

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.—Editor

GIVE THE BURGLAR THE "HA, HA!" BANK YOUR CASH WITH US



SOME people extend invitations to the THIEF AND HOLDUP MAN. They carry on their persons or in their homes large sums of money. A CHECK BOOK is of no use to the professional thief. Still, a check is AS GOOD AS CASH to the tradesman or for the immediate household wants. If you haven't a bank account

OPEN ONE TODAY. MURRAY STATE BANK

George Nickels was a business visitor in Omaha Friday.

E. R. Queen of Rock Bluffs spent Friday in Plattsmouth.

R. H. Fitch, jr., has moved to the Kendall place near Union.

C. W. Tigner was transacting business in Plattsmouth Saturday.

John Hendricks and family were calling on Plattsmouth merchants Friday.

William Nickels and son, Leroy, were transacting business in the county seat Friday.

Oscar Shrader and family of Nehawka have moved to the Mark White place at Kenosha.

Mrs. W. P. Hutcheson and daughter, Miss Winnie, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Carl Cole, near Mynard.

John Robinson, who has occupied the Searl Davis place, east of Murray, was moving to Weeping Water Monday.

S. W. Copenhaver loaded a car with his household goods and left Tuesday evening for Minnesota, where he will make his future home. Mrs. Copenhaver and children will leave Sunday evening.

G. W. Shrader left Tuesday evening for Lincoln, where he will look after business in that city and from there will go to various points in Missouri to visit relatives.

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.

George Nickels was an Omaha visitor Wednesday evening.

E. R. Queen and family are among those moving this week.

A. F. Nickels is believed to be improving slowly at this writing. Moving seems to have been the order of the day the past week.

Minford & Creamer shipped a car of hogs to South Omaha Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph Cook has been on the sick list this week, but is improving.

The roads are in a most deplorable condition and almost impassable.

Mrs. Jake Smith, who has been on the sick list for a few days, is improving.

Cornelius Bengon's little babe has been quite ill, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. George Shrader of near Union has been quite sick, but is convalescing.

Mrs. Bob Burr has been numbered with the ailing for a few days, but is better.

Mrs. Will Carey of Mynard visited her parents, W. P. Hutcheson and family, Wednesday.

There will be services at Lewiston Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, weather permitting. We invite you to come.

Mrs. Will Hutcheson and children of Randolph, who have been visiting friends and relatives here, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Nick Klaurens is the proud possessor of 75 little prospective fryas at her home. Mrs. Klaurens is an old hand at the chicken business.

A little child of Thomas Bauer, near Rock Bluffs, suffered a painful accident Tuesday, breaking a stick off in his throat while playing. The writer was unable to secure details of the accident.

Charles and William Troop shipped two cars of fat cattle to the South Omaha market Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Hamilton went to Omaha Wednesday morning to spend a few days with her son, Lester, at the hospital.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore will lecture on "Temperance from a Medical Standpoint" at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning, March 8th.

Chris Miller was down from Plattsmouth Wednesday to visit his former neighbors and friends and look after some business affairs.

Mrs. William Budig of Plattsmouth came down Wednesday morning and spent the day visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Green and family.

Mrs. James Walker and daughter, Mrs. G. H. Gilmore, attended the "Ben Hur" performance in Omaha Tuesday, and spent Wednesday shopping, returning home Thursday morning.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore was called to Nehawka Wednesday morning on professional business. The condition of the roads made it almost impossible to go with a team, and he took the morning train, returning in the evening.

J. W. Pitman of Union came up Wednesday and spent a few hours visiting his nephew, Dr. J. H. Pitman, who is suffering from a fall he received last Saturday morning.

The new implement house of Baker & Nichols has been finished for a week, and is filled to overflowing with a big line of the celebrated John Deere farm implements.

William Sporer was in Plattsmouth last Friday afternoon, driving up for the transaction of some business matters and to return with his son, who is attending school in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Pitman and W. C. Brown went to Omaha Friday morning, where they met Mrs. Brown, and all spent a few days sight-seeing and enjoying the pleasures of life.

Sup't. Elliott will talk at the school house either Monday evening, March 16, or Tuesday evening, March 17, on the advisability of a High school in Murray. The date will be given next week.

Lester Hamilton, who was operated upon several days ago in St. Joseph's hospital at Omaha, for an abscess on one of his lungs, seems to be improving satisfactorily. The little fellow has had a pretty hard siege of it and the Journal hopes he will soon be at home entirely well.

John D. Tutt came down from Plattsmouth Wednesday morning and spent the day with his son, Ed and wife, returning the same evening. Uncle John is 81 years old and is in the enjoyment of splendid health for one of that age. This was his first trip to Murray in four months.

Our old friend, Uncle George Shrader, departed Wednesday morning for St. Joseph, Mo., where he will spend a few days in combining business with visiting friends. Uncle George was looking mighty youthful for a man of his age, and we had to take the second look before we recognized him.

On Sabbath, March 8th, Dr. George Gilmore will speak in the United Presbyterian church at 11 a. m. Service on "Temperance from the Medical Point of View." There will be no evening service. The United Presbyterian congregation will hold their congregational meeting on Wednesday evening, March 25th.

The ladies of the Christian church are arranging for a spring bazaar to be held some time in the fore part of April. This is the first time such an event at this time of the year has been attempted, and we feel that they will acquit themselves successfully. The exact date of the bazaar will probably be given in the next issue of the Journal.

Mrs. John McNurlin, accompanied by her foster daughter, Mrs. Sprieck, came down from Plattsmouth Wednesday and spent the day, Mrs. McNurlin visiting with Mrs. Kennedy, while Mrs. Sprieck spent the day visiting Mr. Tom Hansen and family, south of town. Mr. Hansen is an uncle of Mrs. Sprieck, and this was their first meeting. Mrs. Sprieck was met at the depot by her uncle.

Mrs. S. O. Pitman is numbered with the sick this week.

W. S. Copenhaver and family were guests of Mrs. Adda Stokes Wednesday.

W. H. Phipps, son of Rosabelle Young Phipps, is visiting his mother here this week.

Col. Seybolt was a Plattsmouth visitor Thursday, looking after some business matters.

Mrs. D. A. Young is expected home this week from a visiting trip to her mother at Morehead, Iowa.

Dr. Livingston has been down from Plattsmouth, called here to visit Mr. D. J. Young and give him medical relief assisted by Dr. Brendel.

Rex Young contemplates erecting a six-room cottage on his lots north of Dr. J. F. Brendel's home. Rex has a large sized barn on the lots, and when the house is finished he will have a most desirable home.

Mrs. G. H. Gilmore and Miss Margie Walker were in Omaha Saturday evening, where they were met by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown and spent the evening with their old friends, ere they departed for their home in Canada.

The Missionary society that was to meet with Mrs. Dull on March 13, will meet with Mrs. W. S. Smith on that date. The leader, Mrs. Frank Young, will be assisted by Mesdames Holmes, Hansen and Chambers. All members are urged to attend, as there will be an election of officers for the ensuing year.

The librarians for the month of March are as follows: Saturday, March 7, Grace Dill; Wednesday, March 11, Mrs. Charles Freeze; Saturday, March 14, Etta Nickels; Wednesday, March 18, Mrs. William Troop; Saturday, March 21, Gertrude Long; Wednesday, March 25, Mrs. D. C. Rhoden.

Reception to Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins

The Aid society of the Christian church, tendered a farewell reception to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jenkins at the home of Mr. Jenkins' mother on Tuesday. About forty ladies were present, and a general good time was enjoyed. It was a demonstration of the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins are held by the community, and many expressed regret that they were to leave us. An elegant two-course luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins are to leave the first of next week for their new home, near Rosalie, Neb.

Depart for Minnesota.

John Farris, Steve Copenhaver and John Chappell, three mighty good men, departed Wednesday for their new homes near Borup, Norman county, Minnesota. Each had a carload of goods, which they accompanied. The families of these excellent men will not depart for their new homes until Sunday evening. These families have hosts of friends who regret their removal, and the community at large will feel their absence, as no better people ever lived in any community. The Journal truly regrets their departure, and extends to each of them our most sincere wishes for prosperity, good health and supreme happiness in their new homes.

Change of Business.

M. G. Churchill having purchased the stock of goods formerly owned by A. L. Baker, the same has been removed to the room east of the blacksmith shop, which he is fitting up to accommodate the public with ice cream, soft drinks, cigars, candies, and in fact confections of all kinds. Mr. Churchill proposes to have everything arranged in fine style and serve the people in the best way possible. He will have everything in ship-shape in a few days on the reception of patrons and wants everybody to come and see him.

REX YOUNG, Auctioneer, Murray, Neb.

Ready to cry your sales, and guarantee satisfaction. Dates can be made at the Bank of Cass County, in Plattsmouth, Neb., or the Murray State Bank, Murray. GIVE ME A TRIAL.

COL. JENKINS STORE AT MURRAY IS BURGLARIZED

Evidently the Work of a Lot of Hungry Hoboes, as They Had Plenty to Eat.

Our neighboring village of Murray was visited last night by burglars, who gained entrance into the store of Colonel Jenkins in that place and proceeded to regale themselves with a fine feed on the different lines of eatables in the store. The burglary was discovered this morning when the store was opened for business, as there was a large number of burnt matches scattered over the floor and on the counter a large amount of crackers, cheese, cookies and other articles carried in the store that would make a lunch, and the person or persons had evidently desired an after-dinner cigar, as the cigar case had been rifled and several of the fragrant Havanas taken from the case, as well as a number of other articles, including a revolver. It is thought from the fact that the grocery department suffered the heaviest from the invaders that the job was the work of some hoboes who desired to replenish their larder, and they certainly feasted for once in their lives at least.

Entrance was gained into the building by the removal of a pane of glass in a window in the north end of the store, and the persons breaking into the store had evidently taken their time in securing what they wanted, judging from the number of burnt matches found. The store is not a great distance from the Missouri Pacific railroad tracks and it would be an easy matter for a party of hoboes to carry their "swag" from the store to a place near the track, from where they could board a freight train and get out of the village before the loss was discovered.

GETS JUDGEMENT FOR FULL AMOUNT SUED FOR

This morning a lawsuit from Murray attracted a great deal of attention in Justice Archer's court and there were a large number present from that place to witness and hear the details of the trial. The suit was that of Ben Dill vs. Tom Cromwell, the plaintiff seeking to recover the sum of \$80 due on a horse purchased by the defendant, who was formerly an auctioneer living at Elmwood, in this county. The defense of Cromwell was that he had purchased another horse of Dill that was not as represented and he sought to avoid the payment on the second horse purchased from Dill. The defense evidently did not appear strong to the justice, who found for the full amount for the plaintiff. Cromwell had claimed to be an expert in the judging of horses and his claim that the one horse was not as represented does not speak very strongly for his judgment as a horseman. Rawls & Robertson appeared as attorneys for Dill, while Matthew Gering represented Cromwell in the case.

Arranging New Quarters.

Baker & Nichols, the new hardware firm, are tearing out the petitions in the postoffice building and putting in new shelving, preparatory to removing the stock recently purchased from Pitman & Davis to these quarters. Mr. and Mrs. Baker, who have occupied the back part of the building for a residence for a number of years, will remove to the Christian church parsonage. Mr. Baker has sold his stock of confections and tobaccos and cigars to Mack Churchill, and it will also be removed to new quarters.

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.

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In Honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. Dill, Hoagland, Logan Co., Neb.

A very pleasant dancing party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dill Saturday evening to introduce themselves to the friends and neighbors of Logan county. The occasion was a very delightful one to all. Also the evening was spent in various games to entertain the older folks who did not care to dance. The music for the dance was furnished by Mr. DeForest Philpot and Mr. Albert Jeared playing the violins, while Mrs. Albert Jeared played the base, vial, and Mr. Jim Hunt acted as floor manager. Very tempting refreshments were served at the hour of midnight, which added greatly to the pleasure of the crowd of merry dancers. There were thirty-five in attendance as follows: Verna Fisher, Ellen Conley, Hazel Wrist, Madge Mayham, Mabel Wells, Mammie Conley, Ella Mayham, Laura Scott, Vina Dill, Stella Hunt, Mrs. Lamb, Stella Dill, Mrs. Albert Jeared, Mrs. Charles Dill and small daughter, Loretta; Messers, Geo. Hill, Billie Adams, DeForest Philpot, Earl Newkirk, James Hunt, Albert Scott, Charles Dill, Bert Konkle, Ora Huges, Ben Dawson, John Conley, Dewey Hamon, Charlie Hill, Roy Enfield, Charles Philpot, Charles Fisher, Alf Philpot, John Philpot. From a Reader.

Farm for Sale.

Farm of 124 acres, 5 1/4 miles northeast of Union; 14 acres hay land, 20 acres pasture timber, rest in cultivation; well improved. Price right if taken soon. Address Miss Etta Nickels, Murray, Neb.

A Serious Fall.

While in Murray Wednesday, the writer called on his old friend, Mr. D. J. Pitman, who has been confined to his room since Saturday morning, suffering from a dislocated hip, caused from a very hard fall last Saturday morning. Mrs. Pitman was proceeding in the direction of the depot on the south side of the street, and as he had gotten near the barn of Dr. Brendel he slipped and fell upon the icy walk. After he had attempted to regain his feet, he soon learned he could not stand on the injured limb. He was not long in receiving assistance, and was soon conveyed to his home, and Dr. Brendel was there to render medical aid. At first it was thought that Mr. Pitman was feeling considerably better Wednesday and although it is with great difficulty that he can even move the injured limb, hopes are entertained that he will soon recover. D. J. Pitman is one of Cass county's best citizens, and he has hosts of friends who will regret to learn of his misfortune, with the sincere hope that he will soon be himself again.

The New Lumberman.

The Journal man called on Mr. Kikendall, the new lumberman, Wednesday morning, and visited with the gentleman for a short time. We found Mr. Kikendall to be a most clever gentleman, and one who will do his utmost to please the people of Murray and vicinity. While it will take some time to regain the lost patronage of the business, brought about by the Nold people's manner of doing business, we confidently believe Mr. Kikendall is just the man to do it. The people of Murray are delighted over the change, as they find in the new proprietor a man with business principles and one who is disposed and willing to please his patrons. There is no use for those who contemplate building of going away from Murray to buy their material, and the Journal trusts that all will give Mr. Kikendall a fair trial before they even think of doing such a thing, and we do not believe they will have cause to regret it.

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.

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Wagons
Carriages
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Buggies
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MAPLE GROVE.

R. A. Young put up his summer's supply of ice Friday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Lutz on March 2, a baby girl.

Adam and Otto Schafer made a business trip to Lincoln Friday.

P. A. Hild delivered hogs to William Gillespie at Mynard Thursday.

Miss Laura Puls spent Saturday with home folks, returning to Lincoln Sunday.

Julius Engelkemeir shelled corn Tuesday and delivered it to Philpot Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Snell of Omaha spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Puls.

Mr. and Mrs. August Engelkemeir spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Puls.

George and Fred Hild and Louie Friedrich spent last week at the auto show in Omaha.

Jim Tigner and Harve and Roy Gregg spent Thursday evening at the home of Harmond Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Puls and Miss Lena Engelkemeir spent Friday at the auto show in Omaha.

Schafer Brothers, John Urish and Lee Brown shipped fat cattle to the South Omaha market Wednesday.

Moving is now the order of the day. Fritz Lutz moved Monday to the John Becker farm; Alfred Gansener moved from the Chas. Boedecker to his own farm, known as the John Ruby place; Gus Mannier moved to the Chas. Boedecker home place; Albert Little moved to the Searle Davis farm.

MURDOCK. (Special Correspondent.)

Eva Sorick was home over Sunday.

Mina Geohry Sunday with her parents.

Henry Gillespie was in town Wednesday.

L. G. Hornbeck was a Lincoln visitor Sunday.

Edna Johansen was in Lincoln Saturday and Sunday.

Martha Kraft of Icha visited the Bauer sisters a few days last week.

School started Monday morning. All the children returned in sound health.

Mrs. Grace Hughes and daughter, Fanshine, have been visiting at the hotel this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gakemier and daughter were visiting relatives and friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Minor and daughter, Marguerite, of Wahoo, Neb., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emil Miller a few days last week.

From the latest reports we hear that Will Boelter is as well as can be expected. Hopes are that he will continue to improve. Mrs. Anna Knaub and children of South Dakota came in Monday night on No. 17. We hear they are to live on the Backmyer farm.

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