

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.]

Business Aid

A checking account will establish a closer relation between you and your business.

We invite you to start a checking account with us. You will find that financial matters will run more smoothly when you have a complete record of your business transaction.

Pay your obligations by check. We solicit both large and small accounts—each receives the same careful attention.

Murray State Bank Murray, Nebraska.

Little Helen Gilmore has been quite sick with grip this week.

W. C. Brown was clerking at N. G. Thomas sale Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Burton is sick this week with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. D. J. Pitman and son Sam have been sick with grip this week.

Mrs. Bert Hansel, daughter of Mr. Miles Standish is on the sick list this week.

Dr. B. F. Brendel was attending to professional business at Omaha Monday.

Chas Furgeson visited with his father near Dunbar Nebr, Saturday, returning Sunday evening.

Mr. A. L. Baker and Mrs. Harmon Beck attended the "Land of Nod" at the Parmeles Monday night.

James Campbell attended the play at the Parmeles this week where he witnessed the "Land of Nod".

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dill are rejoicing over the arrival of a girl at their house, the little lady coming last Wednesday.

Mrs. Claude Everett living seven miles southeast of Murray has been seriously sick with gripe for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Thacker living six miles southeast of Murray are the proud parents of a nine pound girl; arriving Sunday.

H. C. Snavely and family are moving to Murray this week, and will soon become permanent residents of our thriving little village.

The Lloyd-Boedeker sale was well attended and the stuff sold well. The man who has a sale must remember that it pays to advertise.

Chas. S. Stone clerked at the Lloyd and Boedeker sales Monday. He reports a very large crowd, and every thing brought a fairly good price.

Col. Jenkins is the proud owner of one of the latest styles of cameras he received it as a Xmas present, somewhat late, but thankfully received. It is one of the latest and one of the best.

The old brick school house three miles southeast of Murray is being torn down and removed. It is one of the oldest school houses in the state and one of the oldest landmarks in the country. On the erection of a new building, the old building was placed up at auction last week and sold to the highest bidder. Mr. R. R. Nickels.

The Chicago Concert-Trio gave and entertainment at the Presbyterian church Tuesday night under the auspices of the Murray Lecture Association. The approbation of the audience was shown by the hearty cheering and the encores the different performers were given. The next number of the lecture course will be a lecture by Lanham, the date of which will be announced in the Journal.

The Omaha News tells of a couple coming from Chicago to Omaha to get married. The young man was 21 but the girl was only 17. They could not procure license. They went to Council Bluffs where they also failed. Later they went Plattsmouth where they were married. This seemed very peculiar until an investigation proved that they came to Plattsmouth over the Missouri Pacific Railroad which cleared the difference in age with six months to spare.

H. G. Todd, was county seat visitor Wednesday.

For sale—A number of registered shorthorn bulls. H. G. Todd, Murray.

Will Oliver spent Saturday and Sunday in Peru with his sister, Elizabeth.

Mrs. Jos. Burton has been suffering with rheumatism for the past week.

William Rice and family attended the play at Plattsmouth Monday (Land of Nod).

James Loughridge attended the Masobic lodge in Plattsmouth Monday evening.

J. B. Seybolt and John Stones were transacting business at the county seat Tuesday.

Roy Taylor and A. C. Godwin of Plattsmouth, were business callers in Murray Monday.

Mrs. Nick Klaurens is visiting her parents Jacob Gruber and wife, at Nehawka this week.

Albert Queen has moved to the Henry Long farm west of town lately vacated by Wm. Wehrlein.

Ed Slocum and Theo. L. Amick attended the Land of Nod at the Parmeles Theater Monday evening.

Miss Marie Berger, who has been in Lincoln for the past few weeks, returned home Wednesday.

John Murray and family of Plattsmouth, were in Murray a few days this week visiting with relatives.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pitman died in Omaha, and was brought to Union Monday for burial.

Mrs. Roy Boyd of Plattsmouth, has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Guy Burton a few days this week.

Guy Burton, the general manager of the telephone exchange here purchases a new buggy of John Cook this week.

H. L. Oldham has been confined to his home for a few days with the la grippe. We hope to see him out in his usual good health soon.

It has been with considerable difficulty that Ozra Virgin has been moving around for the past few days owing to injuries he received on the ice.

Kelly Rhoden is once more able to be around upon the streets, after his recent severe sick spell. It is expected that he will go to the hospital in the near future for an operation.

Ray Chriswiser returned to Murray Wednesday after an absence of almost two months, at which time he was taken to the hospital in Omaha. He has been visiting with his father in Plattsmouth for the past week.

The Chicago Concert-Trio which appeared at the Presbyterian church Tuesday night, under the management of the Murray Lecture Course, gave universal satisfaction. The program rendered was superb and worthy of the highest commendation.

Henry Sans, who went to Milford, a few days ago to undergo an operation at the Dr. W. K. Loughridge hospital for appendicitis, is getting along nicely the operation being most successfully performed, and his speedy recovery is looked for. This is Dr. Loughridge's first case from Murray, and it is indeed encouraging to learn that the patient is doing so nicely under the doctors care, in which cases he has proven a most successful practitioner.

Notice to Patrons.

Postmaster A. L. Baker, desires to call attention to the practice of some patrons of rural delivery of placing loose coins in their boxes each time they desire to dispatch letters instead of supplying themselves with postage in advance of their needs.

This practice imposes undue hardship on the rural carriers in removing loose coin from boxes and delays them on the service of their routes.

The Postmaster, therefore, urgently requests that patrons of rural delivery provide themselves and keep on hand a supply of stamps consistent with and in advance of their needs. It is also very desirable that rural patrons place in their mail boxes small detachable cups of wood or tin in which to place coins, when necessary, in purchasing supplies of stamps.

Little One Dies.

The little one-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Linville, that died in Furnas county a few days ago, arrived in Murray, with its parents Tuesday, and the funeral was held at Otterbein church Wednesday forenoon, Rev. Brink pastor of the church officiating, interment being made at the Otterbein cemetery.

For Sale.

A number of registered Shorthorn bulls.

H. G. Todd,
Murray, Neb.

Blacksmithing and Horseshoeing.

John Durman has opened up a blacksmithing and repair shop on J. T. Porter farm south of Murray. He makes horseshoeing specialty. He will be pleased to have all parties desiring anything in this line to call and see him.

Notice.

As this is the first of the year, the time that all firms make an effort to collect their outstanding accounts, and in order for all adjustments to be made I hereby make the request that all parties knowing themselves indebted to me to call and settle at the earliest possible moment, as I need the money and need it now to meet my obligations. I thank you for past favors and wish you a prosperous year of 1908.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES LOUGHRIDGE.

H. C. Long was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth Monday.

Mrs. James Root of Lincoln is in Murray this week among friends and relatives at the old home.

C. M. Supernant, who came here from Plattsmouth about three weeks ago to accept the foremanship of this section, has been released and the place filled by Lewis Waggoner, of Springfield, who will move his family here in a few days. Mr. Supernant is moving back to Plattsmouth.

Have you noticed that happy smile playing over the face of our genial friend, W. H. McDaniel, for the past few days and did you ask him what it was about? If not do so now, and he will tell you it is a bouncing baby boy and looks just like his pa. Both mother and little one are doing nicely, and "Bill" still gives you full weights in groceries at the old stand.

It has seen it shadow and we are in it. Yes, the groundhog, not the Dog Eater for it is not afraid of its shadow. Now some people think there is no such a thing as this a ferocious dog-eater but there is. Here is a description as given by bankers and barbers and harnessmakers in Murray. It is about five feet long, two feet high and has a black bushy coat of bristly hair. Has a tail three feet long smooth and hairless except at the top end where there is a bunch of hair resembling a dusting brush. The head is long and pointed, a month set with teeth like knife and from beneath the shaggy foretop a pair of black beady eyes glint with thirsty blood lust. The legs are short and very powerful and terminate in a small hoof similar to that of a horse, but only about three inches in diameter. The dog-eater can be easily tracked in the snow by the shape of the hoof. In the impression of a horse's foot in the snow the imprint of the frog is easily discerned, in the imprint of a dog-eater you will find a toad instead. A slight difference but easily detected by those accustomed to hunting this animal. The curator of the Smithsonian Institute claims that while this animal is rare it is well to science as canis carnivora murrayfakorum.

This May Interest You

No one is immune from kidney trouble, so just remember that Foley's Kidney Cure will stop the irregularities and cure any case of kidney and bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

FOUND A NEEDLE IN HIS ARM

A Severe Pain in the Member Caused Some Uneasiness and Upon Examination the Needle Was Found

Alva Long, residing near Murray, better known as Dr. Long, has of late been having some trouble with one of his arms, complaining of a soreness in it, and at times suffering extreme pain. In order to see if he could not find something which would give relief, he went to Dr. Brendel of Murray and had an examination made of the lame member. After examining the arm for a moment, the seat of the soreness was found, and the physician felt something that appeared like a foreign substance in his arm. It felt like a bit of wire or a pin, and on making an incision, he was able to extricate the offending particle which proved to be a needle with thread in it, just as if some one had been using it for sewing purposes. Mr. Long does not remember when he has received a wound lately, and thinks that the needle and thread has been in his arm for some time, as it was corroded and blackened by long action of the blood.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. Burdock Blood Bitters conquers dyspepsia every time. It drives out impurities, tones the stomach, restores perfect digestion, normal weight and good health.

Murdock

(By G. A. i. e.s.)

PRODUCE MARKETS

Corrected weekly by Martin & Tool, who pay the highest prices for produce and guarantee satisfaction:

Butter	1lb
Eggs	.20c
Hens	.75c
Geese	.25c
Cream	.25c
Cattle	\$2.50 to \$6.00
Hogs	\$3.80

GRAIN MARKETS

Corn	.48c
Wheat	.90c
Oats	.42c

ROCK ISLAND TIME TABLE

Murdock Station.

WEST BOUND	
No. 85, local freight.....	8:30 a. m.
No. 6, mail.....	2:30 p. m.
No. 37, mail.....	5:53 p. m.
No. 6 does not stop for passengers east of Denver.	
EAST BOUND	
No. 94, freight.....	12:30 a. m.
No. 18, Local.....	12:30 p. m.
No. 6, mail.....	3:00 p. m.
No. 86, local freight.....	11:45 p. m.
No. 6 does not stop for passengers west of DesMoines	

About a half dozen ladies and gents from our burg went over to Elmwood Tuesday evening to join the Eastern Star, which is an auxiliary to the Masonic order.

Roy B. Cox informs us that he is now permanently located at Oregon City, Oregon.

Rudolph Rau and family visited relatives in this burg last week.

Mrs. M. W. Moore was called suddenly to Illinois last week on account of the death of her father.

George Leis has again severed connections with the firm of Martin & Tool.

The M. W. A. of this place will give an oyster supper in their hall on Saturday night, February 8th. Celery and cake will be served with the oysters.

Professor DeBolt entertained his brother Sunday.

John Rohrdanz, sr., died very suddenly last Saturday evening while doing chores at his home four miles northwest of town. The interment took place in the German Lutheran cemetery Monday afternoon.

Arch Rager returned Saturday from an extended visit with his son, Dave, who lives near Fort Scott, Kansas.

H. VonLockum and wife, visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. Wolf Sunday.

Paul Schewe and Henry Meierjungen shipped a car load of cattle to South Omaha Monday.

A masquerade dance will be given at the M. W. A. hall on Friday, February 14th. All are invited to attend and are promised a good time.

Last Monday morning, Wm. Gehrtz went down to Julian to set up a gasoline engine, and after starting it, he accidentally got his right hand caught in the machinery, badly crushing all four fingers on his right hand. He returned home Sunday evening and is now laid up for repairs.

Absolutely Pure

From Grapes, the most healthful of fruits, comes the chief ingredient of

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

Costs a little more than the injurious alum or phosphate of lime powders, but with Royal you are sure of pure, healthful food.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tool entertained at whist Saturday evening.

The ice harvest is now on in full blast with ice one foot thick and of good quality.

A. Stachetsky and family have moved from our midst to hunt greener pasture.

The wolf hunt south of town failed to materialize on account of the want of hunters.

On Tuesday evening, the Colonial Saxaphone quartette gave an entertainment at the M. W. A. hall here. They were accompanied by Miss Victoria Lynn, (reader.) They all made a great hit and had a full house. It finished the lecture course for this season, and the Modern Woodmen are to be congratulated and complimented on the financial success which they made of the course. For they sold enough reserved seats the first night to pay them for the full course.

Monday, February 3.