

# Murray

Chester Sporer was looking after business in Murray Monday of this week and also visited with his father, Wm. Sporer.

Gust Nelson of Nehawka was a guest for the day last Sunday at the homes of Mrs. Harry Nelson and Luane Carper.

Mrs. Mabel Busby, living some seven miles west of Murray, had a telephone installed at her farm home Monday of this week.

Miss Freda Crunk, manager of the Murray telephone exchange was visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Crunk at Union a few days ago. Mrs. Vesta Clark, one of the operators at the Murray telephone exchange was enjoying a visit at the home of her daughter in Plattsmouth last Sunday.

Miss Maxine Cole of Plattsmouth was a guest over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Custer Allen, being guest of Miss Mildred Allen for the time.

Van Allen who is employed in Plattsmouth at the Conoco service station was taking time off last Sunday and made a visit to Lincoln where he was visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvern Read of Plattsmouth were visiting with friends in Murray last Sunday and also attended Bible school at the Christian church in Murray.

Parr Young and a number of other farmers were in Alvo on Wednesday of last week where they were attending a meeting of farmers to listen to the discussion of the pending farm bill before the national congress.

Charles Nickles who has been visiting for some time in Murray with his brother, George E. Nickles and wife has gone to Plattsmouth where he is visiting his brother and sister, Lee and Etta Nickles.

Attorney A. L. Tidd of Plattsmouth was a visitor in Murray Monday of this week looking after some business matters for a time and as well was guest for a very pleasant visit at the home of his friend, Wm. Sporer.

Visited in Plattsmouth.  
Last Sunday George E. Nickles and wife were going to Plattsmouth where they expected to enjoy an evening with Lee Nickles and sister Etta, and as they were just coming into town, they were startled when the front spark plug in their motor

## REPORT OF CONDITION —OF THE— MURRAY STATE BANK of Murray, Nebr.

Charter No. 578 in the State of Nebraska at the Close of Business December 31, 1937.

Assets	
Loans and Discounts	\$174,788.74
Overdrafts	97.75
Bonds and Securities (exclusive of cash reserve)	79,728.00
Banking Houses, Furniture and Fixtures	3,788.00
Cash in Bank and Due from National and State Banks, subject to check	37,849.28
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$297,251.81</b>
Liabilities	
Capital Stock—Common	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits (Net)	1,500.00
Reserve for Dividends, Contingencies, Interest, Taxes, etc.	2,200.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	\$131,498.29
Time Certificates of Deposit	135,221.16
Cashier's Checks	62,245,267,551.81
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$297,251.81</b>
State of Nebraska ss.	
County of Cass ss.	
I, Charles H. Boedeker, 2nd, Cashier 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 Banking, CHARLES H. BOEDEKER, 2nd, Cashier.	
Attest: W. G. BOEDEKER, Director G. M. MINFORD, Director	
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of January, 1938. (Seal) W. A. ROBERTSON, (My Commission expires Aug. 24, 1939)	

## Looking Forward

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blew out, striking the interior of the hood of their car with a resounding bang. George cocked his eye and asked "I wonder what that was?" while Mrs. Nickles was certain it was someone shooting at them. But when the matter was explained she rather enjoyed it, as she had not been to a real old fashioned Fourth of July celebration for many a year.

**Business House Moves.**  
The Parker grocery which has been in the Scott building for some time was moved last Saturday to the Rhoden building on west Main street where they will conduct a cafe in connection with the groceries.

**Home From the West.**  
Dr. and Mrs. Tyson and daughter who went to Edan, Colorado taking the parents of the doctor, where another son, Silas Tyson took them on to Los Angeles, where they will visit until spring, returned home last Thursday evening after having enjoyed a very fine visit for the one day with a sister and brother who make their home at Edan.

**Enjoyed Family Dinner Sunday.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sporer were host and hostess to the members of the family of Mrs. Sporer as well as the father of Charles at a gathering and a very fine dinner at their farm home last Sunday. Besides the very fine dinner which was served, all enjoyed the very pleasant visit.

**Visited Here Sunday.**  
Eli Parker who has been making his home for some time in Weeping Water with his son, Ira Parker and family, with them were visiting in Murray with Noah Parker and family for a portion of last Sunday and going on into Plattsmouth where they spent the remainder of the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Smock. Ira Parker and family returned home to Weeping Water in the evening while Eli Parker remained in Plattsmouth for a longer visit.

**Surprise Friend on Natal Day.**  
Mrs. Robert Weston had her birthday anniversary fall on last Sunday and the fact being known by a number of her friends, they came with good things to eat and spent the day at the Weston home. The passing of the birthday anniversary was duly celebrated by the merry crowd who were there for the occasion, which included Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mrasek, Miss Clara Mrasek, Marie Reed and brother, Ernest Reed, Miss Freda Crunk and the guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weston.

**Extension Club School.**  
Once each month the extension club movement which is sponsored by the Farm Bureau, meeting in Murray at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Seybolt once a month, were meeting at the Seybolt home on Monday afternoon of this week. There are six clubs in this area who meet at the Seybolt home for instruction by representatives from the Farm Bureau, who also take the lesson to their respective clubs. Each club has a right to two representatives, but only eleven were present, the Rock Bluffs group having but one representative.

**He Wants to Know.**  
W. L. Seybolt has a curiosity to know what the pitcher of a ball team says to the catcher when he walks up and speaks to the catcher. He has wondered about it a great deal but has never found out. He says he wonders about what they do at the extension clubs, but he will not ask.

**Furnished House.**  
Three room furnished house for rent. Address P. O. Box 111, Murray. d23-4tw

**Christian Church Elects Officers.**  
At the church services which were held last Sunday following the Bible school and the preaching, an election

## Special Nights are to Feature Local Games

Plattsmouth High School Team to Have Special Nights at Home Games This Season.

Special nights are planned for most of the basketball games this year. Assuming that graduates, who lettered in some sport, are still interested in athletics, the first special night will be "Letter Men Night." Letter men, who have earned their letter in some sport at Plattsmouth high school are invited to attend the basketball game, Friday night, January 14, as guests.

As parents are always interested in the activities of their children, the second special night will be "Parent Night" and the parents of the boys out for basketball will be invited to attend the game, Tuesday, January 18.

The town and community are also interested in their school, so the third special night will be "Rotary and Chamber of Commerce Night" and members of these organizations are especially urged to attend the game on Friday, January 21, and show their interest in the athletic program of the school.

The fourth special night will be for the ladies and will be "Woman's Club Night." Arrangements are being made to have two Junior High girls teams play the preliminary game and members of this club are urged to attend the game on Friday, January 28.

of officers for the church was held, at which Miss Helen Reed was selected as secretary-treasurer, and the following elders selected, C. M. Reed, who was selected as chairman of the board, George Topliff, Marion H. Worthan, O. T. Leyda, Chester Sporer and Louis Sack. The deacons elected were Perry Nickles, Bert Worthan, James Hoschar, Vearle Smith, Melvin Reed and Henry Rice.

**Will Enjoy Church Dinner.**  
At the services at the Christian church Sunday, January 23rd, an all day meeting will be held with a dinner at the church, interspersed with services, preaching a number of times and meeting of the societies of the church.

**UNION MAN FOUND DEAD**  
From Monday's Daily—Victor Jorgensen, 28, of Union, was found dead in a ditch near Walthill, Nebraska, Friday evening, messages received by relatives at Union Saturday stated.

Mr. Jorgensen and his wife, formerly Silvia Witherow, are residents of Union but he has been working at Walthill for some time. The truck that he had been driving went over an embankment and he had been dead for some time when found.

Elmer Witherow and son, Elmer and Jack Roddy drove to Walthill to investigate the case and to arrange to have the body shipped to Union by train.

**HOLDS COURT TODAY**  
From Monday's Daily—District Judge W. W. Wilson was here today to hold a session of the district court. The time of the court was taken up in hearing a large number of motions in cases pending before the court. A large representation of the bar was present in the court room.

## LOCALS

From Monday's Daily—An out-of-town guest of Mrs. Leroy Ruse is Esther Nims of Washington, Kansas.

Attorney C. E. Tefft, of Weeping Water was here today to attend to some matters in the district court.

Miss Marie Speck, who has been visiting her uncle, Fred H. Speck and family at Sioux City, returned home today.

Guy L. Clement, Elmwood banker and attorney, was in the city today to attend a session of the district court.

Wallace Philpot, well known resident of Weeping Water, was in the city today to attend to some matters at the court house.

Miss Gertrude Brink is in York, Nebraska where she will spend a week with her aunt, Mrs. Gertrude Meehan who is ill.

Mrs. Fred Dicks of Hartington arrived in Plattsmouth Sunday evening to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Minor and daughter, Eleanor and Miss Amelia Friedrich were in Lincoln yesterday visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Price and son, Mr. and Mrs. Keener Price went to Vesper, Kansas yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. M. Price's sister.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore of Murray was here today to attend to some matters of business at the court house relative to the work of the Cass County Historical society.

### ENJOYING WINTER IN WEST

Writing from Portland, Oregon, where she is spending the winter, Mrs. Elizabeth Kopischka acknowledges receipt of her Gold Star membership card and pin which was one of three cards and pins presented to Gold Star mothers of the community by the American Legion Auxiliary at its December meeting.

Her letter appears below:  
Portland, Jan. 6th  
Dear Auxiliary Members:  
Received my Auxiliary membership card, also the gold star pin and I was very much surprised that it is a present to me from the Plattsmouth unit. I want to thank all the members for it.

We are having fine weather here. Only a few days have we had any rain. The sun is shining now and quite warm. I am having a wonderful time—lots of places to go. We were at Mount Hood last Sunday—that is sixty miles from here. There were 5,000 people there. I went to see the place where the president was on his trip out here last year. It was a wonderful place and commanded a fine view for miles around. We were also out to the vesta house another Sunday and it was grand—1,800 feet up in the mountains.

Well, I have gained 6 pounds out here. The people have most all of their garden truck in the ground yet and dig it as they need it.

Please have this put in the Journal so the Auxiliary members can all read it. Again I thank you all for your kindness.

MRS. ELIZABETH KOPISCHKA,  
6825 North East 27th Avenue,  
Portland, Oregon.

### MANY ATTEND SALE

From Tuesday's Daily—There was a large number out today to attend the sale held at the W. H. Trites farm west of the city where the live stock and machinery of the farm was offered for sale. A large array of machinery was offered and keen bidding was featured.

Mrs. Trites is disposing of the farm equipment as she has moved to this city to make her home.

## Recreational Service Plans Meeting Here

Leaders in the Recreational Service to Be Here to Discuss "The Nature Trail."

On Tuesday, January 11th, at 2 p. m., many of our prominent and busiest leaders in business, social, and civic activities will gather at the council room of the Plattsmouth Recreation Center to lend their support to the promotion of one of the two major projects of the recreation service, "The Nature Trail."

M. B. Jenkins, director of forest research under the conservation and survey division of the University of Nebraska, will speak on "Natural Resources and Wild Life and Its Relationship to Us." Mr. Jenkins is a most able and well informed speaker and is intensely interested in the promotion of our Nature Trail project.

Mrs. Ruth Fleming, nature lore specialist of the state recreation division, will accompany Mr. Jenkins and will spend several days in our city at the service of the various organizations or persons interested in this project.

Harold C. Hill, district supervisor of recreation will attend the meeting to be of service in the success of the meeting.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore of Murray, president of the Cass County Historical society, will present some most interesting historical revelations on the prehistoric riches in Cass county.

This meeting is open to the public and to those who are interested in this work we extend a most cordial invitation to attend.

### DISCONTINUE THE GIVING OF MONOPLANE GLIDERS

The Quaker Oats company advises this newspaper that with the exhaustion of its supply of Wright-Dayton monoplane gliders (and the last one was given out nearly a week ago) there will be no more available for the present, at least. Instead, the prize to be given with Quaker trademarks will be Dick Darling's Magic Trick Book, which were put out a year or two ago on a similar offer.

The Journal has put out a large number of the monoplane gliders, but with the exhaustion of its supply last week, is arranging for another shipment of the trick books. As soon as they arrive they will be available to boys and girls bringing in Quaker trademarks.

It is not certain whether the free glider offer will be revived when spring opens up or not. They have proven most popular and for weeks scarcely a day went by but there were one or more boys or girls on hand with trademarks for a plane.

### RETURNS FROM WEST

Mrs. Michael Duda, who has been at McCook for some time, returned home Saturday. She has been assisting in the care of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Taylor, injured so severely in an accident two weeks ago. The infant was almost scalped in a fall from an auto to the paving, but is now doing very nicely.

## SOCIAL

From Monday's Daily—Guests at Pahl Home—Mr. and Mrs. August Buchler and son Ralph and Miss A. Drexel and Miss Kay Obel of Omaha were dinner guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Pahl yesterday.

**Here From the South.**  
Mrs. Floyd Harding of Clinton, South Carolina, is in the city to visit at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Patterson and with the many old friends. Mrs. Harding has been in the north for the holidays with her sisters, Mrs. George Falter of Atchison, Kansas, and Mrs. John Falter at Falls City. The Harding family have made their home in the south for the past few years, Major Harding being stationed in a college at Clinton as teacher of military science to the ROTC there.

**Tender Shower of Bride.**  
Saturday afternoon Mrs. Charles Lutes and Mrs. Keener Price entertained at a linen shower in honor of Miss Isabel McFarland, whose marriage to Mr. Leroy Ruse, took place Sunday.

The event was held at the Lutes home and where the ladies found diversion in games and contests and in which prizes were awarded to Mrs. Hamilton Mark, Miss Vida Shiffrer, Mrs. Cass Sylvester and Mrs. Ella Frazier.

The guest of honor received a large number of very beautiful and attractive gifts in honor of the event that will long serve as reminders of the friends.

Light refreshments were served by the hostesses at the close of the afternoon.

### Entertains at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Soenichsen entertained at a small dinner party Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Floyd Harding, of Clinton, South Carolina, who is visiting here for a short time. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Patterson, Mary Rosencrans and Robert M. Walling.

### Standard Bearers Meet

The Standard Bearers met last night with Katherine and Helen Barkus. At the beginning of the meeting the group sang songs. The devotionals were given by Mary Louise Walton. The lesson was given by Betty Vallery. Charlotte Cotner, Katherine Barkus, Mary McCarroll and Ruth Ann Hatt. Plans for a party carnival were discussed. Readings were given by Edith Lushinsky, Mary McCarroll and Shirley Jacobs. There were 26 girls present. Lunch was served by Katherine and Helen Barkus and the Grosshans girls who were co-hostesses. Mrs. Grosshans, Mrs. Hayes and Ruth Lawson were guests.

### Honor Mrs. Ruse

Mrs. Hamilton Mark and Mrs. Freeman McFarland entertained at a dinner last evening honoring Mrs. Leroy Ruse at the apartment where the young couple are making their home. The evening was spent in playing games, in which Mrs. Clara Jordan won two first prizes, Mrs. Bradley Fitzgerald won a second prize and Mrs. Robert Sedlak won a second

prize. The bride received many lovely and useful gifts.

Roselyn Mark and Delores Ruse served the luncheon that had been prepared.

From Wednesday's Daily—Westminster Guild—The Westminster Guild met last night with Mrs. H. G. McClusky. Miss Marie Vallery led the meeting. The lesson topic was "Moslem Youth." Refreshments were served by the hostess.

**B. D. Pinochle Club.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lohnes entertained the B. D. Pinochle club last night. Mrs. Lohnes won first prize and Miss Charlotte Brewster won second.

**St. John's Sodality.**  
The Girls' Sodality of the St. John's parish met Monday night with Anna Marie Rea. They played pinochle and fantan. Each girl brought a gift which was put into a grab bag and later drawn out. Refreshments were served.

**D. D. Club.**  
The D. D. club was entertained last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ptak.

Margaret Ann Vallery and Pat Cloldt gave a real surprise to the members. They were invited down cellar where they entered a hidden recreation room. There was a nice cozy fireplace and beside it on a table stood all the pop-corn, candy, wieners, buns, everything that tops off a good old picnic.

After a most enjoyable time at the Ptak home, the members skipped off to the local theater and then dropped in the Tastee Shop to see if "Pop" Kelley was a little over-stocked in the soda and sundae line.

A better and newlier Journal is our constant aim. You can help by phoning news items to No. 6.

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