

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



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John Stones and wife were Plattsburgh visitors Wednesday of this week.

Elmer Hallstrom was visiting with home folks in Plattsburgh over Sunday.

L. D. Hiatt was looking after some business matters in Omaha and Plattsburgh Tuesday.

Your personal taxes are now due. Bear in mind that the same can be paid at the Murray State Bank.

Misses Mabel and Vera Brown, of Plattsburgh, attended the dance at the Jenkins hall last Saturday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Brendel were Plattsburgh visitors Wednesday, arriving up in the auto in the afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained Wednesday, December 2, by Mrs. Frank Moore and Mrs. Frank Rhoden, at the home of the former. All members try and be present.

Remember the Bazaar and Christmas dinner and supper, next Saturday, December 5th. Come out and make the day a grand success for the ladies.

Miss Henrietta Cramer has resigned her position at the switchboard of the Murray Telephone Exchange, and for the present Mrs. Stokes is looking after the business, as well as the switchboard, and she is kept pretty busy, too.

There was another most pleasant dance given at the Jenkins hall last Saturday evening, the occasion being given by Elmer Boedeker. The attendance was about as good as usual, the music was the very best, and a most enjoyable time was had by all. Remember there will be another one given on Saturday evening, December 12th.

Lafe Nelson was visiting and looking after business matters in Murray Wednesday.

Dr. B. F. Brendel was looking after some business matters in Plattsburgh Tuesday morning.

Minford & Cramer shipped a carload of hogs to the South Omaha market Monday of this week.

Grandma Hendricks, who has been quite sick for the past few weeks, has been improving the past few days.

Robert Good and wife, G. S. Ray and wife and daughter, Miss Esther, spent Sunday with friends at Nebraska City.

Remember, that you can pay your personal taxes at the Murray State Bank. The same are now due and can be paid at the bank.

Mrs. A. F. Nickels entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Nick Klaurens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Swab and son, Frank.

There are quite a number of telephone lines in Murray this week transferring all the toll lines to the telegraph line poles, which necessitates considerable work, and the time of about twenty men.

Our excellent old friend, J. A. Walker, has been numbered with the sick for the past week, but at this time is improving. He has been suffering from a kidney disorder, and has many friends who will be pleased to learn that he is improving.

R. C. Bailey and Wm. Troop were Plattsburgh visitors Tuesday of this week, at which time Mr. Bailey called at The Journal office and ordered his sale bills, for the sale that he will hold on December 17th, the advertisement of which will be found in this issue of The Journal. Mr. Bailey is another one of the farmers of this locality that will soon move to Minnesota.

Philip Hild has been quite sick for the past week.

Al Bartlett visited friends in Plattsburgh Sunday.

Pay your personal taxes at the Murray State Bank.

H. C. Cramer had a car of stock on the South Omaha market Tuesday.

L. M. McVey and wife were calling on the Murray merchants Tuesday.

Walter Sams and family spent Sunday with H. C. Cramer and family.

J. D. Shrader was looking after some business matters in Omaha Monday.

Frank Gobelman and wife attended the feast at Lewiston Thanksgiving day.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore made a professional trip to Lincoln Monday of this week.

Nick Klaurens and family spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Nebraska.

John Fitch and wife and son, Jean, attended the Thanksgiving spread at Lewiston.

Miss Mayme O'Donnell of Omaha visited friends at Lewiston Thanksgiving day.

Arthur Copenhaver and wife visited Sunday with Mrs. A. J. Stokes at Murray.

The corn in this locality is nearly all in the crib, one of the finest falls ever known.

Robert Nickels is listed among the sick. Mr. Nickels is suffering with pneumonia.

Will Clinkbeard and family from Nebraska City attended the Thanksgiving at Lewiston.

O. A. Davis and Sam Pitman were looking after some business matters in Plattsburgh last Friday.

Pauline Oldham attended the opening number of the lecture course in Plattsburgh Monday evening.

Miss Edie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith, has been numbered with the sick for the past few days.

The Revival Meetings at Lewiston are drawing good crowds. The meetings opened last Sunday evening, and Rev. Mr. Taylor is delivering some excellent sermons.

The Thanksgiving shoot given in Murray last Wednesday by M. G. Churchill was a grand success in every particular. There were a large number of shooters present.

Mrs. Frank Rhoden had the misfortune to be thrown from her buggy Friday, and was considerably bruised up, also a fractured rib. Mrs. Rhoden's horse became frightened at some object beside the road.

Harry Noel, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Noel, caught his finger in the door at the school house one day the past week, and the tip end of the finger was nearly cut off. The accident was quite painful for the little fellow.

Wm. Campbell has sold his residence property located south of the Minford farm, southeast of Murray, to Oliver Lloyd. Mr. Campbell has rented the old Grandma Graves property in Rock Bluffs and is moving thereto this week.

Judge Charles Harven was in Murray looking after some business matters Monday. The judge says that matters in his court are very quiet at the present time, the docket has been completely cleaned up and there are no signs of any increased activity for the winter.

The revival service at Lewiston began Sunday evening should have a full attendance each night. Rev. W. A. Taylor conducts the services and needs no introduction to the people of Cass county. Come out here and hear him. Song service at 7 p. m.; divine service at 7:30 p. m. Service Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Galen Rhoden returned to Kansas City Monday evening, where she will receive treatment at the Thornton & Minor Sanitarium for a few weeks. At the time of departing from Murray Mrs. Rhoden's condition was quite serious in the way of suffering, but not considered dangerous, and she hopes to gain immediate relief through the treatment at Kansas City.

Ed. Schwald, who had his leg broken at the Tucker home a few weeks ago, is still in the hospital at Omaha, and while he is gaining every day, his recovery will be slow, owing to the seriousness of the injury. The break was one that will mend very slowly owing to the nature and location of same, and may require several weeks before he will be able to return home.

Mrs. Gertrude Beckner was visiting with friends in Omaha last Friday.

Miss Marjole Walker was visiting with Plattsburgh friends a few days this week.

Murray was well represented at the Thanksgiving dinner at Lewiston last Thursday.

George Ray was looking after some business matters in Plattsburgh last Saturday.

Wm. Baker, of Rock Bluffs, is now running the dray line in Murray for D. C. Rhoden.

Mrs. O. A. Davis and Mrs. E. S. Tutt were Omaha visitors Wednesday of this week.

Clement Edmonston, who was accidentally shot last week while out counting, is improving.

Take dinner and supper with the ladies of the Presbyterian church next Saturday, December 5th.

M. L. Furlong, mayor of Rock Bluffs, was looking after some business matters in Murray this week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Brendel enjoyed a Thanksgiving visit from Mrs. Brendel's mother and sister, of Weeping Water.

Walter Green is making preparations to move to Groton, where he has secured employment in a blacksmith shop.

Mrs. L. D. Hiatt was visiting with her parents in Plattsburgh Thanksgiving evening, returning home the following morning.

Bryan and Anna Snyder and Miss Rachel Livingston, of Plattsburgh, were among the guests at the Murray dinner last Saturday evening.

The supper given by the Library Association last Saturday evening was very much of a success. \$21.50 was the proceeds realized from it.

Mr. and Mrs. George Latta and daughter and Mrs. Marie Latta Bennett, of Lincoln, are visiting at the home of S. G. Latta in Murray this week.

Leo Brown unloaded sixty-six head of cattle here Tuesday that were shipped down from South Omaha, and will be taken to his farm for winter feeding.

A. A. Root took Thanksgiving dinner with his son, Dr. B. A. Root, and family, at York, Neb. He also made a brief visit with relatives and friends in Lincoln and Elwood.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Pitman and George Nickels attended the play in Plattsburgh Thanksgiving eve.

W. H. Puls, who has been in Lincoln for the past few weeks receiving treatment for rheumatism, returned home last Wednesday, feeling greatly improved from the treatment.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church are preparing for a big time at their Christmas dinner on Saturday, December 5th. Prepare to take dinner and supper with the ladies.

A revival meeting will be held at the Christian church, beginning December 21. Mr. Myers, who held the very successful meetings in Plattsburgh, will have charge of the meetings.

The new books in the library that will be worth your while to read are "Polly Anna" and "In the Eyes of the World." "In the Eyes of the World" is by the author of the "Shepherd of the Hills."

Mrs. A. M. Cole of Weeping Water spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. M. Hiatt, in Murray. Mrs. Hiatt has been quite sick for the past few weeks, but is improving at this time.

L. D. Hiatt was looking after some business matters in Omaha Tuesday of this week, at which time he bought a fine line of Christmas goods that will be on display at their store in a few days.

Robt. Shrader is preparing to hold a public sale at his home west of Murray in the near future. He has bought out the Beverage dray and transfer line at South Omaha, and will move to that city in the near future.

James Loughridge will soon open a new blacksmith and repairing shop in his building on Main street, recently vacated by Walter Green. Mr. Loughridge owns the building, which will be equipped with new working machinery.

160-Acre Farm for Sale. 160 acres, one and one-half miles west of Murray; 12 acres in alfalfa; 12 acres in clover; 7 acres in wild hay; 80 acres fall plowed. Good running water; all can be farmed. For particulars, call or write, H. C. LONG, Murray, Neb.

Thanksgiving at Lewiston Church.

The Thanksgiving dinner given at Lewiston by the ladies of the K. N. K. was a complete success in every sense of the term, even greater than all previous occasions given by the ladies on this date. An elegant dinner was served to the largest crowd of any previous year, and people were present from Nebraska, Weeping Water, Plattsburgh, Union, Murray, Myard, Omaha and Nebraska City, and all were more than thankful to the ladies for the excellent entertainment and dinner they received. The Rev. W. A. Taylor, of Union, delivered a fine sermon at 11 o'clock a. m. Dinner was served promptly at 12 o'clock, and the afternoon was spent in a social way.

The bazaar held in connection with the dinner was a great success, and a fine oyster supper was served in the evening. The proceeds amounted to \$116.50, which is a neat little sum. The ladies of the K. N. K. certainly deserve a great deal of praise and credit for their elegant spread, a pleasant Thanksgiving day for all in attendance, one that will long be remembered by everyone.

Card of Thanks.

The Ladies of the K. N. K. take this method of expressing their sincere thanks and appreciation to the community and to the business men who so generously contributed toward the success of the Thanksgiving Dinner. They also wish to thank the ladies who assisted in the service.

An Old Resident Here.

Cassius Edson, of Wyoming, just across the line from Scott's Bluff county, Nebraska, is in Murray this week, visiting with old time friends. Mr. Edson was a resident of Cass county many years ago. He is making a combined pleasure and business trip at this time, and is representing a land company in that locality that are placing an irrigation ditch through land that can be homesteaded. This land may be homesteaded in tracts of from forty to 160 acres, and the homesteader pays for the acreage fronting on the ditch only. This makes a good proposition for the homesteader and will give him a good farm at a very reasonable price.

It's a Boy—and a Fine One, Too.

There was sure one person in Murray to whom the Thanksgiving dinner last Thursday was a secondary enjoyment, and that was Dr. G. B. Gilmore. The arrival of a fine (second baby boy at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Gilmore on Wednesday glad the doctor with happiness, and was so thankful over the safe arrival of the little stranger that he entirely forgot that there was anything else in this entire world that he should give thanks for. Both the mother and little one are doing nicely, and the doctor feels at least ten years younger than a week ago.

Celebrates His Birthday.

Mrs. Jno. Hendricks entertained a company of friends Saturday evening in honor of her birthday. It is needless to say John was surprised, but rallied to the occasion, and a very pleasant and enjoyable evening was spent. Mrs. Hendricks served a two-course luncheon, which added very much to the pleasure of the guests. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Queen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rhoden, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Klaurens, Pearl Dunay, Vera Hotchinson, Etta Nickels, Ern Hotchinson, Fred Campbell, Claud Hutchison, Roy Klaurens and Lena Klaurens.

Departs for Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Frieze took their departure for their new home near Graceville, Minnesota, last Saturday, making the trip in their auto. Mr. Frieze sold all his personal property at public sale, and will live in a new supply when he starts farming in the new home. Mr. Frieze has been one of the prosperous real-estate farmers of this locality for several years, and his only reason for leaving Cass county at this time is that he wants a farm of his own, and most of the land in this locality is out of the poor man's reach. Mr. and Mrs. Frieze have a host of friends in this locality who deeply regret to see them leave Murray, and at the same time wish them more than success in their new locality. The Journal will follow them twice-a-week and keep them posted as to the doings of the many friends at the old home.

Librarians for December.

The following are the names of the librarians for the month of December: December 2—Mrs. Kate Gaper. December 5—Mrs. J. D. Shrader. December 9—Mrs. E. S. Tutt. December 12—Mrs. O. A. Davis. December 16—Mrs. L. D. Hiatt. December 19—Miss Fay Oldham. December 23—Miss Etta Nickels. December 26—Miss Gertrude Long. December 30—Mrs. Glen Boedeker. K. L. Kniss, President.

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There will be another one of those social dances given at the Jenkins hall in Murray on Saturday evening, December 12th, given by Elmer Boedeker. Remember, the music is the very best, and there is a good time in store for you. Make the date now, and do not fail to attend.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction at his home on the August Oct farm, three and a half miles southwest of Nebraska, four miles west and two miles south of Union, six miles east and one mile south of Ayrer, commencing at 10:30 a. m. on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1914, the following described property, to-wit:

Seven Head of Horses. One black mare, six years old, weight 1700, with foal to foal. One steel gray mare, four years old, weight 1700, with foal to foal. One brown mare, six years old, weight 1250. One black mare, six years old, weight 1250. One black Percheron stallion, twelve years old, weight 1700. Two weaning mules, black and brown.

Six Head of Cattle. One Red Polled cow, giving milk, 8 years old. One Red Polled cow, giving milk, 6 years old. One Red Polled heifer, 18 months old. One Shorthorn heifer, 18 months old. One Red Polled calf, 8 months old. One Red Polled bull, 8 months old. Twenty Head of Hogs. Six Poland China gilts, two Chester White sows, others bears in good shape.

Farming Implements, Etc. One Weber wagon. One wagon and rack. One Reck Island buggy. One 3-section harrow. One Budlong disc. One Avery cultivator. One set heavy harness. Two sets work harness. Six dozen chickens. One 7-foot McCormick binder. One Janesville drill planter. One stirring plow and cutter. One 14-inch Janesville lister. 220 rods of barbed wire. 40 rods of woven wire. 10 rods of chicken wire. 700 feet of lumber. Ten bushels of potatoes. One riding cultivator. One broadcast seeder. One endgate seeder. One 1-horse drill. One sleigh and bells. One bob sled. One 16-foot log chain. 200 posts. One boat. Cook stove, heating stove, two beds, table, cupboard and numerous other articles.

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED ON THE GROUNDS. TERMS OF SALE: All sums of \$10 and under, cash in hand. On all sums over \$10, a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving good bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. All property must be settled for before being removed.

MONT SHRADER, L. J. HALL, Auctioneer, J. M. PATTERSON, Clerk.

Public Sale!

On account of sickness I must quit farming, and will sell at public auction at the Otis McNurling farm, 2 and one-half miles south and one and one-quarter west of Murray, 5 miles northwest of Nebraska, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1914, the following described property, to-wit:

Six Head of Horses. One black horse, 3 years old, weight 1000. One gray mare, 7 years old, with foal, weight 1100. One 7-8 Percheron stallion, 4 years old, weight 1800. Two weaning colts, black and gray. One black horse 6 years old, weight 1200. Milk Cows and Calves. Four good milk cows, he fresh and dry. One fresh cow with calf by side. One Shorthorn bull. One thoroughbred bull calf. Three good calves.

18 Head of Large Hogs; 33 Head of Fine Shoats. Farm Machinery, Etc. One bearing binder, 6-foot cut. Bradley Lister, combined attachment. Two cultivators, one riding. Chesbro corn planter. 110 rods of wire. Two-row stalk cutter. Three-section harrow. Disc riding breaking plow, 16-inch and nearly new. 16-inch walking breaker. One sled. Low wagon and hayrack. Chicken house, 10x20. 40 rods chicken wire. 80 rods 4-foot hog wire, good as new. 12 tons clover hay. Eight dozen chickens. Bed room set, wickless oil range, etc.

TERMS OF SALE: On sums over \$10 a credit of 3 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note drawing 8 per cent interest. Sums under \$10, cash. Nothing to be removed until settled for. C. W. ROYER, D. C. WEST, Clerk. W. R. YOUNG, Auctioneer. Subscribe for The Journal.

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