1885, where they have since lived. She had been a member of the Methodist church for over fifty years, and was always a faithful worker. The funeral will occur at the residence of her daughter tomorrow at 2:00 p. m., and the service will be conducted by Rev. J. E. Houlgate of the Methodist church.

Avoca

(Special Correspondence)

George Maseman was at Omaha several days this week.

Sheriff Quinton was over from Plattsmouth Tuesday.

H. G. Wellenseik has purchased an automobile.

Chris Stubbendick, who has been clerking in a store at Unadilla, visited Avoca friends the first of the week.

Mrs. J. M. Palmer, of Nehawka spent several days this week with Avoca relatives.

The Avoca schools opened Monday with the following teachers: Eda Marquardt, Fern Rawlston and Julia Nutzman.

T. H. Straub made a business trip to Omaha Monday.

Samuel Johnson now occupies the residence he recently purchased of J. O. Rowland.

On Wednesday, September 4th, occurred the marriage of Dena Nutzman to John Ruge, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. P. Nutzman, south of town. A large number of invited guests were present to witness the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Ruge will reside in Murdock, where the groom is engaged in the general merchandise business.

Clyde Graham will leave next week for Lincoln, where he will attend the state university.

Miss Beckord of Utica, is visiting at the home of L. J. Marquardt.

Mrs. Quinton, east of town, is on the sick list.

August Thiele made a trip to Syracuse Tuesday.

Wm. Knabe and wife were up from Berlin Saturday in their auto.

Gus. Ruge, one of our substantial young farmers, was at Omaha Monday on business.

A. E. Cutter and J. O. Rowland, with their families, left Monday for Bethany, where they will reside in the future.

Orlando Tefft had business at Omaha several days last week.

Prof. John Opp left Saturday for Cordova, where he will teach school the coming year.

Straub Bros. are at Sioux City this week with their fine herd of cattle.

E. Nutzman and wife were Nebraska City visitors last week.

Mrs. Jameson of Arcadia, is visiting at the home of J. M. Dunbar.

Claude and Willie Fahnestock, and Opal Lewton are attending school at Weeping Water.

Mrs. L. J. Marquardt spent several days last week visiting Utica relatives.

OFFICIAL MARKET REPORTS

Prepared Especially for the Readers of the Journal.

The following is today's markets furnished by the Cass County Commission company, A. H. Smith, Coates block:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat	93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/4	94
Sept	93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/4	94
Dec	93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/4	94
May	104	105 1/2	103 1/4	104 1/2
Corn	91 1/2	92 1/2	91 1/4	92 1/4
Sept	91 1/2	92 1/2	91 1/4	92 1/4
Dec	91 1/2	92 1/2	91 1/4	92 1/4
May	91 1/2	92 1/2	91 1/4	92 1/4
Oats	58 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/4	59 1/4
Sept	58 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/4	59 1/4
Dec	58 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/4	59 1/4
May	58 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/4	59 1/4

Or a Davis and wife visited at the home of J. A. Davis Sunday.

J. R. Cathey and son, Cameron, moved back to Weeping Water Monday, where Cameron enters the High school.

Will Renner and wife visited at the home of Chas. Herren Sunday.

Quite a number of this community went to Omaha Monday to take in Barnum & Bailey's show.

Mrs. Otto Puls made a trip to Murray Monday.

Ed. Stinekamp of Manley, was a business visitor in our city Tuesday.

Hay making is now the order of the day as long as the sun shines.

August Engelkemeier, jr., visited at the home of W. H. Puls Sunday.

Weeping Water