

# 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.]

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## Murray State Bank

Under New Management

### SYSTEM BACK OF YOUR BUSINESS

A small business can no more run without system back of it than a large business.

A checking account puts system into the financial side of your business. It records accurately every item of receipt and expenditure. Pay by check—its systematic way.

We invite you to open a checking account with us. The size of your balance does not influence the amount of our attention—all accounts, large and small, receive the same careful attention.

Murray State Bank  
Murray, Nebraska.

Mrs. Nick Klaurens was a passenger to Omaha Monday.

The Philpot brothers shipped a car of mixed stuff Tuesday to South Omaha.

Mrs. Wes Wolf and her brother, J. Chalfant, were visiting in Murray Saturday.

Chas. Herren has purchased a fine horse of B. W. Livingston up near Mynard.

Mr. and Mrs. Dane Lloyd gave a birthday party Monday evening in honor of Alfred Dean.

Good Todd was in Murray Monday, from near Union, delivering a horse to the horse-buyer.

Mrs. John West and daughter, Mrs. Otto Puls were in from Mt. Pleasant precinct Monday.

Dr. A. E. Walker of Nelawka, passed through here on M. P. Tuesday, on his way to Omaha.

Mr. Simpson for the Shinn Lightening Rod Co., was calling on Pittman and Davis Tuesday.

Arthur, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Amick, is seriously sick with membranous croup.

Mrs. A. Corbat of Elmwood was in Murray Tuesday visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Harmon Beck.

Lee and Geo. Nickles have moved to the Theo. Buck farm, where they will make their home for the summer at least.

Jess Hendricks came in from Plainview Wednesday to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hendricks.

Mrs. F. M. Young, sr., returned from Bethany Tuesday where she has been visiting for the past few days with her daughter, Miss Isabelle, who is attending school there.

Mrs. Henry Wenke of Plainview, well known in this part of the county, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Emanuel hospital in Omaha Monday. Last reports from the hospital was she was out of danger.

Ezra True, the twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. True, was taken to the Emanuel hospital Tuesday, where he was operated upon for appendicitis. The appendix had ruptured and there is grave doubts of his recovery.

Mrs. Frank Cove, who has been seriously sick with pneumonia at Alex. Rhoden's, has passed the critical period and practically out of danger. Miss Kelly, a trained nurse from the Club in Omaha, came down Friday and took charge of the case.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Beck were in Plattsmouth Saturday making the trip behind the fine new span of horses that Harmon purchased a few days ago. They are fine ones and if you do not believe it, take a ride behind them. We know whereof we speak, we had the ride.

One of our best Murray friends Frank Moore took a load of apples to Plattsmouth Tuesday to the market. While in the county seat he found time to pay the Journal office a short call, and leave sufficient money to renew for the three copies of the paper he takes, one of which is his own, another to the father of Mrs. Moore, Mr. Patterson, and the other to his brother, Charlie, at Fruita, Colo. Such patrons as Mr. Moore are prized very highly by the country editor.

Mrs. O. A. Davis was in Plattsmouth last Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Snavley was in Plattsmouth last Saturday.

O. V. Virgin, and wife were in Nelawka Wednesday.

Miss Marie Berger and Geo. were Omaha visitors Monday.

Dr. J. F. Brendel was in Avoca and Lincoln a few days this week.

W. H. Puls and Philip Hild were Plattsmouth visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Guy Burton was visiting with her parents in Plattsmouth over Sunday.

Bennett Chriswiser and wife of Plattsmouth were in Murray Wednesday.

J. T. Brendel was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth Tuesday.

Miss Carrie Allison of Union was in Murray Saturday visiting with home folks.

J. W. Thomson was looking after some business matters in the county seat Monday.

Miss Nellie Keenan of Omaha is in Murray this week visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Holmes.

John Ferris, A. L. Baker and D. L. Adams attended the big stock sale in Weeping Water, Tuesday.

John Cook was a business visitor in Omaha Monday, looking after harness and other supplies in his line.

The farmers are getting a pretty good price for their corn this week—52 cents—and they are delivering it to the market pretty lively to.

Cal. Rhoden, Dee Shrader, Sam Pittman, Glen Boedecker, Wm. Seybolt and Dr. Gilmore took in the big wrestling match in Omaha Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Thomson and little daughter departed Wednesday morning for Bethany, Neb., where they will spend a few days visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. Rouse and Mrs. Bussler.

J. P. Brisben and wife will in the near future leave this part of the world. They will move about the first of April to Saratoga, Neb., near where Mrs. Brisben's father resides to make their home.

Mrs. Fred Kunzman, of Plattsmouth, was in Murray Wednesday, spending the day with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Burton, who has been on the sick list for the past few days suffering with the grippe.

Mrs. Roy Boyd, who has made her home in Murray for the past few weeks and has held the position of operator at the Murray telephone exchange, has resigned and returned to the home of her parents in Plattsmouth.

Mrs. A. L. Baker and daughter Opha, were in Omaha last Saturday to consult the specialist in regard to the growth that has been enlarging in Opha's nose for some time. They were accompanied by Dr. Brendel. It was decided that operation will be performed on the coming Saturday, at which time her tonsils will also be removed.

C. S. Stone, who has been in the bank out at Manley for the past few weeks, was in Murray Saturday, making arrangements for a business trip to Oklahoma and Texas, to which country he started from Omaha Sunday evening. He will spend a few days with Less Hall in Lawton, Oklahoma.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore was in Plattsmouth Wednesday morning.

W. C. Brown was in Villisca last Friday and Saturday.

Misses Annie and Laura Puls were in Plattsmouth Wednesday.

Dr. Gilmore made a professional trip to Union Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Herren were in Plattsmouth visitors last Saturday.

Miss Leona Sams spent Sunday in Murray at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Amick, Arthur, who has been suffering with membranous croup, is much better this week.

Mrs. R. C. Bailey and Nick Klaurens went to Omaha Monday with Dr. Brendel to consult Dr. Allison in regard to medical treatment.

How about that article you are going to write for the Journal expressing your ideas of the many things for the benefit of Murray. Send in your letter now.

Mrs. W. C. Brown returned from Valisca, Iowa, Wednesday evening. She was accompanied by her brother Carol who will spend a few days with her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Oldham went to Plattsmouth Wednesday evening for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Dora Moore, and cousin, Mrs. McConihe of Missouri, who was at their home visiting.

Remember that the big shoe sale at Holmes & Smith's starts on the 21st of this month and lasts just ten days. It will pay you to wait for this sale to purchase your foot wear. Remember the dates and don't fail to attend.

Frank McNurlin and J. H. Norris, from up in the neighborhood of Cedar Creek, were in Murray Wednesday shaking hands with the old friends. Both of the gentlemen are old land marks in this locality, and of course are always welcome.

Don't fail to attend the big shoe sale at Holmes & Smith's, starting on the 21st of March and ending on the 31st. At this sale the original price will surely be lost. See the bills for prices. don't fail to attend this sale if you are going to need shoes in the near future. It will pay you to buy now.

Rev. Lamp of Omaha delivered a very interesting sermon at the Presbyterian church last Sunday, his text being the history of the church from the middle ages down to the present time, "Why are we a Christian?" The musical numbers were excellent and the attendance good.

James Martin, who for the past few years has been M. P. agent at this point, loaded his good and himself and family boarded the train and departed for their new home in Michigan last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Scott, of Paul, Neb., arrived here the same day and will take charge of the company business at this point.

### Fence Posts For Sale

I have about 400 split fence posts and a few crib poles that I wish to sell soon. Wm. Nickles.

### Notice to Pay Up.

This is the season of the year when nearly all business men need money in order to meet their bills. I have considerable money out that should be paid me now. If convenient, please call and settle your account. It will greatly assist me at this time. JOHN COOK.

### A. O. U. W. Meeting

The regular meeting of the Murray Lodge A. O. U. W., No. 365, will be held on Saturday evening, April 7th. Business of importance. All members be present.

J. H. Cook, Financier.

### For Sale.

A number of registered Shorthorn bulis. H. G. TODD, Murray, Neb.

## JUST OPENED!

### A Complete Line of Staple and Fancy Groceries!

At the new store of J. C. Snavley, who will be pleased to have you call and see him any time, whether you need the good or not. We will try to please when you need the Groceries.

Bring in Your Butter and Eggs.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID.

### Moves to Kansas

T. J. Rhoden and family who have some weeks past contemplated moving to Wakeeney, Kansas, loaded their goods here Tuesday and started on their southern trip. The Rhodens are the sort of families that the Journal regrets very much to see them leave old Cass county, as their places are mighty hard to fill. They are without a single doubt one of the best families that ever resided here, and when a man can count "Rad" Rhoden as his friend you can bet he is as the boy says "there for true." The Journal joins with their many friends in wishing them all the happiness and prosperity imaginable in their new home, and if the time should ever come when they tire of the Kansas home, we certainly hope they will return to old Cass.

### Bargains Can Now be Had

Go to W. H. McDaniel's for genuine bargains in boots, shoes, dry goods, and gents' furnishings. Closing these lines out at less than cost. We are going to quit handling this line of goods, and now is the time to buy at almost your own price. Sale is now on.

Col. Seybolt has been on the sick list for the past few days, suffering with gall stones.

### In Honor of Mrs. T. J. Rhoden.

Last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. W. Vallery was a scene of much merriment, when Mrs. Vallery entertained the ladies of the Royal Neighbors of Murray, in honor of Mrs. T. J. Rhoden, who departed for her new home in Wakeeney, Kansas, this week. A two-course luncheon was served, which had been prepared by the hostess who was assisted in serving by Mrs. Wade Porter and the Misses Lela Vallery and Louisa Shepherdson, to which all did ample justice. At a late hour all adjourned to their homes with the verdict that they had spent a very pleasant afternoon, but leaving, every one regretted that they were losing one of the best neighbors of their camp.

### Seed Oats For Sale

Good variety of seed oat for sale. S. O. Cole, Mynard.

### Mrs. Baker Entertained

Mrs. A. L. Baker entertained the Kensington club Thursday afternoon much to the enjoyment of the members present. The room were beautifully decorated in pink and white. At five o'clock a dainty two course luncheon was served. More than half of the members are married and they seem to take a keen delight in torturing their less fortunate sisters with the phrase "My husband." The unhappy batchlor girls asked as in ye olden times for a sign that might deliver them. So in a way of encouragement Mrs. Baker used the old time custom of placing a ring and a button in the cake much to the satisfaction of the girls. Mrs. Davis received the button while Miss Nickles captured the ring which means one more of our number will pass into the realm of bliss. Those present besides the members were Mrs. Brendel, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Smith, Miss Long and Miss Nickels. The guests departed at six o'clock after spending a delightful afternoon and voting Mrs. Baker a royal entertainer.

### Hand Injured by Saw-mill

Jack Lea the saw-mill man at Chas. Schwab's place received a very ugly wound of the right hand Wednesday evening and had a close call for his life. The accident occurred while sawing lumber for Mr. John Hostetter. The job was finished and Mr. Hostetter who was bearing-off let the stick a two-by-four touch the saw which hurled it with terrific force through the air breaking it in two and in dodging the fragments Mr. Lea threw up his hand and received a glancing blow on the back of the hand. The flesh down to the tendons was torn away. Medical aid was called at once and the injured member taken care of.

### He Buys The Horses

Peter Suldsman, the boss horse buyer of Clarinda, Iowa was in Murray a few days this week buying horses, and from the string—eighteen head—that were driven to Plattsmouth Wednesday afternoon, he surely does the business. With the assistance of our excellent liveryman, Don Rhoden, he succeeded in locating some of the finest animals in this locality. Don found the horses, and Pete done the rest, as usual, he pays the price and gets the best. He will be here again in a few days. Pete wants good horses and he knows where to find them.

Amick & Berger shipped a car load of cattle to South Omaha Wednesday evening.

### A BIG SHORT-

### HORN SALE

Benj. B. Dean, of Glenwood, will hold a big sale of Shorthorn cattle at Younkers livery barn on Thursday, March 25, at which time he will offer all his cattle for sale, his entire herd of 26 at public auction. If you are an admirer of this popular breed it will pay you to attend this sale, as Mr. Dean has some fine ones. He will also sell his fine stock farm near Glenwood. Remember the sale will be held at Younker's livery barn in Glenwood.

### The Consequence of Intemperance.

Intemperance is always the cause of some disturbances of the stomach, which are noticed mostly in the morning. If neglected, they grow worse and worse until becoming incurable. We often called the attention of our readers to Triner's American Elixir of Bitter Wine, which is a very valuable remedy in all stomach troubles. It soothes the pain and brings the stomach to its natural activity; it strengthens the whole digestive system, the nerves and the muscles and makes new rich blood. If you are troubled with loss of appetite, indigestion, sleeplessness, dull headache and other difficulties resulting from an improper digestion, you cannot find a better remedy than Triner's American Elixir of Bitter Wine. At drug stores. Jos. Triner, 616-622 So. Ashland ave., Chicago, Ill.

### Plattsmouth Quartet

The Plattsmouth Mixed Quartet will be in Murray on Thursday evening, March 26th, at which time they will give one of their choice entertainments, at the Christian Church, for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society. This excellent musical organization is composed of Messrs. B. A. McElwain and R. W. White, Mrs. J. W. Gamble and Miss Estelle Baird. Make it a point now to attend, they guarantee you an excellent entertainment, and the benefit is for the Ladies Aid. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

### Easter Social

The social that was booked at the U. P. church for last Friday evening, has been postponed until Friday evening, April 17th, and will be given as an Easter chicken pie social. Make it a point now to assist and also attend, and make it a grand success.

Mrs. J. E. Collins of Fremont is visiting in the city, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Crissinger. Mr. Collins is a brother of Mrs. Crissinger.

# Big Shoe Sale!

AT HOLMES & SMITH'S

March 20th to 31st. Ten Days.

WE WILL SELL

\$4 50 Men's shoes at	\$3 50	\$3 00 Boys Shoes	\$2 25
4 00 " " "	3 00	2 50 " " "	1 90
3 50 " " "	2 75	2 25 " " "	1 70
3 00 " " "	2 25	2 00 " " "	1 55
2 75 " " "	2 10	1 75 " " "	1 35
2 50 " " "	1 90	1 50 " " "	1 15
2 25 " " "	1 70	1 25 " " "	1 00
2 00 " " "	1 55	\$3 00 Girls' Shoes	2 25
1 75 " " "	1 45	2 50 " " "	1 90
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1 25 " " "	1 00	2 00 " " "	1 55
\$4 00 Ladies' Shoes	\$3 00	\$1 75 Girls Shoes	\$1 35
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3 50 " " "	2 75	1 25 " " "	1 00
3 25 " " "	2 50	1 35 Children's Shoes	1 10
3 00 " " "	2 30	1 25 " " "	1 00
2 75 " " "	2 10	1 10 " " "	85
2 50 " " "	1 95	1 00 " " "	75
2 15 " " "	1 75	90 " " "	70
2 00 " " "	1 60	80 " " "	65
1 75 " " "	1 40	75 " " "	60
1 50 " " "	1 15	60 " " "	45

We find ourselves overstocked on shoes and wish to reduce stock quick, to make room for our large stock of Spring shoes. And for TEN DAYS ONLY we will give you the great bargains. You cannot afford to miss this sale. It will save you money. Come early and supply yourselves with shoes for the season while they are selling at a sacrifice. The shoes are first-class stock. Time sale at regular price.

Yours for business,

# HOLMES & SMITH,

MURRAY, NEBRASKA.