

# 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 or business opportunities in this vicinity, and will mail same to this office, it will appear under this heading. We want all news items.—Editor

## Thanksgiving

### Are You Thankful?

Sure, you must be! For notwithstanding the dire outlook last July and August, November has brought us much more corn than we expected—good quality, and all in the crib. Plenty to eat, many friends and a good town in which to do your trading or to come to live. Yes, we are thankful. And remember, we are here to assist you. Do not fail to ask us.

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## MURRAY GARAGE

A. D. BAKKE, Propr.

The Annual Bazaar at the Presbyterian church Saturday Dec. 6th. Public cordially invited. n272tmp

T. J. Brendel, the barber, was called to Nehawka on Monday afternoon of this week and while he was away Wilber Hewitt was looking after the shop.

James Wade and Oscar McDonald, both of Murdock, were in Murray on last Friday and were looking after some business matters for a short time.

Van Allen was a visitor in on last Sunday at the old home town at Sidney, Iowa, where he went to see and spend the day with his young men associates.

J. V. Pitman completed the picking of his corn on last Saturday, and while not a full crop as he raises corn, was very good when the off years is considered.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nickles and Mrs. H. C. Long entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Leonard and sons, Lawrence and Ray and Etta and Lee Nickles.

There will be a novelty booth, with many pretty and useful articles. Home made candy for sale. n27-2tmp

Ted Eaton of the Chevrolet Service Co. of Plattsmouth was a visitor in Murray on last Monday afternoon looking after some business matters as well as visiting with friends.

The Nickles Lumber Yard unloaded and stored in their sheds a car load of extra fine lumber which will come in handy for the trade which continually comes to this popular place of business.

Lester Dill completed his corn picking on last Saturday and was assisted by J. E. Gruber, who is an excellent picker and one which knows the art of doing it well and rapidly at the same time.

Philip Keil completed the packing of his corn on last Saturday and he is well pleased, thank you, for the taste of winter which came on Monday and made him feel that it was well to be through with the husking.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lancaster and the family entertained at their home on last Sunday, and had for the day and dinner, the family of Dan Horchar, including little Mary Ellen, their daughter, who is as important as any one.

Everett Spangler has been having constructed a new cow barn on his farm north of Murray and getting it in readiness to make the winter comfortable during the winter, and also realizing that they will pay in the increased amount of milk they will give.

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## Mrs. Sporer Doing Nicely.

Mrs. Wm. Sporer, who returned home some time since from the hospital, is getting along nicely at this time and gaining with each day, so she is up and about the home and able when the weather is nice, to be out in the yard. She is hoping to be able to attend the Thanksgiving day dinner at the Christian church, and her many friends are hoping she can and enjoying seeing her many friends there.

## Will Make Home in Murray.

Teddy Baker, a World war veteran, who has been making his home at Nebraska City for some time past, and who formerly resided at Manley, moved to Murray on Monday of this week.

## Ladies Aid to Meet.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the church Dec. 3. The hostesses Mrs. Henry Long, Mrs. Berger, Mrs. Jenkins and Miss Rainey. Please come.

## Presbyterian Church Notes.

Sabbath school at 10 a. m.  
Morning worship at 11 a. m.  
Evening service at 7:30 p. m. (Young people's meeting).  
Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

J. C. STEWART, Pastor.

## GIVES KITCHEN SHOWER

The attractive country home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gansemer south of Murray was the scene of a very happy occasion Saturday evening when Lester Gansemer entertained a large party of friends at a kitchen shower in honor of Mrs. Clell Gansemer, formerly Miss Dorothy Sedlak of this city.

The evening was spent in dancing and various amusements at which a great deal of pleasure was derived, while at an appropriate hour Mrs. Gansemer was presented with a large number of beautiful remembrances from the friends that will serve to add to her future.

In serving the very dainty and delicious luncheon Mrs. Gansemer was assisted by Mrs. Alfred Gansemer, Mrs. P. A. Hild, Mrs. Fred Lutz, Miss Bessie Bourne, Mrs. Phillip Kell and Mrs. Otto Puls.

Those attending were: Messrs. and Mesdames P. A. Hild, Fred Lutz, Alfred Gansemer, Edward Gansemer, John Toman, William Wehrlein, John Hendricks, Jarvis Lancaster, Raymond Hild, Charles Barrows, Lorren Todd, Herman Wohlfarth, Nick Friedrich, Delbert Todd, Charles Kell, Victor Wehrlein, William Renner, James Tigner, Norman Renner, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hild and sons, Mr. and Mrs. John Hild and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hallas and family, Mrs. Phil Kell, Mrs. Bessie Bourne, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Puls and family, Leora Gansemer, Richard Friedrich, Marie Lutz, Lorene Hatchett, Harold Puls, Rosa Mary Friedrich, Verner Hild, Earl Puls, Ross Bourne, David Toman, Ray Bourne, Owen Kell, Glen Puls, Robert Sedlak, Rex Bourne, Chester Kell, and the following people from Plattsmouth: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kosta, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sedlak, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Kahoutek, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rebal and daughter, Mary Jo, Mr. Fred Duda, Mr. Jim Crenek, Miss Cecile Kalasek and Mr. Wm. Wrench of Omaha.

## Gain in Automobile Business is Expected

More Men Finding Work in Factories with Night Shifts Employed in Some Plants

Detroit—Assurance of improved conditions in store for automobile manufacturing in 1931 continue to gain strength. With the annual automobile show period less than six weeks off, merchandising campaigns in full swing. Distribution and dealerships covering the entire country are being canvassed as to their 1931 requirements. New models in all their next season splendor are being shown to the retail forces from Maine to California and points north and south.

The production programs are being framed in accordance with territorial needs as determined by actual contact with the men who sell the product in every city, town and hamlet on the map. Ford, General Motors, Chrysler, Hudson, Willys-Overland and the other great producers have their field forces working as never before to overcome the slump.

Programs Ambitions.  
The Ford program involving \$60,000,000 for expansion has been outlined in news dispatches of the week. In New York and Philadelphia, where the Chevrolet forces have been laying the foundation for 1931, the General Motors officials let it be known that the Chevrolet objective for next year is 1,000,000 cars.

While the Chevrolet official group was campaigning in Philadelphia last week, M. E. Coyle, vice president and general auditor, was quoted as saying that the company now is employing more men on production than at any time since the spring of this year. Plans have been completed for the starting of night shifts at the company's major plants by Dec. 1. These employees are to work four days weekly through the winter, the preference being given to former workers.

Expect Recovery Year.  
The plan means increased inventory for the company, but officials feel confident that the inventory will be quickly moved during 1931. They take the view that 1931 will be a recovery year in the automobile trade and that 1932 will produce new high records.

"Experience," quoting Mr. Coyle, "has shown us that business moves in three year cycles—a poor year, a recovery year and a new high record following the two. With 1930 as a poor year, 1931 will be the recovery year and 1932 the new high record year."—State Journal.

A subscriber who evidently has lots of travel money writes to know if it will be possible for him to get a ticket to the Army-Navy football game. The best way is to belong to either the Army or Navy.

## High Court Upholds Freight Rate Order

Sustains I. C. C. Decision Dividing Revenue in Southwest—Trunk Lines Gain

Washington, D. C., Nov. 24.—The division of freight rates among railroads in the southwestern and the western territory ordered by the interstate commerce commission in 1928 was sustained today by the supreme court.

In a case brought by the Beaumont, Sour Lake & Western and other southwestern railroads, the court analyzed at length the various contentions advanced by those railroads for attacking the order and found that none of them required it be set aside.

Pointing out that 12 western trunk lines and 32 southwestern carriers were parties to the investigation conducted by the commission, the court held that it was not necessary for the commission to pass on each rate separately between each connecting carrier.

It held the investigation had been sufficiently thorough. The commission found that the western trunk lines were entitled to a larger share in the division of rates.

PLAN EXHIBIT ON FEEDS  
Chicago—The International Livestock exposition, which opens its eight day program here Saturday, will take cognizance in graphic fashion of the current tendency to feed surplus wheat to farm animals, Manager B. H. Heide disclosed Monday. The comparative results of wheat and corn, wheat and barley as major feeds by pork and lamb carcasses. Beef carcasses will also show the result of grass feeding and finishing with corn.

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## INDUSTRIAL NOTES

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. Information from which the paragraphs are prepared is from local papers, usually of towns mentioned, and may be considered generally correct.

Blair—Paving of Colfax street progressing rapidly.

Norfolk—Herre brothers took over jewelry business conducted by their father, R. M. Herre, and will be conducted as The Diamond Shippe.

Omaha—Puritan Cleaners, Inc., capitalized at \$10,000, organized recently.

Ft. Calhoun—Road will be paved between Douglas county line and this place.

Blair—Driveways on college campus surfaced with crushed rock.

West Point—West Point New Norco Feed mill opened their mills.

Loomis—Nebraska Oil Co., of McCook, filed leases for 240 acres of land east of this place.

Beatrice—Preliminary work started on Doyle farm, three miles north of here, on \$500,000 pressure plant of Empire Co.

Homer—Gas to be available here soon.

Lincoln—New Government hospital will be completed by January 1st.

Bridgeport—Leo Seerley purchased Palace Cafe.

Ogallala—H. A. Reed installs new heating system in his hardware store on First Street.

Walthill—Walthill Oil Company erecting additional building adjoining its filling station.

Neligh—New high school building now being occupied.

Red Cloud—Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Outman leased Royal Hotel to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. G. Irwin of Lincoln.

Curtis—Mrs. Cora Poters opened art and style shop in Adams building, in room formerly occupied by Thorvald Petersen.

Lyman—James & Evans placed electric sign over door of Service Garage.

Plattsmouth—Miss LaVerna Binger purchased a Lon Beauty Shoppe.

Lyman—Lee St. Clair moved Lyman Toggery to Fred Krauss building.

Howells—Eleventh branch store of Farmers Union Exchange at Omaha, opened in building owned by Charles L. Suchan at this place.

Scottsbluff—First Avenue from 15 to 17th streets, will be widened.

Culbertson—Large livestock sales pavilion constructed here.

Scottsbluff—New water well being drilled near water tower.

Omaha—Yellow Shell Garage in Florence, opened.

Abel Construction Co. of Lincoln received \$14,591 contract for graveling Grain Growers highway from Plymouth to Beatrice.

Daykin—Excavation work started for new building to house Bill's Barber Shop.

South Sioux City—Roy Crippon leased Mona Motor oil station at Main and Dakota Avenue.

Wausau—Interstate Power Company started operation of local light plant.

## OFFICERS REPORTED HELD

Detroit—The Free Press says that "approximately a score" of United States custom border patrolmen were taken into custody Tuesday afternoon by special treasury agents for questioning about Detroit river rum graft. The paper says that warrants for several of the patrolmen held by the investigating agents will be used if the patrolmen cannot explain actions the agents claim to have uncovered.

The investigation is in charge of Elmer J. Davis, customs department investigator, the Free Press says, the same man who directed the investigation of two years ago which resulted in the arrest of twenty-three customs border patrolmen and nineteen liquor smugglers, many of whom now are serving prison sentences.

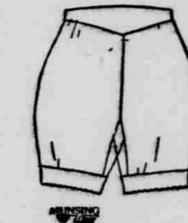
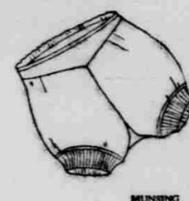
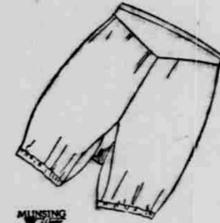
The Free Press says that Canadian brewers are alleged to have paid bribes to customs border patrolmen to insure uninterrupted passage for boat loads of beer across the Detroit river.

Washington—The action of special treasury agents in taking a number of United States customs border patrolmen into custody in Detroit followed the filing of charges with the customs bureau that some of the patrolmen in that area had appropriated seized liquor to their own use.

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## OBITUARY

August Lindell was born September 10, 1879. Early in life he had the misfortune of losing his home, being thrown upon the mercies of relatives and friends for the necessities of life, and the care that a young growing child needs. Part of these years were lived in Sweden, part in this country.

When he attained the age of young manhood, he attended Wesleyan college at Lincoln. It was while earning his way thru school that he met Miss Peri Earl, who later, on January 1, 1909, became his bride.

This union was blessed with six children, two of which died in infancy.

Mr. Lindell lived an active life. He was converted and joined the Methodist church in Madison county in his young manhood years. He was active in community affairs being a prominent member and oft-times an officer of the Farmers Union. Death came to Mr. Lindell at his home west of Murdock, after a very brief illness, on Nov. 22, 1930. He attained the age of 51 years, 2 months and 12 days.

He leaves to mourn his departure his wife, four children, Everett, John, Earl, Arthur and Ruth, besides other relatives and friends.

"We say not 'Goodbye', 'Tis not 'Farewell', No power can break love's mystic spell

We may not know God's How or Why, Enough to know love cannot die."—H. A. Noreberg.

Card of Thanks.  
We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for the sympathies and many kindnesses shown us during our recent sorrow.—Mrs. A. A. Lindell and Family.

Every shade of crepe paper and all the complete Dennison line found the newest novelties and favors in only at the Bates Book Store.

## A GREAT OFFERING

The Ritz theatre is announcing the coming of the great photoplay, "Common Clay," which will be shown on Sunday and Monday, November 30th and December 1st.

Here is what J. C. Jenkins of the Herald-World, Denver, says of the picture: "We have just learned who that elderly lady was who played the part of the adopted mother to Constance Bennett in 'Common Clay,' and from this time on we are going to scan every poster in front of every theatre we see in order to not miss a picture she is playing in."

"Just to impress the name of Berli Meroer on your mind and whenever she appears in a picture go and see it if you have to mortgage every shoat on the place. When she appeared on the witness stand in 'Common Clay' and said 'I'm a God fearing woman and I want to tell the God's truth, Mr. Lawyer,' she put so much earnestness into her testimony that we felt like we wanted to go and put our arm around her neck and kiss her as we used to do with our mother, and considering the age of both of us, we can't see as it would have done any harm could we have done it. It is pictures like 'Common Clay' that will build confidence in the future of the industry."

## INDUSTRY SAVES MILLIONS

Washington—The program projected by Herbert Hoover while head of the commerce department to eliminate waste in industry was reported Monday by Secretary Lamont to have resulted in a total saving of \$250,000,000 to those who have adopted it. Addressing a large group of business men assembled at the commerce department to discuss the progress of simplified industrial practices, Lamont said the plan had been adopted by 120 branches of industry.

He pointed out a potential saving of \$10,000,000 annually to department stores thru use of uniform wrapping and packing supplies.

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