

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, and will send a short article, will appear under this heading. We want all news items.—Editor



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Murray State Bank

Murray, Nebraska

There is No Substitute for Safety

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Protect Your Property!

Then you protect your car. Our Anti-Freeze will do it.

A radio works to perfection and "comes in fine" these cold nights. Don't delay installation—ring us up!

The Murray Garage

Hello! Central! No. 12 Please!

-The Quality and Service Store-

The H. M. Soennichsen Company
Telephone No. 12
Murray, Nebraska

Monday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lippold of Omaha, all enjoying the day most pleasantly.

J. W. Berger had the misfortune to lose a very fine hog weighing about two hundred pounds which he was expecting to have dressed in a short time.

William Lindner and wife were in Omaha on Wednesday of this week, where they were called to look after some business matters for the Murray Garage.

The Missouri Pacific spilled a car of cinders at the station which they distributed about the place that the platform and drives might be kept in the best condition.

Henry Starkjohn of Plattsmouth was a visitor in Murray last Monday and was distributing sale bills telling of the sale which he is to have on January 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Shrader of South Omaha were visiting last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Long, where all enjoyed the occasion very much.

Ralph Kennedy has been having a very severe attack of the jaundice but is at this time reported as getting along nicely and is hoping that he will soon be alright again.

It is reported that Maynard Tritsch who was badly burned some time since was taken to the hospital where he was to have some skin graft on the burned portions.

Mr. Charles M. Hoback and wife of San Jose, California, visited their niece, Mrs. E. DeLies Dernier on Thursday of last week and was very much appreciated, as it had been 23 years since they last met.

Patrick Wilson and Gust Johnson workmen for the Yant Construction Company drove over from Omaha on a truck last Monday and returned each driving a truck, they taking one which had been left there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Topfiff have been visiting with the parents of Mr. Topfiff in Jewell county, Kansas, where they had a most enjoyable visit since Christmas, returning home a few days since having driven and enjoyed every minute of the time.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MURRAY STATE BANK

of Murray, Nebr.

Charter No. 578 in the State of Nebraska at the close of business December 31, 1925.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$291,178.03
Overdrafts	308.08
Bonds	12,622.78
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	4,212.58
Other real estate	4,189.91
Bankers' conservation fund	758.96
Due from National and State banks	49,874.03
Checks and items in exchange	4,996.49
Cash in bank	3,469.42
	58,279.94
TOTAL	\$371,640.28

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$15,000.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Undivided profits (Net)	7,192.00
Individual deposits	110,159.99
Subject to check	200,721.18
Deposits in process	2,146.66
Cashier's checks outstanding	10,000.00
Due to National and State banks	323,937.82
Due to other banks	20,000.00
Bills payable	20,000.00
Depositor's guaranty fund	1,492.45
TOTAL	\$371,640.28

State of Nebraska }
County of Cass }

I, W. G. Boedeker, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is a true and correct copy of the report made to the Department of Trade and Commerce.

W. G. BOEDEKER, President.
LEONA BOEDEKER, Director.
G. M. MINFORD, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, 1926.

EDNA M. WARREN
Notary Public.
(My commission expires Oct. 19, 1926)

at Omaha for nearly the past two weeks where he has been undergoing a clinic, for the ascertaining if he had a Mastoid tumor, but without a real decision, returned home last Saturday, but may have to go for another examination in a short time. His many friends are hoping that the little fellow will not be compelled to undergo an operation and that his health shall be speedily restored.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Rhin were called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hackenberg last Sunday by the report that their house was on fire. Mr. and Mrs. Rhin hurried with all speed, but when they arrived at the home it was entirely consumed. They were able to save a little of the bedding and clothing but the furniture and household utensils were not able to be saved.

Mr. and Mrs. Hackenberg came home with Mr. and Mrs. Rhin, and later went to Plattsmouth where they are now living in Mr. and Mrs. Rhin's house.

Spotted Poland China Boar Lost. I had a spotted Poland China boar get away from the stock yard, any information will be gladly received as to his whereabouts.—G. M. Minford, Murray, Neb.

Attending Territorial Settlers Meet. Uncle D. A. Young who has been in this country for many a long year, and who was born just across the river in Iowa, was a passenger to Lincoln last Tuesday where he went to attend the Territorial pioneer's meeting, which was convening at the capital city early this week. Mr. Young has lived many years in Cass county and has helped to make this one of the best places to live in the best state of the best country in the world.

Secure New Minister. Following the meeting of the Bible school at the Christian church last Lord's day, the matter of securing a new minister for the church was taken up, and the Rev. Frank Gardner was extended a call for half time work, he accepting the same over the telephone the same day. He will preach for the first time on the coming Lord's day.

Home From Hospital. Mr. W. G. Boedeker who has been at Rochester for the past two weeks where he has been at the Mayo Brothers hospital for consultation arrived home last Monday evening and is feeling pretty well, and is at work in the bank as usual.

Central Store Gets New Car. The Central Store, which is owned by Frank Foreman, has purchased a new and nifty Ford roadster of the latest pattern and which will make an excellent car for this place of business.

Reported Dead in Omaha. The man who had his feet frozen so badly, during the late severe cold snap, when he was sleeping in a barn belonging to Joe Hathaway and who was taken to the state hospital, where he was being treated, has been reported as dead.

CARD OF THANKS. For the many expressions of kindness and in honor of our beloved husband and brother, Robert Burr, we wish to express our thanks to the many people who were so kind

and dear to us in our hour of grief and sorrow. We express our thanks for the beautiful floral offerings, and to those who took part in the singing and the pianist.—Mrs. Robert Burr and mother Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Burr and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kasteur, Mr. and Mrs. Ozo Virgin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Read and family and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Keil and family.

BIBLE SCHOOL LESSON

Sunday, January 17th
By M. S. Briggs

Golden Text: "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son that whosoever believeth on him might not perish but have eternal life."—John 3:16.

The Story of Nicodemus

The Sanhedrin of the Jews was the highest court at the time of the coming of Christ. The court, for such it was, was composed of 71 persons and was instituted during the rule of the Maccabees, and lasted until after the time of Christ, and later was functioning at Babylon. As time advanced the powers of the body became stronger and during the time when the Israelites governed themselves it had the power of imposing the sentence of death.

It was this body that was so strongly opposed to the reception and acceptance of the Christ at his coming. Nicodemus was a member of the body, and a very influential one at that. He was a teacher of the Jews, and as such was well versed in Jewish history. He had taken notice of John the Baptist, and had listened and thought much on the things which he had spoken. As John the Baptist prophesied that the Christ was soon to come, Nicodemus compared the scriptures and the prophecies with what John the Baptist was saying to the people.

Nicodemus also heard the Christ speak, and knew of the miracles which he performed, believing him to be the Messiah. He was still a member of the Sanhedrin, and fearing the Jews, he went by night to see the Master, arriving there, although he was a Pharisee and a very prominent member of the Sanhedrin, he said, "Master, we know thou art a teacher come from God, for no man can do the miracles which thou doest except he be with him." We will now let Nicodemus tell the interview himself.

"Ye Must Be Born Again"

"Christ answered me saying, 'Verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.' Well do you know, that seemed a pretty strong proposition, for it seemed to me that a man could not when he was grown be born again, and I said, 'How can a man when he is old, enter into his mother's womb and be born again?' The Master was ready with a reply, 'The wind blows whither it listeth; thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh or whence it goeth; so is every one that is born of the Spirit.' I could not understand and said, 'How can these things be?' As quick as a flash, the Master answered saying in the form of an inquiry, 'Art thou a Master or teacher in Israel and knowest not these things?' He also said, 'Verily, verily, I say unto thee, we speak that which we do know and we testify of the things which we have seen and ye receive not our witness.' 'If I have told you of earthly things and ye believe not, how shall you believe if I tell you of Heavenly things? No man has ascended up into heaven, but he that came down from heaven; even the Son of man which is in heaven.' 'Continuing he said, 'Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness; even so must the Son of man be lifted up that whosoever believeth on him should not perish but have eternal life. This language seemed strange unto me and was more than I could comprehend. Then he came with the most wonderful declaration which I had ever heard, and have ever heard since, for at the time he was speaking, I could see in his kindly eye that there was a world of truth as well as love emanating from his countenance and his whole being. For he must have realized that he was telling of the most wonderful evening on all the universe of God, his father, for he said, 'For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son that whosoever believeth on him should not perish, but have eternal life.' While things had been a little hard for me to understand, the truth of this statement seemed to entirely envelope me and I realized that the Son of God spoke of himself when he said God gave his only begotten son, and I was then convinced as Peter has declared later, that this Jesus was indeed the very Christ, the Son of the most high God, the maker of the universe and that is contained therein.

"Continuing Jesus said: 'For God sent His Son into the world to condemn it, but that the world thru

him might be saved. He that believeth on Him is not condemned; but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. And this is the condemnation, that light has come into the world, and men loved darkness more than light because their deeds were evil. For every man that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light lest his deeds be re-proved. But he that doeth truth, cometh to the light that his deeds may be made manifest that they are wrought of God.' This is the substance of the interview which this greatest of all men, for he more than man, for he was the Son of man and also the Son of God.

"So then made up my mind that this was indeed the very Christ which should come into the world. I knew if I openly espoused his cause, that I would be thrown over the transom at the Sanherin and while I made up my mind that I would be his disciple I said nothing to his enemies in the Sanherin, for to do so would provoke strife and I thought I had enough then. In the light of later developments I found that I did not do as I should for it begot of cowardice, when I should deny my Lord, when he has come from high heaven for the salvation of even me."

This disciple could fully realize the position of the writer of that popular song, which should be sung by his followers for years to come, how deeply the writer felt of his littleness and of the great magnanimity of the Master when he came and gave his life that all men might be saved: 'I gave, I gave my life for thee, That thou mightest ransom me, And quickened from the dead, I bring my life to thee, What has thou brought to me? I gave, I gave my life for thee, What has thou given me?'

And quickened from the dead, I bring my life to thee, What has thou brought to me? I gave, I gave my life for thee, What has thou given me?

Simmons Will Fight for a Bigger Tax Cut

Insists, However, That Action on the Bill by March 1st Will Not Be Prevented.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Nonpartisan action by the senate on the house revenue bill, to assure its enactment before March 15, when first income tax installments are due, is in the opinion of President Coolidge, highly desirable.

The president believes the program of senate finance committee democrats for an increase of 170 thousand dollars over the total of tax reduction provided by the house measure is unwise from an economic standpoint, and would involve a party fight that might delay prompt action.

Senator Simmons, (N. C.), ranking democrat on the committee, announced today that, although the committee had rejected the plan for increased reduction, he expected to gain enough support in the senate for its adoption.

At the same time, he insisted that a fight for adoption of the amendments proposed by the minority members will not be permitted to prevent final action on the bill before March 10.

CHASING BUTTERFLIES UP IN BALMY ALBERTA

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 11.—The weather program in the far west and the northwest has become badly scrambled. In California, where mild winters are, as a rule, part of the allurements to tourists, one of the coldest spells in years prevails. Fogs cover large sections of the interior and have been the cause of several serious accidents at night.

On the other hand, Alaska reports this mildest weather in its history. Dispatches from Nome today said there is not enough snow for dog races. Up in Alberta, where cold weather is the rule for six months in the year, the people are confronted with an ice famine. Dispatches from Lethbridge, Alberta said the weather is mild and rivers are running. One citizen chased butterflies yesterday for exercise. Several robins were seen and golf is going on as usual. Stock is running on the ranges. Records for twenty-four years fail to reveal as long a warm spell as now prevails in Alberta.

A water shortage is threatened in central California because of the lack of rain, although this is the rainy season.

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DON'T FORGET THE DATE!

DOANE COLLEGE TAKES STOCK OF 1926 PROSPECTS

The prospects for the track championship coming to Doane again this year are bright, says a bulletin received by the Journal today.

Continuing the bulletin says: "The championship team of 1925 is practically intact. Only two men who were point winners in the 1925 meet are not in school at the present time. Kinney, winner of the 100 and 440 yard dashes, graduated; while Bragg, winner of third place in the discus throw, may be in school next semester.

"Dual meets with Hastings and Fern and a triangular meet including Weidman, Gopher and Doane has been tentatively arranged. The team will also be sent to the Kansas and Drake Relays.

"Captain B. J. Graves, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, is the outstanding middle distance man on the squad. He is practically certain of a considerable number of points in any meet in which the squad takes part. Other middle distance men who are left from last year's squad include Lease of Wisner, Brown of Crete and Eldon Simon of Cambridge. New men in this section who have shown promise in fall work are Sheldon, of Columbus, Zimmerman of Crete, and Bonner of Clay Center. Hopper of Stanton and Walker of Clay Center are the outstanding men in the two mile event.

"Ray Alf of Petersburg, Harold Simon of Cambridge, and Parker of Crete are the letter men back for the sprint events. These men, with Kinney made up the relay team which broke the state record in the 1925 meet. New candidates include Sack, of Crete, in the 100 and France of Syracuse, Wolfe of Clay Center and Bovey of Crete in the quarter.

"The weight events will be taken care of by Park of Crete, Booth of Sutton, Kubicek of Wilber and Overturn of Bird City, Kansas.

"In Abbot of Clay Center and McKenzie and Phil Taylor of Crete, Doane has three of the best hurdlers in the conference. It is doubtful if any new men will have much chance of breaking in on these events.

"Abbot, Geer of Columbus, Kubicek and Booth form a group of capable high jumpers. Abbot and Geer tied for first place last year at Lincoln while Booth and Kubicek have gone as high on other occasions.

"Sanderson of Clay Center and Paul Taylor and Sack of Crete are expected to take care of the broad jump. The Taylor brothers of Crete, Scheer of Harvard, Clarke of Abbot and Klasek of Wilber are the pole vaulters from whom the three regular performers will be picked.

"The action of the Conference in dropping the hammer throw and substituting the mile relay will have little effect upon Doane's chances in the championship race. Doane scored three points in the hammer throw last spring, but with a plentiful supply of 440 men, the Tigers should do as well or better in the mile relay.

"Although facilities for winter training are not good, Capt. Graves, Ray Alf and McKenzie will be sent to the K. C. A. C. indoor meet at Kansas City next month."

TENNESSEE PLANS NEW HIGHWAYS

Knowlton, Tenn.—Surveys for two highways across the Great Smoky mountains will start soon. They will extend from Sevierville to the North Carolina line and the other from Maryville. They will go through an area proposed for a national park. The State Highway Department has agreed to supplement funds provided by Sevier and Blount Counties for construction of the mountain highways. The routes will shorten the distance from the north to the south.

Tennessee and North Carolina are raising \$2,000,000 with which to purchase land in the Great Smokies for presentation to the Government as a national park. Approximately \$500,000 has been subscribed.

McCLINTOCK CASE UP MONDAY

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Decision in the legal battle for the McClintock millions—not the final one, however, as it will be carried to the supreme court for final disposition—will be given by Judge Kitchin Scanlan next Monday.

After hearing the evidence and the arguments of attorneys for William D. Shepherd, foster father of the late "Billy" McClintock and his principal heir, and those of attorneys for the blood relatives and Isabelle Pope, McClintock's fiancée, Judge Scanlan declared that he would take the case under advisement.

Both sides declared they would eventually carry the case to the supreme court.

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