

-Murray Department-

PREPARED IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE OF MURRAY AND SURROUNDING 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.)

Home Bank—Owned by Home People

Murray State Bank

MURRAY, NEBRASKA

Capital \$10,000 Surplus \$5,000

CHAS. C. PARMELE, President

F. L. NUTZMAN, Vice-President

W. G. BOEDEKER, Cashier

We have every arrangement possible for the convenience of our patrons.

We write drafts and can save you money when desiring to remit away.

Consult us freely on any financial business. Our experience may be of some benefit to you.

Depositors in this bank are protected under the State Guarantee Law.

Mrs. Ben Dill is on the sick list. Aunt Sarah Young is quite poorly at present.

The Hamilton children are on the sick list with colds.

E. R. Queen was a Plattsmouth visitor Friday afternoon.

Mrs. S. L. Rhoden visited Mrs. Ed Midealf at Berlin Friday.

Mr. Edmunds was confined to the house a few days this week.

Henry Heebner attended the auto show in Omaha Tuesday.

Edgar Barker, living west of Mynard, has a very sick baby.

A great difficulty settled at the hall March 1. Come and see how.

J. D. Lewis and sons were calling on Union merchants Tuesday.

George Nickels, who has been quite sick, is able to be out again.

B. F. Brendel entertained Miss Florence Waugh at dinner Thursday.

James Loughridge and Henry Rice attended the auto show Wednesday.

Mrs. W. S. Smith came home from a month's stay at Ong Tuesday.

White Holland turkeys for sale. Mrs. W. E. Moore, Murray, Neb. Phone 3-P. 2-27-twks-wkly

Robert Shrader and wife were looking after business in Lincoln Monday.

H. C. Creamer shipped a car of cattle to the South Omaha market Tuesday.

Bring your family and enjoy the play at Jenkins' hall, Saturday, March 4.

Ed Midealf of Berlin was visiting friends in this vicinity last week for a few days.

The little son of Rev. and Mrs. Ross Williams is numbered with the sick this week.

Miss Florence Waugh conducted a story telling period at the school Thursday morning.

The meeting of the library association will be held on Wednesday evening, March 5.

Be sure to be at Jenkins' hall Saturday night, March 4, and see "Next Door." 25c and 15c.

Mrs. Frank Rhoden, who has been visiting Mont and George Shrader, came home Tuesday.

Take your best girl a sleigh ride Saturday night and bring her to the play. Only 2' cents.

Malvern, the little son of Charlie Reed, is quite sick, being threatened with pneumonia.

A. L. Becker, who had a serious accident with his auto last week, is reported to be up and around again.

Albert Wilson left for Oregon Tuesday, where he will make his future home. Mrs. Wilson will go later.

The little 4-year-old son of Sherman Glasman fell into a pan of scalding water Tuesday evening and was severely burned. It is in a very dangerous condition.

Gerald Williams has been very low the past week with pneumonia, but is some better at this writing. Mr. Williams did not return to school this week.

Cornelius Richard, son of Cornelius Bengen, jr., died last Thursday morning after five days' illness. The closing of the an-tenor fontanelle, or soft spot, was the cause of death. He was 7 weeks old.

The Lewiston Glee club met with Mr. and Mrs. L. McVey Tuesday night. The trip was made by the crowd in bob-sleds. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by those present.

Mrs. M. B. Allison stopped a few minutes with friends here on her way from Union, where she had visited her brother, Abe Becker, who was hurt in an auto accident last week.

The Lewiston Glee club has set the date for March 15, at Jenkins' hall to stage the home talent play entitled "Uncle Josh, From Vermont." The proceeds will be used for the Lewiston cemetery and other charitable purposes, as seem advisable by the club.

DENTAL WORK.

Dr. Thomsen, Dentist, of Plattsmouth, will be in Murray on Thursday's, Nebraska on Friday's, and Union on Saturday's of each week, where he will be pleased to meet all parties desiring dental work done.

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 February 15, 1913.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$65,194 22
Overdrafts	238 80
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	2,800 00
Current expenses, taxes and interest paid	4,538 11
Due from national and state banks	\$13,628 04
Currency	1,849 00
Gold coin	65 00
Silver, nickels and cents	347 74-16,400 68
Total	\$87,421 87

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$10,000 00
Surplus fund	5,000 00
Undivided profits	6,301 43
Individual deposits subject to check	\$48,141 08
Demand certificates of deposit	406 20
Time certificates of deposit	15,668 28
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,161 27-48,456 83
Depositors' guaranty fund	570 61
Total	\$87,421 87

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.

CHAS. C. PARMELE, Director.

Witness: FRED L. NUTZMAN, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February, 1913. VIRNA HATT, Notary Public.

My commission expires July 25th, 1917.

Beautiful Holiday Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker, just south of town was the scene of a unique Washington birthday party, given by Mrs. G. H. Gilmore and Miss Margie Walker, and in which a score of lady friends partook. Each lady appeared in an old colonial gown—bescu, corsage, pannier and powdered hair was a picture of revolutionary times. The guests assembled promptly at 1:30 and a three-course luncheon was served. After refreshments an hour of amusements common in the time of Washington were in-

cluded in. The Virginia reel was danced and the artists drew crayon pictures of Washington. Those good in riddles tried their hand at "auto race." A medley composed of sixteen old tunes our grandparents knew was played upon the piano, and a guessing contest followed. Mrs. G. W. Boedeker recognized fourteen of the sixteen, from "Auld Lang Syne" down to "Pop Goes the Weasel." In "hanging the Britisher," a large crayon picture of a tree, with a hangman's noose suspended from one of its bare limbs, was fastened to the wall. The contestant was given a paper English soldier, and while blindfolded tried to place his neck as near to the rope as possible. In a contest on all games Mrs. Lloyd Gopen carried off the honors. When the colonial ladies were about to depart they were invited to attend a "Boston tea party," in which tea, cakes and candy were served. The tea party was under the able guidance of Miss Ogla Minford. Those present were: Mesdames Lloyd Gopen, G. M. Minford, C. D. Spangler, William Hamilton, M. Fredrich, John Farris, H. G. Todd, J. M. Holmes, G. W. Boedeker, D. C. Rhoden, Joe Cook, Jeff Brendel, Arthur Baker, Misses Ida Boedeker, Gertrude Long, Cleo Applegate, Elizabeth Baird, Ogla Minford, Hannah Hansen and Lydia Todd.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our most heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends who aided us in the sickness and death of our baby and for the beautiful floral tributes. May the same kindly treatment be shown them as was given us. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Boedeker.

Boy Scouts Organize.

The solution of the Mexican trouble has about been solved in Murray through the organization of the "Boy Scouts." Dale Dooley was elected president, Walker Gilmore, vice president; Ralph Holmes, secretary, and Everett Spangler, treasurer. Their first expedition will be into the wilds of East Rock Bluffs precinct, which they will explore carefully, making accurate notes upon the flora, fauna and big game in the region. It may not lay Roosevelt's African trip in the shade, but it's the stuff for the boys.

Women Suffrage in Nebraska.

Colorado and Kansas have adopted equal franchise and the Missouri legislature voted to submit the question to the voters next fall. Nebraska will soon join the ranks. She has never been behind very long on the questions of importance and most generally settle them right.

Not many object to women voting, but a few put up such excuses as these: "If the women want the ballot, let the women say so by voting." That is the question of the day all right; but we are not so selfish as to want an election all to ourselves.

But to be serious, I personally know of a number of men of this precinct who did not vote last fall and it was a presidential year and their reason for not voting was that they were not interested enough to make the effort. But would that justify the depriving of other men of the precinct of their vote? Just so with the women. Not for a moment do I think but what the majority, and a big majority of the Nebraska

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Prepare for Your Spring Work Now!

YOUR plows need sharpening, and other machinery may need repairing. Line them up now and bring them in, and let me put them in good condition for you by the time the Spring rush arrives. You will be busy then and so will I.

COME IN NOW!

Walter Green,

Blacksmithing and Horseshoeing
Murray, Nebraska

Hiatt & Tutt's Giant Candle

HOW LONG WILL IT BURN?

The Giant Candle is 32 Inches High, 2 Inches in Diameter, Weighs 2 lbs



With every 25c purchase at our store you get one estimate. You get another guess with every additional 25c purchase, so you have many opportunities of guessing right. Nobody knows before hand how long the giant candle will burn. Your guess may win. Come in and try it now, and be one of the first to register your estimate.

Here is a Chance for You to Get a Handsome Present

To the Married Lady making the nearest guess to how long the candle will burn will be given the

Handsome Eighty Piece Dinner Set

To the Young Lady making the nearest guess will be given

A Handsome Manicure Set

To the Little Girl making the nearest guess

A Fine Rubber Tired Doll Buggy

To the Little Boy making the nearest guess

A Dandy Red Wagon

To the Man making the nearest guess a New Hat

Free Tickets to all School Children

To all school children in town and country who visit our store on Saturday, April 12th, we will give one estimate ticket free.

Come in and get a ticket, take it home and fill it out and bring it back to our store any time during the contest and place it in the ballot box.

Contest Starts Feb. 22d and Closes May 1st

Candle will be Lighted May 2d

See the Big Candle in our window, and guess how long it will burn

Hiatt & Tutt, Murray, Neb.

William Rice was a Plattsmouth visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Avin White have been on the sick list this week.

There is now a new station between Murray and Union—Todd's Switch.

Leroy Rice, who has been suffering from pneumonia, is much better, but not out of danger.

Miss Cleo Applegate of Plattsmouth spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Margie Walker.

Bert Cluff of Winatton, Neb., was an over-night visitor of Alex Young, coming down to attend the auto show at Omaha.

Charles Reeves of East Rock Bluffs precinct returned this week from southern Missouri, where he had spent a month with his parents.

Obe Ashlock, from Liberty precinct, has moved to East Rock Bluffs, where he will be in the employ of Mark White for the coming year.

Quite a number of witnesses were summoned from Murray and vicinity to attend the trial regarding the equity of the Mrs. Chris Miller land.

Dave Amick, who now lives four miles northwest of town on his farm, was taken suddenly sick Saturday night. At present he is but slightly improved.

William Seybolt, S. O. Pitman and James Loughridge attended the Masonic lodge Tuesday night at Plattsmouth, where Will is learning the mysteries of the lodge.

The combination sale at the livery barn last Saturday was a complete success, under the management of Rex Young, who acted as auctioneer, and in this capacity he won the title of "Colonel," a title given only to veteran salecriers.

Late Tuesday night an automobile with bright burning lights was seen ploughing through the deep drifts on the Scenic road east of Murray. It has been learned since that Markle of Nebraska City in one of his Fords was clearing the highways of troublesome snowdrifts.

REX YOUNG, Auctioneer, Murray, Neb. Public Sales a specialty, and care taken to get the high dollar for your goods and stock. Your business solicited. Telephone 5-N.

Miss Waugh of Lincoln spoke to a company of over twenty at the library rooms Thursday afternoon. Her subject was the benefit derived in this community from the library. She gave us so much encouragement that we all felt like we had a new set of batteries. Miss Waugh is a pleasant and easy talker and her address was very interesting. The refreshments that were served netted the association \$3.75.

Mark White will erect a new barn in the near future.

R. Minford shipped hogs to South Omaha Wednesday.

W. W. Hamilton was a business visitor in Omaha Tuesday.

Charles Spangler shipped hogs to South Omaha Wednesday.

Tom Isner was looking after business in Murray Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rawls were guests of James Holmes and wife Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark White were calling on Murray merchants Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Brendel entertained Newton Gaines during his stay in the village last week.

The Study club has adopted the Bayview course and will likely go by the name of the Bayview club hereafter. A very interesting meeting was held Tuesday afternoon.

A market will be conducted in the library on Saturday afternoon. Pie, cake, cookies, home-made bread and all the things that go to make a good Sunday dinner will be found there at a very reasonable price.

Newton Gaines spoke to a large crowd at the Presbyterian church Saturday evening. A goodly portion of the audience were young people who heartily enjoyed the lecture. As a general rule young people steer clear of a lecture, but not so with Newton Gaines. The Lyceum Course has been very well attended this year.

COME TO THE PLAY AT JENKINS' HALL SATURDAY NIGHT, MARCH 4. IT WILL DO YOU GOOD TO FORGET YOURSELF. ADMISSION, 25 AND 15 CENTS.

The following item will be of interest to many readers of this vicinity: The unsettled conditions of Mexico made it necessary for Rev. and Mrs. Melonger and children, Mrs. Melonger, Mrs. Grace McDonald Melonger, daughter of Mrs. Mira McDonald, to cross over into the United States to Corpus Cristi. It has always been the fear here that they would stay too long and this they nearly did, and the train they were on was planned by the rebels to be wrecked, but a freight pulled out ahead and met the fate that was intended for the passenger. The passenger pulled in behind the freight, but as soon as they discovered what had happened they abandoned their train and crossed the river by skiff, and reached a railway station some eight miles away, and reached Corpus Cristi in safety. The experience was everything but pleasant, with two small children, and their many friends will be glad to know that they are in safety. Nearly all railroad connections are cut off in Mexico and a number of missionaries and other Americans are forced to remain where they are.