

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 of local interest, in this vicinity, and will mail same to this office, it will appear under this heading. We want all news items—BRIEF

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B. H. NELSON,
Murray, Nebraska

C. W. Clarke was a visitor in Murray on last Tuesday, coming to look after some business matters for a short time.

A. D. Bakke was called to Plattsmouth on last Tuesday to look after some business matters for a short time in the county seat.

Dr. J. F. Brendel and Ed Poynter were cutting the grass on the lawn of the Christian church building and making the place look fine.

Fred Clarke from near Union was a visitor in Murray for a short time on last Tuesday afternoon, and was visiting with his many friends.

E. S. Tutt and wife were visiting in Plattsmouth last Sunday and attending the Baccalaureate sermon, they driving over in their auto.

Herbert Campbell was putting up the spouting at the new home which Samuel Latta is building and which will be ready for occupancy.

Gust Brubacher and wife were visiting and looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth and Omaha on Monday of this week.

Miss Bertha Nickles was a visitor with friends in Plattsmouth for a short time on last Tuesday, driving over to the county seat in her car.

W. G. Boedecker was in attendance at the group meeting of the Nebraska Bankers association which was held in Lincoln on last Friday.

A. W. Clodt and Carl Weigel of Plattsmouth were in Murray on last Tuesday and were visiting a special play at the opera house at that place.

Robert Shrader, who is assisting in the farming at the home of Wm. Patterson, reports that they completed their corn planting on last Monday.

Miss Frances Stewart and Mrs. T. J. Brendel were over to Plattsmouth on Friday and also visited in Omaha where they enjoyed a play at the Orpheum.

Jean Mason of Plattsmouth was in Murray on last Tuesday getting some materials for the repairing of a cistern at the home of J. J. Toman, east of town.

Edward Fitzgerald and wife, accompanied by Edward Jr., from near Nymard were visiting and looking after some business matters in Murray on last Tuesday.

Owen Wills and the family were over last Tuesday from their home near Nehawka and were looking after some business matters, as well as visiting with friends.

Mrs. John Campbell has been doing some decorating at their home in the way of interior finishing and papering which has added much to the pleasantness of the place.

George E. Nickles and wife accompanied by Mrs. Nickles' mother Mrs. Henry C. Long, were visiting and looking after some business matters in Omaha on last Tuesday.

Bert Jamison of Weeping Water who is the representative of the Buick automobile company was looking after some business for his company and meeting his many friends.

H. W. McManus of Chicago, a brother of Miss Lois McManus, arrived on last Tuesday evening and will make his home here with the sister and assist in the work at the store.

J. R. Mayfield from west of Murray and south of Cedar Creek was in town and was looking after some business as well as having a boil and carbuncle looked after by the doctor.

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During the time while Mrs. Addie Bartlett was at Omaha with her daughter, the telephone office was looked after by Misses Bessie Royer and Beulah Clarke, the latter from Union.

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The Berger hotel has been closed for the present on account of the inability of Mrs. Berger to secure the needed help, to conduct the hostelry and she is in poor health and cannot do the work herself.

Wayne Lewis has been keeping the barber shop open for M. G. Churchill for the past few days, but he finds it rather hard to stand at the chair with the injured knee, which is not progressing any too rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mrasek and Messrs. Geo. Nickles and Glen Boedecker were over to Ashland last week where they were visiting the town and incidentally looking after some business matters for a few hours while there.

The Otterbein Club of west of Murray was meeting on last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Seybolt, where they all enjoyed the occasion very much and were entertained by Mrs. Seybolt, who made the meeting most pleasant.

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J. A. Scott, with his help began the razing of the old house at the J. H. Tams place for the building of the foundation for the new one, which he is to construct on the farm, and as soon as the old house is out of the way, the erection of the new one will be started.

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AMERICAN LEGION DANCE

Plattsmouth, Neb.—Saturday Night
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large painted and decorated and making the home most attractive. Jess Chambers and Warren Leonard have been doing the work. Another attraction at the home is the sunken garden, which they have had constructed at the side of the house, and which contains a number of fish, and flowers, and which is constructed in the form of a figure eight, and is a most attractive spot. The walls are set with stones and many have quite a unique history. One rock coming from Texas, another from Arkansas, and another from Buffalo Bill's home in the west, and many others from noted places. This is a very attractive spot.

Murray a Good Town.

When you need anything in any line whatsoever, first see if you can get it or have it done by someone who shares you the privilege of making up the sum and substance of the bustling village of Murray. To make your own town the very best, look for some way of assisting the other fellow succeed, as he is assisting you to better things. When you have a bank, patronize that bank, and do not go somewhere else to buy your lumber, get your car repaired in Murray, see that your drugs come from the Murray Pharmacy, and your groceries from the Murray stores, and remember that you have a plumber in Murray, B. H. Nelson who is always ready to do your plumbing for you and furnish the very best of plumbing goods. When you want anything in this line, be sure and see Harry Nelson.

Enjoy an Air Ride.

Last Sunday Fred L. Hild and wife accompanied by their son, Henry and his lady friend, Miss Melba Dickinson of Lincoln, who was spending the week end at the Hild home went over to the home of Raymond Hild, where they, with Raymond as pilot enjoyed an airplane ride, and were very much delighted with the very careful and safe manner in which Raymond piloted the plane and added much to the pleasure of the ride. Raymond is one of the most capable of pilots and with each trip gets even better.

Undergoes Operation.

Miss Florence Bartlett and her mother went to Omaha on last Friday where Miss Florence entered the Methodist hospital, and underwent an operation for the relief of a sinus which had been giving this young lady much trouble for some time past. Following the operation which was a success, Miss Florence has been showing good improvement. She and mother are expected to be able to return home soon.

Brys Many Cattle.

Recently while in Wyoming, W. J. Philpot purchased some three hundred cattle of Julius Buck, which he brought to his ranch at Gandy and has them there on pasture and will carry them over the summer, bringing them here for fattening in the fall.

Murray Presbyterian Church.

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.

GRADUATION GIFTS

You will want Graduation gifts, something appropriate for the boy or girl, and we want to call your attention to the Bates Gift Shop line. We have many very nice articles for both, that we would like for you to see before you make your selection. Stunt and graduate books, bill folds and hand tooled bags, necklaces, beads, vanities, fountain pens and pencils, fancy stationery and books. A beautiful line of cards and mottoes. The Bates Book and Stationery Store.

A "HORSE" ON THE MAJOR

From Tuesday's Daily—
Major George Grissom, head of the Samaritan Army in this city, has to use a dicing expression "a horse on him." The head of the army that has been looking after the spiritual advancement of the community as well as providing material comforts for the needy, has felt the need of some means of getting around and sought either a used car or a horse to make the rounds with and finally located a horse that was donated to the cause. The major secured the horse but a trial of the animal revealed the fact that the animal was no Reigh Court. The cause of the horse who had a very poor disposition, was a real problem for the major for some time, but finally the animal settled the matter by pulling stakes and heing himself away from the scene of his confinement and has since been at liberty. The head of the gospel army is content to let him go, believing that while it is not the easiest way, still he is sure to get to his objective by walking.

A. S. Ghrist was a visitor in Omaha today where he was called to look after some matters of business that city for the day as well as visiting with friends.

CELEBRATED EIGHTH BIRTHDAY MONDAY

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lynch, in the north part of the city, on Monday evening was celebrated the eighth birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Helen, with such happiness as comes only at the Christmas tide. There were some twenty-eight of the little friends of Miss Helen present to assist in a proper observance of the event. An array of gifts of such magnitude as to even outdo Old Santa, himself, bestowed the well wishes of these friends and playmates.

A most delightful time was enjoyed by all with the playing of games and the fine lunch. Miss Lona Gentry, a sister of the mother of the little lady, who is visiting at the Lynch home from Peace Valley, Mo., assisted with the serving. Among the delectable edibles, was a large birthday cake which graced the center of the dining room table and was cut into generous sized pieces.

Those present included Masters Richard Lawrence Elledge, Leonard and Roy Bashus, Howard Hinz, Glen Harold, Benny McCarthy, Bill McManhan, Herb Minor, Misses Betty Jane Patterson, Jeanette Hinz, Betty Bullin, Florence Holcomb, Dora Elledge, Louise Taylor, Berli Clarke, Dorothy Anne Wills, Geraldine Shryock, Rachel Briggs, Mary Jean Knorr, Frances Clodt, Louise Mirasek, Thelma Kohrell, Eleanor Minor, Mildred Elledge, Richard Lahr, Chloe Cotner and Miss Helen, the guest of honor.

In departing all the little guests extended to Miss Helen wishes for many, many more such happy birthdays.

JOY AT MARSHALL HOME

From Tuesday's Daily—
This morning the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marshall, Jr., was visited by the stork that left a fine little son and who with the mother is doing nicely and the advent of the little son has brought a great deal of happiness to the proud father and the little brother, Cary, who now has a playmate to share the happiness of the home. The occasion has also brought a great deal of pleasure to grandparents and grandpa, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Seybolt, Mrs. Marshall being formerly Miss Frances Seybolt.

If you want something that is sure to please, in the Graduation Gift line, come to the Bates Book and Gift Shop. A truly wonderful line, at most moderate prices.

OBITUARY

Adolf F. Boedecker was born in the state of Minnesota, February 10, 1857 and died May 8, 1928, at the age of 71 years, 2 months and 28 days. Mr. Boedecker was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Boedecker. He came to Cass county from Minnesota with his parents in July, 1865 and has remained in this county since that time and is one of the pioneers of this community. He farmed near Louisville, Weeping Water and Murray during his early life in the county and about forty years ago purchased the farm north and west of town which has been the family home ever since.

On March 20, 1865 he was united in marriage to Miss Matilda Wenke. His wife came to Nebraska about the same time her husband and grew to womanhood in the community which later became her home. The wife and mother preceded her husband in death a few years ago, passing away July 4, 1923. Three sons and one daughter were born to this union, the daughter dying in infancy. The three sons, Frank A. Boedecker of Omaha; A. J. and George D. living north and west of town survive. The deceased gentleman is also survived by three brothers, Chas. H. of Murray, Neb.; H. E. Lander, Wyo.; and T. J. Boedecker of Magnet, Neb. Two sisters, Mrs. Phillip Kahler of Louisville, Neb., and Mrs. Minnie Blackwell of Akron, Ohio, also survive as well as four grand children.

The funeral was held at the farm home, Friday afternoon, May 11th, at 1:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. W. A. Taylor of Union. Interment was made in the Eight Mile Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Boedecker was one of the oldest residents of this community and one of our pioneer farmers. He had endured the hardships of the early life in Nebraska and as time passed on continued to make friends and add new names to his large list of acquaintances. He was held in the highest respect by those who knew him and many were the neighbors and friends that assembled at the home for the funeral services and to pay their last heartfelt respect to this estimable gentleman.

Mr. Boedecker was enjoying the best of health until a few days before his death when he developed a cold which turned into double pneumonia with the sad and sudden ending of a noble and useful career.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends of our father for the assistance rendered and the courtesies shown during the illness and after death called him from us. These acts of kindness will never be forgotten and we assure you one and all, these tokens of love and friendship will never be forgotten.

Frank A. Boedecker and Family,
E. J. Boedecker and Family,
Geo. D. Boedecker and Family.

All local news is in the Journal.

ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL PICNIC

From Wednesday's Daily—
Yesterday afternoon the pupils of the St. John's school of this city were entertained at a very delightful picnic party held at the Tone Janda farm, just north of the Oak Hill cemetery and which was attended by a very large number of the parents as well as the little folks of the school.

The farm made a very beautiful spot for the picnic and in the grass and the shade of the trees the jolly party of little folks spent the passing hours.

The afternoon was spent in games of all kinds and also in the baseball game in which the older members of the party joined and were as enthusiastic as the youngsters in playing the great national pastime. At a suitable hour in the afternoon the mothers of the little ones served the picnic supper and which proved the answer to the request of members of the picnic party in the question "When do we eat?"

After the supper there was a number of races staged that were enjoyed by the young and old alike and which with the wicker roset served in the evening completed the day of enjoyment and pleasure.

The picnic was attended by several of the clergy, Father George Agius, of St. John's church and his brother, Father Marcelinus Agius and Father Albert Wagner of Shelby, Nebraska, who is here as a guest at the home of Father Agius.

ADDING REST ROOM AND NURSERY AT LEGION BLDG.

A ladies' rest room and nursery is being arranged for the summer in the rear furnace room at the Legion community building that will fill a needed want and provide a place for the mothers of small children who attend the Legion dances and entertainments to rock them to sleep. Through courtesy of the H. M. Soennichsen Co. a large size Congoleum rug has been donated and the club room furniture, consisting of rocking chairs, a Victrola, table lamp, and numerous pictures that have been stored since the vacating of the club rooms over the Light company's office, the first of January, 1925, will be brought in to add to the comfort and conveniences of the room. There is also need of a floor lamp, and anyone having one they no longer use, will find it a very acceptable gift to the Legion, who will have the shade recovered, if necessary, and add it to the furnishings of the new rest room and nursery.

Also one of the old fashioned couches could be used to good advantage and will be gratefully accepted. In time it is planned to have a few popular magazines on the reading table.

The 350 surplus folding chairs not ordinarily used in the main hall, and which have been stored in the room being utilized for the new nursery have been moved into the coal room, which was cleaned up yesterday for that purpose and will not be used again for coal until fall.

HOLD MAY BREAKFAST

From Wednesday's Daily—
A very delightful May breakfast was held this morning at 8 o'clock at the beautiful grounds of the golf club at the outskirts of the city, the event being arranged by Miss Catherine McClusky in honor of her teachers in the high school.

Those attending the happy occasion were Miss Estelle Baird, Miss Mary Tidball, Miss Pearl Staats, R. E. Patterson, Miss Sylvia Cole and Miss Elizabeth McVey, members of the high school faculty, Rev. and Mrs. H. G. McClusky, parents of the hostess.

The hostess was assisted in the serving by Miss Fern Stivers, a classmate and friend, and the young ladies had the table most attractively arranged with the decorations of the pink weigallas.

The pleasant settings of the breakfast and the balmy air of the morning made the occasion one of the rarest pleasure.

Ball and golf served to entertain the members of the party until the teachers were called from the pleasures of the breakfast to their final duties of the school year, examination papers and report cards, that they are preparing from the work of the students.

PLACED ON PAROLE

From Tuesday's Daily—
Yesterday afternoon in the county court Norval LaBounty, who was arrested early Sunday morning at Council Bluffs, was placed on trial before Judge A. H. Duxbury, the young man being charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. After hearing the case the court decided that he would find the young man guilty and admitted him to parole to Sheriff Bert Reed as to his good conduct.

JOHN A SURE SHOT

From Tuesday's Daily—
John N. Beck who resides near this city is the latest to bring in the scalps of the untamed coyotes, having bagged six of the animals at his farm home northwest of this city and the scalps now repose in the large collection of County Clerk George R. Sayles, who now has some 200 for the first five months of the year. Every coyote has a bounty of \$2 each and those who secure them have a nice return for their trouble in ridding the country of the pests.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend to all our neighbors and friends our appreciation and thanks, for the help rendered and the kindness and sympathy shown us in our recent bereavement.—Mrs. M. C. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Druey, B. F. Brown, Mrs. A. J. Brown.

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