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Tour of Cattle Feeder Farms on April 19th

Murray State Bank Sponsoring Tour of Group of the Farms of Patrons of Bank.

A tour of the farms of the community adjacent to Murray will be staged on Saturday, April 19th, a tour which is sponsored by the Murray State bank and with the cooperation of the Cass county farm bureau.

The tour will be to farms of patrons of the bank who are largely interested in stock feeding as an important part of the farming industry of the west. While all of the farms of the patrons will not be visited the tour will cover as large a territory as possible. Mr. Glen Boedeker, bank president, states.

The tour will start from Murray Saturday morning to visit at the farms and with the party will be John Campbell, well known market observer of Chicago, as well as W. W. Derrick, livestock specialist of the University of Nebraska agricultural college. Twelve stops will be made to inspect cattle in feed lots. This is a part of the state-wide pasture-forage-livestock program.

Mr. Boedeker expects a number of visitors from the South Omaha market and others out of the county to join the caravan.

The party is planning on reaching Murray at noon for luncheon and at which time Mr. Campbell will give a short talk along the lines of the value of cattle to the farm.

Stops scheduled to inspect fattening cattle include the following farms: Boedeker and Ward 4 1/2 miles west of Murray at 10 a. m., Parr Young and Livingston, Jack Philpot, Howard Philpot, Jake Hill, Philip Schafer, and Joe Safarik before returning to Murray for lunch.

Following lunch the: L. B. Todd, Melvin Todd, Glenn Todd, Boedeker and Cottingham, Perry Nickles, Bill Minford and Frank Hill farms will be visited.

As a climax the day of interest and study of stock feeding methods, an entertainment will be offered at the Murray garage, one that is planned for the women of the community interested in the farming life of this section of Cass county.

Charles H. Boedeker, cashier of the Murray State bank, in the past few years has acquired a fine collection of motion pictures of the farms in the territory that they serve. These were shown at the bank banquet during the winter to the men and many requests have been made by the women to also have the opportunity of seeing the pictures. Mr. Boedeker will present the pictures of his collection so that the ladies can view their own farms and those of their neighbors by means of the movies.

Mr. Boedeker announces that the Murray State bank will be closed all day Saturday, April 19th so that all of the force may join in the caravan on the farm tour.

TO TOUR WITH MUSIC GROUP

Miss Rachel Robertson, student at the University of Nebraska, is one of the members of the University String Ensemble, a group of some thirty-five of the students.

The group is planning a short tour the coming week which will include three of the cities in the northeast part of the state, they playing in the morning at David City and in the afternoon at Norfolk, both concerts being given in the schools. The Ensemble in the evening will give a formal concert at Columbus.

The Ensemble is under the direction of Mr. Emmanuel Wiseman, music instructor at the university and also concert violinist with the Lincoln symphony orchestra.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Verner Meisinger, who has been at the Methodist hospital in Omaha recovering from a thyroid operation, returned home Thursday. She is feeling fine but will have to remain quiet for some time until over the effects of the operation.

VISIT IN CHICAGO

Miss Wilhelmina Henrichsen, secretary at the office of Superintendent L. S. Devoe and Miss Anne Knieke are enjoying the Easter vacation in Chicago. The ladies departed Wednesday evening on the Burlington Zephyr for the east and will spend the rest of the week with friends and enjoying the many places of interest in the great city.

Preparing for Rural School Program April 15

Rural School Chorus Will Be Presented at Plattsmouth High School Auditorium.

One of the musical features of the spring season in this city will be the Rural School Chorus program to be presented at the high school auditorium in this city on Tuesday, April 15th at 7:45 p. m.

This is being arranged under the auspices of County Superintendent Lora Lloyd Kieck and with the cooperation of the Plattsmouth schools to make a great success and a real musical treat.

Letters have been sent to the teachers over the county urging that they have groups here for the event that will fittingly represent their particular community.

In the chorus groups the songs selected are for grades one to four inclusive, "Dairy Maids" and "Nightingale." The fifth to eighth grades will sing "My Banjo," "Swiss Song" and "Now All Good Night." All of the groups will join in the singing of "Oh Susanna" and "America."

This is a county-wide activity and stresses the importance of the music training in the grade schools of the county.

Leland Flora, director of music of the Plattsmouth schools will be the director of the musical numbers. In addition to the large group of rural school children that are expected here, there will be a number from the local grade schools heard on the program.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

John Richardson, who for many years operated the old flat-bottomed ferry boat which carried man and beast and later motor cars and trucks across the old Missouri where it is now spanned by a bridge of steel, was honored on the occasion of his 70th birthday Sunday, April 6 with a dinner at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Theo. Powles, south of Pacific Junction, Iowa.

Mr. Richardson's birthday was April 5 and on the occasion of its observance Sunday he shared honors with his brother, Mahlon, of Pacific Junction, who will be 74 on April 14, and his sister, Mrs. Rhoda Archer of Council Bluffs, who was 76 on April 11.

Those present on this happy occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Richardson of Plattsmouth; Orval Richardson of Horton, Kansas; Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. Fred Strothers of Council Bluffs; Miss Edna Blackman of Glenwood; Lyle Powles, who is attending aviation school in Omaha, and the host and hostess.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the three celebrants.

FINED FOR PETIT LARCENY

In the county court Friday Dean Yates was arraigned on the charge of petit larceny, the complaint being the taking of some harness, the property of Lester Scattergood, of near Eagle. The defendant entered a plea of guilty to the charge and was given a fine of \$100 and the costs of the prosecution.

BACK FROM CALIFORNIA

A Plattsmouth young man, Gerald Kehne, who attended the Anderson Diesel School at Los Angeles, California has graduated and is now back in Cass county visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kehne. He has been gone approximately a year. Gerald hasn't made any definite plans for the future.

CCC Vacancies Still Remain to be Filled

Miss Helen Porter Urges All Unemployed Between 17 and 23 to Join CCC Immediately

According to Helen Porter, Cass county selecting agent, there are still a large number of vacancies to be filled in the CCC quota for the April enrollment which closes on April 20. Applications are now being taken for the next acceptance date, April 15.

The purpose of CCC is to give unemployed young men an opportunity to earn while they are learning; to secure experience and job training that will help them to find better jobs. Employers throughout the country are learning more and more the value of CCC training. What impresses them most about CCC-trained young men is the fact that they have acquired better work habits than the average young men of their age.

The CCC camp is an excellent place to learn the operation, care and repair of motor vehicles, tractors, or bulldozers; they have an opportunity to learn the basic principles of metal work; woodworking facilities are unusually complete. They may secure a basic knowledge of how electrical equipment works and how to wire various kinds of houses and buildings. They offer fine training for cooks and mess stewards. They have classes in photography, blue print reading, drafting, typing and radio. Merchant Marine and private radio companies are constantly demanding CCC-trained radio men.

Young men who are unmarried, unemployed, between the ages of 17-23 1/2, and of good health and character are eligible. Enrollees are paid \$30 a month; if they have dependents they send \$15 of this amount to their dependents; the boys receive \$8 in cash and \$7 is saved for them each month. At the end of their enrollment period these savings are paid to them in a lump sum. In addition to this, they receive good wholesome food, clothing, medical and dental care; they learn to live with others, and are taught to do a job which will definitely improve their chances for employment after leaving the corps.

There are eight enrollment periods during the year, January, February, April, May, July, August, October and November, but applications may be made at any time by calling on Miss Porter, CCC selecting agent, at Plattsmouth.

MURRAY FIREMEN TO HOLD JAMBOREE FRIDAY

The Murray Volunteer Fire Department is stepping out in a big way and has bought fire extinguishers, smoke masks and fire buckets for use at farm fires. All this costs money and must be financed in some manner. The fire boys have therefore arranged for a big Jamboree to be held Friday evening of this week, April 18, at the Murray hall.

Because of the foresight and willingness to give of their time freely in helping to prevent and stamp out fires through use of more effective equipment, the hazards of fire in Murray have been greatly reduced. Insurance rates, based on the hazard are likewise lower. So the boys of the fire department feel it is no more than right that citizens generally, both within and outside the corporate limits of the town, who may enjoy the advantages of their service help to foot the bill. This you can do by attending the Jamboree, and undoubtedly the hall will be packed with friends and wellwishers, anxious to do their part to help keep the equipment up to date and add more power to the ability of the Murray firemen.

NOTICE, REAL ESTATE OWNERS

First payment 1940 real estate tax will be delinquent May 1, 1941. JOHN E. TURNER, a-7-2d; 2sw County Treasurer.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Attorney J. C. Bryant, of Ashland, was in the city today to attend to some matters of business in the county court.

AN APPRECIATION

The committee who has had in charge the Holy Week noonday services at the Cass theatre desire to thank Mr. Griffin for the use of his fine theatre and the Journal for the generous space given daily to the publicity for these meetings. Without the generous co-operation of the theatre and a daily newspaper these noonday services would not have been possible.

Pay Honor to P. H. S. Basketball Captain

Corbin Davis Receives Award from Alumni Association for Services in Past Season.

Corbin Davis, captain of the 1940-41 basketball team of the Plattsmouth high school, was designated by the members of the High School alumni association to receive the trophy for his excellent service and contribution to the team in the years he has served.

This award was made by the votes of the members of the association who had been canvassed in the past week.

Davis is a senior in the high school, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Searl S. Davis and has received his education in the local schools from his first days of school life to the dawn of the graduation of his class. Since reaching high school he has been an ardent follower of the high school sport program, serving as a member of the football, basketball and tennis teams of the school, a stellar figure in these three sports. He served as the captain of the basketball team the past season to complete a brilliant record in the school sports.

LOCAL BOY SEES SERVICE

Relatives and friends here of Frank Aschenbrener, 19, who answered Uncle Sam's plea by joining the United States Coast Guard last December, will be interested to learn that he and his fellow guardsmen who form the crew on the coast guard cutter U.S.S. Ingham, are now in Atlantic service, where they are expected to remain approximately six months.

"Frankie," Mrs. Bessie Aschenbrener's eldest son, left from Omaha December 13 for Port Townsend, Washington, where he received his preliminary training. Frank and his companion, James Kozak, made the trip to Washington by rail.



Frank Aschenbrener

Frank completed his training in approximately a 2 1/2-month period on March 3. Having successfully passed his tests, he was transferred to Boston, Massachusetts, where he was assigned to the cutter U. S. S. Ingham, one of the largest, if not the largest, cutters in the coast guard. Latest report by the young man is that the cutter has a crew of 180 men. However, they remained in Boston a short time before beginning the cruise of 1941, which took them to Spain. While en route to Spain the guardsmen enjoyed a four-day battle practice.

Following the maneuvers members of the family here expect Frank to return to Plattsmouth for a visit with home folks.

Registrants in Nebraska Show Fine Co-operation

From the 105 Boards Over State of Nebraska But 160 Appeals Taken to the State.

With approximately 65,000 Selective Service registrants in the state of Nebraska classified by the 105 local boards on April 1st, on the basis of their availability for military service, approximately 160 appeals had been made to Selective Service boards of appeal, and no requests for adjudication of decisions had been submitted to the president. It was announced today by General Henninger, state director of Selective Service.

"This is a splendid record for our state," General Henninger declared when making the announcement. He said:

"It is a record that speaks highly for the work of the patriotic citizens who are serving without pay as members of Selective Service boards and as examiners and advisors, and also to the credit of our state as a whole. And it is the more heartening to all Americans to know that this spirit of cooperation for national defense prevails throughout the country, for, according to information from national headquarters, more than 4,000,000 registrants now have been classified with only a comparatively infinitesimal number of appeals from the decisions of Selective Service boards."

At the same time General Henninger said, the Selective Service system is eager to make certain that all registrants, their dependents and others interested in their welfare, have every opportunity to obtain review of any classifications they consider unjust.

"There is an obligation," he said, "upon all members of the Selective Service system who come in contact with the registrant to make certain that he understands, not alone that he has the privilege of appeal but also when he must do it and how he must do it. We cannot afford to permit registrants who want to appeal to lose their opportunity merely because they do not understand the what, when and how of so doing. While we do not want the appeal machinery clogged up with claims of those who merely seek to delay their induction, it is equally important that no registrant be inducted until he has had ample opportunity to exercise all his legal rights."

Any registrant, or his dependents or others interested in his welfare, the director said, can obtain full information concerning his right to appeal a classification by consulting his local board, government appeal agent, or registrants' advisory board.

COUNTY COURT NOTES

Hearings were held in the probate court Friday by Judge A. H. Duxbury in the following estates:

In the M. U. Gering, Edward C. Rummel and Lena B. Ralston estates, hearing on claims were held.

Application was heard for the probate of the estate of Mary E. Nickle, deceased, of Elmwood and the appointment of George F. Nickle as administrator made by the court.

Final settlement was had in the estates of Walter Franks and Jens Ernest Pedersen Salling.

Hearing on determination of heirship was had in the estate of Nathaniel Everhart, deceased.

BACK FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Minniear have returned from their month's stay in California. They liked it fine but prefer Nebraska any time. While there they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Baier of Vallejo and spent a week in San Francisco.

STILL CRITICAL

Monsignor Adolph M. Mosler's condition at the St. Elizabeth hospital in Lincoln, is still critical, it was reported today. Monsignor Mosler hasn't been well for some time and has been confined to the hospital for several weeks.

HERE FROM NEAR SOUTH BEND

From Thursday's Daily—Louis Wehrmann and George Bornman, of near South Bend, were in the city today to spend a few hours attending to some matters of business. While here they paid the Journal a very pleasant call and Mr. Bornman enrolled as a reader of the semi-weekly edition of the Journal, receiving his mail on the Ashland route.

Waldemar Long Enters a Guilty Plea in Court

Amended Complaint Charges Contributing to Delinquency of Minor; 6 Months in Jail, \$500 Fine

From Thursday's Daily—This morning at the opening of the district court the case of the State of Nebraska vs. Waldemar Long, was suddenly terminated when the state presented an amended petition in which the defendant was charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor, Edith Luville Foreman, to which he made a plea of guilty. The previous charge had been that of statutory rape.

Judge Wilson after hearing the plea of the defendant pronounced sentence that the maximum punishment be given, that of six months in the county jail and a fine of \$500 and the costs of the prosecution. The defendant, who has been out on bond, was remanded to the custody of Sheriff Joe Mrasek.

Chas. Attebery Garage at Union is Robbed

Entered Sometime Friday Night and Six Radios Taken by the Unwelcome Callers.

From Saturday's Daily—The garage of Charles Attebery at Union was robbed last night and six radios reported missing as the result of the break-in.

The entrance to the building was made by breaking a window in the rear of the building that gave access to the party or parties. The loss was not discovered until the place was opened for business this morning.

Five of the radios taken were of the five-tube table models and one a Chevrolet car radio. Most of the radios were Emersons and one used Montgomery-Ward second hand.

Sheriff Joe Mrasek was called to the scene but no fingerprints were found or traces of the night callers.

DEATH OF AGED MAN

From Saturday's Daily—F. M. Welshmer, 86, died this morning at the home of his son, C. E. Welshmer and family in the south part of the city. Mr. Welshmer has made his home here with the son and family for the past several years and who have cared for him until his long life was terminated by death.

The body will be taken to Columbia City, Indiana, where the funeral services are to be held on Tuesday and the interment made at the cemetery in the old home community.

He is survived by two sons, Chester E. Welshmer of this city and James E. of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Mr. Welshmer was a member of the Masonic order for many years, joining in his young manhood in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Welshmer are leaving Sunday morning for the old home and to attend the last rites.

The body is at the Horton funeral home awaiting shipment to Indiana.

VISIT FRIENDS HERE

From Saturday's Daily—Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Mayfield of Louisville, were in the city today for a short time and while here were pleasant callers at the Journal office. The Mayfields, for many years owners and publishers of the Louisville Courier, still enjoy a visit in a print shop and with the old friends of the Journal.

Urge Farmers to Plant Within 1941 Allotment

Expansion Program is for Food and Not Feed, Says Alfred Gansemer, County Chairman

Farmers in Cass county are still urged to plant within their 1941 acreage allotments says Alfred Gansemer, Chairman of the Cass County Agricultural Conservation program.

The expansion program is for food, not feed. We have an abundance of feed on hand in the nation. Our 1941 corn acreage allotment, left essentially unchanged from last year in order to meet any emergency which war might bring, is sufficient to meet that emergency. Normal yields from the allotment, added to present supplies, will feed all the hogs, dairy cattle and chickens we can hope to produce during the coming year.

Cass county farmers can not afford to forfeit corn parity and corn conservation payments and the advantage of a corn loan by over-planting their 1941 corn allotment.

To meet the needs of individual farmers who may find their 1941 corn acreage allotments not sufficient to maintain their expanded feeding operations, provision is made to permit corn plantings up to "usual" acreages—which in most cases will represent an increase of about one-third. In return for this privilege, these producers will forfeit corn parity and corn conservation payments made under the AAA farm program and will be unable to obtain corn loans. They will however, receive other payments earned through AAA cooperation if they do not exceed normal corn acreages and total soil-depleting allotments.

Commenting on this year's corn plantings as a result of the new plan to feed the Democracies and meet national defense needs Secretary Wickard said: "Obviously, the comparatively few producers in commercial corn areas who wish to plant up to their usual acreage of corn in order to have feed for increased dairy, poultry and livestock production will wish, and should have at this time, assurance that there will be no corn marketing quotas on the 1941 crop. Because of the ample feed supplies in this country, however, most producers should plant within their corn allotments."

But there is no cause for hysteria or alarm in preparing to meet the increased needs for certain foods. We have the same machinery for adjusting production upward that we used so effectively for downward adjustment when all farm markets were restricted. Traveling in either direction, we are better off when we have cooperation and unity.

We should remember, too, that there is no pegged price for wheat. The wheat supply situation remains hazardous, and we should not lose sight of that condition when we have the opportunity to vote upon marketing quotas.

The state bar association announced recently the appointment of committees of inquiry for the 18 judicial districts for 1941. Their chief duties are to receive any complaints against attorneys, conduct hearings, and take any disciplinary action deemed necessary.

Committee members named for District 2 are W. A. Robertson, Plattsmouth, chairman; Ralph Nickerson, Papillion; and Lloyd E. Peterson, Nebraska City. Peterson is a new appointee on the committee.

EAR APPOINTS INQUIRY BOARD

From Friday's Daily—This morning Attorney G. L. Clement and father, B. J. Clement with George P. Nickle, all of Elmwood were here to attend a session of the county court and looking after some matters in the probate section of the court.

HERE FROM ELMWOOD

FOR SALE or trade for real estate, money-making small town business, \$2,000 cash, balance easy terms. Army call reason for selling.—H. M. Wolfe, Hotel Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebr. a10-2t d a w