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Patterson One of Judges at Blair

Date of District Declamatory Contest Advanced to Tomorrow—Four from Here to Compete

Word from Blair states that the district high school declamatory contest will be held at Blair high school Thursday instead of Friday on account of a debate tournament to be held at Wayne Friday, causing conflict in numerous of the schools entered in both events.

Latest reports are that 25 schools will have contestants at the Blair tournament, including the Omaha high schools.

Plattsmouth will be represented by four contestants, one in each of the four principal divisions, original oratory, extemporaneous, dramatic and humorous, who won their right to go on to the district meet at the sub-district contest held last week in Nebraska City. The four, in the order named above, are James Webb, Stephen Davis, Kathryn Armstrong and James Sandia. They will be taken to Blair tomorrow morning, spending the entire day there.

Judges of the contest will be Don Buell, member of the speech department at the University of Nebraska, and R. Foster Patterson of the Tarkio college faculty. Patterson judged the sub-district meet at Nebraska City.

MARRIED AT COURT HOUSE

The marriage of Mrs. Ada Marie O'Day and Mr. John Robert Martin, both of Omaha, took place on Monday afternoon at the county court room. The marriage lines were read by Judge A. H. Duxbury in his usual impressive manner and the ceremony witnessed by Allan McClanahan and Miss Minnie Hill.

FUNERAL OF BABE

The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clark was held on Saturday afternoon at Oak Wood cemetery at Weeping Water. The babe died a short time after birth Friday. The Horton funeral home of this city had charge of the service.

Murray

Thomas Nelson, who had his teeth extracted some time since, was in Omaha last Sunday, where he secured a new set.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Tyson and their little daughter were in Elmwood last Sunday for a visit at the home of Dr. Tyson's parents.

Ray Frederick, the seed man, who now resides in Nebraska City, was looking after business matters here one day during the past week.

Don Seiver, of Plattsmouth, tank wagon driver for Standard Oil products, was in Murray last Monday making delivery of gas and oil to his customers here.

Lloyd Lewis was in Murray to secure a bill of lumber for the construction of a tenant house for the family of the man who is working for him this year.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Nickles went to Plattsmouth Sunday for a visit with his sisters, Miss Etta Nickles and Mrs. Fannie Crosser and his brother, Lee Nickles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boedeker went to Fulton, Mo., Saturday, for an over Sunday visit with their daughter, Miss Jane. They returned home on Monday, reporting a pleasant trip.

Edgar Newton and family came down from Plattsmouth Sunday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Newton's mother, Mrs. Vesta Clark, who is in charge of the telephone office here.

Verle Potts, of Avoca, was a visitor in Murray for a short time last Monday, as he was returning from a visit with friends in Kansas City, at which place he had spent the week-end.

Orville Noell and family, who have been making their home near Murdock during the past four years, moved last week to near Murray, where they will farm this coming season.

G. E. Brubacher and family visited at the home of Supt. and Mrs. L. M. Hauptman of Alvo on Tuesday. The two ladies are sisters. Superintendent Hauptman has been retained for another year in the Alvo schools.

Earl Merritt, the painter, paper-hanger and decorator, who has been running a small ad in the Journal, in order to make it more convenient for customers to get in touch with him, has installed a telephone at his home.

Mrs. C. D. Spangler and daughter, Mrs. Margaret Todd, were in Omaha last Monday, where they were visiting with friends and doing some shopping. Mr. Spangler looked after business at the postoffice during their absence.

Charles Land was a business visitor in Murray Monday forenoon and from here went to Omaha, where Mrs. Land has been in the hospital for some time, going up to bring her home, as she is now feeling greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lewis and son, with J. D. Lewis, were guests last Sunday at the home of the parents of Mrs. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Godwin, at Plattsmouth, where they also met and visited with Ralph Godwin and family, of Omaha, who were down for a visit.

C. D. Spangler and wife and Ed Spangler and wife were in Lincoln Sunday for a visit at the home of George Spangler and wife. They also called on Mrs. W. A. Cook for a short visit with Catherine Perry who is making her home there while in Lincoln.

Bartholomew J. Wagner, who recently sold his cafe and amusement parlor in Murray, departed last Monday morning for Hidden Timber, S. Dak., where he had some business to look after. Mr. Wagner resided in that vicinity before coming here and knows a large number of the people there.

Mrs. Een Gibson, of Weeping Water, was a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Virgil Sudduth during the past week. During this time, she has been suffering from a severe case of appendicitis, but is some better at this time and glad to be at the home of the daughter, where she has had the benefit of such excellent care.

Received Severe Injury

While Otto Puls was in the act of picking up the lines on a team he was using, one of the horses kicked him, its hoof striking his head with great force and rendering him unconscious. Medical aid was summoned as quickly as possible, but he still remains in a precarious condition, having scalp lacerations and a slight concussion of the brain. He is still confined to his bed, where he is being attended by Dr. R. W. Tyson, and under the care of a special nurse. At latest reports he was considerably improved, although still suffering a great deal of pain from the effects of the blow he received.

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Sold Their Corn

Charles Sporer, Virgil Sudduth, Searl S. Davis and Leo Bimter were shelling corn during the past week. The grain was being delivered to the Murray elevator, where it was being resold to cattle feeders as rapidly as it became available. There is very little, if any, corn being shipped out of the vicinity this year, trucks coming here from points farther west to get supplies of this cereal for stock-raisers there who face a great shortage and will be unable to finish out their feeding program unless they can get the corn to do it with.

Lived Here Many Years

The territory of Kansas and Nebraska, or that portion now comprising the state of Nebraska, was admitted as a state during the month of March, 1867, and to this new state in the month of May of the same year came George L. Lloyd, who has made his home here during all the intervening 69 years.

In this long stretch of time—almost the allotted span of man—he has seen the state grow from a mere handful of settlers to a great commonwealth, comprising farming communities, cities and villages. He says he has never seen a winter as severe as the one now drawing to a close. He would not, however, exchange his home here for one in any other state in the union, and is a genuine booster for Nebraska and the opportunities it offers.

Mr. Lloyd has been afflicted with rheumatism for some time, but is not bothered with it all the time, and in spite of his advanced age is able to get much enjoyment out of life.

Moved to Illinois Monday

I. L. Warlick, who, with his family, have resided in this vicinity for some fifteen or twenty years, farming numerous places around Murray in that length of time and making and keeping a large number of friends, departed on Monday of this week for their new home near Greenville, Illinois, which is located some 50 miles north of St. Louis. He has acquired a farm there and will continue the pursuit of farming as a means of making a livelihood.

Mr. Warlick recently held a sale to dispose of his surplus live stock

CASS THEATRE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
March 20 and 21
'Three Kids and a Queen'

with May Robson, Henry Armetta, Frankie Darro and Charlotte Henry
Threatened by mobsters, tracked by 'G' men, trapped by three kids who liked her so much they just wouldn't let her go. Plus—
Oswald Cartoon, Travelogue!

SUNDAY-MONDAY-TUESDAY
March 22-23-24
'SPLENDOR'

Miriam Hopkins, Joel McCrea, Billy Burke, Paul Cavanaugh
There's a world of glittering splendor, a world of false values and falser hearts. They sacrificed everything to maintain their fading prestige and forced a girl to trade on her beauty in order to keep 'em in luxury.
— ALSO —
News Reel, Alpine Yodler and Italian Riviera, a Travelogue!

Sunday Matinee at 2:15
Night Shows, 7 and 9
Matinee Prices Evening Prices
10-25c 10-30c

WEDNESDAY—ONE DAY
March 25
'Grand Exit'

with Edmund Lowe and Ann Southern
When he picked her up, she threw him down and then the fun started. Racing from car to bar—from jail to jail—until she gargled him with his own wisecracks. It's a great picture.
— ALSO —
H. Langdon Comedy, Cartoon

THURSDAY—ONE DAY
March 26
'Cappy Ricks Returns'

A Peter S. Kyne Story with Robt. McWade and Lois Wilson
An old sea dog comes to port to put the land sharks to flight. See this.
— ALSO —
Comedy, 'You Can Be Had' and Cartoon

and farming equipment. The balance of their livestock and household goods was shipped from here Monday in an emigrant car, in charge of Henry Vest, while the family are making the trip overland in their car.

The many friends of this excellent family will wish them well in their new home.

Murray to Hold First Election

There is to be a village election held in Murray on April 7, along with other incorporated towns over the state. Five trustees and a police magistrate are to be elected. Murray has been an incorporated town for but a comparatively short time and this election will be its first, the present officers having been named by the county commissioners at the time of incorporation. However, the voters of the town will, we are sure, be able to meet this innovation in the right manner by selecting a group of good men for the places to be filled.

Returns to Murray

Mrs. C. J. Tilson, who has been spending the winter in the Old Dominion state, where she has a number of sisters, concluded her visit last week and is now back home in Murray. She reports having had a most pleasant visit and got away from some of the rigors of Nebraska's coldest winter, although she didn't find the weather so hot in Virginia.

Attend Funeral Tuesday

Wm. Sporer, Chester Sporer and family and Martin Sporer and family were down to Wyoming last Tuesday afternoon where they went to attend the funeral of the late Robert Ferguson who passed away last Sunday morning. The funeral was conducted by Rev. W. A. Taylor of Union, with interment in the church cemetery. A large crowd of friends were present to pay their last tribute of respect to the memory of this excellent American.

Drilling to Start Soon

Charles O'Brien of Omaha, a man with extensive oil well experience, and who has been associated with Senator C. O. Robinson, president of the Golden Rod Oil company, with headquarters at Plattsmouth, was in Murray, accompanied by F. E. Valley of Omaha, Attorney A. L. Tidd and Frank Rhoden and checked the entire property and pronounced it as being an excellent prospect for striking oil. The beginning of the work of drilling is expected to be but a few weeks away.

Murray to Hold Election

At a mass convention which was held last week a ticket for the municipal officers for the city of Murray was placed in nomination, there being placed upon the ticket two times as many as their are officers to elect so that each could have two to choose from for each office. The ticket as prepared was as follows: Police Judge Charles H. Boedeker, O. A. Davis; councilman for three year term, W. S. Smith, George E. Nickles, W. G. Boedeker, Ralph Kennedy, Font T. Wilson and Robert Welton; two year term, G. E. Brubacher, Frank Mrasek, J. A. Scotten, Dr. R. W. Tyson and A. L. Carper.

WATCHES LOCARNO CRISIS

Omaha.—Miss Hildegard Stauss, German instructor at Omaha Municipal university, was particularly interested in a Paris dispatch Saturday on a development in the Locarno crisis. It reported Emil von Strauss, third vice president of the reichstag and director of the Deutsche bank at Berlin, was in Paris warning bankers that large sums of French capital invested in Germany would disappear if "ruinous sanctions" were applied resulting in the financial collapse of the reich.

The famous banker is her uncle. Her brother, George, graduate of the University of Nebraska in 1934, is working in the American division of the Deutsche bank at Berlin.

SEVEN HURT IN COLLISION

Omaha.—Seven persons were injured, none seriously, in a collision of a street car and three automobiles here Saturday. A police report said the automobile driven by H. Richards of Omaha was hit by a street car. It jammed into the car ahead, driven by M. L. Wiseman of Grand Island, and then swept against the Adolph G. Storz automobile parked at the curb. The injured were Herman Canstam, chauffeur of the Storz car; Miss Celia Richards, Mrs. H. Richards, Marvin Richards, Joan Richards, Wiseman and Mrs. Wray Tibbs of Chapman, who were riding with Wiseman.

Cass county has no bonded indebtedness, as, like the state, it has paid cash for its gravel roads and other improvements. That's a mighty good policy to pursue.

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

Saturday, March 21st.

- Lard, high quality bulk, 8 1/2 lbs. \$1
- Bacon Squares, 6 lbs. for \$1
- Lake White Fish, 6-lb. keg \$1
- Economy Coffee, 6 lbs. \$1
- Corn or Tomatoes, No. 2 cans, 13 for . . . \$1
- Pork and Beans, No. 2 tall cans, 13 for . \$1
- Kamo Milk, tall cans, 15 for \$1

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FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Renner, who are moving the first part of the week to another farm four miles south of Plattsmouth on highway 75, they having lived on this one place for 13 years, which is a long time. So the neighbors and friends gathered at the home Saturday night bringing lunch with them. They will certainly be missed, but their old neighbors wish them good luck in their new home.

The evening was spent in card playing and dancing until midnight, after which lunch was served. All went home rejoicing, saying they had a good time.

OPEN NEW RESORT

The tavern and dance hall north of this city, recently purchased by B. C. Cohn of this city, was formally opened on Saturday evening. This is located near the Oreapolis overpass and in the summer a bathing beach will be operated in connection with the tavern.

There was a very large number present to enjoy the pleasures of the evening until the closing hour.

ATTENDS MEETING

Dr. Frank R. Molak, of this city, was in attendance at the meeting of the Omaha district dentists, held Tuesday at the Medical Arts auditorium in Omaha. The meeting was attended by several hundred and a most interesting program was enjoyed by the dentists and a special dental clinic held for the benefit of the visiting dentists.

DOING GOOD BUSINESS

Frank Cramer of the Plattsmouth Rendering Works was in the city Tuesday to look after some matters in connection with the business. He reports the business has been very good at the plant, located three-quarters of a mile south of Mynard. Mr. Cramer was for several years engaged with the South Omaha Rendering Works and his previous experience has made possible the success of the new plant.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION

From Monday's Itally
This morning at an early hour Elmer Elliott, Jr., was taken to Omaha where he entered the Nicholas Senn hospital for an appendectomy. The young man was taken ill on Sunday and hurried on into the hospital to have prompt attention given the case.

USED FURNITURE Specials

- 5-piece Bed Set (like new) . . . \$32
- 8-tube Radio \$11.50
- 7-piece Walnut Dining Set . . . \$29
- Occasional Chairs, each . . . \$3
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- Leather finish Davenport . . . \$4
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- Portable Talking Machine . . \$5
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- Two nice 4-in-Hand Ties and pair Dress Suspenders . \$1
- All leather Dress Belt and 2 Four-in-Hand Ties . . . \$1
- One White Dress Shirt, collar attached, and Necktie . \$1
- One pair Horsehide Work Gloves and 1 pair Sox . . . \$1

Single Items

- Men's fine gauge Grey Dress Sox, 11 pairs \$1
- Men's Dress Pajamas in Blue, Tan or Grey \$1
- Men's fine Silk Dress Hose, double sole, 3 pairs . . . \$1
- Boys' all wool V neck Pullover Sweaters, special . . . \$1
- Boys' neat grey stripe Dress Trousers, pair \$1
- Men's light weight Dress Hats, tan and grey \$1
- Boys' Blouse Jackets, with zipper. Blue or red \$1
- Boys' Corduroy Bib Pants, best quality, pair \$1

Other Specials

- Men's hard twisted Work Trousers, pair \$1.45
- Men's blue stripe Dress Trousers, cuffs, pair . . . \$2.65
- Men's fine Dress Shirts, fast color, fused collar . . \$1.19
- Hockmeyer Cord Trousers, blue, grey, brown . . . \$2.65
- Men's all leather Suede Jackets, big bargain at . . \$4.45
- Men's imitation Pig Skin Jackets, zipper front . . \$3.85

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Bible School Lesson Study!
Sunday, March 22nd By L. Neitzel, Murdock, Neb.

"Jesus Teaches True Values"
Luke 12. (Text 12:22-34).
Bible student! These lessons, the Gospel of Luke, run through six months, one chapter for each Sunday. The lesson text is the central portion, but the preceding verses and the concluding verses lead up to the lesson and clinch, or rivet the whole.
The preaching and teaching of Jesus aroused the greatest excitement among the people and bitter opposition, especially among the Scribes and Pharisees. Jesus uses the occasion to sound a solemn warning against the "religion" of these leaders of the people. (The Pharisees were a group arising in the Maccabean period of Jewish history who were at that time to the people what the Puritans were in their early days to England. They arose out of a passion for the divine ideal for the nation, but in the days of Jesus, they had become utterly degenerate, having lost their moral and spiritual fervor and actually becoming hypocrites). A hypocrite is one who is acting, but who is acting a part with the intention to deceive. "Leaven," in its action, is always destructive and never constructive; it sours, spreads and disintegrates. Leaven in itself is corruption. Hypocrisy is leaven. Hypocrisy itself is a lie.
God places a high value on man, as shown by his intimate knowledge of him and his fatherly care even to the numbering of the hair, which amount to about 140,000, on the head of an adult.
To confess Christ is to publicly acknowledge him to be what he claims to be. It's importance is frequently emphasized (John 1:29; 9:22; 12:42; Rom. 10:9, 10; 1 John 4:2, 3 and 15). The sin against the Holy Spirit. (See Heb. 10:26-31). Here follows the lesson text:
The rich "fool" was all animal. His universe was a great dinner table, or a great wine cellar. He told his soul that it would find heaven in a barn. How many are attempting today to satisfy the soul, which was made for God, with material things of this world? This man, stripped naked, a bare, desolate soul, he passes from our sight, lost in darkness of eternal remorse. "Thou fool! thou fool!" Covetousness, this inordinate desire, has been the ruin of many; greed, avarice, gluttony are some characteristics. What a solemn warning the rich "fool" should be.
This anxiety about our physical needs robs men of their peace of mind, tranquility of soul, faith in God's care; it is a disturbing factor in the life of many; they are not at their best in serving God, only half-hearted service is given, and that God will not accept. God, who cares

for the birds and flowers, will surely care for the soul, which is part of him. "O, ye of little faith!" A life lived with Christ in God will have complete trust in Him and no "anxious" care can disturb it. "Though he slay me, yet will I trust him." (Job 13:15). That is the jubilant cry of a confident soul.
Verse 25 will allow two different interpretations. One is that man cannot add to the height of his stature, however anxiously he may wish it; the other is that he may and does add to "the measure of his life" by a decent, moral life, observing the laws of hygiene and sanitation (in the last 50 years the span of life has been prolonged from 35-58 years). In speaking of the glory and beauty of the lilies, Jesus says that the glory of King Solomon, which was proverbial, would not compare with them. God clothes them. "Supposing the day comes when I cannot toil or spin, and cannot sow and reap, and gather into barns; then, when I cannot, God can; and I am safe every way." (G. Campbell Morgan). The believer in our Father's care must be above the nations of the world, for they do not know Him. But our Father knows what his children need and supplies all their wants. (Phil. 4:19).
"Seek ye first the Kingdom," says Jesus in his voice of wisdom. But, instead, men do just the opposite; many even put it off to their deathbed, as they say, but do not know whether they will have one. The uncertainties of life should set men to thinking, giving serious consideration to this all important matter. Why not settle it early in life and find the greatest "joy and peace in the Holy Ghost" (Rom. 14:17) and rely on God's promise that "these things" mentioned above will be given us as God's free gift.
What a remarkable cheering promise is contained in verse 31, "Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's pleasure to give you the Kingdom." When his followers have fulfilled all the conditions imposed, then God will give them the desire of their heart, when they prayed: "Thy Kingdom come!" They rejoiced when they could do "greater things than these," and saw the Kingdom come in Power and Glory, when thousands entered into "eternal life," glorifying God and rejoicing in their new freedom.
Jesus tries to impress upon the disciples that they must let their light shine, and be watching and waiting for their Lord's return.
Faithfulness will have a sure reward, but so will unfaithfulness have also a sure punishment. "Be faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life." (Rev. 2:10).