

-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.)

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.

Miss Pearl Dugay spent Sunday with home folks.

Helen Perry has been quite sick for the past week.

Lee Nickels was transacting business in Plattsmouth Thursday.

Miss Esther Ray spent Sunday with Miss Vera Hatchell in Murray.

Miss Etta Nickels was visiting with Plattsmouth friends Wednesday afternoon.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ruby, a nine-pound baby girl, on Thursday, March 13.

Misses Hattie and Lottie Hoback of Union attended the play at Murray last Saturday evening.

Ralph Godwin of Omaha spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Godwin, last week.

Mrs. F. L. Rhoden and Miss Maggie O'Brien were visiting with friends in Nehawka this week.

Mrs. Schwab suffered a stroke of paralysis last Saturday afternoon, from which she is improving slowly.

The child of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Byers, who has been suffering with pneumonia for the past week, is improving slowly.

James Chalfant, who has been visiting with his daughter, Mrs. John Hendricks, departed Wednesday for his home in Burwell, Neb.

Ted Barrows and family have moved to their new home on the old Richter farm, which Mr. Barrows purchased a few weeks ago.

The Study club will meet Tuesday afternoon. The study will be on "Our Own Country and South America." Visitors invited. Members desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chalfant entertained a number of friends last Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Chalfant's parents, who will soon leave for Lusk, Wyoming, where they will spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyman are expected home this week from their sojourn in Florida. Mr. Lyman is a government surveyor and as soon as the snow is out of the mountains he and his men will begin their summer's work in that locality.

Mrs. J. A. Walker returned home last Saturday from the winter's sojourn in Tennessee and Kentucky. She had an excellent visit among relatives and friends and the trip has greatly improved her health; in fact she says she is feeling stronger than she has for years.

DENTAL WORK.

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

James Holmes was a county seat visitor Wednesday.

A set of encyclopaedia has been added to the shelves of the library this week.

Mrs. W. E. Dull spent a number of days with her brother in Omaha last week.

Charles Carroll and Joseph Burton were visiting with county seat friends Wednesday of this week.

Remember the market at the library Saturday afternoon. Come in and get what you want for your Sunday dinner.

Services have begun at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Pollock of Omaha is conducting the meetings this week.

W. S. Smith was home to spend Sunday. He reports business on the road pretty good. He departed Monday morning for the east.

Serl Davis and mother, from Lincoln, were guests at the Minford home this week. Mrs. Davis and Mr. Minford are brother and sister.

Mrs. I. S. White has donated three volumes on bible study to the library, which will be found very helpful and the Library association appreciates the gift.

Mrs. Lloyd Gape and Mrs. W. B. Virgin will entertain the Ladies' Aid society Wednesday afternoon, March 26, at the home of Mrs. Gape. All members are urged to be present.

Robert Nickels, who has been in Savannah, Missouri, for the past two weeks, where he had a cancer removed from his lip a few days ago, is getting along nicely and is expected home the last of the week. He writes that the drugs administered in the removal of the cancer were very painful, but the cure will be complete and permanent, which will be good news to his many friends.

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

While in Plattsmouth today our excellent friend, D. A. Young, from near Murray, called at the Journal office and ordered a copy of the paper sent to J. E. Clough at Winnefong, Neb., for one year.

The little 18-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Creamer placed its hand on the hot stove Tuesday of this week and was quite badly burned. The little fellow has suffered a great deal with the injury.

Little Lourine Chambers, who has been very sick with pneumonia for the past week, is some better. The fever broke Tuesday, and while the little patient is very weak, the doctor and nurse both say she is improving. The little lady's many friends have been very anxious about her.

John Van Horn came very near meeting with a serious accident this week while working at the saw mill operated by Lloyd Brothers on the Wiley place. A piece of the timber was caught in the saw by some means and struck Mr. Van Horn, quite badly cutting and bruising him. He had a very narrow escape from instant death, but will be out in a few days.

The Library association will meet Wednesday evening at 8:15. After the business session there will be an interesting debate on "Woman Suffrage." Mrs. O. A. Davis and W. L. Hamilton, affirmative, and Pauline Oldham and O. A. Davis, the negative. The men of the organization will serve refreshments. Those interested in the success of the library are invited.

Grant Mann and Gus Lamb, from Moorehead, Iowa, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fount a few days this week. Mr. Mann is a brother of Mrs. Young. They returned home today taking the Burlington train at Plattsmouth. Mr. Young accompanied them to Plattsmouth where he spent a few hours with friends. This was Mr. Young's first visit to the county seat for several weeks, having been sick a greater part of the winter.

Enoch Mooreland, residing over east of Murray, was the recipient of a very sad message this week from Anita, Iowa, announcing the death of his brother's oldest daughter. The little girl was about 6 years of age, and the death will be a great shock to her parents. Mr. Mooreland's brother, W. M. Mooreland, was visiting here last August, and will be remembered by many of the neighboring friends of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Mooreland.

The Missionary society met with Mrs. Holmes last Friday. Among other business transacted an election of officers was held, and the following officers were selected for the coming term: Mrs. D. C. Rhoden, president; Mrs. W. G. Boedecker, vice president; Mrs. W. S. Smith, secretary, and Margie Walker, treasurer. Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Spangler and Mrs. Holmes were the committee appointed to arrange the yearly program and secure the places of meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Davis entertained a number of friends at cards last Thursday evening. High five was the game, and James Holmes won the king and Albert Young the consolation prize. Dainty refreshments were served, and at a late hour the happy assembly dispersed. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames J. W. Holmes, E. S. Tutt, L. D. Hiatt, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Brendel, W. G. Boedecker, S. O. Pitman, Mrs. W. S. Smith, Misses Harriet Adams, Pauline and Fay Oldham, Margie Walker, Messrs. Albert Young and Dick Pitman.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of returning our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted in the illness and death of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. C. Bengen and Family.

Dr. H. Thomsen, dentist, of Plattsmouth, will make Union one day of each week for the purpose of looking after the dental work of this community. He will be in Union on Saturday of each week, beginning January 4, 1913, until further notice.

SPEAKS IN GLOWING TERMS OF NEW HOME

Former Cass County Man in Canada, Well Pleased and Doing Nicely.

John Swartz, who lived in Cass county for many years, but moved to Canada about one year ago, and is now located at Meeting Creek, writes the Journal of the country up there, at the same time renewing his subscription to the paper for another year. He says they have just passed a very pleasant winter; no snow or very little cold weather until after Christmas; then they experienced a few weeks of the thermometer registering 52 degrees below zero, but it was not stormy during that time and did not seem so cold. He says he cannot see much difference from the Nebraska weather. The letter was written March 8, and the weather is fine in the autos, are getting busy. The western branding process is in evidence up there; all cattle are branded and permitted to run at large for grazing, and the farm lands are looked after with hay and crops. They mow hay to their heart's content and then plenty is permitted to go to waste. The hay is very fattening and produces fat cattle rapidly. He says that most all kinds of small grain does well in that locality, but the farmers are raising mostly oats and wheat. Oats run all the way from 50 to 100 bushels to the acre, and wheat 25 to 50. Wheat is bringing 64c and oats 24c per bushel. Hogs, cattle and horses are all bringing good prices. In the sporting line there is no end to it. Fine fish are plentiful, and the wild game of all kinds very numerous the year around. Ducks and prairie chickens are plentiful. One need never want for wild game. Ducks are even wintering there. The country is exceptionally healthy and very little sickness. He says there is lots of land for sale, but no homesteads any more. They will soon commence sowing wheat if the pleasant weather continues. He seems to be well pleased with the country, and winds up by saying that he is confident of our prosperity under democratic times.

"Uncle Josh."

The home talent play, "Uncle Josh," from Vermont, by the Lewistown Glee club, at Jenkins' hall last Saturday evening was not very well attended, owing to the very bad condition of the roads leading into Murray. The gross receipts were only \$33, only about one-third of the receipts usually given to a home talent play in Murray. The play was given for the benefit of the Lewiston cemetery, a good cause, and would have received a much larger attendance had the weather permitted. The promoters of the play were very well pleased under the conditions, but were really disappointed as to the general outcome. Every member of the entire cast were good, their lines were well learned and their delivery and stage presentation were excellent for amateurs; the stage settings were very pretty. Many people in Murray claim it was one of the best plays ever given by home people. Some of the members of the cast were better than others, but we prefer not to make personal mention of them for fear that our criticism might not be accepted in the proper light, and will leave it to the audience to place the credit where it belongs, but we will say that we think they were deserving of a much better attendance. The play will be given in Union next Saturday evening, March 22, and we predict that they will be greeted by a large attendance.

Eggs for Hatching.

From full-blooded Rhode Island Red hens. \$1.00 per setting. W. A. Scott, Murray.

The Journal for typewriter supplies.

Alvo News

Miss Pearl Keefer was in Murdock Monday.

Miss Gladys Appleman returned from Lincoln Tuesday.

J. H. Stroemer was in Omaha on business Tuesday.

P. J. Lynch was a passenger to Lincoln Wednesday morning.

Claus Ohm and wife went to Lincoln on No. 13 Thursday.

George Curyea went to Lincoln Monday, returning home Tuesday.

William Kitzel was in Omaha Monday and Tuesday on business.

Fay Parsell of Lincoln visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. William Newkirk visited her daughters at Greenwood this week.

C. R. Jordan went to Plattsmouth Monday on county business.

Morton Friend of Kansas City came in Thursday to visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Della Pating of Greenwood visited her mother, Mrs. William Newkirk, Tuesday.

Misses Marie Stroemer and Flo Boyles are spending their Easter vacation at home.

Mrs. Carlton Gullion and son of Lincoln visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

R. F. Johnson shipped a car of hogs and two cars of cattle to South Omaha Tuesday.

Dan Rosenow of Omaha visited his brother, Charles and family, a few days this week.

Miss Verna Hyder of Lincoln visited at the S. C. Boyles home Wednesday and Thursday.

R. A. Stone has purchased a new piano for his hall, which will be appreciated by the public very much.

John Weichel was in Lincoln Wednesday, where he was called by the death of his nephew, John Walker.

Mrs. Bud Grove and children returned from Lincoln on No. 14 Wednesday, where they had visited with relatives.

Orion Baldwin returned Monday from St. Joseph, Mo., where he went to purchase spring and summer dry goods for F. E. Patterson.

Mrs. John Weichel and son, Harry, went to Lincoln on No. 13 Thursday to attend the funeral of John Walker, a nephew of Mr. Weichel.

W. E. Casey shipped a car of hogs to the South Omaha market Monday. Mr. Casey accompanied the shipment, returning home Tuesday evening.

A. W. Stewart and Roy Bennett were in Omaha on business Tuesday. Mr. Bennett has purchased the well and pump repairing outfit from Mr. Stewart.

Mrs. Mary Skinner's mother, Mrs. John M. Phillips, died last Friday at her home in Decercreek, Ill., and was buried Sunday. Mrs. Skinner will remain there for some time.

Mrs. Belle Keefer, who has been sick for several weeks past at Los Angeles, California, died Tuesday morning, March 18, 1913. Her children will start Wednesday with the body, which will be interred beside that of her father in the Alvo cemetery. We extend sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

MYNARD.

Lee Cole transacted business in Omaha Tuesday.

Rev. Ends visited in town for a short time Monday.

Revival meetings at the M. E. church, conducted by Rev. Gould.

W. T. Richardson is on the sick list, but we hope he will soon be about again.

George Snyder took a trip to the southern part of the state Wednesday.

George Stone, from the precinct, will move to Plattsmouth in the near future.

W. Fight drove to Plattsmouth Tuesday. The roads never get too bad for Will to travel.

Weather condition have improved somewhat, and farmers are commencing to work in the fields.

Glad to say that Grandpa Marler is on the street again. He has just recovered from a severe siege of the grippe.

George Bengen, from Peoria, Illinois, came in last Monday to attend the funeral of his uncle, Cornelius Bengen, sr.

Charles Barnard, the congenial fellow, is very busy along the line of breaking in young horses. Charles knows how it is done.

The funeral of Grandpa Bengen was largely attended from the family residence, two miles southwest of town. This shows the high esteem and respect of his many friends.

Henry Johnson has moved to Mynard, occupying the residence recently vacated by Albert Valery. Mr. Johnson has for the past six years lived on the farm purchased by Ralph Wiles from R. L. Propst.

Gillispie & Snyder are finding hogs to ship to the South Omaha market. They pay the farmers good prices for their hogs and cattle, besides using them nicely in the way of cigars to smoke while they wait for their check to be written and signed.

Mrs. Samuel Gape of Wyoming arrived recently and will visit with friends and relatives for a few days. Mrs. Gape is a daughter of Mr. Hesser, who conducted a greenhouse four miles south of town, but at the present time is living in Pasadena, California.

Plants for Sale.

Tomato, cabbage and sweet potatoe plants for early planting. W. A. Scott, Murray.



Miss Irene Daniel, in "The Price She Paid", At The Parmele Theatre—One Night Only—March 24