

Murray Department

Prepared in the Interest of the People of Murray and Surrounding Vicinity Especially for the Journal Readers

If any of the readers of the Journal know of any social event or item of interest in this vicinity, and will mail same to this office, it will appear under this heading. We want all news items.—Edron

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MURRAY STATE BANK

Henry Creamer is on the sick list.

John Hendricks was putting up ice Tuesday.

R. R. Nickels was a Platts-mouth visitor Saturday.

D. C. Rhoden made a business trip to Nehawka Tuesday.

L. E. Young of Union was a visitor in Murray Monday.

Lee Nickels was transacting business in Platts-mouth Monday.

S. W. Copenhaver and wife were Omaha visitors Wednesday.

A. D. Crunk and wife were guests of J. D. Tigner and family Monday.

James and Robert Fitch were trading with Murray merchants Saturday.

Mrs. and Miss Vance Pitman were shopping in Omaha one day this week.

Dr. B. O. Young of Murray spent Sunday at the home of William Nickels.

Mrs. Dove Asch was transacting business in Platts-mouth last Wednesday.

F. L. Rhoden was delivering grass seed in Nebraska City Wednesday of last week.

Bert Root and Albert Young are building a hog shed for Alvin Range this week.

The sale at the livery barn Saturday was well attended, but the bidding lacked ginger.

A meeting of the Anti-Saloon League was held at the United Presbyterian church Sunday.

Wilson Gilmore of Mt. Pleasant precinct, was attending to business in Murray Tuesday.

E. R. Queen, mayor of Rock Bluffs, was assisting W. P. Hutcherson put up ice Tuesday.

Philip Keil has just butchered six hogs for the Berger hotel. The boarders and all who eat at this popular hostelry are assured of plenty of meat along with everything else good to eat.

Dr. J. F. Brendel made a business trip to Avoca Tuesday.

William Nickels was calling on friends and looking after business in Platts-mouth Wednesday.

Samuel Dillman of Mankato, Kas., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Wesley Bird, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitch, jr., entertained Earl Merrett and Miss Mae Lewis Sunday at dinner.

Dewey Read, who has been suffering from an attack of pneumonia, is well on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Boedeker entertained quite a number of friends at a Sunday dinner. All enjoyed themselves.

Bert Hansel, son-in-law of Miles Standish, is visiting at the home of J. D. Pitman this week. Mr. Hansel will move back to Cass county.

Mrs. Thomas Kivett, living near Nehawka, returned from the Presbyterian hospital Tuesday by way of Weeping Water.

Dr. Cook was called down Tuesday night to see Mrs. Lee Allison, at whose home he remained nearly the entire night at the bedside of this very sick lady.

About twenty-five from this burg attended the "Little Wagon" play at the Parmele theater Wednesday night. Our people like to go to Platts-mouth to such shows, but they won't stand any more like "McCarly's Mishaps." They haven't fully recovered from that glaring fraud yet.

Bert Satchell was engaged Wednesday in loading his cars for Stanton county, where he will make his future home. About 45 or 20 of his neighbors were assisting him, which shows that they think a whole lot of Bert and his family. They have hosts of friends who regret the removal of this excellent family.

John Murley shipped hogs to South Omaha Tuesday.

William Gilmore and family moved from the Mast farm to the Nick Davis place, a half mile west of Murray, Tuesday.

Iceing for the past week has been a tad with this community. The Murray Dam company supplied ice to ten houses, an aggregate of 185 tons.

Warren Bird, A. I. Bird and Walter Hardnock went to Union, Neb., to attend the funeral of their uncle, Lewis Bird, who passed away at a ripe old age.

Henry Becker and Guy Becker of Oklahoma were visitors in Murray Wednesday. Henry, who had his arm injured in a saw mill a month ago, is able to resume work again.

Mrs. Lee Allison is suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia. A trained nurse from Omaha was called to attend her Sunday. Mrs. Allison passed away this morning at 6 o'clock.

The Library association will give their entertainment at the Chriswiser school house Saturday, February 17. A complete program will appear in next week's Journal.

Orion Virgin has moved to town and occupies the property he recently purchased of Walter Green. The latter has moved to the house west of the creamery property.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Porter are rejoicing over the arrival of a new baby at their home on last Friday. Our informant did not tell us whether it was a boy or a girl and we didn't think to ask. Whether boy or girl makes but little difference to John it will find a warm reception at the Porter home.

T. E. Jameson of Weeping Water, father of Mrs. J. F. Brendel, came over Saturday and remained over Sunday.

The Lewiston Glee club has postponed the oyster supper which was to have been given at the Lewiston church Saturday evening, February 21, owing to sickness in the community.

Notices are up calling for a meeting of the voters of district No. 56 for the consideration and voting upon bonds for a High school at Murray. This meeting will take place at the school house on Tuesday, February 24.

William Rice was a Platts-mouth visitor Tuesday of this week, and while here called at the Journal office and ordered the paper sent to his daughter, Mrs. Lucille Benedict, of Tipton, Wyoming, where Mr. and Mrs. Benedict are residing and doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holmes entertained Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown. The game of the evening was "pit," which caused a large amount of merriment. Another pleasing feature was the refreshments, which consisted of three courses. It was a most enjoyable evening.

A card from Good Todd and family, who are spending their winter at West Palm Beach, tells of the delightful time they are having among scenes practically tropical. Palms, ferns, fruit and everything that makes up the "good old summertime" is at hand to be enjoyed.

The Library association will hold their regular meeting Tuesday evening, February 24. A very nice program has been arranged. Assistant State Supt. Robert Elliott of Lincoln has been invited to explain all the features of the coming school problems. The public is invited.

Mrs. E. M. Stenner of Lincoln was down a few days since and spent a week visiting her father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berger. Mrs. Stenner was formerly Miss Marie Berger, and was reared to womanhood in this community, and was considered one of the most charming young ladies in Cass county.

The librarians for next month are as follows: Saturday, January 31, Hannah Hansen; Wednesday, February 4, Mrs. Alvin Range; Saturday, February 7, Mrs. Mira McDonald; Wednesday, February 11, Ethel Dill; Saturday, February 14, Gertrude Long; Wednesday, February 18, Mrs. S. O. Pitman; Saturday, February 21, Clara Young; Wednesday, February 24, Mrs. Kennedy; Saturday, February 28, Fay Oldham.

Orion Baldwin went to Omaha on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rouse were trading in Lincoln Monday.

Charles Snively was in South Bend on business Tuesday.

Mr. Henry Rolefz of Elmwood took No. 17 to Lincoln Tuesday evening.

County Commissioner Jordan is in Platts-mouth this week on county business.

Uncle George Cook went to Lincoln Tuesday and got himself some new togs to wear.

Ed Casey went to South Omaha Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Casey.

The ice men are busy these days putting up ice, for which we are very thankful.

Mr. and Mrs. John McDowell are visiting with Mrs. McDowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jordan.

George Bauman of Bentz, Kas., a nephew of David Stetler, came in Tuesday to be with his uncle during his sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, sr., gave a family dinner Tuesday. All the members of the family were present.

Mr. Henry Miller went to Lincoln Tuesday and brought Chas. Hardnock back from the hospital, looking and feeling much better.

Orion Baldwin has resigned his position with the Evans Mercantile Co. on account of his health, and Elmer Barrett is clerking there in his stead.

Mrs. Charles Campbell, who has been with her sister, Mrs. Fred Prouty, who is sick with inflammatory rheumatism, returned to her home at Rocky Hill mother, Grandma Hurlbut, accompanied her.

W. W. Leibhart of Nemaha, Neb., came Tuesday to visit his brother, George, who has been quite sick for the past two weeks. He returned home Wednesday. A nephew from Tecumseh, Neb., is caring for his Uncle George and it is hoped that he will soon improve.

Mrs. S. O. Pitman entertained the most intimate friends of Mrs. W. C. Brown at a Kensington Monday afternoon. Dinner was served at 4:30, and the table place cards and favors were all of the pleasing features of the afternoon, and which added to the pleasure of the guests, was the part taken by Mr. Pitman in acting as chef, permitting Mrs. Pitman to sit with the guests.

The neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Meek Davis played a surprise on them the stormiest day on record this winter. The instigators had planned to remind them that it was their 20th wedding anniversary. If the weather had been favorable the house would not have held the congregation. As it was there was enough present to make a lively time for Mr. and Mrs. Davis, and all enjoyed a fine dinner.

The ladies of the Christian church have just finished scrubbing the floors of the church and putting down new carpets. Were it not for the ladies (God bless them!) our churches would not present such a cleanly appearance. But on this occasion we must give credit to Lloyd Gopen, Warren Wiley and Bert Young, for they carried the water to do the scrubbing. May God bless them!

Lucius D. Mullen, one of the pioneers of this part of the county, died at the home of his son, John Mullen, at El Campo, Texas, February 14, of paralysis. He was stricken February 8. He was 70 years and 8 days old. He served in the civil war. He is survived by four children: John of El Campo, Texas, Lafa D. Orpha and Jesse of Alvo. The body will be brought to Alvo and will be laid to rest in the Alvo cemetery Thursday. The family have the sympathy of this community. Lucius will be missed by us all.

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GIVE ME A TRIAL.

MRS. LEE ALLISON PASSED AWAY AT SIX O'CLOCK THIS MORNING

The sad news was received here this morning of the death at her home near Murray of Mrs. Lee Allison, one of the most highly respected ladies in that locality, who, after suffering for the past two weeks from pneumonia, was finally relieved from her suffering and called to her final reward. Mrs. Allison had resided in this county for many years, being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wiley, pioneer settlers of the county, and only two weeks ago the aged mother of Mrs. Allison passed away, and the death of the mother greatly affected her and since that time she had gradually grown weaker until the end. Besides the husband, Mrs. Allison leaves a daughter, Mrs. Edward Leach, of near Union, to mourn her loss. A more extended biographical sketch of the lady will appear later in the columns of the Journal.

Residence Property for Sale.
The I. S. White residence property in Murray is offered for sale. This is an excellent piece of property and will be sold right. For particulars call at the Murray State Bank, or Mark White.

Produce Wanted.
During the month of February I will pay cash for fresh eggs, fresh butter and poultry, delivered on Thursday of each week. Joseph Cook.

In Honor of Mrs. Farris.
Mrs. A. L. Baker entertained a large number of lady friends at her home on Monday last in honor of Mrs. John Farris, who is soon to remove to Minnesota, where the family are to make their future home. The entertainment was a magnificent tribute to this splendid lady, and great honor to the hostess. The afternoon was whittled away in needlework and social chat, until the appropriate time, when a two-course luncheon was served. Mrs. Baker is well known for her generous hospitality on such occasions, and this event denotes that she has lost none of her excellent qualities, and it is needless to say that the guests were royally entertained.

Those who were present on this occasion are as follows: Mesdames J. W. Edmunds, W. S. Smith, J. A. Walker, G. H. Gilmore, B. F. Brendel, W. E. Dull, A. G. Long, M. G. Churchill, J. W. Holmes, H. C. Long, J. H. Brown, J. F. Brendel, I. M. Davis, Lloyd Gopen, William Sporer, John Stones, Glen Boedeker, Mrs. Charles Carroll, Mrs. Jeff Brendel, Nick Friedrich, Mrs. McDonald, Misses Ida Boedeker, Margie Walker, Bertha Strader, May St. John and Mrs. Warren Wiley.

The Ladies' Missionary society met with Mrs. James Loughridge Friday, with twenty members present. The program was very good and Mrs. Harriett Adams Pitman sang a solo, "I Shall See Him Face to Face." Mrs. Loughridge was assisted by Mesdames Frank Marler and William Brown, sr.

A Complete Birthday Surprise.
A company of friends and neighbors completely, but very pleasantly surprised Mrs. Frank Rhoden Tuesday evening, the occasion being that lady's birthday anniversary. The evening was spent with games and music. Last, but not least, a delicious luncheon was served at a late hour. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames J. D. Lewis, G. S. Ray, E. R. Queen, J. T. Brendel, Arthur Copenhaver, Charles Wolfe, James Tigner, Lloyd Lewis, Roy Cline, Guy Stokes, Omer Yardly, Charles Swan, Wayne Lewis, Fritz Tigner, Earl Merritt, Frank Dugay, Arthur Hansen, Tony Klenn, Harry McVey, James McVey, Esther Ray, Mae Lewis, Clara Copenhaver, Vera Yardly, Willa Moore, Anna Wrist, Francis Moore, Fern McVey and Angie McCarroll.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to express our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our dear little child and brother, S. W. Copenhaver and Family. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Copenhaver.

A Valentine Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tilson entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening, February 14, at a valentine party. The rooms had been beautifully decorated for the occasion in red and white hearts. Various games were played; also some guessing contests were indulged in. A large heart with many small ones painted on it was passed to the guests and each were to guess how many were on it. Fay Gregory won the first prize and John Jenkins the hoody, which was a homely valentine. Some excellent music was furnished by Eva Bailey, which all enjoyed very much. At the proper time a delicious luncheon was served, to which all did ample justice. At a late hour the merry party wended their way homeward, declaring that they had had the best time in their lives and pronouncing Mr. and Mrs. Tilson royal entertainers. Those to enjoy this happy event were as follows: Misses Clara Young, Willa Moore, Hannah Hanson, Pearl Gregory, Myrtle Rice, Eva Bailey, Esther Lloyd, Grace Dill, Fern Lloyd, Fay Gregory, Agnes Lloyd, Hattie Royer, Margie Vallery, Fela Spence, Amanda Royer, Adel Fitzpatrick, Grace Spence, Mildred Satchell, Effie Smith, Vivian Fitzpatrick, Very Yardley, Grace Porter, Messrs. Alf Beverage, Jack Gregory, Fritz Tigner, John Jenkins, Charles Vallery, Frank Dill, Carl Gregory, Roy Gregg, Ben Speck, Walt Royer, Arthur Hanson, Arthur Jones, Joe Creamer, Fred Ulrich, Arch Gregory, Chester Minear, Harry Satchell, Ralph Satchell, James Earhart, Morris Bailey, John Rice, Earl Marler, Anderson Lloyd, Omer Yardley, Othel Gregory, Earl Terryberry, Jim Tigner, Garland Tilson, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rhoden, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vallery and daughters, Helen and Marie Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Warner and son.

Miss Esther Rice Entertains.
Miss Esther Rice gave a most delightful party to her young friends at her home Friday evening. The time was spent in games and social conversation. All present report a very nice time. At a late hour a two-course luncheon was served by Mrs. William Rice and Mrs. William Seybolt, which was enjoyed very much by the guests. Music was furnished by Ralph Kennedy and Esther Rice. The guests report Miss Esther as a royal entertainer and hope that she will have another party some time in the near future.

Are With the Insurgents.
Murray Camp No. 1856, at its meeting Saturday evening, February 14, 1914, besides passing the following resolution, also selected the following delegates and alternates to the county convention to be held in Platts-mouth April 1: Delegates—W. W. Hamilton, D. A. Young and K. R. Kniss; alternates—M. G. Churchill, J. W. Berger and J. W. Edmunds. The following are the resolutions adopted:

Resolved, That we believe the actions of the present head officers of the M. W. A. during the past two years have been detrimental to the membership of the society, and by their conduct during the present rate controversy they have forfeited all claim to our respect and support; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we are opposed to the re-election of any of the present head officers, and we hereby instruct the delegates elected to represent this camp in the county camp, to support such delegates to the state camp as are in harmony with these resolutions.

Signed: A. L. Baker, Lloyd Gopen, K. R. Kniss, Committee.

A Fine Social Event.
Mesdames Alvin Range, Fred Range and William Sporer entertained the Aid society Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Alvin Range. Despite the fact that the day was stormy, a large crowd was present. Covers were laid for over thirty. The tables were decorated with valentine ornaments; the place cards were hearts, sandwiches were cut in heart shape and the lunch was served in three courses. The rooms were beautifully decorated with flowers. It was one of the most unique and prettily arranged afternoons that the ladies have had an opportunity of attending for some time.

Painful Accident.

Ralph Kennedy received a serious accident Monday while chopping stove wood. Instead of cutting into a chunk the ax glanced and struck his shoe and sinking a deep wash into his foot. The hemorrhage for a short time was so very profuse surgical assistance was summoned and he was soon put at ease. It is hoped he will soon be about.

MURDOCK.
(Special Correspondent.)
Meta Neitzel was here over Sunday visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knehn were Lincoln visitors Monday between trains. Both young and old enjoyed the old-fashioned dance last Saturday night. The Bauer sisters, Rose and Ella, were visitors in Omaha the fore part of the week. A few friends from Michigan came in on No. 17 to visit their old school friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mooney. A number of people from Omaha were visiting the Hornbeck brothers Sunday between trains, taking dinner with them at the hotel. Will Boeller and lady friend were visiting the former's parents Saturday and Sunday, returning to Omaha on No. 14. The Sorick sisters, Etta and Eva, were home Saturday and Sunday, returning to their work Sunday evening on No. 17. A number of school children and the teachers, Miss Sutherland and Miss Edwards, drove out to G. V. Piekwell's home in a lumber wagon last Wednesday to the Ladies' Aid society, and enjoyed the dinner and ride very much. A number of young folks were highly entertained at the Schmidt home Friday evening to a valentine party. They were entertained with many games and refreshments by a dainty luncheon. They all bid them good night, expressing their pleasures.

A stubborn, annoying, depressing cough hangs on, racks the body, weakens the lungs, and often leads to serious results. The first dose of Dr. King's New Discovery gives relief. Henry D. Sanders of Gavendish, Vt., was threatened with consumption, after having pneumonia. He writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery ought to be in every family; it is certainly the best of all medicines for coughs, colds or lung trouble." Good for children's coughs. Money back if not satisfied. Price 50c and \$1.00. At all Druggists, H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Murray State Bank of Murray, Nebraska

Charter No. 573
Incorporated in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business, Feb. 12, 1914.

RESOURCES

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| Loans and discounts | \$1,311.40 |
| Overdrafts | 10.00 |
| County of Cass, Nebraska | 2,000.00 |
| Banking house, furniture and fixtures | 2,800.00 |
| Current expenses, taxes and interest paid | 2,534.92 |
| Due from national and state banks | \$16,902.00 |
| Currency | 2,430.00 |
| Gold coin | 100.00 |
| Silver, nickels and cents | 607 14-25/100 16 |
| Total | \$29,260.62 |

LIABILITIES

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| Capital stock paid in | \$10,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | 3,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | 4,022.80 |
| Individual deposits subject to call | 1,227.81 |
| Checks | 52.27 |
| Demand certificates of deposit | 634.70 |
| Time certificates of deposit | 2,300.00 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 1,042.30-77/100 77 |
| Depositors' guaranty fund | 640.00 |
| Total | \$29,260.62 |

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. I, W. G. Boedeker, County of Cass, Nebraska, do hereby certify that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State banking board. W. G. BOEDEKER, Cashier. I, FRED L. NITZMAN, Director. Attest: CHAS. C. PARKER, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Feb. 1914. VERA HATT, Notary Public. My commission expires July 14th, 1917.

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