

Program-Complimentary Band Concert
 TO BE GIVEN AT THE MASONIC HOME
Sunday Sept. 2nd—3 P. M.
 by the Iowa State Institution Band
 of Glenwood, Iowa—G. M. Duncan, Director
 Courtesy Dr. Geo. Mogridge, Superintendent

- PROGRAM
- 1—March, "Sousa's Triumphal".....Boyer
 - 2—Selection for Offenbach's Operas.....Arr. E. Boettger
 - 3—Waltz, "Alpine Sunset".....King
 - 4—Baritone Solo, Selected.....
 - 5—Grand Selection from Opera "Ione".....E. Petrella
- INTERMISSION
- 6—March, "Bravura".....Duble
 - 7—Mazurka Caprice, Blau Velchen (Blue Violets).....Eilenberg
 - 8—Selection, "Old Folks' Favorites".....Barnard
 - 9—March, "Military Escort".....Bennett
- In Five Different Ways: 1—As a Military March; 2—As Miscagni, composer of "Cavalleria Rusticana" might have written it; 3—As Strauss, composer of "Blue Danube," would have written it; 4—As a Jazz Band leader would play it; 5—As a Military Band passing in review.
- 10—Trombone Novelty, Bass Trombone.....Fillmore
 - 11—March, Selected.....

CROOKS MADE INTO HEROES

Milwaukee. — Attorney General O'Connor of Iowa, asserting racketeers are levying 15 billions in tribute annually against the American people, pleaded with the attorneys general conference of the American Bar association convention to fight crime.

Criticizing what he termed a tendency to make heroes of John Dillinger and kindred hoodlums, O'Connor said newspapers "should carry more stories of the hazards encountered by fearless law enforcement officials in tracing the criminal to his

lair." If heroes are needed in the tragic drama of crime they should be the peace officers and prosecuting attorney, O'Connor said.

NO BANK ROBBERY CLUES

Aurora, Neb.—Sheriff Jim Howard Tuesday night said he had found no clues which might lead to the identity of the two gunmen who robbed the First National bank here of \$1,536 last Saturday and locked fourteen persons in its vault. Howard has taken several trips to run down "leads" on the bank robbers.

Bible School Lesson Study!

Sunday, September 2nd By L. Neitzel, Murdock, Neb.

"Micah Champions the Oppressed"

Micah 6:1-12

Little is known of Micah's life up to this time. He was ready and willing to carry God's message to his people. He must have enjoyed a close fellowship with God and knew conditions as they existed in his day. He lived and worked with Isaiah, 740 B. C., and must not be confused with the prophet Micah in King Ahab's time, 137 years before this lesson. They are two different men.

In Jeremiah 26:16-18 he is referred to as the man who delivered God's message and was listened to. Micah had a message for both Judah and Israel; he understood world politics of his day. He knew of the downfall of Samaria and believed that Jerusalem was only postponing her time of destruction for a few years. He is the "Herald Prophet;" his is the book of the "Watch Tower." Its keyword is "Hear." His key text is "Hear all ye people, harken, O earth, and all that therein is, and let the Lord God be witness against you, the Lord from his holy temple." (Micah 1:2). He lifts up his voice against the social wrongs sanctioned by their religious leaders. The wrongful accumulation of great estates is especially mentioned as a flagrant social evil. That would be a very thankless job for a minister in our day. The "woes" of the oppressor are pictured in a vigorous and graphic language.

Like Amos, Micah took up the cause of the poor. His was the first voice to be raised against child labor, a crime even more deadly in the east than in the west. Denouncing the greedy covetous acts of the rich that added one farm to the other, depriving many of a home. The religious leaders (preachers) did not cry out against this; even so in our days.

Having pronounced the judgments of God against the evil-doers, he is also the prophet of hope. The fourth chapter gives us a glowing description of a better day; the triumphant day of the church—the people will seek God in his house and will gladly obey his teaching—declare that they will walk in his paths—a great change will come over the people. Verses 3 and 4 describe the ideal condition of the world when Jesus Christ shall rule men, not the law. What is the church doing to hasten that day? Is it not about time that the churches give up some of their "hobbies"—non-essentials, and merge their forces and powers and present a solid front against a common foe? Whenever we come to that stage in our work for Christ that we can sing: "We are not divided. All one body we, one in hope and doctrine, one in charity," then will be fulfilled the prayer of Jesus: "That they all may be one, as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee; that they also may be one in us; that the world may believe that thou hast sent me." (John 17:21).

God calls and appeals to nature, to history and to the reasonable service

God requires. He calls to the hills to witness what God has done. (Vv 1 and 2). He appeals to the great deeds of God's redemption for his people (Vv 3 to 5). He insists on the simplicities of God's requirements (Vv 6 to 8).

God sure has reason for complaint today. Sabbath desecration, the neglect of public service by the masses, the indifference and contempt for the church for which Christ died—these are reasons enough to call upon all reasonable men to come and argue the matter. If God is not entitled to honor, reverence and undivided loyalty and service. Isaiah gave voice to the same thought when he cried out: "Come now, and let us reason together." (Isa. 1:18). And Paul in his day admonished the church at Rome "to present their bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God—which is your reasonable service." (Rom. 12:1).

God is very much in earnest about this matter.

Showing by past history his loving care for his people.

The Jews in their day believed that one must not come to God empty-handed; on offering, a sacrifice must accompany him. David had caught the right meaning of serving God. "Sacrifice and offering thou didst not desire; mine ears hast thou opened; burnt offering and sin offering hast thou not required." (Ps. 40:6).

All the sacrifices may be but an empty show. True service or the divine triangle of religion begins with our relations to our fellow man. Be fair in dealing; that is the business side of it. Be fair in treatment; that is the family and brotherly side of it. No excuses will avail men. "He had showed thee, O man, what is good, and what doth Jehovah require of thee, but to do justly, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with thy God." These requirements make up the sum total of a devout follower of Jesus. James, the servant of God, gave a graphic description of religion in his day in these words: "Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this. To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction and keep himself unspotted from the world." (James 1:27).

Stress should be laid upon the "walk with God." Enoch of old found it pleasant to "walk with God." (Gen. 5:24). The result was that he walked home with God. Moses would not venture forth to lead God's people "except Thy presence go with me"—being assured that the Almighty was at his right hand, he went forward. David was unafraid, even in the valley of the shadow of death, "for thou art with me." (Ps. 23:4).

The joy and peace, the sense of security are indescribable—they must be experienced. Micah knew God hence he could teach others the way. A preacher and teacher must have this experience to be a successful worker.

Murray

Thomas Nelson of the Murray lumber yard was building a hay rack for Bert Lloyd on last Monday.

Mrs. Jessie Rice and Mrs. Basil Rice have been the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Tilson. Douglas Tilson, accompanied by his friends Van Allen and Joe Rieher, spent Saturday evening in the metropolis.

Business called George E. Nickles to Nehawka, Weeping Water and Louisville on last Saturday, he making the trip in his auto.

Hallas Atkins was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth on last Monday, driving over to the county seat in his auto.

Don C. Rhoden and wife and Mrs. Anna Rhoden, mother of Don, were guests for the day and dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Albin on last Sunday.

W. H. Haith of near Weeping Water was looking after some business matters in Murray last Monday morning and was meeting with his many friends as well.

Paul Schlichtemeier was in town on last Monday securing some needed materials for the construction of a trench silo for the storing of what there was of the corn crop.

Miss Catherine Leyda has been enjoying a visit from her friend, Miss Hattie Anderson of Wilsonville where Miss Catherine was instructor in the schools for a number of years.

Phillip A. Hild is assisting in the measuring of the land which the government has separated for the deducting of the corn and wheat acreage reduction, which is taking him the entire week.

Edward Everett of Union and Fred Sorrell of Syracuse were in Murray on last Monday morning looking after some business matters regarding the sale of some land just south of Plattsmouth.

Mrs. Ella Barker, manager of the Murray telephone exchange who has been away for the past two weeks enjoying her vacation returned late last week and is again at the switchboard and serving the patrons.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tilson and son and daughter, Douglas and Mona spent the week end visiting with friends and relatives at Randolph, Neb. Sunday they were guests at a family picnic given in their honor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Noel and Jarvis Lancaster and family of Plattsmouth were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lancaster for the day on last Sunday and for an excellent dinner which was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. R. A. Young of Weeping Water, arrived in Murray where she is visiting for some two weeks at the home of Harry Noel and wife and as well with Albert Griffin and other relatives and friends in Murray for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Nickles and Mrs. Nickles' mother, Mrs. Henry C. Long were over to Omaha on last Sunday where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Shrader and wife for the day and dinner.

Charles V. Barrows and family of the Hi-Way Garage east of Mynard and Ben Noel of Murray, departed last Monday morning for Draper, South Dakota, where they will spend some two weeks visiting with a sister of Mr. Barrows.

Martin L. Ruby and wife of McCook arrived in Murray and vicinity last week and have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Gruber of Murray and Tom Ruby of Mynard and with the relatives and friends in Plattsmouth.

Lucaan Carper of the Murray Hardware company, accompanied by the wife and their little son were guests on last Sunday evening at the home of Hennings P. Johnson and family of Otoe county southeast of Nehawka, where they visited for the evening, Mr. Johnson being uncle of Mr. Carper.

Ray Frederick was over to Yutan on last Monday where he was receiving seed corn from what he has there and selection is so that there may be an abundance of good seed corn for the coming spring, when all know that seed corn will be difficult to get as there will be none grown here this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCarthy and their son, Donald of Union were visiting in Murray last Monday morning, they coming that she might have her hand dressed which was so severely bitten by a dog last week while she was endeavoring to prevent fighting. The hand is getting along nicely but Mrs. McCarthy does not care to stop dogs fighting in the future.

Blacksmith Shop Equipment FOR SALE

The entire complement of Tools and all other equipment of the Blacksmith Shop of Vaclav Mickluskey at Murray is being offered for sale. Communicate with either Mr. Mickluskey or Murray State Bank, Murray, Nebr.

the past two weeks at the home of his parents at Hamlet in the southwestern portion of the state, returned home this week after having enjoyed the visit very much. Mr. Perry tells of the country being very dry out that way and with scarcely any rain during the past few months. Still there is some grass growing as to what there is here.

Attended Wedding at Tabor.

Mr. Warren Gregory of Tabor, Iowa, was a school chum of C. H. Boedecker II when they were attending Shattock school at Paribault, Minn., and the friendship has continued after they left their school and studies. Mr. Gregory was united in marriage on Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Driscoll, parents of Miss Monna Driscoll, and Mr. and Mrs. Boedecker were selected from among the many friends as best man and bridesmaid for the wedding. Following the ceremony the newlyweds departed for Denver where they will enjoy traveling for some ten days, after which they will make their home at Tabor where they have just had a new and beautiful home constructed.

Christian Church Celebrates.

On last Sunday, August 26th there was held at the Christian church of Murray an all day gathering with the regular services and Bible school. At noon the dinner and social hour was enjoyed, which lasted until two in the afternoon. The regular evening services were enjoyed. The young peoples service was also enjoyed during the evening. Many of the members and many from out of town were there to enjoy the day and discuss the problems of the church.

Visited Here Number of Days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hutsman, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Clearfield, Iowa, Mrs. Hutsman being a daughter to Charles H. Boedecker, sr., and accompanied by their daughter were here for a number of days last week and were visiting with the father, Mr. C. H. Boedecker, W. G. Boedecker and family, John Young and family and Charles H. Boedecker II and wife. The visitors departed early Monday morning for their home in Iowa.

Attended Eastern Star Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Tutt were over to the Order of Eastern Star picnic which was held at the Spangler grove east of Mynard and where they enjoyed an excellent time with the Masons and the wives from Plattsmouth and a number from Murray. At the conclusion of the celebration, they volunteered to take a number of the members of the Masonic Home to the Home which they did and also visited with a few of their friends in Plattsmouth as well.

Some Corn Anyway.

There is a corn stalk at the Murray State bank which is over ten feet in height, and on which has grown two good ears of corn, and while not as large as grown some years they are both good sound ears and of the very best quality which was grown by John Noddleman over on the river a short distance below old Rock Bluffs, where Mr. Noddleman has a large field which he thinks will average thirty bushels the acre. Even in a year of complete failure there are some fields which still grow corn.

Gas Sells Lower.

With the beginning of this week the price of gas in Murray went down a notch or two, and the regular gas selling for 16 cents and the high grade going at 17 1/2 cents. The prices had been 17 1/2 and 19c. Still the war goes merrily on.

Funeral of A. H. Graves.

The funeral of Alexander H. Graves, who passed away Wednesday evening at his home in Murray

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at the advanced age of 94 years was held from the Christian church at Murray Friday afternoon. The funeral sermon was delivered by the Rev. Lloyd Schubert, pastor of the church. The services were attended by a large number of relatives and friends of this excellent man.

Mr. Graves had resided in this community for so many years and lived such an upright life that his passing will be missed by everybody. The interment was held at the Rock Bluffs cemetery, near where he resided for so many years and near where so many of the incidents of his active life were transacted. It is a fitting place for the mortal remains to rest until that time when the Angel of the resurrection with the trumpet of the new life shall call this excellent man from his long repose to that higher, better and eternal life above.

To Hold Afternoon Meeting

The Ladies Aid of the Christian church of Murray will hold an afternoon meeting at the church on Wednesday, September 5th, at which time there will be a program and Messdames Font Wilson and Fred Dreuch will be the hostesses. All members

School Opens Sept. 4th.

The Murray schools will open for the year on Tuesday, Sept. 4th with the following instructors to care for the work of the schools: Mrs. James Marsell principal; Miss Beulah Sans and Miss Loa Davis.

If there is no foundation to it, most any man likes to have his wife just a little jealous of him.

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of the Aid and of the church are urged to attend, as well as those not holding membership, who will be welcome.

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