

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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MURRAY STATE BANK

Mrs. Dora Asch spent Friday with Mrs. F. L. Rhoden.

Dick Davis and wife spent last Monday with Dr. Gilmore and family.

Lewis & Merritt are doing some paper hanging for Miss Etta Nickels this week.

Charles Furgeson, a brother of Mrs. John Edmunds, visited the first of the week with friends in Murray.

Miss Margie Walker and Miss Helen Gilmore took in the Barnum & Bailey show Monday in Omaha.

Adam Schafer was looking after some business matters in Murray on Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barrows and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Boedeker were Platts-mouth visitors last Saturday afternoon.

Misses Carrie Barger and Isabelle Shrader were visiting with county seat friends for a few hours last Saturday evening.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Eaton, down near Union, has been numbered with the sick for the past few days.

Walt Byers of Rock Bluffs, who has been sick with typhoid fever, spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Schwab made a business trip to Omaha Monday this week, returning home in the evening, via Plattsmouth.

F. L. Rhoden, the Lewiston stock buyer, was out Monday on a round-trip, and bought a few hundred head of stock for the market.

We are indeed sorry to learn that our excellent old friend, J. A. Davis, has been numbered with the sick for the past few days, and trust that he may be restored to his former health very soon.

A. D. Crunk and wife spent Sunday with Albert Wilson and family.

E. G. Lewis and wife were guests of F. L. Rhoden and wife Sunday.

John Hobschiedt and family attended services in Plattsmouth Sunday.

F. L. Rhoden and wife were calling on Plattsmouth merchants Saturday.

Wayne Lewis and Fred Campbell were Plattsmouth visitors Sunday evening.

Lee Nickels and sister, Miss Etta, were transacting business in Plattsmouth Tuesday.

Charles Countryman shipped four cars of fat cattle to the South Omaha market Tuesday.

J. W. Philpot of Mt. Pleasant precinct was a passenger to Omaha Thursday morning.

E. G. Lewis and family visited R. H. Fitch and family Tuesday and Wednesday at Plattsmouth.

Nick Friedrich and Lennie Terry-berry were looking after business in Plattsmouth Tuesday afternoon.

Ed Gansemer and Jake Hild mudded it to Plattsmouth Monday forenoon. Dr. Gilmore and Dee Shrader took a place in the car as observers on this trip.

Walter Byers, who has been numbered with the sick for the past few days, has been improving for the past week, and will soon be restored to his former health.

Remember the dance at the Puls and Gansemer hall in Murray on next Saturday evening, Aug. 7th. There will be some excellent music, and a general good time in store for all who attend. You are invited to be present. Given by the Murray Dancing Club, and you know that this means a good time.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES.

Sabbath school meets each Sabbath morning at 10 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. There will be no preaching service during the remainder of August.

Minford and Creamer shipped a car load of mixed stock to the South Omaha market Tuesday evening.

Miss Olga Minford returned home from Peru Monday, where she has been attending summer school.

Frank Davis, from Weeping Water, was in Murray Wednesday of this week visiting with friends and relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Hutchmann will soon depart for a couple months visit at the home of Mr. Hutchmann's parents in Pennsylvania.

Rich Smith, from near Union, shipped a car load of stock from this station on Friday of last week to the South Omaha market.

Dr. and Mrs. Will Brendel, from Avoca, were Murray visitors last Sunday, coming over to spend the day with friends and relatives.

W. H. Kikendall, the genial Murray lumberman, went to Omaha Wednesday morning where he will spend a couple of days looking after some business matters.

Mr. Kennedy, of Missouri, is in this locality this week visiting with friends and relatives. He is guest at the home of his cousin uncle George Shrader, east of Murray.

T. F. Jameson, of Weeping Water, was a Murray visitor last Sunday, being a guest at the home of his daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Brendel. He came over to see the new grandson.

Henry Ost of Memphis, Neb., was looking after business in Plattsmouth Tuesday. Mr. Ost and wife will leave the first of the week for an extended visit to California, where Mr. Ost's parents reside.

Warren Leonard, from near Weeping Water, was here visiting with Murray friends last Sunday.

B. A. Root was looking after some business matters in Omaha Tuesday of this week.

Jack Shaw, who has been in Plattsmouth for the past few months engaged in the garage business with G. H. Manners, returned to Murray on Tuesday of this week, where he will remain for a few days. He and Mr. Manners have dissolved partnership, and the business will be conducted in the future by Mr. Manners.

The new Murray home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vallery is nearing completion. The painters are now on the inside of the house putting on the finishing touches, and expect to have it ready for occupancy by the middle of next week. Mr. and Mrs. Vallery will have one of the finest little homes in Murray when completed.

Ted Barrows completed the deal this week whereby he becomes the owner of the residence property of S. O. Pitman, in Murray. Mr. and Mrs. Barrows will soon move to their new home which is one of the finest in Murray.

J. D. Shrader went to Omaha on Tuesday of this week to attend the big banquet given in that city by the Maxwell Motor Company, which was one of the big events of the season for the Maxwell people. There were several of the new 1915 model machines sold at this time. The affair was a great success in every particular.

If you experience any difficulty in striking a match these wet times and they fail to go, carry a slug of red-hot iron in your pocket and try them on this. Half of them will ignite. The wet weather has injured the matches. The wet weather in our country is caused by the European war, and the war was caused by Haley's comet of a few years ago.

Dr. Hal Smith, of Franklin county, Nebraska, was in Murray last Sunday visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Brendel. Dr. Smith and Dr. Brendel were classmates and graduated together at the medical university thirteen years ago, and have not met since that time, and of course this visit was one of great pleasure to both gentlemen. Dr. Smith had learned of Dr. Brendel's good fortune of being the father of a fine new baby boy, and took advantage of the opportunity to call on his old pal, and the new junior doctor at the same time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown were Omaha visitors last Friday.

Mrs. W. C. Gilmour has been seriously ill for the past few days.

Rev. H. B. Hutchman was an Omaha visitor Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Wm. Stokes spent last Sunday with friends in Nebraska City.

Miss Clara Young was visiting at Peru and Lincoln a few days last week.

Albert Young is repairing the school house up in the Bengen district this week.

Mrs. Lawton spent last week with her brother Rex Young and wife at Lincoln.

Will Shera, of Rock Bluffs, was in Murray looking after some business matters Wednesday.

Louie Puls has been placing a new concrete walk around his new garage building in Murray.

Mrs. L. Alix and little daughter departed Monday for a few weeks visit with a sister in Montana.

Jules Graves, of Peru, has been making a few days visit at the home of his mother in Rock Bluffs this week.

J. A. Whiteman and wife, Chalmer E. Switzer and wife from near Nehawka, were Murray visitors Wednesday afternoon, diving up in the auto.

Dr. Gilmore, F. E. Vallery, T. E. Cronwell and Peter Fast were passengers over the Valley Ford Auto Route to Plattsmouth Tuesday evening.

Then, Amick and family who have been suffering with malaria for the past few days since returning from Arkansas, are improving nicely at this time.

W. S. Scott has returned to his duties at the M. P. depot, after a few weeks vacation. It is indeed pleasing to the patrons of this station to see "Scotty's" smiling face at the old post again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane, of Panama, are here for a few weeks vacation. Mrs. Lane is better known to her many friends in this locality as Miss Manota Perry.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Henry on Tuesday of this week, a bouncing baby boy. Both the mother and little one are doing nicely, and Ray says that if everybody is as happy as they are sure enjoying life.

Frank Vallery buys another piece of Cass county land this week. It is the Guy Murray place just south of the Rock Bluffs cemetery, with the addition of which gives Frank a little over 100 acres in this locality.

Homer Miller and wife, who have been visiting with friends and relatives for the past few days, departed Tuesday evening for their home in Plainview. Mrs. Miller has been here for the past few weeks, and Mr. Miller came down for her last Saturday.

W. C. Brown writes to home folks in Murray that himself and Vance Todd have met with a terrific hail storm up in Canada, and their crops have been completely ruined. This is sure pretty hard luck for the boys, and we trust that it may not prove so serious as has been reported.

James Tigner has been shelling and delivering his corn this week.

Chas. and W. G. Boedeker went to South Omaha Tuesday of this week to look after some business matters, and also to spend the day with J. L. Young, who was on the market that day with several car loads of cattle.

The threshing outfits of this locality have been placed in the fields this week with all the vim there is in them and they are going to clean up the wheat crop just as soon as possible. Frank Vallery has three outfits that will be started to work this week. The company machine from Murray started to work Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Rachel Livingston, of Plattsmouth, has been employed by the Murray School Board to assist in the high school work of Murray for the coming term. Miss Livingston is one of the good teachers of this county, and comes to Murray most highly recommended as a school worker. She will make a valuable assistant to the Murray Schools.

Dr. Gilmore went to Plattsmouth last Friday, where he met his son Walker who was returning home from a few weeks visit with his uncle up in Montana. He returned in the afternoon. Master Walker says he had the trip of his life, and sights he viewed up in the northern country were worth a great deal to him even in his tender years. The young man sure enjoyed his trip, and it was one that will long be remembered by him, as one of great pleasure in his boyhood days.

AN ATROCIOUS AND DASTARDLY OUTRAGE

An Effort Will Be Made to Apprehend Perpetrators and Punish Them to Fullest Extent of the Law.

From Wednesday's Daily. Frank Marler, who resides on the old Norris farm, a few miles southwest of Murray, on the road to Nehawka, seems to have been the victim of a most malicious act on the part of someone. Mr. Marler has just recently purchased a new gasoline engine to operate a threshing outfit, and this engine was left in the field of Mr. Marler only a short distance from the house on Monday evening, and when he visited the engine Tuesday morning was greatly surprised to find that it had been damaged by someone during the night and parts of the engine were out and demolished in a manner that clearly pointed to a dirty attempt to inconvenience this gentleman in his work of threshing.

All the connection on the engine had been cut and the brass fixtures cut and slashed, while the spark plug had been taken out and had either been carried off or thrown away, as there was no sign of it anywhere, and a large pump oil can was also missing from where it had been left. This sort of destruction was very much of a surprise to the owner and after an investigation of the engine he came to this city and notified Sheriff C. D. Quinton of the affair, and as much of the damage as he was able to ascertain.

The act has not only caused damage to Mr. Marler's engine, but has also put him behind in his work of threshing for himself, as well as his neighbors, and as the few opportunities to operate the threshing are very valuable he feels the effect very keenly, and a very strong effort will be made to locate the party or parties committing the act of vandalism, and if they are located they will be punished to the fullest extent of the law, as there was clearly a spirit of maliciousness shown by whoever was responsible, and evidently with a view of causing trouble for Mr. Marler.

Selling Implements Cheap.

The Murray Hardware and Implement Company have been using the old school house building for an implement store room, and now that this building has been sold the implement company are compelled to move in the very near future. If you will read their advertisement in this issue of the Journal you will see that they are willing to sacrifice these goods in order to prevent moving to other quarters. They will sure make it an object for you to buy the lines they have on hands now. Read the ad and then call at the store and talk with the boys on what you need. It is their intention to build onto the present store room just as soon as possible, making ample room for a full and complete line of farming implements of all kinds.

Here for Medical Aid.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lewis, now residing down near Weeping Water, were in Murray Wednesday afternoon to consult Dr. Gilmore. Mr. Lewis fell from a wagon that he had turned over with him and rolled down the bank of a stream Monday evening, and received quite a severe sprained ankle. He is getting along quite well with the injury at the present time, and is making regular trips to Murray for medical attention.

HOG TAKEN UP.

Several days ago a stray hog came to my place, and after remaining near for some time the animal was placed in my lot, and every effort has been made to find the owner. The owner may have same by calling at my place and proving property, paying for care and damages and for this advertisement.

Alva Long,
Murray, Nebraska.

For Sale.

1914 Bull Tractor, in good condition, \$250.00. O. A. Davis, Murray, Nebraska. 7-12-4w

For Sale.

Good alfalfa seed, \$9 per bushel. Call or write, J. L. Shrader, Nehawka.

Dance at Murray Saturday.

The Murray Dancing club will give a dance on Saturday evening, August 7th, at the Puls & Gansmer hall. Music will be furnished by the Holly orchestra of Plattsmouth. Everyone invited to be present and have a good time.

Removal Sale!

Plows and Wagons at Great Reductions

We are compelled to move our implement house, and before doing so we would like to greatly reduce, if not sell all out our entire line of WAGONS and PLOWS, and we will make you some very attractive prices as an inducement to buy this line at this time. We do not believe that the line will not last long at the prices we will place on them, so call early if you want in on the bargains.

Murray Implement and Hardware Company. Nebraska

Pure Blood Duroc Pigs

AT SPECIAL PRICE

Will sell from the Oldham herd of Duroc March male pigs for \$15.00. This offer good until August 20th. The Oldham herd has been established for sixteen years, and a glance at the pedigrees of the foundation stock reveals the fact that they have been good buyers from some of the very best breeders. The herd contains much of the blood of the great Golden Rule family. Jr. Jim Critic's Redeemer. The pigs are given the best of care at all times, and fed and handled in such a way as to insure their usefulness as breeders. These pigs were sired by Critic's King, son of Critic's Wonder, by Critic B. The dam of King was Crimson Helen by Crimson Col.

Included in the pigs offered for sale is one litter sired by Walt's Model, the \$400 hog belonging to Pitman, of Tecumseh. They are out of the fine sow, Manda Gano, a richly bred Col. Gano sow.

For the present a few pair not related can be furnished.

A. P. and F. M. OLDHAM
Murray Nebraska.

Rex Bound to Succeed.

Rex Young, the Murray Auctioneer, is over in Iowa this week attending a number of cattle sales being held in that locality. Rex did not intend to buy cattle, as this is not his line at the present, but his line is that of auctioneering, and he accepted a special invitation from the auctioneer in charge of the sales, who has almost a national reputation in the ring, to be present on these occasions. Rex is in no way contrary to the average ambitious young man who has entered a chosen profession, and is desirous of gaining all the knowledge he can along this line, and could not afford to pass this opportunity up, one that will give him a great deal of information in the sale ring. Rex is in the business for success in the fullest sense of the term, and from the present rate that he is climbing, he will soon rank with the best. Success to him is the wish of the Journal.

The Place to Buy Lumber.

There never was a season so favorable for building and making improvements around your farm home as this one has been, and the activity around the Murray lumber yard is an evidence of this fact. More of all grades of lumber is being sold this spring than for many seasons. The demand for good goods and the fact that it can always be found at this lumber yard at the right prices are the causes for the increased business. Mr. Kikendall is after the lumber business of this locality, not only from the fact that it is due him, but because he is ready and willing to meet all competition on the numerous grades of lumber.

Mrs. Chas. Perry and son Owen, of Malcolm, Nebraska, spent last Sunday with Grandma Perry, north of Murray.

Puls & Gansemer

are still endeavoring to carry everything that you need today or will need tomorrow in the line of Dry Goods and Groceries. We want you business and realizing that by keeping the lines of goods that you will need today or in the future, is one chance in our favor of securing your business. We are buying goods to suit you, not ourselves, and if you will only let us know what you want we will be in a better position to please you, should we not have the article in stock.

Let us know your wants and we believe that we will be able to prove to you that we are a money saving station in Murray for you. When those wants are in our line we want to talk to you.

Puls & Gansemer,

Murray, Nebraska.

How About Dishes?

Look them over, and get ready for that threshing dinner. White bowls, cups and saucers, tumblers, pitchers, etc.

GRANITE WARE

Kettles, wash basins, buckets, dish pans, pans, coffee pots, dippers, etc., and lots of tinware.

Extra Heavy Seamless Grain Sacks 23c

Hiatt & Tutt,

MURRAY NEBRASKA