

Suburban Murray, Center of a Rich Agricultural Section

MURRAY claims but 6,000 population but these 6,000 are united for progress and their unanimity, zeal and loyalty for the city signifies a growing and progressive community; the citizens of Murray are not divided upon any public questions and nowhere will be found a more unanimous public spirit and fraternal feeling.

Murray is situated approximately in the center of the Salt Lake valley and embraces and has tributary to it as rich a territory in resources and sufficiently diversified in production as to insure an ever increasing prosperity.

In agriculture, the lower lands produce as choice a quality and as abundant a yield of small fruits, vegetables and all other soil products as exist in a like altitude and climate; the bench land to the east is a choice section for an agricultural purpose but its great value is its adaptability for fruit growing, particularly peaches, of which there is now quite an acreage planted and a fair portion in bearing as the shipments of 50 carloads to the east a year ago proves that this section is rapidly gaining recognition as one of Utah's great fruit belts.

To the west lies a very fertile and productive farm section, irrigated, chiefly, by canals from the Jordan river; this section is also unsurpassed for apple growing and each year orchards of this fruit are being planted as well as pear trees, of which several orchards exist.

On the higher ground arid farming is being done and there are thousands of acres under cultivation and an immense yield of grain is being harvested each year and this year these so called dry farms produced two crops of alfalfa without irrigation and it is contended that this is as good if not the best arid farming district within the state.

For manufacturing industries, no better location can be desired than Murray presents; the transportation facilities are as good as any city has with three lines of railroad. Murray is also connected with Salt Lake City by a street car system affording excellent service between the two cities; the supply of moderate priced and unskilled labor is ample; water is in abundance and electrical power and fuel is as cheap as anywhere.

There already exists here the plant of the American Smelting & Refining Company employing about 1,000 men; the Taylor & Bruntton Ore Sampling Company is also established at Murray and there are various industries, such as flour mills, planing mills, etc. in operation.

Higher up the range along both Big and Little Cottonwood canyons, various properties are being developed and some are now at the producing stage.

BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS.
Murray has two modern banks with deposits and daily clearances that demonstrate a large volume of business; mercantile establishments exist that supply all the necessities and comforts that can be desired; in fact, State street is lined on both sides, for three quarters of a mile in length, with business enterprises.

Within Murray city and on its edges are various trout breeding establishments which are also contributing to its advancement and which emphasize the abundance of water and diversity of opportunities.

The greater portion of Murray is underlaid with currents of artesian water of pure and wholesome character. This water is tapped by driving pipes from 20 to 200 feet to intercept the streams and a well of this ever-flowing sparkling fluid of crystalline appearance and cooling temperature is an adjunct to existence that cannot be excelled.

Murray, with its schools and its churches for education and moral influence, its water, its electric lights, its paved sidewalks and efficient highways, is attracting people and this will soon be greatly accentuated by a reduction of street car fare from 10 cents to 5 cents between Murray and Salt Lake City and an extension of the street car system to the southern limit of the city, two miles farther, and on to Midvale and Sandy.

Another factor of prime importance and influence for the suburban resident is the fact that the necessities and comforts of existence are cheaper in Murray than in Salt Lake City; building sites and rental are less, and as the merchants do not have as great expense for their rents, licenses, etc., they can afford and do sell cheaper than the city markets.

SPLENDID SCHOOLS.
Murray takes great pride in her schools, which comprise four large buildings and an instructive corps of 35 teachers under the supervision of Prof. G. M. Mumford, with special instructors in music and art; a manual training department teaching the boys the use of tools and application of mechanics and the girls sewing and domestic science, for which a room has been fitted up with sewing machines and equipment necessary.

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Since Murray's organization as a city, roadways have been macadamized, three miles of concrete pavements have been laid, six miles of streets lighted; a water system installed and two and one-half miles of mains laid; a modern city hall building has been erected and furnished; a city jail and a fire apparatus building has been constructed with sufficient room for headquarters for a volunteer fire department, which has been organized, and which is a credit to the city.

Various other minor improvements have been made and all this done with a minimum of taxation and without incurring any bonded indebtedness.

It is the evident desire of the citizens of Murray to acquire their street lighting and water systems which are now operated by private corporations, and it is believed that if the purchase of these necessities can be financed that they cannot only be made self-sustaining but can also be made to pay for themselves within a reasonable time.

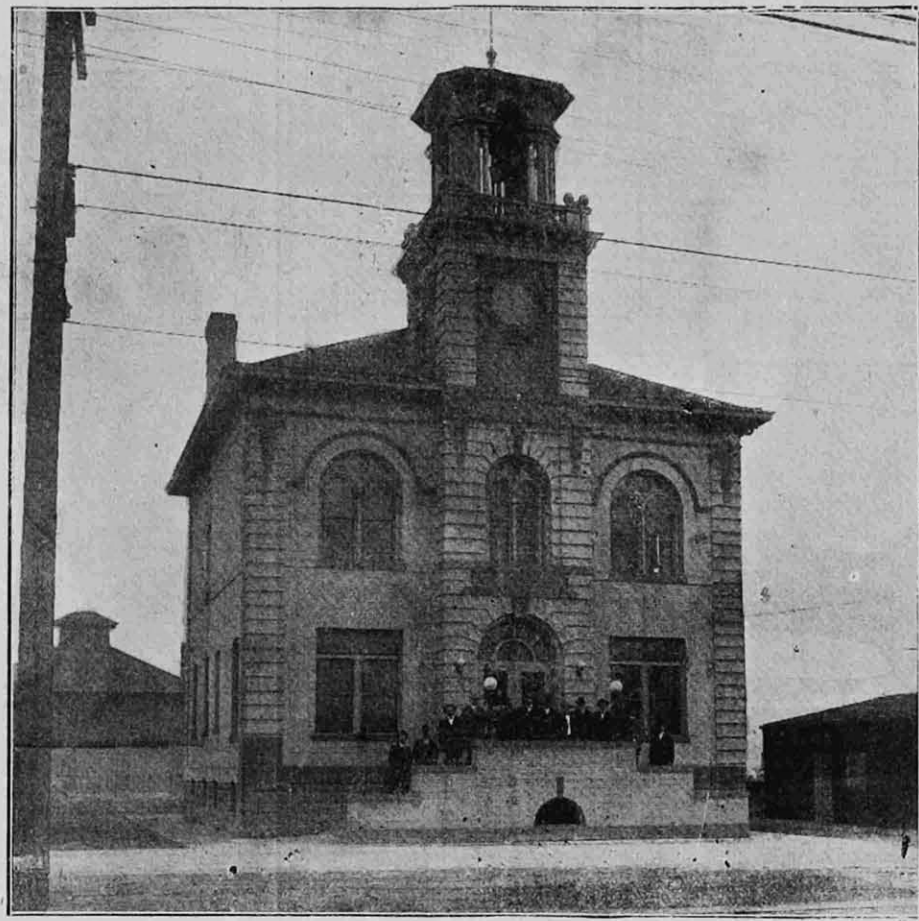
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The public school buildings are crowded and more room is imperative for the scholars; Murray has been content to send her high school students to Salt Lake City on account of the high efficiency of that school, but the number desiring the studies in advance of the regulation grades is becoming so great that facilities will have to be provided at home and the erection of a building and installation of a high school course is a necessity demanded by conditions, not only to afford opportunities for those desiring the studies but to maintain the prestige of the city.

A free public library is also wanted for the rapidly growing community to aid in the cultivation and appreciation of the higher ideals of life.

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This purpose should be acquired before prices of land become much greater than now.

There are other possibilities that will add to the population and cause a greater centralization of business in Murray and suggestions and prospective actions for the betterment of the city will be encouraged.

As previously stated a policy to encourage business enterprises and promote the city's prestige will be maintained and every effort possible will be put forth to bring to Murray the business and give it a wider and more extended recognition from the surrounding country.

Murray has ever been foremost in every effort for the general betterment of the state and in her unselfish way adopted the motto "Help Utah and Murray will help herself" and this is still her principle, believing that a portion of any results that will help the balance of the state will also contribute to Murray's good and that she will receive her share of the general prosperity.

MILLER-CAHOON COMPANY.
A commercial enterprise that has gained renown throughout Utah and surrounding states and that has given Murray considerable prestige and greatly aided in the material prosperity of the city is the Miller-Cahoon company.

This company is a wholesaler and jobber of agricultural implements of all descriptions, wagons, buggies, creamery and dairy supplies, stoves, linoleum and general hardware and its carload receipts of merchandise aggregate several train loads each year.

It has erected and now occupies a magnificent and commodious building on the corner of State street and Seventeenth South street that is not excelled as headquarters for an implement or vehicle concern in the state of Utah.

The wholesale department of the Miller-Cahoon company, however, is only a portion of the business as it also does a retail business and the mammoth store-room at State and Seventeenth South streets contains a complete stock of hardware where everything in that line can be secured; here also are displays of vehicles, stoves, etc., for the retail trade and growing business in the retail line certifies to its policy of fair treatment, as "once a customer, always a customer" is the rule.

In addition to this the company also handles lumber and coal and has two yards on Seventeenth South street, one on the Oregon Short Line and San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake joint tracks and another on the Denver and Rio Grande track, where a complete stock of lumber, shingles and building requirements, as well as coal, are

handled in great quantities.

The company also operates branch retail establishments at Garfield and at Fourteenth South street, where vehicles, hardware, lumber and coal are furnished to the consumer.

The demands for its lines of implements, vehicles, etc. in Idaho has now necessitated an establishment there and the company has decided to institute permanent business at Idaho Falls on a scale that will be creditable to that community and to the state and the arrangements for so doing are being perfected and business there will be commenced early in the ensuing year.

The general manager L. C. Miller, has pursued an aggressive and expansive policy ever since the formation of the Miller-Cahoon company and it is today recognized as one of the leading implement and vehicle concerns of the intermountain region; each succeeding year has shown a gratifying increase of sales over the preceding year and plans for the ensuing year give promise of greater results.

Buying in lots of several cars at a time gives the company an advantage in price and it is thus enabled to make a low price to its patrons.

The retail trade of Murray and vicinity is assured of courteous treatment, low prices and square dealing from this firm and residents of other parts of the state can secure the same advantages by writing to the Miller-Cahoon company, Murray, Utah, for anything desired in the line of implements, vehicles, hardware, etc., with the assurance that their wants will be satisfied.

MURRAY'S UNDERTAKING ESTABLISHMENT.

The C. H. Banks Undertaking company is one of the establishments of the thriving city of Murray that has kept abreast with the spirit and advancement of modern times. No expense has been saved to bring the business to the highest standard. The equipment is all the community demands. The stock is large and ranges in price and quality to meet the requirements of all classes.

The company has had a liberal patronage since it started business about five years ago, and today has back of it the confidence of the entire community. The success of the business is largely due, if not wholly so, to the competent and efficient service of Undertaker C. H. Banks. Mr. Banks holds diplomas from a number of the leading institutions of the country and has been thoroughly tested by the state board of examiners.

When you get all wool fabrics you get best wearing fabrics. You also get clothes that hold their shape best.

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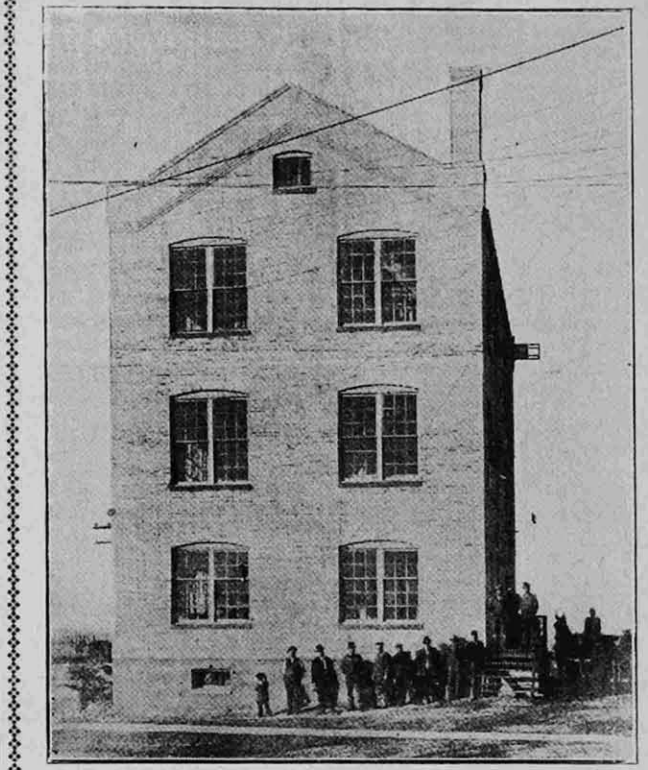
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HYRUM BENNION & SONS' MILL.

The Hyrum Bennion & Sons Co. of Taylorsville was incorporated last February with Hyrum Bennion president; Samuel T. Bennion, vice president; Hyrum Bennion, Jr., secretary and treasurer; these with David Bennion and Samuel Gerrard form the board of directors. The company took over the milling business of Hyrum Bennion & Sons, previously known as Bennion & Co., Bennion & Bennion, and Taylorsville Roller Mills. On Sept. 8 last, they had the misfortune to lose by fire their old mill, situated on the Jordan river. But they have already well under way the erection of a new mill at Murray, also a power plant at the old mill site intending to generate their own power and build a transmission line to Murray to the new mill.

The above mill, which began operation on Dec. 1, is one of the best and most up-to-date mills of the west. It is equipped with modern and improved flour milling machinery of 125 barrels per day capacity, also it contains a complete plant to steam and roll oats, barley, etc., for horse feed.

Being located near the O. S. L. railroad, and having all the latest conveniences, a very large business can be handled and the company will continue to make custom trade, flour exchanged for wheat and chopping and rolling grain, a specialty, and promises the public the usual courteous and liberal treatment. The noted Pantry Queen flour is again on the market, every sack being guaranteed to give satisfaction, or money refunded.

Not only does this company generate the power for the mill but furnishes lights and power for the residences of Taylorsville, having built a transmission line and connections, recently.

The general merchandise store, formerly known as Taylorsville Co-op, has also been purchased by this company, and a large and up-to-date stock of groceries, flour, grain, hardware, tin and granite ware, dry goods, notions, shoes, rubbers, furnishings and toys is carried.

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Beautiful Showing of Christmas Novelties

See our Show Windows Laden with choice gift suggestions and every one a dollar saver. Select now—you may pay a small deposit to hold any article for Xmas eve delivery.

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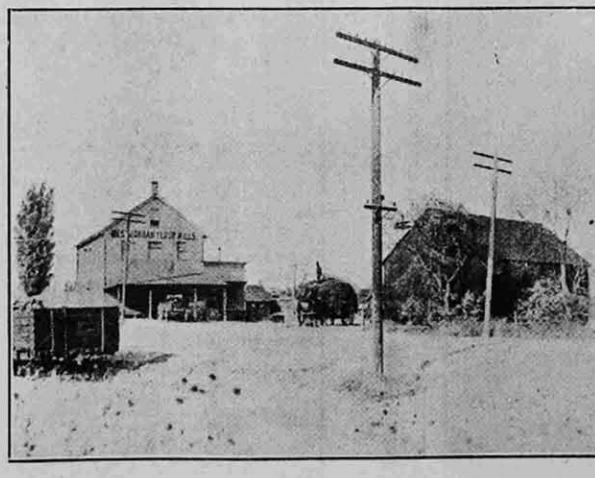
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WEST JORDAN MILLING CO.

THE West Jordan mill, the cut of which appears on this page, is located on the Jordan river about a mile west of the city of Midvale, and is one of the oldest flour and feed mills of the valley. In the early days of Utah this mill was known as the Gardner mill, but later became known as the West Jordan mill and is called by that name at the present time. It is incorporated, however, under the firm name of the West Jordan Milling Co. with the following officers: President, John A. Egbert, vice president, William Aylett; directors, William S. Dimond and Joseph H. Siam; secretary and manager, John A. Aylett. These gentlemen are old and experienced business men and industrial supporters of the county. They

are heavily interested in many enterprises, and their ability, honesty and integrity are so well established that they need no introduction. Not to mention Frank Moedi, the miller in charge, would render the list of officers incomplete. Mr. Moedi is one of the most experienced and capable millers of the state, which is attested by the product he puts out.

The West Jordan Milling Co. manufactures the White Lily flour which has a reputation of high value among the leading cooks and housewives of this intermountain region, and has such a demand that the mill at its present capacity of 75 barrels is unable to furnish the supply. The company also handles bran, shorts, cereals, general mill products and coal, and has a custom trade throughout the county that is most enviable.