

# 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 special event or item of interest in this vicinity, and will mail same to this office, it will appear under this heading. We want all new items.—Editor

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**Puls & Gansemer,**  
MURRAY, NEBRASKA

G. W. Shrader was transacting business in Omaha Monday.

Mrs. Mutz, of Lincoln, is visiting with her son, Charles Mutz, and her brother, H. C. Creamer, a few days this week.

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

Mrs. Chas. Creamer was an Omaha visitor last Monday.

John Hobscheidt, Jr., was one of the first farmers to invest in a truck for the farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Farris and the children were Plattsmouth visitors for a few hours yesterday evening. They were pleasant callers at the Journal office.

For Sale: China goose eggs, at 75 cents for six.—Oldham Stock Farm.

Elmer Hallstrom, of Omaha, was a Murray visitor Monday of the present week.

J. K. Pollock, of Plattsmouth, was in Murray Wednesday, looking after telephone business.

W. S. Smith was looking after some matters of business at the county seat Wednesday afternoon.

Lincoln Creamer, who has been at the home of his brother, H. C. Creamer, for the past few days, departed Monday for his home near Ashland.

Mrs. Ed Stokes, of Plainview, arrived in Murray last Saturday to see her brother, H. C. Creamer, who has been very sick for the past two weeks.

Miss Tucker, trained nurse from Omaha, came down last Saturday to assist in taking care of H. C. Creamer, who has been seriously ill for the past few days.

W. G. Boedeker, the genial cashier of the Murray State Bank, has been numbered with the sick for the past few days, suffering from a bad gathering in his ear.

The new light poles are now all set in place and in readiness for the stringing of wire. With all conditions favoring us Murray will have electric lights mighty soon after the first of May.

There will be about twelve cars of grain to leave this station during the present week. The cars have been set in on the siding and the farmers are delivering grain to fill them up quite rapidly.

George Shields has been partially crippled up for the past few days as the result of a board falling upon his foot Monday evening. The injury resulted in a broken blood vessel, which has caused him a great deal of pain.

Georgia Creamer, Uncle George Shrader and Homer Shrader went to Omaha Sunday evening to be present at the hospital Monday morning, when one of the twins of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Shrader was operated upon.

H. G. Todd purchases a new Fulton truck from the L. H. Puls garage this week. This is an all-purpose farm truck, and will prove a good investment for Mr. Todd, and will completely equip his farm for heavy transferring.

Mrs. Jane Totten came down from her home near Plattsmouth on last Saturday and went to Omaha Sunday evening with Anderson Lloyd, for a visit with Miss Cassie Lloyd at the hospital. Mrs. Lloyd has been suffering a great deal with her old trouble for the past few days.

The Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph company has completed the repair work on the old M. G. Church-ill residence property here in preparation for the telephone exchange building. The new switch-board will soon be set in place, and the Murray exchange will then be in its permanent home.

The Home Guards Growing.

The Murray Home Guards company is growing quite lively, and within a short time will have a full company. There was another very successful meeting held last evening, at which the membership was boosted to fifty-nine. Lee Kniss was elected Captain, O. A. Davis, First Lieutenant and A. A. Young, Second Lieutenant. The drill nights have been placed on Tuesday and Friday evenings of each week from 8:30 to 10:30. All members are requested to be present on each and every drill night if possible.

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Also several other Cass county farms.—Frank Vallery, Murray, Nebraska; phone 27, Murray exchange.

**NOTICE TO PATRONS.**

Having sold my blacksmith shop in Murray, I take this method of notifying all patrons knowing themselves indebted to me to please call and settle at once, as I wish to leave this part of the country.

C. M. GOOD.

Mr. Farmer—It will pay you to drive to Sterling, Nebraska in your car and buy a Farm of Moeckenhaupt & Curtati, Sterling, Neb. 23-1mow

Mrs. Chas. Spangler was visiting with Plattsmouth friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller, of Wyoming, Neb., were calling on Murray friends last week.

Rich Smith was looking after some matters of business in Murray on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Rhoden are having their Murray residence remodeled this week.

Miss Clara Young came down from Plattsmouth last Sunday to spend the day with home folks.

Fred Meisinger has been shelling his corn this week, delivering the same to the Murray markets.

Dr. and Mrs. Gilmore and Mrs. Margie Walker were visiting with Plattsmouth friends Wednesday.

Mrs. Dull is having her house wired for electric lights; also repainted on the inside this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and Grandma Brown were Plattsmouth visitors on Wednesday of this week.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Puls is moving right along at this time. The brick veneering was started this week.

It has been reported here that six inches of snow fell in Chase county this week. This will no doubt insure a big wheat crop for Chase.

L. H. Puls, of the Murray Garage, received a car load of oils and automobile grease this week, which will probably carry this thriving institution through the present season.

Willie Wulson, who has been in the hospital in Omaha for the past few days recovering from a fractured skull he received from falling off a horse, returned home last Friday. He is getting along fine.

Misses Mae Loughridge and Leora Brown, who are attending school in Lincoln, came home Wednesday to attend the funeral of their grandfather, W. A. Brown, which was held on Thursday.

L. H. Puls sold another one of those fine Alamo Farm light plants this week, and it has already been installed on the Chas. Bates farm near Nehawka. The light will extend over the entire farm, all the outbuildings being wired and lighted with electricity. Mr. Puls has sold a great many of these plants in this locality and they are giving excellent satisfaction.

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J. V. Brandt, of Union, was a Murray visitor Tuesday of this week.

We have a pure bred Whiteface bull that one may take for the summer for the pasture.—Oldham Stock Farm.

Mrs. Connally and daughter, of California, who have been spending the past ten days at the Oldham home in Murray, departed this week for O'Neill, Nebraska, where they will visit for a few days with Mrs. Connally's sister, Mrs. Baker.

**William Alexander Brown**

William Alexander Brown was born in Randolph county, Illinois, on March 30, 1842, and passed away at his home in Murray, Nebraska, on April 22, 1918, aged 76 years and 23 days. His father died when he was two years old, and his mother when he was but nine years of age. He had two brothers and three sisters. All of these are now deceased. After the death of his parents he made his home with an uncle, where he attended school until the beginning of the Civil war. He first enlisted August 20, 1861, and at the expiration of that term of enlistment he re-enlisted and was finally honorably discharged August 17th, 1865, having lacked but three days of serving four years. He was the first man of Randolph county, Illinois, to shed blood for his country in that war, receiving wounds in the battle of Belmont that caused his sight so to fall that for about twenty days he was almost blind. He was in the battle of Fort Donaldson and in many others, took part in the siege of Vicksburg and was with Sherman in the march to the sea.

When the Civil War closed Mr. Brown located in La Crosse county, Wisconsin and engaged in farming. In 1866 he professed his faith in Christ and became a member of the United Presbyterian congregation of West Salem, Wisconsin. In 1869 he was married to Miss Emaline Brooks of that place, and nine years later they removed to Cass county, Nebraska, where they located on a farm near the site of the present town of Murray.

There were born to Mr. and Mrs. Brown four children, all of whom with their mother survive him. The children are Mrs. H. G. Todd, James H. Brown and Mrs. Lula Loughridge, all of Murray, Nebraska, and William C. Brown, of Strathmore, Canada. There are also twelve grandchildren.

When Mr. and Mrs. Brown came to Nebraska, they brought with them their letters of church membership and placed these without delay in what is now the United Presbyterian congregation of Murray, and in that relation Mr. Brown continued to the close of life. He was a brave soldier, a good citizen, a kind husband and father, a thoughtful and a helpful neighbor and a consistent, faithful, loyal and liberal member and supporter of the church—a man who will be greatly missed in home and community circles.

The funeral services are to be held at 1:30 Thursday afternoon, and will be conducted by his pastor, Dr. J. B. Jacobson. Interment will be in the Horning cemetery.

**Strawberry Plants.**

Progressive Everbearing, 75c per 100; Senator Dunlap, 50c per 100, K. L. Kniss.

**NOTICE.**

All parties knowing themselves indebted to the Murray Horse Co., will please call at the Murray State Bank and settle same, where you will be properly receipted for the same.

MURRAY HORSE CO.

**LOOKING FOR SEED CORN.**

From Wednesday's Daily.

Charles Ward and C. L. Livingston from near Manley were in the city this morning coming to look after some seed corn. They say there is a great demand for good seed corn, and are fearful that there will be but a poor stand of corn unless the farmers of the country exercise great care in the selection of their seed, and that it all be tested, as there was but little good corn grown last year.

Miss Vera Yardley living south of this city, who has been visiting at the home of her brother Omer Yardley, near Louisville for some time past returned home this morning.

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