

# 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.]

## A Check Account renders safety and convenience to the holder

THE man who has a check account at the bank and pays by check is marked as an individual of the more reliable sort. He is looked upon by his fellows as prudent and discreet. He stands higher in the community.

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**Murray State Bank**  
Capital Stock  
\$10,000.00

Stragglers from the state fair ceasing to deom in Monday.

Mrs. James Speck has been quite sick for the past week.

Nema Kiser, who has been very sick, is still improving slowly.

Mrs. Alex Rhoden is confined to her bed with an attack of appendicitis.

Hatfield, of walnut log fame, made a business call in Murray Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Standish left Monday for her school work at the Peru normal.

Mrs. Tyler Shepardson has been numbered with the sick the past week.

Alex Rhoden departed Monday for a business trip through northern Missouri.

Mrs. Leonard Murray, who has been very ill for some time past, is slowly mending.

The Nehawka fair, the Ak-Sar-Ben and the coal bin—one grand round of pleasure.

Tom Smith's son Ralph has been quite ill for the past week, but nothing serious is apprehended.

Mrs. Z. Shradler has been on the sick list the past week, but nothing serious so far is anticipated.

Mrs. Miles Standish has been quite sick for the past two weeks, but is at this writing improving.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Killison, September 10, a 10-pound boy. The mother and little one doing nicely.

Mrs. P. A. Tritsch, who was operated upon last Monday for appendicitis, is reported as being much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lilly are the proud parents of a 10-pound boy, born September 10. Mother and child doing well.

Mrs. Iver Standish and daughter, Gladys, of Almena, Kas., arrived Sunday for a visit with friends and relatives.

We are sorry to hear that our old friend, C. Bengen, has been quite sick the past week, and hope that nothing serious will terminate.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. William Renner, a girl. The little lady put in her appearance last Monday and no doubt was welcomed to her future home.

Miss Elizabeth Oliver, who has been suffering from an attack of appendicitis for the past week, is some better at this writing.

A long-haired evangelist, from somewhere, the Lord only knows where, has been proclaiming a new doctrine of Christ upon the streets of evenings.

Lupha Chriawisser was taken to the Presbyterian hospital at Omaha Sunday, where she was operated upon for appendicitis. From last reports she is getting along very well.

Mrs. Sam Swab met with an accident last Saturday by falling and fracturing her arm at the wrist. While she has suffered considerable pain in consequence, she is doing nicely at the present time.

Miss Pauline Oldham is spending several days in Plattsmouth this week an account of the illness of her

aunt, Mrs. Dora Moore. Mrs. Moore has been quite poorly, but is getting better rapidly.

Timothy seed for sale. H. G. Todd.

Ed. Parriott came up from Peru Monday to meet with the A. O. U. W. boys Wednesday night. Ed. is very popular with everybody in this section, and he always receives a hearty welcome.

The undersigned has about 40 acres of good grass to rent for pasturing horses only. Good running water and plenty of shade. One dollar per month per head.

C. Bengen,  
7 1/2 miles south of Plattsmouth.

F. M. Massie, from Mt. Pleasant precinct, returned from Omaha Saturday night, where he had been to see his daughter, Mrs. P. A. Tritsch, who is at the Wise Memorial hospital. He reports Mrs. Tritsch much improved.

For Sale—A splendid 200-acre farm near Murdock, Neb.; fine 10-room house, fine barns and out-buildings, the very best of land, running water, two towns with three miles. Price \$125 per acre. Call on or address TOM E. PARMELE, Louisville, Neb. 9-1-1m

Mrs. G. H. Gilmore gave a birthday party to her father, Mr. J. A. Walker, on Friday, September 10. The guests consisted of gentlemen near his age. Those present were: Messrs. F. M. Young, William Brown Bee Berger, Avin White, D. J. Pittman, A. M. Holmes, H. L. Oldham, S. L. Latta and Mort Robb. While the crowd's age aggregated 700 years they enjoyed themselves something like boys. Mr. Walker is 71 years old.

Celebrates Eighth Birthday.

Mrs. Nicholas Klaurens gave a birthday party on September 11 in honor of her son Roy, who was 8 years of age on that date, and it is unnecessary to say that the young man and his mother showed the guests a mighty good time. Those present were: Lovell Cook, Clive Cook, Carl Snavelly, Walker Gilmore, George Jenkins, Ralph Holmes, Clara Churchill, Mattie Spangler, Ralph Spangler, Leona Davis, Bessie Copenhaver, George Copenhaver, Ella Hamilton, Louise Lindsay, Kenneth Lindsay, Chester Shradler, Edgar Willard, Goldie Willard, Everett Spangler, Margaret Spangler, Chester Sporer, Lent Klaurens, Roy Klaurens, Grace Long and Jack Long. Dainty refreshments were served and when parting time came all went away wishing Roy many returns of the pleasant event.

For Sale: Good, gentle family horse, good harness and buggy in fair condition, but has been in use some time. Fifty-five dollars will take the whole outfit. Address or call on W. A. Scott, M. P. Agent, Murray, Neb.

Sept. 27 to Oct. 2. Big Majestic range sale and demonstration at Bauers hard, are stoae.

Good Farm for Rent—J. H. Becker, Plattsmouth, Neb.

### Married in Omaha.

This morning's Omaha papers contain the announcement of the issuance of a marriage license at Omaha to Charles S. Stone, aged 28, of Delaware, O., and Miss Carrie M. Allison, aged 28, of Murray. The news of the wedding of these two young people will be received with some surprise in this city, where both are well known and where both have many friends. No particulars are given aside from the mere license.

The groom is a son of James M. Stone and wife of Nehawka, and is a young man of much ability and promise. He was formerly connected with the Murray bank as cashier, and has had considerable business experience. For some time past he has been engaged in business in Oklahoma. He is popular and his worth is greatly esteemed by a host of friends.

The bride is a daughter of the late James Allison, a young woman of refinement and many accomplishments. She is well known all over the eastern end of the county and her winning personality has made her highly esteemed and respected. The congratulations of all their friends is extended to this couple and the best wishes for a long and happy married life go with them.

In addition to the above brief notice of the wedding of these popular Cass county people, it is learned that the ceremony took place at the parlors of the Henshaw hotel in Omaha yesterday at noon. Rev. Jenks of the First Presbyterian church of Omaha officiated, and the only guests were the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, Mrs. Allison, mother of the bride; Mrs. D. C. West, the sister of the groom, and Miss Eva Allison, a sister of the bride, being the witnesses. Immediately following a select wedding breakfast the happy couple departed for Yampa, Colo., where Mr. Stone has taken an interest in and been installed as cashier of a bank. Mr. Stone only recently disposed of his holdings in a flourishing bank in Oklahoma, having signally succeeded in building up a fine business there. That his great good fortune follow him to Colorado is the sincere wish of his host of friends.

### Little Folks Entertained.

Last Sunday afternoon Marjorie Vallery entertained a number of her little girl friends at her home in honor of Marie Lewis of Coleridge, Neb. Most of the girls brought their dolls with them, and the hostess supplied those who did not bring any with her many dolls. Music was furnished by Carrie Thomason and Marjorie Vallery, and readings were given by Clara Copenhaver. Lunch was served at 6 o'clock. Among those present were the following: Marie Lewis, the guest of honor; Carrie Thomason, Effie Smith, Fern McCrey, Esther, Agnes and Fern Lloyd, Fern Lewis, Clara, Myrtle, Virginia and Bessie Copenhaver and Marjorie Vallery.

### Struck Out Part of Papers.

Judge Travis last Saturday afternoon heard the mandamus case of Claude Butler against Fred Patterson, hearing some testimony and taking the matter under advisement. He struck out of the petition the references to the alleged malicious and corrupt action of counsel for Baylor, the plaintiff in the original case, and also struck out some similar references to counsel for the relator in the present case by Patterson's counsel. He also kept the belligerents under control and prevented any displays of personal feeling over the scandalous charges made by both sides. The case is a small one and apparently was not of sufficient importance to warrant so much excitement over.

### The Burwood, Omaha.

The Burwood theatre at Omaha has become the most popular play house in that city. It has been overhauled throughout and is as neat on the inside as any first-class theatre in the land. The manager has discarded the stock company plays and none but first-class, high-grade companies will be admitted. This week "The Brightest Spot of All"—Jefferson De Angells and company of 60 people in "The Beauty Spot," is playing to crowded houses. In your visit to the metropolis this week, don't fail to visit the Burwood and you will have the pleasure of witnessing a specimen of the plays that will be at that first-class play house during the entire season. The Burwood has always been a favorite place of amusement for Plattsmouth people, and now that it has changed

its manner of plays it will become more so than ever.

## MAJESTIC RANGES

The Largest Shipment Ever Received in Cass County.

A great deal of comment was aroused the fore part of the week by the immense pile of ranges which stood on the sidewalk in front of John Bauer & Son's place of business. The people noting the large display did not know that it was the largest shipment of ranges ever received at one time in Cass county, but such it was. There were forty of the great Majestic ranges, a range which is synonymous of the highest type of cooking utensils. The Majestic has been on the market for many years, and it stands at the head of all stoves or ranges. Sold in nearly every country on the globe this great range is particularly a favorite in the United States, and boasts of having been sold in every state and in forty of the states it has been sold in every county. When one stops to think of this last statement, he can see that the Majestic must be a magnificent piece of furniture to merit so widespread a sale and to have maintained a great business for a long period of time.

Bauer & Son make the Majestic a specialty and they have built up a great market in Cass county for it. They sell it everywhere in the county, and know that the car load which they have just received will not last them any length of time. They have tried and found by experience that it is profitable to them as well as to the people using their wares, to handle the best grade of ranges and sell them at fair and reasonable prices. The fact that they have been able to dispose of so many here in this city and in the county gives them proof better than any words of the merit and popularity of their goods. For sixteen years this firm has handled the Majestic. They do not hesitate to put the Majestic up alongside any stove or range manufactured in the country, and know that it towers head and shoulders above all competitors.

In this county there are Majestic ranges which have been in use eighteen and twenty years, and some of them have never had or needed one cent's worth of repairs, a record which challenges the world. One of the reasons why Bauer & Son make this their specialty is that it takes less repairs than any other make on the market. During the sixteen years which this firm has handled this line of ranges, they have had but little over \$100 worth of repairs to all the ranges they and their predecessors have put out in the county. That is a record which speaks more eloquently than words of the merits of the Majestic.

They will be glad to show their line of Majestic ranges to anyone who desires to visit their store and look them over. If they can't make good on their declaration that the Majestic is the best in the market, they don't want to sell them. That they can and will make good on any guarantee they give is certain. The Majestic is the leader. It took the grand prize at the St. Louis world's fair as the greatest and best of ranges and that, too, in competition with the best of American and foreign makes. Bauer & Son sell them in Cass county.

### Well Known in Plattsmouth.

The Central City Nonparel tells this of Pete Taylor, a man known to every traveling man who "makes" the north country and whose long service makes a record: "A. Ibsen, the successor to Pete Taylor as roadmaster on this division of the Burlington, arrived yesterday with his family from Lincoln. Lacking but two months Pete Taylor has put in forty years of service on the Burlington, and he feels that he has earned a rest. He will still have charge of a stretch of track on each side of Central City, but the duties will not be so arduous that he will have to waste much energy in looking after them. Mr. Taylor built the first track on the Burlington this side of the Platte river. He probably holds the record in this part of the state for continuous service on the Burlington." Mr. Taylor was for several years a resident of Plattsmouth, and many of the "old-timers" will remember him.

## 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, 1909.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$51,097.35
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,199.90
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	2,795.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	637.24
Due from national, state and private banks and bankers	7,551.67
Checks and items of exchange	37.37
Currency	2,361.00
Gold coin	120.00
Silver, nickels and cents	537.87-3,056.15
Total	\$66,328.28

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	1,000.00
Undivided profits	1,101.64
Individual deposits subject to check	46,805.65
Demand certificates of deposit	322.98
Time certificates of deposit	6,588.93-54,226.64
Total	\$66,328.28

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss I. W. G. Boedeker, cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State banking board. W. G. BOEDEKER, Cashier.  
Attest: CHAS. C. PARMELE, Director.  
FRED L. NITZMAN, Director.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of September, 1909.  
D. C. West, Notary Public.

### Advance of Pork.

The price of pork has recently advanced to such an extent that even the restaurants have raised the price of a short order pork dinner from 20 cents to 25 cents. Pork chops are retailing for 18 cents. The advance in the price of pork without a corresponding rise in the price of live hogs has been somewhat of a puzzle to many. Valentine Weller believes the advance in the price is due to the simple fact that the larger packing companies have control of the market and happened to take the notion to raise the price. He says that about six months ago pork was selling for from 12 to 13 cents while today it is selling for 18. At the same time he declares that the price of live hogs has not advanced more than 1 cent per pound in this time. He believes that as soon as the Nebraska City packing plant begins operation again this fall the price of pork will be reduced. The Nebraska City plant never operates the whole year through but closes down whenever it has made enough killing to supply its customers for some time. The managers of the Armour cold storage plant in the city, however, say that scarcity itself will account for the rise in the price of pork. They say they are not nearly able at the present time to supply the demand for pork. They also hold that compiled figures and estimates show that the supply of live hogs in the country this year is not over half what it normally should be.—Lincoln Journal.

## Alvo

(Special Correspondence.)

John Keefer of Los Angeles, Cal., is here visiting relatives. Mr. Keefer expects to remain about a month.

Paul Frolch of Lincoln came down Tuesday to visit a few days.

Herman Rogge and Ed. Stroemer drove over from Elmwood Tuesday.

Mr. Hendricks of Elmwood was circulating among acquaintances Tuesday.

Dick Wright of Washington, who formerly lived near Eagle, was in town a few hours Tuesday.

Miss Marie Stroemer, Alfred Stroemer and their cousin, Miss Ehlers, were passengers for the state fair Thursday.

Will Boyles is in town looking after business affairs.

Charles Snavelly, Clyde Newkirk, Harry Vickers and Guy Parsell have gone to the mouth of Salt Creek to fish for suckers.

Miss Alta Linch has been informed that her school at York would be ready for teaching next week. There has been an epidemic of spinal meningitis there this fall which caused the postponement of the school.

Born—On Sunday, September 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Christensen, a daughter.

Among the number of young folks who will attend school at University Place were the following: Misses Grace Foreman, Marie Stroemer, Aletha Rause and Joe Foreman, Veri Linch, Alfred Stroemer and Glen Keefer, who left Monday evening.

The Misses Nita Muller and Grace Bailey will attend school at Elmwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hollenback went to Kansas Monday to visit relatives.

Thomas Stout and William Stewart went to Lincoln Saturday to purchase gasoline engines to be used on their farms.

The state fair was well patronized from this vicinity.

Commissioner Jordan was in Plattsmouth this week on county business.

Dale Boyles has gone to Lincoln to attend the state university.

John Elliott and folks went to Omaha to do trading Tuesday.

John Casey was visiting the families of J. E. and W. E. Casey Thursday of last week.

A. I. Bird and family returned home Thursday from Havelock, where they spent a few days with

Mrs. Bird's sister, Mrs. A. Swale, and attending the fair.

E. D. Friend, Charles Godby and Mort Campbell went to South Dakota to look for land.

Miss Eula Weaver is visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. A. Shaffer, this week. Andrew Trumble and daughter, of Wisconsin, visited his nephews, Will and Ed. Casey, last week.

Judd Weaver of South Bend visited his cousin, Chester Ough, last week. They attended the state fair Thursday.

Ed. Stroemer and family departed for their home in Barneston Friday. Miss Louise Ehlers returned home Monday.

H. S. Ough spent Thursday at the state fair.

Little Elmer Hendrickson was fatally injured by being kicked by a horse Sunday. He lived only a little while. He was 8 years old.

### Farewell Party.

A farewell party was given Misses Catherine Dovey, who shortly departs for school at Girton hall, Ellen Pollock, who goes to Northwestern university, and Kathryn Windham, who will attend the state university at Lincoln. The party was given at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Rea Patterson on North Sixth street, the hostesses being Mesdames Patterson and George H. Falter.

The evening was pleasantly spent in music and social conversation, ice cream and cake being served late in the evening. The affair was in a measure informal and a very pleasant one. Those attending were Misses Hallie Parmele, Emma Falter, Helen Clark, Lucille Gass, Ellen Pollock, Catherine Dovey, Kathryn Windham and Messrs. Jack Patterson, George Dovey, Grosvenor Dovey, Paul Morgan, George H. Falter, Lynn Minor, Fred Mann, Wayne Dickson and Ed. Fricke.

If you are interested in a range or cook stove this fall, see Bauer's. add. It will pay you.

Mrs. William Dull of Murray, accompanied by Mrs. Banker and Mrs. Hanna, who have been her guests, departed this morning for Havelock, where they will visit with Mrs. C. M. Holmes for several days.

## THE SHOP QUESTION

They Will Remain at Plattsmouth Notwithstanding Rumors Otherwise.

Several days since the Journal reprinted an article from the Havelock Times which went into details concerning what that paper believed was in store for that place, and what they hoped would happen to Plattsmouth. It was printed so that our people might see how slender a basis there was for all the talk about shop removal. There will be new shops built in Havelock unquestionably, but they will be in addition to what the company has there without doubt. The local shops will remain until they are completely out of commission and then they will be renewed without question, as the ground and the location is too valuable to be allowed to lie idle or to revert to the original owners.

The people of Lincoln and Havelock are not friendly to Plattsmouth in any way and whenever they can get anything tangible to hang a false hope on they tie to it. Under these circumstances the following from the Lincoln Star, the fairest paper in that city toward Plattsmouth, shows that no idea is entertained of moving the shops here at present away. When the time comes to consider that question it will be taken up in the right way and Plattsmouth will know all about it.

The Star says: "In railroad circles it is claimed that the Plattsmouth car shops will not be moved to Havelock immediately. Thomas Roope, the superintendent of motive power, is out of the city, but his right hand men say that the car shops will stay at the Missouri river town.

"The two million dollar car shops that are going up at the shop city will be used exclusively for engine building and repairing for some time. The railroad officials admit that there is a possibility of the work being transferred at a later date, but they say that it will not be done until the Plattsmouth shops become too old for use. The car shops have been built for many years and it appears only to be a matter of a few years until new buildings will have to be erected if the shops are to be retained. Then it will be time to devise the location, say the men who ought to know.

"The work on the gravity yards west of Lincoln is being completed at rapid rate. About 200 men are working and it is probable that the yards will be completed before the first of next year."