

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 news of local, state or national interest, and will mail same to this office, it will appear in this department. We want all news items.—Editors

Community Program



Hon. Arthur J. Weaver
Falls City, Nebr.

MURRAY, NEB.

Saturday
Aug. 18th

A. J. Weaver, of Falls City, Neb., will address the people of Murray and the surrounding community Saturday night, at 8:00 o'clock at

Murray

Musical selections will also be a part of the program. Everybody is cordially invited to attend—

Saturday Night

Hear A. J. Weaver at Murray Saturday night.

E. F. Oaks, of Diller, Neb., is visiting and looking after business matters in and near Murray.

Mrs. Charles Heebner still remains very poorly with no encouragement in her present condition.

George Jenkins is visiting in Murray for a short time from his home at Lyons, and enjoying the society of his mother.

L. G. Meisinger and C. H. Boedeker were shelling and delivering corn to the Murray elevators Tuesday of this week.

J. D. Cross of Union was working in Murray for the telephone company for the most part of the fore part of this week.

A. Porter is looking after the Minford filling station during the time which Mr. Minford is busy looking after other matters.

Forest Porter is looking after the dragging of the roads during the time that Mr. W. L. Seybolt is taking his vacation in the west.

Miss Lois McManus was a visitor at the home of her parents on last Monday remaining until Tuesday morning before returning home.

T. M. Patterson of Plattsmouth was a visitor in Murray for a short time on last Tuesday morning looking after some business matters.

Harry Nelson sold H. G. Todd a tractor of the Deere make which had brought returns as he has at this time completed his plowing with it.

Little Aldo Campbell was spending the week end last week with her little friend, Miss Mildred Wilson, the two having an excellent time together.

John Erlich was a visitor in Plattsmouth for the afternoon on last Tuesday, he driving over to the big town to look after some business matters in his car.

Boedeker and Wherbein received a car load of cattle from the stock yards early this week which were placed on feed at their feed yards east of Murray.

Miss Edna Koker of Falls City is visiting with her friend Miss Lois McManus, and enjoyed the staying in one of the very best towns in eastern Nebraska.

John Campbell had the misfortune to get one of his horses injured in a wire fence, and had to have the animal cared for by Dr. W. H. Tuck, of Weeping Water.

Dan Horshar, B. H. Nelson and John Farris were in Omaha last Saturday where they were attending a tractor demonstration, which was given by John Deere company.

Mrs. Bertie Beckner, who has been so poorly for the past couple of weeks, still remains about the same. Her many friends are hoping she will soon be showing signs of improvement.

Twenty of the young friends of James Horchar, who was twenty years of age last Sunday gathered at the home where a most enjoyable celebration of the passing of the natal day.

A. J. Weaver will discuss present issues at Murray Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lash and their daughter of Auburn were visiting for the week end at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Gus Brugacher and family, where they enjoyed the day very much.

Lonnie Meade of near Union was a visitor in Murray, coming to see his doctor, he having the rheumatism.

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A. D. BAAKE

much interested in the pretty girls there and especially one in particular that he did not get home until the following morning. However he had a good time and was well satisfied with the trip.

Community Club program Saturday night.

Last Saturday George E. Nickles and wife, accompanied by Miss Etta Nickles and Lee Nickles departed for Leigh, where they visited for the day and Sunday, returning home early Sunday morning after having had a wonderful visit while they were away.

They visited while away at the home of a sister, Mrs. J. D. Wertemann who is engaged in business at Leigh.

A picnic supper was had near the bathing beach on last Monday evening, when the family of Byron Clow parents of Miss Catherine Clow came down and the students of this accomplished musician and their families enjoyed the evening together in the open with their supper. They were accompanied by a neighbor, Mr. Hoskins and his family from Omaha.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Brendel and their son, Richard, departed on last Monday for Rising City, and returned there after a few days' visit with friends and relatives and enjoying the vacation to the utmost for the time which was their disposal. They made the trip in their car and enjoyed the time while there, as well as going and coming.

Do not forget to be in Murray Saturday night at the big community meet.

Little Maxine Lewis while at play on the slide at the school house had the misfortune to slip and fall from the top of the slide, striking on the concrete footing at bottom, with the result that the concussion caused a laceration in her scalp which required three stitches to close. J. A. Scotten who chanced to be looking in that direction ran and securing the little one rushed to the office of Dr. Lake where the wounds were dressed and Maxine made as comfortable as possible.

Entertained for Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sporer at their home in Murray entertained last Sunday, having for their guests for the day and dinner, Martin Sporer and family, Chester Sporer and wife.

While during the afternoon there were there as their callers Charles Ferguson and wife of Nebraska City and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tubbs of Mynard, and Mrs. Watson Long of west of Mynard.

Losses a Good Horse

A Gansemer the operator of the farmers elevator and the farmer had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse on last Monday night, this being the third which he has lost this season, and all costing plenty which come rather hard with Alf notwithstanding his rustling qualities.

Seeing the Mountains

On Monday morning early W. L. Seybolt, and the good wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Spangler departed for the west in the auto of the latter, and will see the mountains before returning, they will expect to remain in the west for about two weeks and will spend the time seeing sights and camping out along the way, and enjoying the cool crisp atmosphere of the mountains, they resting and rejuvenating and getting a large amount of vim and pep for the work which is ahead.

Depart for the Coast

Messrs. Jess Chambers and Harvey Gregg, departed last Sunday morning for Los Angeles they driving in the car of Mr. Gregg, they having sold the car of Mr. Chambers before their departure. They are going to the west with the expectation of making it their home.

Mr. Gregg is a good carpenter and should find plenty of work at his trade in the widely developing communities in the west. While with the extended experience of Mr. Chambers in the line of decorating and painting he should find it an easy proposition of securing plenty of work in his line.

Many Attend Rodeo at Brewster

A large number of the people of Murray and the surrounding territory went over to Brewster during the week to attend the rodeo which is being held there this week and which will afford many a thrill. There were reported as being among those who were attending from here: Nick Fredrick and son, Lester and George Shumaker, Lester Dill and Lauren Todd, Victor Wehrbein as well as others which we did not hear of.

Are Taking Their Vacation

Last Sunday Dr. G. H. Gilmore and the good wife and their son John departed for the west in their new auto, and will spend some three weeks which will include a stay in the Black Hills as well other portions of the west. Their first stop to be at Overton, this state where they will rest for a few days and then proceed on into the mountains before the end of the outward trip and spend some time there before returning home.

Picnic Party

Last Sunday morning Wayne Lewis and family and Fount Wilson gathered up the old frying pans and motored down to the river near Rock Bluff to spend the day. They were joined later by J. A. Wilson and wife, Ed Beins and wife, Roy Beins and wife, Herbert Beins and family, Walter Johnson and wife, Jack Queen and wife, from Gothenberg, Nebraska, and Billie Smith. There was served a big picnic dinner cooked on a camp fire. Included to make up the menu were two cat fish weighing 17 1/2 pounds. Everybody did themselves justice.

After dinner the men played horse shoe while the ladies visited at a late hour and returned home happy and tired.

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Giant Bridge at Detroit is Mounting Fast

Ceremonies Greeted the First Canadian Link at This Point—47 Feet Wide.

Detroit, Mich.—The hoisting of a steel cable to the tops of the towers at either end of the Ambassador bridge over the Detroit river, marking the first visible link between the United States and Canada in this section was observed with appropriate ceremonies at which dignitaries from both the border cities of Detroit and Ontario were present, while thousands lined the river banks on either side.

From this cable will be strung working platforms for the construction of one of the two main bridge cables while the same operation will be followed for the other. Officials of the company announced that the new bridge will be rushed to completion by the summer of 1929.

When completed, the Ambassador bridge will be approximately 7400 feet in length. Adjoining the ends of the bridge structure proper will be two terminals, each roughly equivalent to a large city clock in area. The main span—between the towers—will be 1850 feet in length or 100 feet longer than the Philadelphia-Canadian bridge, which is at present the longest suspension bridge in the world.

The bridge will carry an unobstructed roadway, 47 feet wide, with a capacity of five lanes of traffic, and an eight-foot sidewalk. The number of lanes of traffic used in any one direction may be varied to suit traffic conditions.

Maj.-Gen. Edgar Jadwin, Chief of Engineers, United States War Department, ordered the clearance over high water in the river to be 135 feet near the shore and 152 feet for a short distance near the center of the span. This allows the passage of vessels with stacks, masts or funnels 20 feet higher than any now plying on the lakes, and 60 feet higher than the present freighters. The approach grades are entirely acceptable for the best highway practice.

An idea of the magnitude of the bridge may be gained from the following statement of approximate quantities of different kinds of materials entering into its construction: Structural steel and cable wire, 24,000 tons; concrete masonry, 25,000 cubic yards; cement, 40,000 barrels; roadway pavement, 60,000 square yards; sidewalk, 8,000 square yards; rivets drawn, 2,000,000; terminal buildings, 540,000 cubic feet; maximum number of laborers simultaneously employed in field, 550.

Telephone, Telegraph Revenues Increased

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 15.—The report of the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Co., for the month of July, filed with the state railway commission, shows telephone and telegraph revenue of \$249,961.18 for the month, an increase of \$2,597.41 over the previous month. The income for the same month last year was \$241,642.13. The total telephone operating expenses for the month of July was -177,720.03, an increase of \$4,550.09 over the expense of the previous month. The expense for the same month last year, was \$171,320.19.

The Journal Job Department is equipped to turn out anything from calling cards to sale catalogs.

American Legion Dance

Plattsmouth, Neb.—Saturday Night Modern and Old Time NO LUNCH COLD POP, 5c free.

BIBLE SCHOOL LESSON

Sunday, August 19th

By M. S. Briggs

Golden Text: "Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say unto you, rejoice."—Phil. 4:4.

Imprisoned for the Truth's Sake

At Philippi, the first place where Paul and Silas had worked in Europe and where the Gospel had first been preached, there was a demented girl, who was used by a syndicate for profit, as they had claimed that she was able to tell fortunes, and by the inunderstandable noises which she made, they charged and interpreted the sounds to be a revelation of the future. This damsel followed after the two apostles crying: "These men are servants of the most high God, and are showing the way of salvation," and Paul and Silas, recognizing that she was demented, commanded the evil spirit to come out of her, and she was restored to her right mind, and as she was thus restored from the gain which was being derived from her was lost to her masters, which angered them beyond measure.

Paul and Silas Arrested

The ones who had claimed to possess the damsel, when they saw that they had lost a source of profit, had Paul and Silas arrested, for they complained that they being Jews had interfered with the business of the people who were Romans, and when they were brought to trial at the first hearing they were whipped with rods, their clothing being torn away and so severe were the floggings of these two good men that the very flesh was split and the blood ran down to the ground and the magistrates commanded that they be thrust into the inner prison, and a special charge be given to the jailer to keep them safely, and that meant that if the prisoners should escape, the life of the jailer would be required as a forfeit. So the prisoners were thrust into the inner prison and their feet made fast in the stocks, which made it impossible for them to make their escape. The jailer was then able to keep the keys himself, to go to sleep, and perhaps as he had been carousing during the day, was pretty well tired out, and reposing on the outside of the jail, fell into a dose and was resting.

Earthquake Shakes the Prison

Paul and Silas, with their wounds still bleeding from the fearful lashing, were in jail and their feet fast in the stocks, the pain from their wounds being hard to bear, but they took their troubles to the Lord, and prayed to him, even for the enemies who had placed them in prison, and sang songs and were rejoicing in that the power of God was able to save them there or anywhere else.

The other prisoners were listening to them and wondering at the Christianity which would allow one to rejoice under the circumstances, when all at once there came a shock of an earthquake and the very foundations of the prison were shaken, the stock and hands which held these two noted prisoners were broken, and they were loosed and all were freed from their fetters.

Paul knowing the practices and that the jailer was responsible for the safety of the prisoners by his own life, observed the jailer, who upon awakening, supposed the prisoners had all escaped, and immediately kept his sword, and was about to take his own life. "But Paul cried out in a loud voice, 'Do thyself no harm, for we are all here.' Thus he assured the jailer, who was responsible to the government for the safety of the prisoners, that there was absolutely nothing to fear.

Then the jailer called for a light, and upon it being furnished went in and found the prisoners all safe, and falling down at the feet of Paul, with whose preaching he was no doubt familiar, he cried out, "What must I do to be saved?" Not only the jailer, but the other prisoners in the jail recognized that there was something most tangible in the preaching of these two Missionaries had been doing.

Jailer Receives Christianity

And so Paul made him reply, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved and thy house." This was at an hour when all the world was asleep, but the Missionaries gladly took time to explain the way of salvation, and not alone did Paul preach the gospel to the jailer, but to all who were in the house, telling how the Master of ocean and earth and skies had given his life that all might live.

The jailer was much impressed and received the teachings of Christ into his life, and at the same time brought the wonderful prisoners up from the prison into his house, where he washed their wounds and in turn received the baptismal rites. He also had prepared a supper for the prisoners who had eaten nothing and were no doubt weak and hungry as a result of their trying ordeal of the day before. Thus did the jailer and his house rejoice, believing in God, whom Paul and Silas had told them of.

The Apostles Released

Now when morning came and the news of the wonders of the night was told to the magistrates, they sent word to turn the prisoners loose, as they feared lest they would be called upon to answer for their hasty action of the night before. But Paul was not thus to be thrust out privately, and sent word to the magistrates that they had commanded the beating which was given and which was contrary to the law, as they were Roman citizens and uncondemned—so they had not received a trial. So then did the magistrates come personally and bring the prisoners out of their confinement and turn them free.

Paul and Silas then went to the home of friends, where their wounds were cared for and later they departed and went to another town, of which we shall hear about in the lesson for the succeeding Lord's day. And as a result of their teaching and suffering for righteousness' sake, additional converts were added to the fold of believers in and followers of the teachings of Christ. Truly their mission was a wonderful one.

Surgeons to Decide About Twins Today

Pronouncement on Results of Study of Siamese Case Predicted—Publicity is Deflored

New York, Aug. 14.—Whether an attempt will be made to separate the "Siamese twins," Mary and Margaret Gibb, will be determined definitely tomorrow, it was learned today at the office of Dr. Francis P. Weston, who has been interested in the case. The announcement was made after Dr. Harold M. Hays, director of Park West hospital, where the twins are staying, had asserted that the hospital had "no intention of allowing any surgical procedure to be attempted without having such procedure receive the indorsement of mer prominent in the profession."

A man who answered the telephone at Dr. Weston's office asserted that "perhaps" the 17-year-old girls would be taken to another hospital. The publicity which has attended the twins' sojourn in Park West hospital and deplored, both by Dr. Hays and by Dr. Weston's representative, Dr. Hays, in a formal statement, declared that certain confidential medical data surreptitiously removed from the hospital, he evinced that a few weeks ago Dr. Weston asked the hospital whether it would permit Mary and Margaret to come to the institution so that a study might be made to determine whether an operation would be possible.

"At the time," said Dr. Hays, "I stated to Dr. Weston that I was most anxious that the matter should not be made public.—World-Herald.

GROUP TO STUDY AVIATION

Washington, Aug. 14.—Plans for co-ordinated scientific research to be carried on by experts of government agencies, the navy and communications radio and telephone companies to further safety of aviation by working out problems of air navigation were laid today at the initial meeting of the committee appointed by the national advisory committee for aeronautics.

The committee, the first major body of the advisory committee to be named since the World war decided to direct its work toward aerial communication, problems of instruments and toward the little known subject of aviation meteorology.

Prof. Charles F. Marvin of the United States weather bureau of Washington was appointed chairman of the subcommittee on meteorological problems which will inquire into methods of fliers combatting fog, and the possibility of using a "black ray" light in the daytime to pierce the fog, together with the development of other lights to penetrate this menace to flying.

SHOOTS WAY TO FREEDOM

Bay St. Louis, Miss., Aug. 14.—One man was killed and another wounded here today when Silas Richardson, a negro, held in jail on an automobile theft charge, shot his way to freedom. John Damberner, employe of the garage, was killed, and Chief of Police Mark Oliver was seriously wounded when the negro opened fire as they entered his cell to search for a key to an automobile he was charged with stealing. It was believed that the gun was slipped to Richardson by a friend after he was locked in jail.

After shooting Oliver and Damberner, the negro ran from the jail and disappeared. Volunteer posse searched tonight for him, and the hunt extended over several counties, no trace had been found. Bloodhounds brought from Biloxi late today failed to pick up a trail.

Oliver taken to a Biloxi hospital, was not expected to recover. He was shot thru the body and neck.

PHILIPPINE SENATE APPROVES CABINET

Manila, Aug. 15.—Governor General Henry L. Stimson sent to the Philippine senate Tuesday the names of his cabinet appointees and they were immediately confirmed. They were chosen from members of the National party which carried the last election.

The appointees are: Honorio Ventura, secretary of the interior; Miguel Unson, secretary of commerce and communications; Rafael Alunan, secretary of agriculture and natural resources; Eugene A. Gilmore, secretary of public instruction.

ROTARY GROUP MEETS

Fremont, Neb., Aug. 14.—An address of John F. Poucher of Omaha on objects of Rotary was the principal part of today's program of the Nineteenth district convention of the club, in session here.

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