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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For Sale: Five Duroc boars. Oldham Stock Farm.

For Sale or Rent—My seven room residence in Murray. Mrs. J. W. Berger.

A. L. Baker made a trip to Plattsmouth Wednesday evening for a few hours visit with county seat friends.

Miss Opha Baker returned to her school studies in Lincoln Tuesday after having spent the holiday season with home folks.

Mrs. Ed. Lutz came down from Plattsmouth Wednesday of this week, and spent the day with her sister, Mrs. L. D. Hiatt.

Miss Marie Davis, who is teaching school in the western part of the state, is spending her Christmas vacation with home folks.

Crede Harris was considerably bruised up down at Union a few days ago, when an automobile backed into him, while standing on the street. He might have been very seriously injured, but fortunately he came out with only a few bruises.

Crede Harris has been very sick for the past few days, suffering with a severe attack of neuralgia, that placed him in a very dangerous condition, for some time. He is improving, we understand. Publications are that he will be able to be out of Young Am[illegible] chants, which [illegible] ored to his former community, a gin [illegible]

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Dr. Gilmore was looking after some matters of business in the county seat Monday.

Miss Mary Metz, of Talmage, arrived in Murray this week for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Cecil Pettit.

Mrs. Frank Gobelman, of Plattsmouth was in Murray last Thursday, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hiatt.

Mrs. Pettit, of Talmage, who has been here visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Pettit, returned to her home Monday.

Ben Dill drove to Plattsmouth Wednesday, where he spent a few hours in business and visiting with county seat friends. He was a pleasant caller at the Journal office.

Misses Jessie Barrows and Mae Loughridge were down from Lincoln to spend the holiday season with home folks, returning to their studies in the capital city last Sunday.

The dance given at the Puls & Gansemer hall last Tuesday evening was well attended, and everybody present seemed to have a most enjoyable time. There were several auto loads down from Plattsmouth. The management have announced another dance at this hall on January 17th.

Grandpa Hiatt has been very sick for the past few days, and at times his condition was considered quite serious. His daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cole, from Weeping Water, and son Berian and wife, from the central part of the state, were called to his bedside during the past few days, owing to his serious illness. From long illness and advanced age this excellent old gentleman is in a very weakened condition, and no signs of permanent improvement have appeared up to the present time.

Creed Harris is reported some better this week.

Mrs. H. C. Creamer has been listed among the sick for the past few days.

Miss Margaret Moon was a passenger to Plattsmouth last Saturday evening.

Oscar Shrader was transacting business in Plattsmouth last Saturday evening.

France Pace and family were Christmas visitors with friends in Plattsmouth.

H. C. Creamer shipped a car load of stock to the South Omaha market Tuesday evening.

Miss Bertha Nickels and guests Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swimford were Omaha visitors Tuesday.

Miss Ida Good went to Oak Grove, Mo., a few days ago where she will make a visit with friends.

T. J. Crunk, who has been visiting with A. D. Crunk, departed for his home in Missouri last Friday.

George E. Nickels and Miss Gertrude Long were guests at the home of Wm. Nickels last Tuesday.

Dr. B. F. Brendel was looking after some matters of business in the county seat Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crunk are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine little daughter at their home a few days ago.

Uncle George Shrader was quite seriously ill for several days last week, but we are pleased to state that he is much better at this time.

Erom Crosser, who has been here for some time visiting with his grandfather, R. R. Nickels and family, departed a few days ago for his home in Wood River.

Mrs. Henrietta Simpson of California, who has been here for the past three months, visiting with her brother, Wm. Nickels, departed a few days ago for Kansas City, where she will make an extended visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farris entertained Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Tutt, Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Royal last Thursday evening. Mrs. Farris served a delightful luncheon that added very much to the pleasure of the evening.

Robt. Young, whom we reported a few weeks ago as would be able to return home from the Omaha hospital for Christmas dinner, was disappointed. We have been informed that some of the relatives went to the city after him, but the doctor would not permit him to return home yet, and may not for some time.

Will Homan has been suffering from a severely burned hand for the past few days, brought on in a very peculiar accidental manner. He had previously received a minor injury on that member, and the same was bandaged with cloth quite heavily saturated with turpentine, and in attempting to ignite a fire he caught those bandages on fire. The burns received were very severe and deep, and will no doubt lay him up for som time.

There was quite a number of relatives and friends gathered at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Todd, south of Murray, for New Year's dinner, and to enjoy the day at this, one of the most beautiful farm homes in all Cass county. There were nearly fifty plates set for dinner, and we will wager a very valuable prize that it was, as the little boy would say "some dinner." It was a most pleasant day for all those favored with an invitation to be present.

Notice to Our Readers.

Owing to suffering with a severe cold, ye publisher was considered on the sick list this week, and we were unable to make our regular trip to Murray. By telephone we thought we had ganied a few items that would be mailed to us, but only one arrived, so our Murray page will be rather slim this week. We have gained a few items from some of our friends visiting in the city from Murray during the day. We hope to be with our Murray friends again next week.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

The M. W. A. will hold their installation of officers Thursday evening, Jan. 10th, at their hall in Murray, Neb. All members are requested to be present. Refreshments will be served.

HOGS ON THE SHARE—We will put out a few pure bred Duroc-Jersey sows on shares. Oldham Stock Farm, Murray.

Charley Creamer is among the sick this week.

Robert Good and Gus Pullen were Plattsmouth visitors last Saturday.

Walter Swimford and family who have been visiting with Robert Nickels and relatives left for their home at Iola, Kansas, last Wednesday morning.

Dr. J. B. Jackson went to Omaha New Years morning and returned by the Burlington to Plattsmouth just after dinner. He came on home by auto, getting here before 3 o'clock. Mr. Jackson is indebted to Mr. Oliver, who lives west of Murray, for the auto ride.

Christmas morning, Dr. J. R. Jackson, who is an osteopathic physician, located at Brookings, S. D., arrived for a holiday visit with his parents at the United Presbyterian parsonage. He lest Thursday morning to visit the instructor in the balloon school at Fort Omaha, a close personal friend, who has since been ordered to France. From Omaha, Dr. Jackson went over to Red Oak to see his sister, the wife of Rev. William Murchie.

United Presbyterian Notes.

Sabbath school at 10:00 next Sabbath and sermon by the pastor at 11:00. Union service in the evening at which Rev. D. L. Hughes of the Christian church will preach.

Christmas evening Dr. and Mrs. Jackson entertained the young people of the United Presbyterian church at the parsonage. The evening was spent very pleasantly.

The "White Gift" service of the United Presbyterian Sabbath school Christmas eve brought an offering of over $16.00 which has been forwarded for the use of the War Service commission of the denomination ministering to the soldiers.

SOCIAL DANCE
—at the—
PULS & GANSEMER HALL
January 17th
Music by the Desdundes Colored Orchestra of Omaha.
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MURRAY DANCING CLUB

You know the good time that will be in store for you, so do not fail to come.

WILL CONSULT A SPECIALIST.

From Monday's Daily.

This morning Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warren departed for Omaha, taking with them their little son Allen, who has been sick, and it has been with difficulty that the local physician is diagnosing the case. Feeling that the opinion of a specialist would be of benefit in the case they are with their physician taking the little one there for examination and advice.

A BOUNCING BOY OUT WEST.

From Monday's Daily.

Last evening Mrs. J. C. Petersen departed for the west, where she will go to Patronia, Colorado, to visit at the home of their daughter Mrs. Edmond Spies and husband, but the thing which is calling her to the land of the sunset, is that there has arrived in that household, a little fellow, who will make his home with the happy Spies family, and who has sent word for Grandmother Petersen to come out and see him. Grandfather J. C. Petersen could hardly keep from making the trip too, but being so busy with the affairs here he has deferred going for the present.

MAKES SHORT VISIT.

From Monday's Daily.

Last Saturday evening Carl Cunningham who is teaching at District Number 70, which is northeast of Wabash and his friends Henry Reuter drove over to Plattsmouth, where Mr. Reuter had some matters to look after at the court house, and Mr. Cunningham stopped with his parent's Geo. B. Cunningham, south of this city over Sunday, going back to his school Sunday afternoon.

WAR MAPS.

The famous Rand-McNally war maps will now be found on sale at The Journal office. These maps show all the big battle lines, on a large scale so that you can easily trace where all the big battles are being held. We have maps of the whole western front, also the British front, the French front, and the Italian front. They are 25c each. Get them at the Journal office.

MURDOCK.
(Special Correspondence.)

Mr. Idd Hornbeck spent Sunday in Lincoln.

John Krueger is spending several weeks in Murdock.

Mr. Rodger Reeve spent the fore part of the week with his parents.

Miss Louise Schoviland spent last Tuesday and Thursday in Murdock.

A skating party was enjoyed New Years eve by a party of high school pupils.

Miss Tillie Bornemeier gave a New Years party to a number of young folks.

Conrad Bumgartner, Herbert Stroy and Clara Stroy returned to Lincoln Sunday.

Mr. Holfield, of Germantown, visited Christmas day with the Chas. Schneider family.

Miss Ruth Sorich spent several days with her sister in Lincoln during the past week.

Harry L. Jones and Leo Maguire of Stratton, are spending the holidays with relatives here.

Misses Lottie Colby and Maude Trautt returned Sunday after spending the holidays in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Borneimeier are the proud parents of a nine pound baby boy born December 29th.

Miss Anna Amgwert, of Lincoln and Rose Amgwert, of Council Bluffs spent Christmas with their parents.

Mrs. George Hite, accompanied by her mother and niece, all of Oakland, Nebraska, visited over Sunday with relatives here.

The oyster supper given on New Years night by the Royal Neighbors, was well attended and a very enjoyable time was reported.

Mrs. Lena Lett and son, Kenneth, returned to their home in Council Bluffs Saturday, after spending the Christmas season with home folks.

Mr. Walter Stohlman surprised the people of Murdock by coming home from the Naval Training camp at Hampton Roads, on Monday. He expects to return the 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bakemeier, of Elmwood, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bakemeier and family and Mr. Will Bakemeier were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hornbeck New Years day.

Mr. and Mrs. Moomey returned on Tuesday, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Homer Hess, after having spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hess at Mankato, Kansas.

The musical program given at the M. E. church Sunday evening by Rev. and Mrs. E. Harper and Mrs. E. A. Rayner, was well attended and a very interesting program was given by these people.

The pupils of Miss Louise Schaviland's class in elocution will give a recital at the M. E. church Saturday, January 5th at 8:00. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

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J. D. GRAVETT DOING NICELY.

W. E. Gravett departed this morning for Council Bluffs, where he goes to see his father J. D. Gravett, who is in a hospital at that place, recovering from an operation for the removal of one of his feet and legs below the knee, which was necessitated on account of the injury he received when the Northwestern train ran over him a week or so since. Mr. Gravett says his father is geting along nicely and especially considering the age of the parent.

HAS MUCH BUSINESS FOR COMING SPRING

James Rishel, who has been visiting in Plattsmouth for the past several days with relatives and friends, departed this morning for his home at Glenwood, Iowa, where he is looking after some work at painting at the institute. Mr. Rishel who has a paint store at Glenwood, is a large contractor in the painting line, and has some thousands of dollars of work contracted at this time for the coming spring. He was saying to the reporter of this paper that he could use five painters the coming season, and would be ready to open up work early as he has now a large amount of work which is inside.

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New Year

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INCOME TAX TO CATCH 70,000 IN NEBRASKA

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SINGLE MEN ABOVE $1000 PAY

Itinerary Is Announced for Twenty-Three Field Agents Through State.

Have you made your income tax return?

Well, as the poet says, "The sooner, the quicker!"

Many Nebraskans may not yet be aware that they are among the 70,000 people in this state who are subject to a tax on their incomes. This is because the new war income tax law reduced the amount of exempted income in a more or less startling degree.

Heretofore, if you were single, your income was exempt from tax up to $3,000 a year. If you were married you paid no tax unless your income was over $4,000 a year. It's different now.

War Tax Catches Many.

The war income tax is levied on all incomes of unmarried persons which exceed $1,000 a year, and upon incomes of married persons in excess of $2,000 per year.

To make it read in every-day terms, if your salary or income is in excess of the following, you are subject to the tax:

Single persons, $3.28 a working day, $19.22 a week or $83.33 a month.

Married persons, $6.56 a working day, $38.44 a week or $166.66 a month.

Additional exemption is allowed on the basis of $200 a year for each dependent child under 18 years of age.

Get Blanks From Field Agents.

It is further explained that the tax does not apply to the entire income, but only to the excess amount over the exemption in each case. A single person, for instance, on a salary of $1,200 a year would pay the tax on $200.

Collector of Internal Revenue Loomis explains that blank forms on which the returns are to be made may be secured from any one of the field agents who will shortly visit practically every city in the state on a tour of instruction, or they may be obtained by writing to the office of Mr. Loomis here.

Many of the blanks already have been mailed to persons who are known to come under the provisions of the act, but the failure to receive a blank by mail is no excuse for failure to make the return.

March 1 Limit for Returns.

The returns should be made at once, and must be made not later than March 1, as there is a stiff penalty for delinquency in making the return. There is also an even stiffer penalty, including imprisonment, for false report of income.

Where both husband and wife have independent incomes, each may make the return, but if the income of either is less than $1,000, but their combined income is $2,000 or more, a joint return should be rendered.

It is expressly declared that when a person's income comes exactly to the amount exempted, as $3,000 or $2,000, a return must be made, although the person will not have to pay the tax.

It will pay you to keep your eye on this space during

1918

Puls & Gansemer,
Murray, Nebraska

The United States Government urges you to pay cash. Mail order houses compel you to pay cash. Credit plans make you pay more and you buy more not thinking of the payday which is bound to come. Pay cash and watch all prices. Don't let out of town concerns bait you with a few specials. We can save you money on every dollar spent with us.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Choice sweet corn, per can	$ .13
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[illegible]atoes, No. 3 size, per can	.17
[illegible] No. 3 size, solid pack, per can	.17
Pineapple, No. 3 size, per can	.27
[illegible] packed peas, No. 2 size, per can	.13
[illegible]eda, per package	.08
[illegible]oatmeal for	.28
[illegible]te corn meal	.35
5 ba[illegible] White, Flake White or Crystal White [illegible] soap for	.28
Kirk O[illegible] toilet soap, per bar	.10
Pink salmon, tall can	.19
Red salmon, tall can	.28
2 lbs. best Marigogipe coffee	.45
Fancy Santos Peaberry coffee, per lb.	.27
Fancy Santos Peaberry coffee, 5 lbs. for	1.30
One-half pound bitter chocolate	.23
Best large head rice, 2 lbs. for	.22

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