

Murray Department

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NOTICE—Mrs. Mae Laughridge, teacher of voice. Opening for summer term.

Wm. LaHoe and wife were visiting in Omaha at the home of their daughter last Sunday.

The little daughter of Homer B. Shwartz, who has been sick at their home for some time, is reported as feeling somewhat better at this time.

Mrs. Cecil Pettit, who has been visiting at Talmage for some days last with her folks, returned home last Sunday.

H. C. Long departed last Monday for the western part of the state, where he went to look after the threshing of his wheat.

D. A. Young, who had his household goods moved to the farm, will make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Ona Lawton, in town, for the winter, going to the farm in the spring.

Mrs. Will Schlichtemeier went to Omaha last Tuesday evening, and on Wednesday accompanied her daughter, Clara, home. Miss Clara has been at the hospital there for some time receiving treatment for influenza.

J. W. Amick was a visitor in Murray last Monday, coming to haul out some lumber for the house which he and his two sons are constructing on the farm, and which work is now moving along rapidly. They expect to be ready for the plasterers soon.

Miss Ola Minford will attend the state university this winter. She was accompanied to Lincoln by her mother a few days since. Mrs. Minford returned home last Monday.

Clara Lee Young, who is employed in the Burlington shops at Plattsmouth, was a visitor in Murray for the week end.

Charles Carroll and wife were visiting in Plattsmouth last Monday.

W. J. Paterson, of Weeping Water, was a visitor in Murray on business a short time since.

Medamus O. A. Davis and E. S. Tunt were visiting with friends in Plattsmouth last Monday.

Miss Mae Laughridge departed a few days since for Lyman, Wyoming, where she will teach school for the coming year.

Jeff Brendel, who recently purchased the W. R. Young place, is moving into his new home and Jesse Valley moves onto the farm he vacates, where he will engage in tilling the soil next season.

Messrs. Clyde and Wayne Frans, of Auburn, were visiting in Murray and vicinity for a few days last week, being guests at the home of Charles Frans and family and Mrs. Joseph Sans while here.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morton Bartlett, who was confined to her bed for some three days on account of sickness, is reported as being considerably improved, and is able to be about again.

James Tigner, who has a boil on his knee, and who had the misfortune to receive a severe blow on the head, is suffering greatly from the pain, and while considerable time has elapsed since the accident the pain is showing but little indication of subsiding.

On his return from Michigan, L. H. Puls brought samples of corn with him, two ears from Illinois and two from Iowa. By their side he is exhibiting two from Nebraska. All fine looking corn, with Nebraska and Iowa nearly a tie, with perhaps a little preference given the Iowa maize, while the ears from Illinois are not quite so good.

Wm. Berger was a visitor in the county seat last Monday, going up to look after some business matters.

Will Seybold and wife were visiting with friends in Ashland last Sunday, having made the trip in their car.

A. L. Baker accompanied the Plattsmouth Elks to Omaha on last Wednesday night, where they enjoyed an outing at Krug park.

T. L. Amick is having the address of his paper changed to Williamsport, Pa., where he is employed by the West Branch Motor company.

Mrs. John Eppings, who has been sick for some time past, and who is in a very serious condition, is reported as being somewhat better.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Philpot, who has been so sick lately, is reported as showing considerable improvement at the present time.

D. J. Pitman is having a building constructed over his well and power pumping apparatus, for the protection of the same from the elements.

Homer Schlichtemeier was delivering during the first part of the week, his crop of wheat to the Farmers Elevator company, which amounted to about a thousand bushels.

Jesse Chambers returned home on last Saturday from a stay in Union, where he was working in the interior of the home of L. G. Todd, which is being artistically decorated.

Worth Click and wife and Daniel Click, a brother of Worth's, accompanied by Dr. B. F. Brendel, visited in Omaha last Tuesday, making the trip in the automobile of Mr. Click.

W. D. Wheeler and son, Percy, who have but recently purchased a Hudson six speedster through the agency of L. H. Puls, like the new car fine and are well satisfied with it.

Arthur Wiles and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a bouncing baby boy which was left at their home by his storkship, and which is getting along nicely in this new and strange world, as are also the parents of this husky youngster.

Mrs. Elizabeth Young departed last Monday for Clarinda, Iowa, at which place she will visit for some three weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ellen Stafford. Mrs. Young was accompanied as far as Plattsmouth by her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Cook.

Fred Hill of Murray and John Hansen, of near Nehawka, departed last Sunday for a trip to the northern part of the state, where they will put in some time fishing and hunting and will visit Loup county, where the hunting is supposed to be the best.

Howard Cannon and Clyde Funk, with some other help, were in Murray last Tuesday, unloading a car of bridge steel to be used on the county bridges near Murray, they being brought to Murray by J. P. Miller from a bridge north of the county farm, where they are working.

W. H. Puls visited in Plattsmouth last Sunday, accompanied by some guests who have been making the Puls family a visit for the past few days. The visitors, Mrs. Dettie Bannack and daughter, Mrs. George H. Franks, departed for their home in Coleridge last Monday.

Jean Whitaker, of Nebraska City, is doing some wiring for the installation of lights and power for pumping at the homes of both Ora Davis and D. J. Pitman. They will install motors and power pumps for the purpose of supplying water to their homes in the city.

Will Lewis, of Coleridge, arrived in Murray last Monday evening for a short stay, having run down from Council Bluffs, where he was consulting a physician regarding his health. He reports things looking fine in the north and the folks from this section who are making their homes there as all being well and enjoying themselves.

James DelesDenier received a fine Duroc Jersey boar last Tuesday, that he intends to head his herd of fine hogs with, having purchased the animal at the state fair. Owing to certain regulations of the fair commission, it was necessary to ship the boar to the place from where it was entered and then reship it to Mr. DelesDenier.

Ray Klaurens, of Nehawka, was a visitor in Murray last Monday and remained over night with his friend, Walker Gilmore. The two departed Tuesday morning for Lincoln, where they registered at the state university as students during the coming school year. They were taken to Nehawka by Dr. G. H. Gilmore in his car, to catch the train for the capital city.

Will S. Smith and wife entertained for supper Monday evening, on the eve of their departure for the state university at Lincoln three young gentlemen of Cass county, they being Ralph S. Holmes, of Plattsmouth; Walker Gilmore, of Murray and Roy Klaurens, of Nehawka. The boys sure enjoyed the hospitality of this popular couple, and were loud in their praise of Mr. and Mrs. Smith as entertainers.

Frank Valley, who has been in the western part of the state for some time past, returned home Tuesday evening, having made a trip out there with some prospective buyers, one of whom made purchase of a quarter section of improved land lying some nine miles west of Grant, and which has some good improvements thereon. The place sold at \$112.50 per acre and is considered a very good investment.

Albert Young was a visitor in Omaha Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McNet were Plattsmouth visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Fitch and Mrs. Fred Best were Murray visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Campbell spent Sunday at the home of Fred Campbell and wife.

Mrs. Oldham, Mrs. Dull, Fay Oldham and Fred Condon were Omaha visitors Wednesday.

For Sale: Duroc boars and pured Shrop buck.—Oldham Stock Farm, Murray, Nebraska.

W. A. Scott was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Tuesday, going up after ice, which he is using in his business here.

Mrs. Effie Dennison, Mrs. J. Corbett, Robert Corbett, Ern Young and Charles Heobner were Murray visitors Monday.

Glen Boedeker and wife and Miss Paulah Frans were in attendance at the wedding of Miss Zola Frans and Merritt Pollard in Union last week.

Ernest Buttery was a visitor in Murray for the Standard Oil company, bringing with him a load of gasoline and kerosene for the merchants.

Mrs. J. F. Brendel, Mrs. B. F. Brendel, Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs. B. A. Root were in Plattsmouth Wednesday. Mrs. J. F. Brendel driving the car.

Mrs. Ona Lawton bought a piano this week. Her son Clyde has been taking lessons and this will make it possible for him to advance more rapidly.

Will Cannedy, who has been visiting Uncle George Shrader and family for the past couple of weeks, departed a few days since for his home in Kansas.

The Lyceum dates will include two in October, one Thanksgiving night and one in December. The roads will be good and the weather will not be cold, so help by buying season tickets to the course.

L. W. Nelson was a visitor in Murray last Tuesday, coming to assist in the delivering of a quantity of wheat for Ben H. Wiles, which he was selling to the Farmers Elevator company at this time.

Miss Mabel Amick was in Murray last Tuesday for a load of lumber for use on the farm of her grandmother, Mrs. Ruth H. Amick, who will have the barn on the place rebuilt as soon as carpenters can be secured to do the work.

The Missouri Pacific station in Murray has just received a good going over, having been treated to a new roof of the latest fire-proof material, and also surrounded with walks, making the appearance of the station grounds much more attractive, and adding to the good service which the agent and his assistants can extend to the general public in the future.

Mrs. Effie Edison Dennison and her son, Robert Corbet, who recently came from Jamestown, Pa., will leave for Lincoln the latter part of this week. Mrs. Dennison came partly for the purpose of selling her farm—which was a part of the Corbet estate and Chas. Heobner bought it for \$275 per acre. This land adjoins Mr. Heobner's and will make a fine addition to his farm.

Mrs. Kennedy entertained the Missionary society Friday. An unusually large crowd was present and the program was very interesting. The subject was the negro and the Indian—their opportunities after the war and their citizenship. Miss Neva Latta gave the topic Negro folk love, comparing it with that of the Indian and it was very nicely given. Mrs. Cameron Cathey sang; also Miss Latta. The subjects discussed in this class are very interesting. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Henry Long.

Down out of the trees he hurried and hastened from the tree, fighting the horns for dear life. The young lady hearing the racket, turned and thinking the telephone man was possessed of some strange malady, vaulted the fence and disappeared in a nearby cornfield. When the horns had been vanquished, Mr. Cole noticed a wide track through the cornfield, where the young woman had evidently made her get-away. No horns for her, if you please.

Murray Christian Church

The children of the Bible school will meet at the church on Thursday and Saturday afternoons at 2:30 for practice for the promotion day exercises on Rally Day, Sunday, Sept. 28th. Regular services next Sunday, 9:45, short story. All children urged to be present. Bible school at 10. A good men's class. Lloyd Leyda will sing a solo at the opening exercises. Morning worship at 11 and evening worship at 8. Come and worship with us. A place and a welcome for one and all. C. E. HANNAN, Minister.

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The Murray Dancing club will give an old fashioned dance at the Puls & Gansemmer hall on Friday evening of this week. A good time is assured and a general invitation is extended to all.

One Board Did the Work

The recording board was all that was required for doing the work on election day last Tuesday, and its members complained of passing a monotonous day with only now and then a few votes cast. The board is composed of L. D. Hatt, J. W. Edmonds, Will Seybold, O. A. Davis and George Lloyd.

Is Building a New House

Charles Christweisser, of Nehawka, was in the city last Tuesday, coming to haul lumber for the erection of a new house on his farm a few miles from Murray, and which is occupied by Worth Click, who recently moved to this place from near Avoca.

Will Feed Many Sheep

Frank Schlichtemeier has just shipped from the South Omaha stock yards, where he purchased them, a thousand sheep with the intention of feeding them on his farm during the fall and returning them to market after they have been fattened.

Some Proud Father Sure

Monday evening there was rejoicing at the home of Bert Root and wife on account of the arrival at their home of a fine little blue eyed baby girl, which will make their home her abiding place. Dr. J. F. Brendel reports all concerned as getting along nicely. Bert was a little too proud to work last Tuesday, but is feeling pretty well now, thank you.

Enlarges His Farm

A few days ago Alex Rhoden added to his farm another eighty acres, making with what he had before a quarter section. This will be sufficient land to keep him busy most of his spare time. The eighty acres belonged to Will S. Jean, and was sold through the agency of the Murray State Bank. Glen Boedeker making the sale.

The Murray Public Schools

The Murray schools are now in a crowded condition, not so much for room, as there appears to be plenty of that, but each teacher is crowded with a greater number of pupils than she can best handle, and it is apparent additional instructors should be added. There are but four teachers in the entire school, while the number of pupils in the grades is 78, and that in the high school, 15.

Went Back to Old Time

Last Tuesday the people of Murray adopted the old time as their standard, being the only town in the county outside of the county seat, going by new time. This will permit of the schools running as of yore and will allow those who are coming from the country an hour longer to get to their work, thus avoiding the early morning rush, but making the evening proportionately shorter.

Some Rejoicing This Time

Last Saturday a young American arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Puls, making arrangements to make their home his as well, and immediately he found in them very close and warm friends. The little man and his mother are doing nicely, and Otto, well he is getting along about as well as could be expected. He is feeling pretty gay, and well he may, for the young man who calls himself Puls, Jr., is a fine looking little lad.

Visited Murray Relatives

Roy Foley, wife and children, and Mrs. L. Bartlett, of Harvard, and the latter's little daughter were visiting at the home of Morton Bartlett and wife of Murray for a short time on Monday and Tuesday, traveling via auto, and after a visit here, departed for Imogene, Iowa, where they are visiting at the home of Mr. Bartlett's parents, they being the parents of Mrs. Foley also of Mrs. Chas. Bartlett and wife. After visiting at the home of the parents they will return via Murray for a short stay, before continuing on their way to their home out in the state.

Made Double Deck on Truck

Monday Homer Schlichtemeier and Frank Schlichtemeier hauled the hogs of Frank to the South Omaha market via truck, and on their return brought with them 110 lambs which will be fed on the farm of Homer Schlichtemeier. In order to bring a larger number at each trip they arranged their trucks in double deck style, after the manner employed in railroad stock cars. It looks like the truck method of transportation is cutting into railroad traffic pretty heavily from a number of different angles, of which the stock hauling is far from being the smallest.

Had a Fight with Hornets

Roy Cole, the lineman, who is with the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph company, and who makes Murray almost every few days, had quite an experience several days ago. He had gone over near the river, where the limb of a tree was interfering with the service and climbing the tree to cut off the limb he noticed a young lady pass under the tree apparently on her way home. Backing up on the limb to get a better position from which to saw the limb off, Mr. Cole felt something strike his back like someone had thrown a handful of gravel against him. He turned around and found he had disturbed a hornets' nest.

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ALLEGES PLOT FOR U. S. INTERVENTION

Washington, Sept. 15.—Charges that U. S. interests are attempting to force intervention in Mexico were made by L. J. Debecker, who appeared before the senate committee investigating Mexican affairs today.

Debecker, who is publicity agent for the Mexico committee of the league of free nations, said: "Among the most active individual propagandists are Edward L. Doheny, leader of the entire group of oil interests operating in Mexico; I. Jewell Williams, a Philadelphia lawyer, who is also president of the Boston Bank Oil company, and Berton Wilson, a New York lawyer, employed by the Standard Oil company operating in Mexico."

"Charles Hudson Boynton, at one time superintendent of the associated press in Washington, is the press agent for this group," said Debecker.

The National Association for the Protection of American Rights in America, he charged, is making unfair attacks on Mexico.

He said that there have been no outbreaks in Mexico in the past six months comparable to disorders in the United States.

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METHODISTS LOSE 1,982 IN LAST YEAR

Lincoln, Sept. 16.—A decrease in membership in the Methodist church of Nebraska was reported at the annual conference here Monday by Statistich A. V. Wilson.

General membership decreased 1,982 to 69,921. The church lost 832 members in the influenza epidemic.

The Sunday school membership of 7,886 officers and teachers and 80,733 members represents a falling off of 5,000 since a year ago.

The senior Epworth League lost 2,000 members and the Junior League less than 1,000.

Laymen may be admitted to the state conference under a motion by the Rev. I. B. Schreckengast, University place, authorizing the count of the votes of pastors absent Saturday, when the ministers lacked two-thirds of the necessary two-thirds to sanction the admission of laymen.

THIRTY-SEVEN CASES OF INFLUENZA IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Thirty-seven cases of Spanish influenza today had been reported to the health department in three days. It was during the corresponding week of last year that the epidemic first crept into Chicago.

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