

Murray Department

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Imagine a building constructed with steel and concrete—with double-barred windows—with fire and burglar proof walls—but no locks on the doors!

Murray State Bank

The Rev. W. E. Goines, pastor of the Christian church was spending a number of days at Plattsmouth.

Searle S. Davis of Plattsmouth was looking after some business matters in Murray last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. George W. Saxon, living south of Union is reported as being very ill and is receiving the best of nursing and medical care.

J. A. Scotten, who is constructing a house in Plattsmouth for Rex Young and wife has the structure ready for the plasterers.

Miss Etta Nickels was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Tuesday afternoon, looking after some business matters and visiting with friends.

James E. Hatchett was hauling corn for John Farris last Tuesday, and as John was staying home on account of having visitors.

Mrs. R. S. Wright of near Nebraska City was a visitor in Murray last Tuesday and was looking after some business matters while here.

Jarvas Lancaster was a visitor in Omaha last Tuesday and on his return brought with him a load of flour for the Earl Lancaster store.

Robert Lee Lewis, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lewis has been quite sick at their home for the past few days, but is some better at this time.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hickey was blessed by the arrival of a girl babe on last Thursday. They are making their home south in Otoe county.

James W. Chilton, of North Platte, and family were visiting with friends in Murray last Sunday staying over the week end. They were driving in their car.

George Nickels and wife and Henry C. Long were spending last Sunday in Omaha making the trip over to the big city in the excellent wagon of George Nickels.

Ernest Roesler and wife of Havlock were spending last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lutz, Mr. Lutz and Mrs. Roesler being brother and sister.

Nick Fredrich shelled and delivered corn to the Farmer's elevator last Tuesday, which will leave room for the much of the new crop which is maturing every day.

Bert Crawford of Hartington, accompanied by the family, was visiting for a few days last week in Murray and was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Graves while here.

Roy and Raymond Hathaway and John Dukes were being sinking a well for Dr. J. F. Brendel deeper to secure a large supply of water, and now have an abundance of excellent water.

Among those who visited Nebraska City last Monday for the purpose of seeing the circus which was the attraction were J. W. Edmunds, Otto Plus and family, and Fred Lutz and family.

Last Tuesday L. H. Puls and John Hill departed via their car for Grant, in Perkins county where the former has some land interests and where they will visit and look after some business as well.

Fred Hill, who has been working with J. A. Scotten, was suddenly taken with an attack of cholera morbis last Tuesday and had to go home and to bed, but it is hoped he will soon be well again.

E. M. Griffin, the blacksmith, went home last Tuesday and Wednesday evening to visit his son Albert, who is home on a vacation from the navy, and who will return to duty the latter portion of this week.

C. M. Christy, Thomas Tilson and John Campbell shipped a car load of hogs from the Murray station to the South Omaha market, and William Philpot also shipped a car load of the same stock to the same market.

Earl Lancaster has purchased himself and family a new car, this time securing a Universal Sedan, which will just accommodate the family for he has been very fortunate in being blessed with a goodly number of children.

Elizabeth McCracken has arrived to the dignity of twelve years and will soon be a good worker world like to visit on her birthday by Miss Olive Woods of Plattsmouth, they enjoying the day together and having a very fine time.

Joseph Green has moved to the C. A. McReynolds place south of Murray, where he will make his home. Joe, who is a good worker world like to find a position on a farm where he could work the year around, or find a good farm to rent.

Miss Bertha Lancaster, who has been conducting the business at the store, has been quite ill for the past week with an attack of appendicitis.

but is much improved and it is hoped she will be able to be at the store again in a short time.

Clinton J. Harris of Spokane, who has been in the west for the past several years, and who is visiting at the home of his parents, C. F. Harris, in Union was a visitor last Tuesday at the home of John Farris and other friends of his in Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Spangler departed last Friday for the west in their car and are seeing the west as they call well enjoy it with their auto to drive as they desire and stop as long as at any place as they chose. They expect to be away for about ten days.

The Kiem Construction company has just completed the bridges west of Murray and are making their work go forward as rapidly as possible, as they are desirous of keeping out of the way of the grading crew which is to begin work on the Red Ball highway on Thursday or Friday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemper Frans and Miss Eula Frans, who have been spending some ten days at Brewster and the country thereabouts where the ladies visited and Hemper looked after the fishing, Mrs. Kemper Frans former home was there and she sure enjoyed the visit. They returned home the latter portion of last week.

Rev. McCrorey Visits Here. The Rev. W. G. McCrorey, formerly of Murray, where he was the minister of the Presbyterian church, but who is now located at Lenox, Iowa, accompanied by his family, stopped in Murray for a short time while on his way to Tarkio, Mo., where he goes to attend a convention of the Presbyterian church.

Burn Fence Rows. The surge of chinch bugs is getting closer and closer and all that can be done should be done to prevent them gaining a hold in this portion of the country. The burning of dry refuse such as the weeds that grow along fence rows, and other dry matter in which they must find a place to nest thru the winter will prevent them from accumulating. Geo. Lloyd in speaking about the matter said that he had an idea that the farmers would pay no attention to the warning until after the bug had come and then it would be too late. And say, the matter of burning the fence rows would assist in keeping the roads from drifting full of snow and that is worth the work.

Enjoyed the West Very Much. William Sporer and family and Mr. and Mrs. William Lindner, who have been in the west for the past ten days or two weeks, returned home Sunday evening just in time to meet the rain which came just after dark. The folks enjoyed the trip very much and visited not alone Webster, Nebraska, but Colorado, Wyoming and were able to see the wonders of the west at their leisure. They went to Estes park where they spent some time and also seen the celebrated sunset at the famous summer resort. They then went to Denver but before they had visited Cheyenne and after having spent some time at Denver they went to Colorado Springs and also visited the wonders of that place and went to the top of Pike's peak where they enjoyed the celebrated sunrise as they were above the clouds and the varied colors which the rising sun produced on the clouds was wonderful and will never be forgotten. Chester who was home looking after the affairs here sure was glad when they returned and had just gotten in the corn shelled and delivered a day or two before the family returned.

Home From West and South. Sunday evening as the storm was gathering Glen Boedeker and party who have been spending some two weeks in the west of southwest, arrived home and were blessed with good roads for the greater portion of the way. They first went to Overton and from there to Estes park where they met Dr. and Mrs. Gilmore and John and all enjoyed a long stay there. In leaving Estes park they took different routes, Dr. Gilmore and party going via the valley and thus avoiding the hills and bad the southern route, while Mr. Boedeker, wife, son and daughter, and Miss Beulah Sands went over the continental pass which leads over the mountain and found an abundance of snow before they had traveled the 180 miles to make a distance as the crow flies of only 70 miles. While they found winter on the mountain tops they sure enjoyed the trip. The two parties ran across each other at Denver, but as they had both expected to visit Colorado Springs they were in no hurry and spent some time in Denver until they were ready to start for home. Dr. Gilmore and family did not have the amount of time which they figured upon and therefore passed the Colorado Springs visit up. The Boedeker party turned south from Denver and the Gilmore party north from Colorado Springs. Glen and his party went on to New Mexico where they visited Las Vegas and other points finding a wonderful country with the finest roads and other improvements, but Mr. Boedeker says no place like southeastern Nebraska for fine crops, but we are short of good school buildings and good roads. Dr. Gilmore and party are expecting to be home about September 1.

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BIBLE SCHOOL LESSON

Sunday, August 23rd
By M. S. Briggs

Golden Text: Come over into Macedonia and help us.—Acts 16:9.

A Call for Help
This generation well knows of the world war; they are well informed as to how it started; they know of its intensity, and also the great cost in lives, treasure and suffering. We are now learning other costs—the demoralizing of society, the lack of religious sentiment, the increasing tendency to crime. Last year it has developed, over 10,000 murders were committed in the United States—all of it attributable to the crime wave sweeping the country.

H. M. SOENNICHSEN
Plattsmouth and Murray, Nebr.

FUNERAL OF ELOF JOHNSON IS HELD HERE YESTERDAY

Services at Swedish Mission Church On Granite Street Attended by Many of the Friends.

From Tuesday's Daily—The funeral services of Elof Johnson, one of the victims of the auto accident of Sunday afternoon, was held yesterday at the Swedish Mission church where the members of the family of the departed young man had been long members.

The necessity of holding the funeral on such short notice following the accident prevented many from attending as it was impossible to get in touch with the friends and kept many from attending who had wished to take a last farewell.

The services were simple and impressive and the sermon of the occasion was given by the Rev. William A. Taylor of Union, who gave words of comfort and hope to the bereaved members of the family and especially the widowed mother, in the loss that had come to them so quickly and without warning.

The musical numbers for the service were given by Mrs. E. H. Westcott with Mrs. Westcott at the organ, they being "All is Well With My Soul" and "Rock of Ages," numbers that had been requested for the occasion and which the deceased had loved so much in his lifetime.

At the conclusion of the service the body was borne to Oak Hill cemetery where it was laid to the last long rest, the pallbearers being friends and neighbors of the departed, Elmer Johnson, William Mateschullat, Albert Olson, Herbert Johnson, Jack Ledgway and Edward Mateschullat.

In the hour of sorrow and grief the mother will have the deep sympathy of the entire community in the loss that has stolen into her life and taken away her greatest joy and happiness.

The deceased young man was quiet and unassuming in his life, and those who had the privilege of knowing him best found him a faithful and kindly friend. He was a young man devoted to his family and of a deeply religious thought and very much interested in the church and its workings.

Those who have known and loved him best will find his place hard to fill in their lives but they have the consolation of knowing that his living and his example will be one that they can cherish with pride and tender memory as the life of a clean-cut and worthy young man.

BUSY DAY ON GOLF COURSE

From Monday's Daily—Yesterday was a very busy day on the course of the Plattsmouth golf club, which was visited by many strangers, guests from Auburn, Iowa, Texas, Pennsylvania and other points over the country, who were here taking advantage of the occasion to come out and enjoy shooting over the excellent course there and it is expected that a large number of the local golfers will be in attendance. Those who plan on going are urged to get in touch with Secretary Ed A. Fricke, so they can be registered, and all go to Weeping Water to spend an enjoyable day at the sport.

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Get your school supplies at the Bates Book and Stationery Store.

THE BIG Dance of the Season

AT THE Peterson Hall—Murray, Nebraska

Saturday Night, August 22nd

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LOCAL NEWS

Dr. Heineman, Dentist, Hotel Main Bldg., Phone 527.
Dr. H. C. Leopold, Osteopathic physician and surgeon, phone 208.

From Monday's Daily—George P. Horn of Omaha was here over Sunday visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Louise Valley departed this morning for Omaha taking with her, her little niece, Ruth Jane Lake, who has been here for a short visit.

W. H. Sheldon and wife were in Omaha today where they visited their child at the hospital and expecting to bring the little one back home with them.

A. H. Duxbury, wife and little daughter and Mrs. May N. Creamer of San Jose, California, were visitors Sunday at Shenandoah, Iowa, where they visited for a few hours.

Mrs. Caroline Propst and daughter departed this morning for Omaha where they will spend a short time looking after some matters of business and visiting with friends.

J. E. Worley, wife and children of Lincoln were here over Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. V. V. Leonard and daughter, Miss Verda, returning home yesterday afternoon.

Joseph Creamer and wife of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, who have been here visiting with relatives and friends, departed Sunday afternoon for their home in the east, making the trip by auto.

D. B. Crawford of Hartington, Nebraska, who has been residing in the north part of the state for a number of years, is here visiting old friends and while here was a pleasant caller at the Journal office.

Fred Edwards of Pacific Junction, brother of J. W. Edwards, killed yesterday in the auto accident, came over this morning from Pacific Junction to look after the arrangements for the funeral of the brother.

Mrs. Clarence Carrol and children, George and Bart, of Duluth, Minnesota, are here visiting at the home of Mrs. Henry Kuhnmann and family, they being enroute to Pasadena, California, where they are expecting to make their future home.

D. A. Young of near Murray was here Saturday afternoon for a few hours, visiting with old time friends and stated that he and Mrs. Young had a very fine time on their trip to Iowa and at O'Neill, Nebraska, where they spent several days.

J. E. Adams and wife and little daughter, of Arlington, J. V. Pittman, wife and daughter, Thelma, of Murray, Harry Nelson, wife and two children of Dannebroug, Nebraska, were here Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will T. Adams.

Mrs. C. A. Marshall, Jr., and little son, C. A. III, who have been here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Seybert, parents of Mrs. Marshall, with Jennings Seybert, departed Saturday afternoon for their home at Dayton, Ohio, and where Jennings will visit for some time.

Miss Margaret Blackhurst, of Midland, Michigan, who has been visiting at Los Angeles, California, for the summer, arrived here yesterday for a visit with her uncle, Attorney D. O. Dwyer. Miss Blackhurst is well known here and her many friends were very much pleased to meet her. She is to teach the coming year at Gary, Indiana.

Cedric Eaton and wife of Chicago are here visiting at the home of Mr. Eaton's sister, Mrs. H. L. Thomas and family while enjoying a vacation trip in the west. Mrs. John W. Gamble and son, Joe Eaton, of Omaha, were here also Sunday, guests at the Thomas home. This is the first visit of Cedric Eaton here in a number of years and he enjoyed very much the opportunity of visiting with the old friends.

W. N. Brink drove to Hastings Saturday after Mrs. Brink and the smaller children who had been spending a week there, the trip home yesterday being made largely in mud, and requiring a good many hours on the road. The family will go to Battle Creek next week for a short visit and to bring back the older children, who have been spending the summer vacation on the farm of Mr. Brink's mother, but will return in time for the opening of the school year.

From Tuesday's Daily—C. E. Cobb of Central City was here last evening visiting with relatives and old time friends as a guest of his daughter, Mrs. E. P. Stewart.

Mrs. George Creagan and daughter, June, of Waterloo, Iowa, are here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Craig, Mrs. Creagan being a sister of Mrs. Craig.

Emmons Holly returned today to Sioux Falls, South Dakota, where he is now working, having visited here over Sunday and Monday with relatives and friends.

Charles A. Patterson and wife of Arapahoe, are in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pollock and also at the R. F. Patterson home for a few days.

Miss Etta Nickels of Murray was here today for a few hours looking after some matters of business and visiting with friends, making the trip in her fine new Buick coach.

Miss Leone Becker, who has been enjoying an extensive visit in the northwest as well as at Los Angeles, Salt Lake and Denver, returned home this morning after the very enjoyable outing.

From Wednesday's Daily—A. S. Will, who has been at Kansas City, looking over the live stock market, returned here this morning on the early Missouri Pacific.

Attorney C. H. Taylor of Union was here today for a short time, driving up to look after some matters of business and visiting with friends.

Adam Meisinger, one of the enterprising farmers of near Cedar Creek, was here today for a few hours attending to some matters of business and visiting with friends.

Attorney Charles L. Graves of Union, was here today for a few hours looking after some matters of business and visiting with his host of friends in the county seat.

Otto J. Lutz, wife and babe of Omaha were here last evening for a few hours to attend the reception to Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pilney, who were married yesterday afternoon.

Dean Luman, who was called to Nebraska City yesterday by the death of a little niece, returned home this morning on the early Missouri Pacific, the funeral having been held yesterday afternoon.

George E. DeWolf, who has been at New York City for the past summer while Mr. DeWolf was attending the Columbia university, has returned home and is now enroute to Gibbon, Nebraska, where Mrs. DeWolf and their little son have been for the summer.

W. C. T. U. ELECTS
From Tuesday's Daily—The W. C. T. U. held a very pleasant meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. R. Troop on Chicago avenue which was quite largely attended by the ladies of the society. The chief matter of the afternoon was the election of officers and the following were re-elected to the offices they have so effectively filled in the last year:

President—Mrs. C. R. Troop.
Vice President—Mrs. Geo. Dodge.
Treasurer—Miss Elizabeth Spangler.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. J. E. Wiles.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Walter Propst.

The ladies also had a very pleasing address by Rev. Thompson of the Nebraska Children's Home society, telling of the welfare work that their organization is now doing.

At a suitable hour dainty and delicious refreshments were served that added very much to the pleasures of the occasion.

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