

WEEPING WATER

Ben Martin and sons were visiting and looking after some business in Weeping Water, they driving over from their home near Union.

Miss Gladys Philpot, the proprietor of the beauty shop in Weeping Water was a visitor with friends in Omaha for over the week end going last Saturday and returning home on Monday of this week.

J. E. Renner who had his finger injured some time since and which became badly infected is rejoicing at this time over the great improvement the member has shown. It is getting along nicely at this time.

Stephen Jenkins of Beatrice, the representative of the Beatrice Creamery company was a business visitor in Weeping Water for a short time on last Tuesday and was looking after some matters in connection with their station here.

Lawrence Earhardt and wife of southwest of Omaha were in Weeping Water on Tuesday of this week, where they were looking after some trading and visiting with friends as well as Mr. Earhardt attending the community sale.

Ivan Balfour of near Union was over recently and secured a new Model AA truck, which he took home with him and will use for the work on the farm and for hauling of grain to market, and which will make him one of the best means of transportation.

Last week at the sale of Fred Bauer on the Red Ball highway west of Manley Fred Rehmyer made the purchase of a very fine black horse which made a complete match of the one he already had and now he has as fine a matched team as any one might desire.

E. A. Dowler of the Dowler Chevrolet company of Weeping Water and by the way a most clever business man, was called to Omaha on Tuesday of this week to look after some business matters connected with the business which he and his brother A. R. Dowler, conduct here.

Selling Many Fords.

The Cole Motor company have been selling many Fords of late, and why not, when this car is in such popular favor. At this time they have orders booked for more cars than they can secure and have to await their turn for the new ones, as they are assembled at the plant. On Tuesday of this week John Cole, manager of the Cole Motor company of Weeping Water accompanied by Robert Cole, and also Mr. and Mrs. Bert Janison, were in Omaha, where they were able to secure two cars which they drove to Weeping Water to supply some of the customers on the waiting list.

Makes Purchase of Home.

L. R. Lane, the manager of the Handy Oil Service station, on last Saturday purchased what is known as the Gibson property, and will, when the property is vacated, which will be about the first of March, move into it and will make his home there.

Many Attend First Talkies.

The enterprising citizen, H. E. Brookings, who has been making extensive repairs in the Liberty theatre, during the recent weeks, gave the first entertainment of the talkies on last Monday night at the theatre to a full house, which was crowded to the utmost. The play was the "Street Girl." This enterprise should be highly appreciated by the citizens of Weeping Water, who should do all to promote the enterprise.

At Knock Out Prices.

In another column will be found an ad telling of the wonder of the sale which is being put over by the Weeping Water Variety Store and will be commenced on Saturday of this week. There is a large stock, and nearly a hundred different articles which sell at nine cents each, and many of which ordinarily sell for as high as thirty cents or more. Step into this institution and be able to make your selections, for at the prices offered, the goods will go rapidly.

Have An Excellent Board.

Cass county is one of the very best counties in the state, and Nebraska is also one of the very best states in the Union, and the United States the very best nation on earth. This is a strong assertion, but we are

here to prove it, and have the evidence at hand. Not alone is this county good for crops, for stock of all kinds and for many other things, but it has one of the very best boards of county commissioners. They are sound in wisdom, the combined ages of the three commissioners is 192 years and how does that strike you for experience. The junior member, George L. Farley, is 63 years of age, C. F. Harris is 64 while Fred H. Gorder is 65. An evidence of the high qualities of the board we only have to refer you to some of the acts which they are continually doing for the benefit of the taxpayers. Watch them, they are real commissioners.

Attending Official Meeting.
During the greater portion of this week Fred L. Carstens, president of the Cass County Agricultural Society, has been in Lincoln, where he has been attending the meeting of the officers and the board of directors of the Nebraska State Fair, and where he was joined on Wednesday of this week by W. Earl Towle, secretary of the board. They are meeting with the state board and gathering such facts as will make the county meeting the very best when it meets on September 15th, 17th, 18th and 19th. Keep these dates in mind and have some of the very best to exhibit at the fair when it meets this fall.

Organizing for Better Work.
J. J. Meier who is a member of the Congregational church of Weeping Water and who is greatly interested in the work of the church and all its auxiliaries, was the delegate from the Weeping Water church last week to the state council which was held at Lincoln and where plans for the better working of the church and the societies for the coming year were considered.

Entertained His Folks.
Arthur Rough was thirty-four years of age on last Sunday, and to properly celebrate the event, with the good wife they entertained at their home a short distance from Weeping Water all his sisters and all her sisters, where a magnificent dinner was served and a turkey did grace the very fine dinner that was served. Mrs. Guy Lake of Lincoln, a sister, furnished the birthday cake which was literally covered with candles. A most enjoyable time was had and on departing the guests extended the wish for many more happy birthdays.

Had a Fine Dinner.
Mrs. Mary Ellen Runney and husband entertained at their home on last Sunday for dinner and had as their guests for the occasion Stirling Wiles and family, Mark Wiles and wife and Ray Wiles and family, and where all enjoyed the occasion most pleasantly.

Woman's Club Meet.

The Weeping Water Woman's club met on last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. Moritz, where they were entertained by this past mistress in the art of entertaining, and where a very worth while program was had. A very fine luncheon was served and the afternoon enjoyed by all.

OIL KING RIDES IN PLANE

Ormond Beach, Fla.—John D. Rockefeller, sr., rode in an airplane here Tuesday—on the ground. As the aged oil magnate played his daily round of golf a monoplane bearing J. Stewart Harrison of Cleveland, vice president in charge of manufacturing the Standard Oil company of Ohio, landed on the fairway. Mr. Harrison brought to Mr. Rockefeller unexpected greetings from those who attended the sixtieth anniversary banquet of the founding of the Standard Oil company in Cleveland, Jan. 10.

Mr. Rockefeller climbed into the plane and taxied the length of the fairway and back. He appeared to enjoy the experience very much and presented Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Noyes, respectively pilot and co-pilot with a whole stack of traditional Rockefeller dimes.

APOLOGY TO MEXICO

Rio Janeiro—Foreign Minister Octavio Manaberra Tuesday sent the chief of cabinet to the Mexican charge d'affaires to present the apologies of the Brazilian government for the demonstration that communists staged in front of the Mexican embassy Monday night.

Knockout Special Sale!

Beginning Saturday, January 25th and Continuing for SEVEN Days.

We will give unheard of values in our celebrated NINE CENT SALE of nearly a hundred different articles, among which are fine pieces of Aluminumware, Queensware, Glassware, Graniteware, Water Sets, Turkish Towels, Carving Sets, Scissors, Stoneware Sets, Kitchenware Sets, Stationery, Trays, Cup and Saucer Sets, Knives, Forks and Spoons, Stockings, Sox, Gloves, Mittens, Belts, Vanity Comb Sets, Purses, Men's and Women's Garters, Toys for the kiddies, Furniture Polish and Clothes Pins (60) for NINE CENTS. Also Toilet Paper (2 rolls), Paint Brushes, Bake Pans, Aluminum Percolators, Double Boilers and Cookers, Egg Slicers, Padlocks and what not. Soap and Confectionery. Remember the dates—Sat., Jan. 25 to Sat., Feb. 1st, inclusive.

—Weeping Water Variety Store—

Elmer Michelson, Propr.

Talks on Value of Better Seeds

The Nebraska Seed Co., of Omaha, Nebraska is going to run a series of ads on the value of better seeds. They will be of interest to all those desiring crop improvements.

The company is in the wholesale field, grass, garden and flower seed business. It has served the public through local merchants with dependable seeds for the past thirty-eight years. The best soil building legumes are alfalfa, sweet clover, and red clover. The leading forage crops are sudan, cane and millet.

In addition to selling hundreds of carloads of legumes and forage crops, garden seeds are also handled. Thousands of boxes of packet garden seeds are distributed by merchants in the states of Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Kansas, Minnesota, South Dakota, North Dakota, Colorado, Wyoming and Montana.

Another item of general interest is blue grass seed. Contrary to general opinion, Kentucky is no longer the only source of blue grass production. Through the efforts of this company the harvesting of blue grass in Western Iowa and parts of Nebraska has rapidly become a major item.

The expenditure of \$100,000 is distributed in the localities where the blue grass seed is harvested. The seed is threshed, cleaned and graded at the company's plant in Omaha. It is then shipped in carload lots to all parts of the United States, also some is exported to Holland and Germany.

All seed offered for sale is cleaned in a modern up-to-date plant to the highest possible purity machinery will permit. Each and every lot and kind is marked to comply with the state seed laws.

The state colleges of Iowa and Nebraska, as well as County Agents recommend that the purchaser of alfalfa buy hardy adaptable seed. To assure the consumer of getting hardy reliable alfalfa seed, the U. S. Government has adopted a verification service. The Nebraska Seed Company, as well as other leading established seed firms, are members of this service. The verified alfalfa seed can be purchased from local seed merchants. Every bag of this alfalfa seed bears a U. S. verification tag.

Alfalfa seed purchased by this company is direct from the growers or country shippers. Greatest of care is used to select hardy strains that can be verified as to its origin. The most of it handled comes from Nebraska, Dakota and Montana; both Common and Grimm variety.

Practically all the red clover handled by the company is grown in Iowa and Nebraska. The white sweet clover is Nebraska, Dakota or Minnesota grown; the yellow blossom variety either Nebraska or Iowa grown.

The loss resulting from impure and undependable seed is now being recognized by farmers. Bargain seeds are expensive at any price. Good seed and proper preparation creates prosperity.

PRESENT FOOTBALL LETTERS

From Wednesday's Daily—
This morning at the convocation period of the high school, the presentation of football letters was made to members of the high school squad of the 1929 season. Coach Fred A. Rothert, who has guided the athletic department of the school for the past seven years, was given a fine ovation as he touched the platform at the auditorium and was introduced by Ira Munim, student council president, and presented the first letter to Warren Farmer, captain of the 1929 team. Warren Farmer then on behalf of the team and the students who have been under the guidance of Mr. Rothert, gave him a very handsome remembrance of the occasion and a token of their respect and affection.

The letters issued were to fifteen regulars and three reserve members of the squad, the regulars being Warren Farmer, Ira Munim, John Albert, Robert Dew, Robert Hartford, Gilbert Hinz, Hershel Dew, John Calloway, Chester Wiles, Merle McCrary, Robert Hinz, Sam Arn, Garland McCrary, George Stoll, Francis Warren. The reserve members were George Walmscott, Werner Jarl, Henry Donat.

TRANSFER PUPILS

From Wednesday's Daily—
The fire at the first ward school yesterday has made it necessary for the board of education to provide means for caring for the pupils that have been attending the school and who are being taken care of for the present at the Central building. One of the rooms at the Central school that has been used as a lunch room has been arranged for the first ward children and who took up their studies there today.

The smoke damage to the first ward school as well as the necessity or repair work on the floor of the building will require repainting the interior of the structure as well as some carpenter work and it is expected that it will take a week to get the place back in shape to resume the school work.

The insurance adjusters are here today checking up the damage and preparing for the settlement with the school district for the damage.

EXPECT 200 LEGION DELEGATES AT MEET

West Point, Jan. 21.—A joint district convention of the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary will be held in West Point on Feb. 11. Plans are being made to entertain about 200 delegates. Two complete programs have been planned for the day and the convention will come to a close with a banquet, carnival and dance at night.

Phone us the news. No. 6.

AUTOMOBILE AUCTION SALE

65 CARS & TRUCKS

Wednesday, January 29

10:00 O'clock A. M. and 1:00 O'clock P. M.

On the above date, we will sell our entire stock of nearly new and used CARS and TRUCKS at Public Auction. You will be told the truth regarding the condition of each car as it goes on the Auction Block and every car is guaranteed to be as represented.

Coupes -- Sedans -- Trucks -- Roadsters -- Tourings

Every Used Car That We Own is in this Sale!

- 5 1924 Ford Tourings
- 4 1926 Ford Tourings.
- 3 1927 Ford Tourings.
- 3 1926 Ford Coupes.
- 2 1927 Ford Coupes.
- 1 1926 Overland Coach
- 5 1924 Ford Coupes.
- 4 1925 Ford Coupes.
- 3 1926 Ford Roadsters.
- 2 1927 Ford Roadsters.
- 2 1924 Ford Tudors.
- 1 1925 Ford Tudor.
- 1 Ford Light Truck
- 2 1926 Ford Tudors.
- 1 1927 Ford Tudor.

- 2 1926 Essex Coaches.
- 1 1928 Whippet Roadster.
- 1 1929 Essex Sedan.
- 2 1923 Ford Coupes.
- 1 1923 Buick Roadster.
- 1 1928 Whippet Coupe.
- 1 1924 Ford Roadster.
- 1 1924 Oakland Touring.
- 1 1924 Dodge Coupe.
- 1 1929 Ford Model A Pick-Up.
- 3 1926 Chevrolet Coaches.
- 1 1928 Model A Ford Roadster.
- 1 Ford Light Touring.
- 1 1926 Star Six Coach.
- 1 1929 Ford Tudor.

TRUCKS

- 1 1926 Chevrolet Farm Truck.
- 1 1927 Chevrolet Farm Truck.

TERMS—Small down payment, time on balance. You will be given full allowance for your old car. Every car will positively be sold to the highest bidder. Sale to be held at—

Plattsmouth Motor Co.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska

Note: Sale starts promptly at 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 1:00 p. m.

Jury Given Final Word on Garrett Case

Attorneys Close Arguments; Judge Instructs Panel of Three Possible Verdicts.

Chadron, Jan. 21.—The fate of Robert E. Garrett, charged with the murder of William Kinsley, farmer, near Alliance in 1927, was placed in the hands of a jury here Tuesday afternoon.

District Judge E. L. Meyer, in his instructions to the 12 who will pass judgment on Garrett, offered the alternatives of bringing in three possible verdicts, guilty of murder in the first degree, guilty of murder in the second degree, or acquittal.

The instructions of the court included a warning to judge the testimony of officers and of others, who told of threats made by Garrett prior to the slaying of Kinsley, with extreme care. A majority of the witnesses, he warned, were testifying to Garrett's alleged threats from memory, whereas the testimony of officers in the case was backed by official records.

Romig Takes Stand.
Penrose E. Romig, Box Butte county attorney, who remained in the background during most of the trial, appeared before the jury Tuesday to give the final argument for the

state. He termed the murder of Kinsley "a most willful and cowardly deed."

Romig, in his final plea to ventrem, spent considerable time in attempting to prove to the jury, thru the use of exhibits previously introduced by the state, that Garrett's car was the one alleged to have been driven away from the Kinsley farm soon after the latter had been shot through a window in his home.

Cites Description.

"The description given on the stand by officers concerning the nature of the tracks found in Kinsley's cornfield, tallying with the state's exhibit of the tires on the wheels of the defendant's car at the time of the crime, is sufficient to prove Garrett's guilt," Romig declared.

"Something was on his mind," Romig asserted.

He referred to the fact that Garrett testified that he had eaten three times between dinner time and 9 p. m., the evening on which the murder was committed.

The Box Butte county attorney related that at a preliminary investigation of the crime during which Garrett was quizzed, the latter expressed doubt that Kinsley had been actually murdered.

"The defendant was afraid that the shot he fired through a window in the Kinsley home was not effective and asked to be taken to the morgue to view the body," Romig said.

Defends Daughter.
Romig charged in his final argument that Garrett had been "thoroughly educated on his story" before the jury. He sought to substantiate this charge by pointing out that Garrett answered all questions rapidly when put to him by his attorneys.

He asked that the jury consider lightly the testimony of William Hagner, former hired man at the Kinsley farm who claimed he was taken for a "ride" after testifying against Garrett.

Mitchell contended that Hagner was badly confused in his story of the slaying and that he had never seen Garrett at the Kinsley farm on the day of the murder—Omaha Bee-News

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CUSTOMS MEN CRITICIZED

Omaha, Fla.—Denouncing as "high handed and outrageous" methods employed by customs patrol inspectors who "ride up and down the highways of Florida away from any border holding up automobiles of citizens to search them for liquor," Federal Judge Lake Jots, of Jacksonville, Tuesday dismissed a charge against Willie Lewis, on trial for transporting liquor. Two customs patrol inspectors had testified against Lewis. One of them, T. S. Wischart, of Tampa, told the court he found liquor in only about 50 per cent of the cars he searched.

"Citizens of this country have rights," Judge Jones said, and addressing one of the inspectors on the witness stand, he added: "No law in the world gives you the right to ride up and down the state holding up citizens."

Fashion's don't reach the height of the ridiculous when they put the hem of the skirt a half a foot above the knee, but when they let it down almost to the ground—IN SPOTS.

Boys' Flannel Night Robes, full cut, well made. Ages to 16. 98c. WESCOTT'S.