

Murray Department.

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[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.]

Murray State Bank

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Frank Dugay was calling on Union friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Hattie Allison is reported on the sick list this week.

John Hobschiedt, jr., was a Plattsmouth visitor Saturday.

Miss Etta M. Nickel was transacting business in Union Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Sans was visiting her parents at Union Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Rhoden was calling on Plattsmouth merchants Saturday.

Frank Rhoden shipped a car of hogs to the South Omaha market Friday.

Elbert Queen was visiting friends and relatives at Kenosha Sunday.

H. C. Cramer had a car of stock on the Omaha market the first of the week.

R. R. Nickles and family were guests of A. E. Nickels and family Sunday.

G. E. Nickels returned Friday from a visit in the western part of the state.

Steve Copenhaver and family spent Sunday with friends in Plattsmouth.

Charles Wolfe and wife of Union were visiting the latter's parents Sunday.

John Hendricks and wife were attending to business in Plattsmouth Saturday.

Robert Good and wife were attending to business matters in Plattsmouth Friday.

Prof. Asch is visiting friends and looking after business in Plattsmouth this week.

George Lloyd and daughter, Esther, were transacting business in Nebraska City Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Challant spent a few days at Union with his parents, M. H. Shoemaker and wife.

Miss Etta M. Nickels was looking after the Sprilla corset business at Nebraska City Saturday.

Miss Pearl Baylor of Glenwood, Iowa, arrived Saturday for a short visit with Mrs. Frank Rhoden.

John Fitch and wife of Nebraska were visiting the former's parents, R. H. Fitch and wife, at Kenosha Thursday.

Thurman Frans of Brewster is spending a few days visiting E. R. Queen and family and R. H. Fitch and family at Kenosha.

Miss Elizabeth and Isaac Hall entertained a few friends Sunday afternoon with a coasting party. Those present were: Esther Ray, Pearl Dugay, Vera, Margaret and Frances Moore, Gussie Good, Henrietta Creamer and Ray Creamer.

James Tignor was agreeably surprised Tuesday night, when a host of friends and neighbors arrived and proceeded to help James celebrate his 38th birthday anniversary. The surprise was planned and cleverly carried out by Mrs. Frank Rhoden. The evening was pleasantly spent with games and music and a delicious two-course luncheon was served at a late hour. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames Frank Rhoden, E. R. Queen, Henry

Sans, Ed Lewis, Albert Wilson, Steve Copenhaver, Arthur Copenhaver, Herman Reike, Ed Midkiff, L. Slagle, Creed Harris, Harry Tignor and family, Guy Stokes, Pearl Dugay, Etta Nickels, Pearl Baylor, Frank Dugay, John Hobschiedt, Frank Reed, Mrs. L. F. Fitch.

Miss Lillian McQuinn has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. John Durman has been quite sick for the past few days.

Uncle Ivan White has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Mrs. Ed Tutt was in Murray Monday looking over the new home.

Mrs. Addie Stokes was a Plattsmouth visitor Tuesday of this week.

Charles Ratcliffe was visiting with friends in Murray Sunday and Monday.

Will Seybolt made a flying trip to Omaha Wednesday morning after some repairs.

M. H. Davis was looking after some business matters in Iowa a few days this week.

H. G. Todd was looking after some business matters in Nebraska City last Saturday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Beck has been very sick for the past few days.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mrasek has been quite sick for the past few days.

Pauline Oldham and Albert Young attended the Ladies' Minstrels at Plattsmouth Wednesday evening.

Vance Pitman, who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, is gaining strength very rapidly.

Miss Viola Mason of Peru, Neb., is visiting at the home of our genial M. P. agent, W. S. Scott and wife.

The price of admission to the Dickerman entertainment is 25c for general admission and 25c for gent's ticket to the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Tutt, of the new firm of Hiatt & Tutt, have rented the parsonage and will move to Murray this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Pitman are visiting in Corpus Cristi, Texas, this week, and write home that they are having a very pleasant time and are well pleased with the country.

Peter Gobelman of Miller, S. D., who has been here for the past few weeks visiting with relatives and friends, returned to his home Wednesday morning.

While cutting some wood one day this week M. G. McQuinn struck himself in the eye with a stick, inflicting quite an ugly wound over that member, but nothing serious will result.

Miss Sass is a reader of ability; you will enjoy hearing her. The Dickerman entertainers will give you a refined high-class entertainment, not too classical to be entertaining and nothing cheap but the admission. Jenkins' hall, Saturday evening, February 3.

Mrs. James Loughbridge and daughter, Mae, were in Omaha last Thursday to see the doctor in regard to Miss Mae's eye, which we are pleased to note that he pronounced as doing nicely.

Frank Moore was a Peru visitor Wednesday of this week.

Automobile and carriage painting. Frank Gobelman.

James Rainey of Union was looking after some business matters in the county seat Wednesday.

Ernest Baxter of Douglas, Wyo., came in Wednesday for a few days' visit with his mother, brother and family.

William Rainey of Plattsmouth was in Murray Wednesday afternoon, en route home from Union, where he had been attending a sale.

Make arrangements to attend the entertainment and dance to be given by Dickerman's School of Acting Saturday night, February 3.

Miss Menota Perry went to Plattsmouth Wednesday evening to attend the minstrel at the Parmele. She was a guest at the home of Miss Fannie Will.

Albert Young celebrated his thirtieth birthday last week in a rather unique manner, and one that he claims is all his own. He also says there will always be a mystery in his mind as to whether he slipped or was he pushed. At any rate he very suddenly found himself in the cold and icy pond in water almost to his shoulders, this being the finishing touches of a day's ice packing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edmunds went to Omaha Tuesday to see their daughter, Mrs. A. G. Long, who is in the hospital, where she underwent another surgical operation Monday. This is the second time Mrs. Long has been in the hospital within the past year for the same purpose, and while she has been improving in health, another slight operation was deemed necessary and she is improving nicely at this time.

G. M. Minford and Alex Rhoden were in Omaha Wednesday morning, having shipped some stock up the night before. They wanted to be on the market with them Wednesday morning. Alex was a little late to catch the train, and in his run for the same he fell upon the siding near the depot with such force as to severely cut and bruise his hands upon the frozen cinders. He went on to Omaha, where his injuries were dressed and cared for, returning home at 10 o'clock. There were numerous very ugly gashes cut in his hands, which no doubt will prove quite painful for some time.

Mr. Dickerman.
Whose pupils will give an entertainment at Jenkins' hall on Saturday evening, February 3rd.

Mr. Dickerman's school is fast becoming one of the foremost in public speaking in the middle west. Those who study with him find the real interpretations of literary.

A Day of Pleasure.
One of the most pleasant events of the new year was the surprise given Mr. and Mrs. Torrence Fleming on Wednesday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Fleming will soon leave for their new home down near Weeping Water, and the meeting of a number of their friends was to show their appreciation of the five years' sojourn with them. The event was planned and carried to a successful end by Mrs. A. L. Baker and Mrs. Charles Mutz. A number of conveyances were obtained and the crowd from town, with well filled baskets, left for the Fleming home about 11 o'clock. Guests to a large number came from the surrounding country. It proved an afternoon long to be remembered, and the only cloud to mar the pleasure of the day was the thought that we must lose Mr. and Mrs. Fleming from our midst. Following were the invited guests: Messrs. and Mesdames H. C. Long, Chas. Creamer, Alva Long, I. M. Davis, Chas. Spangler O. V. Virgin, W. B. Virgin, Homer Schrader, Earl Jenkins, Glen Boedecker, James Brown, M. G. Churchill, Mrs. Mira McDonald, Grace Chambers, Lucile Young, Lizzie Greig, Messrs. and Mesdames B. F. Brendel, J. W. Berger, Chas. Carroll, G. M. Minford, William Sporer, Lloyd Gapen, Harmon Beck, John Faris, Nick Friedrich, Elmer Boedecker, Steve Copenhaver, William Rice, Charles Freeze, Walt Valtery, John Thomasen and Will Seybolt.

Returns to the Hospital.
Mrs. Dave Lloyd was taken to the hospital again Wednesday morning of this week. She was accompanied by Dr. B. F. Brendel and her son, Bert. Mrs. Lloyd returned home from the hospital a few weeks ago, and she seemed to be improving quite rapidly until a few days ago, when she grew a great deal worse, and it was deemed necessary to return her to the hospital. She has been suffering with tuberculosis of the bone in the limb.

Returns From Coast.
Mrs. Peter F. Goos, who has been spending three months at Spokane, Wash., and Missoula, Mont., the former place with her parents and the latter with her daughter, Mrs. August Mumm, has returned home. Mrs. Goos enjoyed her visit very much, having had a splendid time during the three months.

Murray Dancing Club.
The Murray Dancing club will give another dance in the Jenkins' hall in Murray on Saturday evening, February 10. The music will be furnished by the popular Jacobs' orchestra of Omaha. You know there is a good time in store for you, so do not make any other date.

Oil Your Harness.
For the next few weeks we are making harness oiling a specialty, and during which time we have placed the price at \$1.00. This price prevails for the next few weeks only. Bring in your harness now.
August Gorder, Plattsmouth.

Attorney Britt returned to Omaha on the afternoon train today, he having been in the court here looking after the defense of John Doud, charged with safe-blowing. Mr. Britt is an able lawyer and made an eloquent plea for his client, but the circumstantial evidence against Doud was too strong to be overcome.

TWO FINE YOUNG MEN EMBARK IN BUSINESS

L. D. Hiatt and Ed S. Tutt Purchase Stock of Goods and Store at Murray.

The deal was completed last week whereby L. D. Hiatt and Ed S. Tutt become the owners of the late Holmes & Smith stock of general merchandise at Murray. We say the late Holmes & Smith store for the simple reason that it may be better known as such, although it has had several owners since that firm sold out last spring, the last of whom was Mr. H. M. Davis.

The store has enjoyed a good patronage under the management of both Mr. Hiatt and Mr. Davis, but it has been the opinion of many people around Murray that the stock had slipped into the hands of exclusive traders, none of whom came to Murray with the intention of staying only long enough to dispose of it to an advantage and a profit. As to this being true we have never known, but we do know that the people who have had this in their mind can rest assured that the present owners, Messrs. Hiatt and Tutt, are going to Murray to remain. It is their intention of making Murray their home, building up a general merchandise business that will prove both interesting and profitable to them, by treating the people fair in every particular, and extending every possible courtesy due in the transacting of business on complete modern principles. Mr. and Mrs. Tutt expect to become residents of Murray this week, if their present plans prove successful in securing a residence property.

The Journal people have known Messrs. Hiatt and Tutt for the past ten years, and have found them to be first-class young men in every particular. They were born in Cass county and their parents have been residents of this section for more than fifty years. If there is a single man in the county that can truthfully speak ill of either generation of the Tutts and Hiatts, we have failed to see him. Mr. Tutt, sr., was one of the pioneer merchants of Plattsmouth, being associated with Captain Bennett for a great many years, and Ed put in many years in business with him.

We believe they will be successful from the start, for we are sufficiently well acquainted with the people of Murray to know that they love men of fairness. We have no hesitancy in bespeaking for them a liberal share of the patronage upon this basis, and believe that in future years their present venture will prove a grand success.

Lewiston Church Fund Report.
The following is a correct statement of money received and expended on the Lewiston church fund. Those who have contributed to the fund are:

G. W. Shrader	.....	.50
Robt. Shrader & Son	.....	.25
Chas. Cramer	.....	.25
Henry Creamer	.....	1.00
Chas. Sands	.....	1.00
Mrs. Joe Sans	.....	.25
Mrs. Joe Hathaway	.....	.50
Mrs. Chas. Swab	.....	.50
Walter Sans	.....	.50
T. J. Barrows	.....	.50
Frank Campbell	.....	.50
Mrs. Hattie Allison	.....	1.00
Total	.....	\$6.75

Money paid out:

Repairing organ	.....	\$3.00
Repairs for stove	.....	1.45
Camphor Gum	.....	.40
Total	.....	\$4.85

Balance in cash.....\$2.20

We wish to state to those who are interested and have not contributed that we will be glad to accept any amount, as there are a great many windows to repair as soon as the weather will permit. We wish to thank those who have responded promptly and also the committee which was so kind in assisting in cleaning the church and putting up the stove.
Etta M. Nickels.

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300 split bur oak posts, carriage and buggy. See Lloyd Gapen, administrator of F. M. Young estate, 1-25-4twkly

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DICKERMAN SCHOOL OF ACTING OF OMAHA

in Vaudeville Entertainment.

Jenkins' Hall, Murray, Nebraska, February 3, 1912.

"Who Was Dreaming?"
(A One-Act Farce)
Scene—Drawing room in home of Mr. Peter Armitage.
Mr. Armitage.....Lester Anderson
Lieut. Hastings, U. S. A.....
..... Dick B. Bruun
Mrs. Armitage.....Hazel Lucas
Jenny Armitage.....Dora Sass
Vocal Solo with Cello Obligato
"A Perfect Day".....Bonnie
Mr. Edw. J. Doran.

A few minutes with James Whitcomb Riley—the poem we all know and love:
"An Old Sweetheart of Mine"
Miss Dora Sass.

Lucas & Bruun
in
"They Missed the Train."
(A Time Table Tickler)

"The Ship of Faith"
(Some Black Face Comedy)
Mr. Lester Anderson.

Vocal Solo.
"Absent".....Metcalf
Miss Hazelle Lucas.

The Bruun-Anderson-Doran Company
Those B-A-D Boys, in
"Pals"
(A Tuneful Melange)
(Book, Lyrics and Music by Dick B. Bruun.)

Dick—A Southerner Working in a Northern City.....
..... Mr. Bruun
Ed—His Pal, Resident of This City..... Mr. Doran
Henry—Dick's Servant From the Old Home..... Mr. Anderson
During the act Mr. Bruun's own songs will be introduced as follows:

"A Letter From Mother".....
..... Mr. Bruun
"I Wonder"..... Mr. Anderson
"Old Pals of Mine" (duet).....
..... Messrs. Bruun and Doran
"When I Telephone to Mame"
..... Mr. Doran
There will be a social dance after the program.

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