

# 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. E. R. Green was transacting business in Plattsmouth Saturday.

A. D. Crunk was looking after business in Union Thursday.

Mrs. Margaret Medcalfe is listed among the sick this week.

H. C. Creamer was an Omaha visitor Friday and Saturday.

Gussie Pulein and wife spent Sunday with Oscar Shrader and wife.

Harry E. Johnson was calling on Weeping Water friends Sunday afternoon.

There will be services at Lewiston Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. All are invited.

George E. Nickles and Miss Gertrude Long were guests of Miss Etta Nickles Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson and son Elmer spent Saturday and Sunday with E. R. Queen and family.

Mrs. Charles Schwab and son, Frank, were transacting business in Plattsmouth Saturday.

W. R. Good and wife motored up to Plattsmouth Saturday, where they were looking after business with the Plattsmouth merchants.

A. F. Nickles, who has been taking several months' treatment in Hot Springs, Arkansas, is expected home the latter part of the week.

Miss Margaret, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Engelkemeier, has been suffering with a seige of the measles for the past few days.

Mr. Dave Young is listed among the sick this week.

William Nickles was transacting business in Plattsmouth Friday.

Miss Isabelle Shrader spent Sunday with George Shrader and family.

John Hobschiedt was delivering hogs to the Murray buyers Wednesday.

Philip Schafer is the owner of a new Ford car, purchasing one this week.

George Hansen, Jake Wild and W. J. Philpot motored to Omaha last Monday.

Mrs. John Hendricks was looking after business matters in Plattsmouth Monday.

Mrs. Laura Irvin and daughter Verna were visiting Murray merchants Tuesday.

Mrs. James Brown was visiting her sister, Mrs. Marie Stein, in Omaha Saturday evening.

The K. N. K. ladies are holding a quilting bee at the home of Mrs. Will Oliver today, Thursday.

The Library association is preparing a home talent play for the near future under the direction of Mr. L. D. Hiatt, which assures the success of the play.

Fred Schafer, who has been out to the Schafer Brothers' ranch in Loup county looking after some business matters for the past few days, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Dick Chriswisher has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. W. D. Wheeler has been numbered with the sick for the past few days.

Mrs. Charles Carroll and Mrs. L. L. Alex were Omaha visitors last Saturday.

A. L. Baker was in Plattsmouth on Tuesday evening attending the Elks' entertainment.

Charles Sans and W. D. Wheeler shipped a car of cattle to the South Omaha market this week.

Minford & Creamer shipped two cars of stock to the South Omaha market Wednesday evening.

Minford & Creamer shipped two cars of stock and hogs to the South Omaha market Thursday evening.

William Schlichtemeier shipped two cars of stock and hogs to the South Omaha market Thursday evening.

Miss Margie Walker went to Plattsmouth Tuesday evening to attend the musicale at the Elks' club.

Dr. J. F. Brendel and wife drove down to Weeping Water last Sunday to spend the day with Mrs. Brendel's parents.

We regret to learn that our mighty good friend, J. A. Walker, has been numbered with the sick for the past few days.

H. C. Creamer and daughter, Miss Henrietta, and Miss Laura Puls went to Plattsmouth Tuesday evening to attend the Elks' entertainment.

Frank Sheldon and Fred Nutzman, from Nehawka, were in Murray on Wednesday afternoon, driving in from Plattsmouth, being accompanied by G. W. Boedecker to the county seat.

C. E. Haney is making some needed repairs on his newly acquired Murray property, the barber shop building, this week. New roof, new plastering and new paint will be used quite freely.

Ted Barrows, Alf Gansemer, Louie Puls and Herman Gansemer drove to Omaha Wednesday of this week. The trip was made in Mr. Puls' auto, and the object was to purchase a new auto for Mr. Gansemer.

We are informed that Philip Keil commenced planting corn Monday of this week. Philip is right on the job all the time, and he no doubt believes in the old saying that "the early bird gets the worm."

Philip Hild had his arm quite seriously injured by catching that member in the belt of a corn sheller on Monday of last week. He has been laid up with the injury for the past few days, although it is not very serious.

Jake Lohnes was in Omaha last Friday to see his daughter, Miss Ella, who is in the hospital recovering from an operation. The young lady is getting along nicely and every indication points to the early return of her former health.

Rev. Hutchmann returned home on Tuesday evening from a two weeks' visit and preaching trip over in Iowa. Mrs. Hutchmann went to Omaha on Tuesday morning to meet him. We are informed that Mr. Hutchmann will accept a call to another pastorate in the next few weeks.

Mrs. George McReynolds, from near Nehawka, was taken to Omaha by Dr. Gilmore last week, where she was placed in the hospital and operated upon for gall stones. She is getting along nicely and will no doubt gain strength very rapidly until she will be able to return home.

The many friends of Jack Shaw are indeed mighty glad to see him back in Murray this week. He went up to Omaha several days ago, and from his extended stay in the metropolis, some were inclined to believe that we had lost his familiar smiling face from our midst, but he returned this week and is just as happy as ever.

Dr. B. F. Brendel accompanied Mrs. Grace Rhoden to Omaha Wednesday of this week in the automobile with Mr. Louie Todd, where she was placed in the St. Joseph hospital for another operation. Mrs. Rhoden has been quite sick for the past few days and was only out of the hospital a few days when she was compelled to return.

Mrs. E. M. Steiner, who is still in the hospital at Omaha, has been gaining strength very rapidly for the last few days and will be able to return to her home in Lincoln Thursday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Steiner will within the next two weeks remove from Lincoln to Rawlins, Wyoming, where they will make their future home. Mrs. Steiner will make a short visit with home folks before departing for the west.

### The Late James Root.

James Root passed away very suddenly at his home, 2910 Vine street, Lincoln, April 16. The funeral was held at the East Side Christian church Tuesday, April 18, at 2 p. m. The funeral services were conducted by the pastor, J. W. Hilton. A male quartette rendered three beautiful selections and a duet was sung by J. W. Hilton and wife. The floral offerings were beautiful. He was laid to rest in Wyuka cemetery, Lincoln.

He was born February 24, 1844, at Kinsman, Ohio, where he lived with his parents until about 1862 when he moved to Newaygo, Mich., where he was married September 27, 1863, to Harriet A. Dickinson. To this union four children were born: Martha M., deceased, Charles Franklin, Mary C. and Minnie Irene. He united with the Christian church very early in life and remained a faithful member until his death. He lived in Michigan until 1869 when he moved to Cass county, Nebraska, where he engaged in farming. In 1891 he moved from his farm one mile south of Murray, and started a lumber yard in partnership with T. W. Faught, and later was in the lumber and harness business with J. W. Edmunds. In 1901 he, with a partner, A. L. Baker, purchased the hardware and implement business of E. A. Burton, which he carried on successfully for a number of years when he retired from an active business life. He was a charter member of the Rock Creek Christian church, serving as a deacon, until the Christian church was organized at Murray where he served in the same capacity until moving to Lincoln in the year 1907, when his membership was transferred to the East Side Christian church, where again he was elected a deacon and trustee, serving very faithfully until his death. He was devoted to his family and his church, never missing a service when it was possible for him to be there. He leaves to mourn his loss a faithful wife, one son and two daughters, Charles Franklin Root, Minnie I. Woods, both of Lincoln, and Mary C. McDaniel of Nebraska City, an aged brother, Nelson Root, of Kinsman, Ohio, one half-brother and three half-sisters, all of western Nebraska; also sixteen grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren, and numerous friends measured by his acquaintances.

He has gone away and left us, There is just one vacant chair; He has crossed the great white river, We can see him resting there, With the oars of life beside him, Free at last from all earth's care.

For his life was calm and peaceful And the tide was ebbing low, And although we miss him greatly We can feel that he was glad to go To be with our dear Redeemer, For we know he loved Him so.

Now his boat is safely anchored Over on the other shore. He is waiting there to greet us When our journey here is o'er, Once again to be united Where they never part no more.

There is to be a home talent play given in Murray in the near future for the benefit of the library, the exact date of which has not yet been decided upon.

W. F. Moore and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Hansen, drove to Plattsmouth Tuesday afternoon, from which point Mrs. Hansen departed for La Porte, Colorado, where she will join her husband and where they will make their home in the future.

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Banning & Nickles are receiving two cars of lumber this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Campbell were Plattsmouth visitors last Friday.

Miss Olga Minford was home from Lincoln a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baker took dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Farris.

Allie Leonard was looking after some matters of business in the county seat last Friday.

Oldham's shipped another one of their fine Duroc hogs to Schuyler, Nebraska, this week.

William Rice was looking after business matters in Plattsmouth on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Engelkemeier and daughter, from west of Murray, were Plattsmouth visitors last Friday.

Albert Young and George Gibson are remodeling the house and adding new buildings to the Minford home, west of Murray.

Lucille Benedict of Omaha was in Murray last Sunday, spending the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rice, west of town.

Otto Schafer and Dan Terryberry were Plattsmouth visitors last Friday, both of whom were pleasant callers at the Journal office.

The Royal Neighbors will meet in their lodge rooms on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

The new home of W. H. Puls is moving right along, the roof being put on this week. Before many moons Mr. and Mrs. Puls will have one of the finest homes in Murray.

There was sure an unusual scene in Murray Wednesday of this week. That was Bert Young out mowing the lawn in the front yard with an overcoat on and a pair of ear-flaps on his ears. Sure some lawn mowing, as well as some cold weather.

Andy Campbell was in Omaha Friday to see his daughter Frances. Mrs. Urwin Barnard, who is in the Presbyterian hospital receiving treatment. Mrs. Urwin's health has not been very good for some time, but she is reported to be gaining under the care she is receiving at the hospital.

The Sunshine band of the Christian church will hold a Pie Auction at the library rooms next Saturday evening, April 29. Coffee will be served free, but pie whole, pie half, pie cut, will be sold at auction. Everyone cordially invited to attend. Be sure and come. This will be a new and novel entertainment, and plenty of good pie to eat.

We regret to learn that our excellent old friend, D. A. Young, has been on the sick list for the past few days, suffering, among other complications, from an infected leg that is the result of an injury he received a couple of years ago. He is quite ill and is confined to his bed, but his sickness is not considered serious. His many friends hope to see him up and around in a few days.

There was quite a serious runaway out at the farm place of John Urish last Monday, at which time one of the hands on the farm was driving the team hitched to a plow when the horses became frightened and ran away. The young man, whose name we did not learn, became badly mixed up with the plow, and was dragged some distance in this manner, being quite badly bruised up. He was in Murray Tuesday evening and took the train Wednesday for Omaha where he will remain with friends until able to resume his farm work.

Left Cass County 21 Years Ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Seibold and family are in Murray this week, visiting with old friends in and around this village, being guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hatchett. They drove down in their car from their home in Lincoln county. Mr. Seibold left this part of the country twenty-one years ago and took up his home in the western part of the state on a homestead. He has worked hard, but prospered, and has thereby gained a goodly share of all there is in this life, both happiness and prosperity. His visit back to the old Cass home will be a pleasant one.

Taken to Omaha For Operation.

Dr. Gilmore went to Omaha Wednesday of last week with Everett Mears, who was at the time suffering with a severe case of appendicitis. Dr. Gilmore discovered the serious illness of Mr. Mears about 5 o'clock in the evening and with the aid of Mark White's trusty Ford car they made for Plattsmouth, where the M. P. fier was caught for Omaha, and the young man was operated upon at 9 o'clock, and none too soon to save his life, as the case was in a very serious pus form. He is getting along nicely.

Sales bills gone quickly at the Journal.



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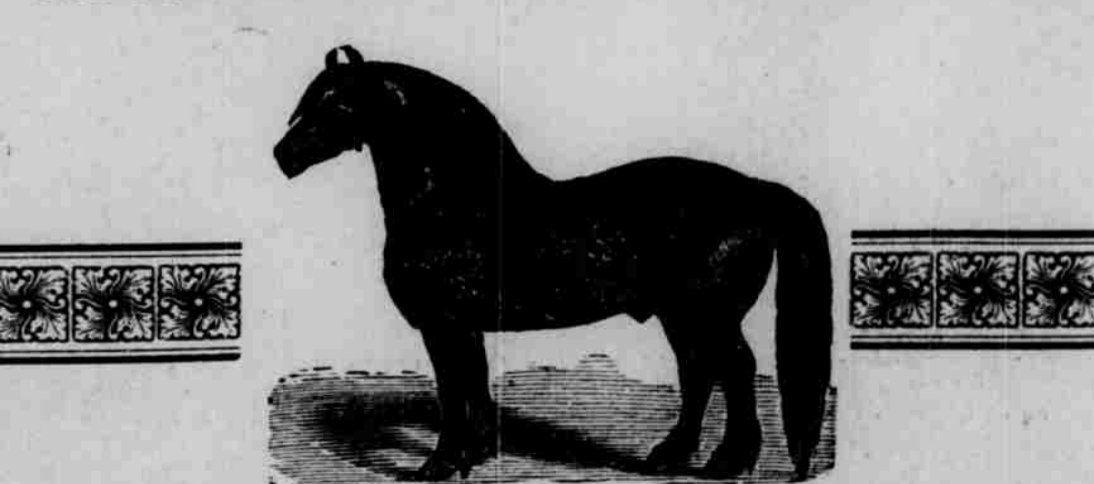
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