

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, please send the name of the person to this office. It will appear under this heading. We want all news items—Robert

To All Parties

HOLDING COUPON LIBERTY LOAN BONDS OF THE FOURTH ISSUE

It is necessary that all such bonds be converted into permanent bonds of the same issue, as the last coupon on the temporary bonds of the fourth issue is past due.

If you will bring such bonds you have on hand to us, we will be glad to serve you in the way of exchanging these bonds for you.

YOURS FOR SERVICE

Murray State Bank

Wm. Beach of Auburn, was a visitor in Murray last Sunday.

Glen Valley was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth last Tuesday.

We are paying the highest price for poultry and eggs at the Murray Cream Station.

F. T. Wilson completed his moving to Murray and is now definitely settled in his new home in Murray.

James Hutchell was a visitor in Union last Saturday and was the guest at the home of E. E. Moore.

Cash on the spot for cream and country produce including poultry at the highest prices. Murray Cream Station.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore was looking after some business matters at the county seat last Monday, driving over in his car.

Earl Kline of Plattsmouth, was a visitor in Murray last Tuesday, being a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marasek.

C. H. Warner of Plattsmouth, was a visitor in Murray and at the home of his daughter Mrs. Ray Howard, last Monday.

W. H. Puls and family spent last Sunday at the hospitable home of Jacob Kresner and enjoyed the day to the fullest extent.

Charles Green was a passenger to Nebraska City last Tuesday where he was looking after some business matters for a short time.

C. D. Quinston and a government man named Hanks, were looking after some business matters in Murray last Tuesday afternoon.

Philip Kell, Henry Creamer, Nicholas Fredrick, and George S. Ray shipped a car of cattle to the South Omaha market last Tuesday.

Messrs Herman and Paul Richter were looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth last Tuesday and also visiting with friends.

Mr. Jack West has just moved to the farm which Mr. Fred Meisinger has been farming for some years and will farm there the coming season.

Charles Trench of Oklahoma, last Wednesday moved into the house re-

cently vacated by Jarvis Lancaster and will farm the place this season.

Ben Beckman, who has been sick for a number of weeks was so far improved that he was able to be in town for a short time last Saturday.

Al Nickles has just moved to the farm occupied during the past season by F. T. Wilson and belonging to R. H. Nickles, where he will farm the coming season.

Mr. Albert Wilson was a visitor in Murray last Saturday and was looking after some business matters as well as visiting at the home of his brother, Font Wilson and family.

Jarvis Lancaster, who has been making his home in Murray, moved last Saturday to the place of Ran Minford northeast of Murray, where he will make his home for the year.

Ed Murray, who a few years ago moved north and purchased a farm near Niobrara, recently sold the same and has moved back to this vicinity and will farm on one of the Mast places the coming year.

David Wilson, a brother of F. T. Wilson, was a visitor in Murray for the day last Tuesday and also visited at the home of his father, J. A. Wilson east or town before returning home.

W. H. Puls has been kept pretty busy of late in placing a new cement floor in the garage which he is using for his car at home and when completed will make a valuable improvement to the structure.

Mrs. Sadie Oldham has rented her land to Mr. A. C. Long who will farm the place. Mrs. Oldham will remain at the home, where she has lived for the past fifty years and will have as her companion Mrs. W. A. Royal.

Clyde Martin and family were visiting for a few days at the home of Fred Werner and wife and Clyde was assisting in hauling corn while they were shelling at the home of Roy Howard.

C. E. Ellington and wife were visiting for a short time at the home of Mr. Ellington's sister, Mrs. V. A. Kennedy, who is ill at her home. They also visited with Mrs. W. A. Ellington.

Fred Meisinger, who has been farming on the farm of L. H. Puls for a number of years, has just moved to his own place which he recently purchased and which Mr. Charles Herron has been farming for some time past.

Mrs. James Deles Derner, who is at the hospital at Omaha, is reported as being much improved and is making fair progress, it is not supposed she will be able to return home for some time yet, but her many friends

will be pleased to know of her progress.

On account of the wreck on the Missouri Pacific, the Rev. A. G. Hollowell, who is the minister of the Christian church at Plattsmouth and Murray, was delayed in his arrival for service. He was brought to Murray by Mr. J. F. Clusey when it was conducted by the Rev. Roy L. Whitmore of the Omaha seminary. Rev. Whitmore was to have been here last Sunday, but on account of the wreck on the Missouri Pacific near Gilmore Junction, was unable to get here. The services will be Sunday morning, March 6th, and a most cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Will Hold Services Sunday.

There will be services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday at the morning hour. The same will be conducted by the Rev. Roy L. Whitmore of the Omaha seminary. Rev. Whitmore was to have been here last Sunday, but on account of the wreck on the Missouri Pacific near Gilmore Junction, was unable to get here. The services will be Sunday morning, March 6th, and a most cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Making Poultry Game Pay

W. F. Nolte, living northeast of Murray, has been working towards a certain goal, that of making his flock of Single Comb White Leghorns pay good dividends and is attaining success. He now has one of the nicest flocks in this part of the state. During the month of January from 180 hens and pullets he gathered and sold to the stores at the regular market price over \$50 worth of eggs. He has recently purchased a fine cockerel, white head and is offering eggs for hatching from his regular flock at \$5.00 per hundred, while for a special strain he is getting \$2.00 for a setting of fifteen. Many of these birds have records of 200 eggs per year, which looks pretty good to us.

Murray School Notes

Our school had a fire drill last Tuesday.

Miss Green of Lincoln, came to Murray Saturday afternoon to attend a sewing club. She helped us hold our first meeting. Margaret Spangler was elected temporary chairman; Marie Puls, temporary secretary; Blanche Scotten, chairman of the program and work committee; Leora Park, chairman of the enrollment committee and Marie Spangler, chairman of a committee to find a leader. A cocking club was also organized, six girls joining. Leola Scotten was elected chairman of the enrollment committee; Leona Puls, chairman of work and program committee and Marie Puls, chairman of a committee to find a leader.

Elvie Puls was absent from school Monday.

Curtis Park, Lester Long and Earl Marek rode up to Mr. Sporer's on their ponies to see the little oxen which were found near here a few days ago.

The pupils expected Mr. Munson to visit our school last Tuesday, and were very disappointed when he failed to come.

Mabel Howard gave "Robert Hardy's Seven Days" and "The Rise of the Legion" for book reviews last week.

Blanche Scotten and Mabel Howard are expecting to go to Plattsmouth the last of the week to see "Madame X".

Kathleen Tilson returned to northern Nebraska this week. We are sorry to lose Kathleen from our school.

Mona Davis Tilson visited our school Monday.

Margaret Dietl was a visitor at the home of Marie Puls Saturday and Sunday.

We are glad to welcome Donabelle Edmisten to our school. She is in the seventh grade.

Violet Valley of Plattsmouth visited the high school and grammar room last Tuesday.

Mable Howard and Blanche Scotten spent Sunday in Plattsmouth.

The radish and lettuce seeds which the members of the Science class planted in the hot bed some time ago, are coming up nicely.

Clara Mrasek and Hazel Davis visited at the home of Mabel and Gladys Arnold Sunday.

During the laboratory periods Monday and Tuesday the class in science made the apparatus for building a fire as the Boy Scouts do when they have no matches. Leora Paris made the hand socket; Margaret Dietl made the bow; Lloyd Leyda made the fire block and spindle. The others gathered the tinder. Each took turns in trying to produce the fire. The result was a great deal of smoke and a little fire.

RAIL COMMISSION TO APPEAL RATE DECISION

Lincoln, Feb. 28.—An appeal will be taken to the United States supreme court by the Nebraska rail commission from the temporary injunction granted the seven railroads in the federal court at Omaha February 21, restraining the state body from interfering with increased passenger and freight rates authorized by the interstate commerce commission.

The carriers put the new passenger rate, 3.6 cents per mile into effect immediately upon obtaining the injunction and the higher freight rates will go into effect some time this week.

CHAMP CLARK BELIEVED IN DYING CONDITION

Washington, D. C., March 1.—Hope for the recovery of Representative Champ Clark was abandoned today by his physicians.

The democratic house leader and former speaker, who is ill with pleurisy and a complication of other diseases, remained in a comatose state most of the morning and apparently was losing ground.

PRESENT AND GROWING MENACE TO U. S.

Says Committee, Showing Republican Campaign Costs Five Times Democratic.

Washington, D. C., March 1.—Campaign costs of electing a president of the United States, senators and congressmen in 1920 were \$10,338,500, estimated by the special senate investigating committee which today filed its report with congress. Of this amount republicans spent \$8,100,735, while democratic expenditures were \$2,237,765. The compilation took into account only the expenditure made by or in behalf of republican and democratic presidential candidates, and of national, state, congressional, and senatorial committees of both parties.

Senators Kenyon, Iowa; Edge, New Jersey, and Spencer, Missouri, republicans, and Pomeroy, Ohio, and Wood, Missouri, democrats, signed the report, which was unanimous. While stating their conclusion that "the expenditure of these vast sums is a present and growing menace to the nation," no recommendation for congressional action was made except that the suggestion was made that election committees of the next congress should consider the question. Constitutional difficulties may intervene to prevent legislation on the subject, the report said, but congress should "take proper steps to submit" a constitutional amendment dealing with the difficulty "if it is found necessary."

While the largest sums of campaign expenditure found were those of the national organization which the committee said was \$5,919,729 for the republican party and \$1,730,274 for the democratic committee, the report made last election committee of the next congress should consider the question. Constitutional difficulties may intervene to prevent legislation on the subject, the report said, but congress should "take proper steps to submit" a constitutional amendment dealing with the difficulty "if it is found necessary."

Major General Leonard Wood's effort to secure the republican nomination involved expenditure of \$1,730,274 for the democratic committee, while Frank O. Lowden, the total was \$414,000 for Senator Johnson, California, \$24,000; for Herbert Hoover, \$73,000, and for President-elect Harding, \$113,000. Expenditure, noted in behalf of other republican candidates were \$77,000 for Senator Charles McNary, Washington, \$93,000 for Vice President-elect Coolidge, and \$43,000 for Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler of New York.

Attorney General Palmer led democratic candidates in expenditures, the amount being fixed at \$3,000, while Governor William G. McAdoo, democrat, and Senator France, republican, Maryland.

Something over \$700,000 of the total went into senatorial and congressional contests, the committee found of which only \$311,000 was spent by democratic national organizations created for the purpose. The republican congressional committee spent \$75,699, while the G. O. P. senatorial organization spent \$326,580.

Through state committees, the report said, the republicans spent \$1,078,969 against \$588,323 for their democratic competitors.

BIG JANUARY SLUMP IN U. S. FOREIGN TRADE

Washington, D. C., March 1.—There was a sharp falling off in European trade in January and a reduction in the volume of trade with South America.

A trade review issued today by the department of commerce showed that exports to Germany decreased nearly \$10,000,000, as compared with December, and imports from that country nearly \$1,000,000. The export figures were \$48,862,000 and the total imports, \$4,630,000.

Exports of \$119,802,000 to Great Britain compared with \$128,550,000 the month before, and imports were \$17,437,000, compared with \$19,334,000.

Exports to France were \$35,825,000, against \$38,011,000 in December, and imports, \$10,012,000, as against \$11,895,000.

Exports to Italy were \$29,256,000, as against \$31,944,000 the month before, and imports were \$3,335,000 compared with \$4,688,000.

Exports to Spain were \$14,968,000, as against \$17,010,000, and imports were \$2,499,000, against \$3,031,000.

Exports to Brazil were \$14,128,000, against \$19,239,000, and imports, \$9,712,000, against \$9,539,000.

Exports to Chile in January were \$6,885,000, as against \$7,362,000, and imports \$8,041,000, against \$7,329,000.

Exports to Argentina were \$24,301,000, compared with \$28,708,000, and imports \$5,730,000, as compared with \$9,454,000.

Exports to Uruguay were \$2,889,000, compared with \$3,218,000, and imports were \$978,000 against \$756,000.

Exports to Central America were \$8,732,000, as against \$7,774,000, and imports \$1,667,000, against \$1,809,000.

Exports to Canada amounted to \$4,339,000, as compared with \$61,698,000, and imports \$34,247,000, as against \$59,506,000.

Exports to Cuba were \$46,405,000, as against \$45,357,000, and imports \$12,970,000, as against \$10,799,000.

FRANK RANSOM DEAD AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Prominent Nebraska Attorney Known to Older Plattsmouth People Passes Away Sunday.

Frank T. Ransom, well known attorney for the Union Stock Yards company in South Omaha, legislator and politician, died Sunday night after a long illness, aged 69 years.

Mr. Ransom was born in St. Joseph, Mo., where he first practiced law, later at Nebraska City and still later in Omaha since 1889. In 1880 he was a member of the lower house from Otoe county and in 1888 of the state senate from the same county. Since removing to Omaha he served three terms in the state senate in 1896, 1900 and 1908.

Mr. Ransom was known to quite a number of Plattsmouth people in earlier days when he resided at Nebraska City. During his services in the state legislature he opposed all summary legislation, advocated all measures in the interest of the people and opposed measures in the interest of the privilege classes.

He introduced and procured the passage of many laws in the interest of the people, among them the value

policy law by which the insurance companies are compelled to pay as damages the amounts stated in the policies in case of total loss, where the insurance is upon real estate; a law prohibiting the giving to officers in cities of free passes on street railways; free gas, free electric light, free telephones and free water; also a law designating the first Monday in September as a holiday to be known as "Labor Day," etc.

During his residence in Otoe and Douglas counties Mr. Ransom has been engaged in many important law suits of interest to the people of the state.

PHILIPPINES ASK FOR 95 AMERICAN TEACHERS

Washington, Feb. 27.—The Philippine bureau of education desires 95 American school teachers for the next school year, the war department bureau of insular affairs has announced. Eighty of the teachers are wanted for high school work, at salaries ranging from \$1,500 to \$1,800 a year, with an additional bonus of 15 per cent and transportation to the islands.

A two-year contract is required.

For Sale. A few more Duroc Jersey boars at \$45; also bred girls. Albert Young, Murray, Neb.

Spring Has Come A-Hopping!

We looked for it and wanted it to hurry, but did not think it would be here so quick.

Now is the time to paint and we have the paint in all colors and the best quality.

Have you started the garden yet? Well, it is time. Seeds? Why, yes, in package and bulk, fine quality, and all kinds. Sure, we have garden tools of all kinds.

HARNESSES? Sure, the best and at prices you can afford to pay. Come and see. Collars and sweat pads as well.

IMPLEMENTS and Farm Machinery now on hand and you won't have to pay the increased freight rates either. Anything you want in this line.

We also maintain a branch of our Implement and Machinery line at Plattsmouth in charge of D. B. Ebersole. See us for prices and delivery.

W. H. PUL, THE HARDWARE MAN, Murray, Nebraska

Have the Best Service!

We buy our building materials from first hands, and carry same in stock at our yards. The prices have been adjusted to meet the lower level of farm products. The farmer can now build on an equitable basis.

Out of town firms have to add a loading and local freight charge of from \$50 to \$75 per car extra to their prices. We save you that and also you are not required to take more than you need to fill your car.

Come, see the goods at the yard; make your selection, get estimates, prices and plans. We are here to give the best service.

Banning & Nickles, MURRAY NEBRASKA

See Jarvis at Once!

Jarvis Lancaster is offering the following goods at very attractive prices, and those who are needing such article will find it to their advantage to see him.

One Ottawa "C" cylinder corn sheller; one Excelsior motorcycle; one Reeves saw mill in good condition; one Chalmers six, 1917 model auto in good condition; one Reo truck (1917 model) in good condition; one 1916 model Ford touring car.

JARVIS LANCASTER

Specials at the Service Store!

Here is an opportunity to save some of that money by making purchases at our store. Money is not any too plentiful just now and you should make it go as far as possible.

We have a new line of the latest in oxfords. See them; they will please you.

We are still making a 10 per cent reduction on shoes and rubber goods.

Latest in Gingham, Percales and Muslins now on sale at 25 cents per yard.

A fine line of men's dress shirts. See them.

We carry a most complete stock of staple groceries. Sugar is now \$10.00 per cwt. Better lay in a supply at once, against a probable advance in the near future.

F. T. WILSON MURRAY NEBRASKA

Carhartt and King!

The overall of certain satisfaction. It fits! King, the big roomy fellow, made of 220 wt. denim. You'll like it too!

- Carhartt suspender back bib overall.....\$2.25
- Carhartt jumper to match above..... 2.25
- King 220 wt. denim bib overall..... 2.00
- King jumpers to match above..... 2.00
- Carhartt Juniors, ages 2 to 6..... 1.10
- Carhartt Boys, ages 7 to 12..... 1.25
- Carhartt Youths, ages 13 to 16..... 1.50

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