

### WEEPING WATER

W. E. Maxfield was looking after some business matters in Elmwood for the telephone company on last Tuesday.

Peter Miller has accepted a position on the farm of Rueben Grosser and is doing his stunt farming which he is a very clever man at.

Head Davis was attending a horse sale which was held at Murdock on last Saturday, and also incidentally meeting the voters of that portion of the county.

Alva Hobson, taking advantage of the slackness of trade at the store, was hustling into the garden on last Tuesday, notwithstanding the very sure March weather.

Floyd Cole who has charge of the road work in the vicinity of Weeping Water is kept very busy with the road and bridges, and is keeping them in good condition.

W. E. Maxfield and family were guests for the day on last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wolfe of Nehawka where all enjoyed the day very pleasantly.

C. H. Gibson has been trying his hand at beautifying the home, both as to landscape gardening as well as interior decoration. He believes in having things beautiful about the home.

S. I. Sprague was in last week and purchased lumber for the construction of a brooder house which he is building 10x12 feet. He secured the lumber from the Binger Lumber and Coal company.

Garrison, the contractor and builder, was constructing a platform and unloading pier at the rear of the Seward P. Day store which will facilitate the receiving and dispatching of goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Michelsen had as their guests for last Sunday Mrs. George Hinesline, mother of Mrs. Michelsen and Theo Klabunde and family, all of Blair, Mrs. Klabunde being a sister of Mrs. Michelsen. They sure all enjoyed a very good time.

Dr. Stachart located at Otee in Otee county, was a visitor in Weeping Water a few days since and was looking about with that end in view. Whether he concluded to make Weeping Water his home is not known.

C. W. Everett who has been with the Power company for the past ten years and a very good man at this line of work, is liking his work fine and keeps hustling every day, had the Journal come to his address that he might know what was going on in the county.

Miss Opal Homan, daughter of W. H. Homan went over to Murray for a visit on last Sunday with her sister, Miss Ruth Homan, who is employed at the Murray Hotel, and while there accepted an offer to work at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan De Les Denier.

H. P. Christensen purchased one of the chicken houses which the Binger Lumber company has on display from the street from the lumber yard. Mr. Christensen will engage in the chicken business at the home of his son, Miller Christensen, near Nehawka.

Walter Cole and son, John, and Homer Sylvester, were over to Omaha on last Tuesday afternoon at a special meeting of the salesmen of the Ford Motor company and were receiving some special instruction as to the manner of conducting sales of this very fine car.

C. E. Heebner of near Nehawka was a visitor and was looking after some business matters in Weeping Water on last Tuesday afternoon.

Business called C. E. Tefft, the attorney, to the county seat on Wednesday of this week, he driving over to Plattsmouth in his car.

John S. Williams who has been at Bonesteel, South Dakota, where he has a farm and where he was for some two weeks hauling and shipping hay, two cars of which came to Weeping Water and others elsewhere, returned home last week and was glad to see old Weeping Water and the family again.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coatsman departed last Saturday going via University Place where they picked up Miss Gladys Coatsman, their daughter, who is an instructor at the Wesleyan University, she acting as driver, went to Olathe, Kansas where she spent Sunday at the home of another daughter, Mrs. M. L. Golliber and family, spending Sunday there and returning Sunday evening.

Head Davis, who filed for the nomination of sheriff after one hundred and fifty of his friends asked him to by petition, accompanied by the good wife, were visiting with friends at Auburn on last Sunday and were guests of Frank Dalley. They were also to a family reunion of which Mrs. Dalley was one of five.

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They decided on a baked food sale at F. E. Dickerson's store last Friday night. This brought \$2.85. Also \$1.70 was taken in at the Alva school building by selling pop corn. These returns added to the treasurer's list making \$8.55. The members plan to try their luck again soon, as this sum will help to pay the rent for the Club Week for the Sunshine representatives in June.—Gertrude Christenson, Reporter.

**Passing of Loved Lady.**  
Sarah Hester Conrad was born April 9, 1857 at Corydon, Indiana, and passed away March 21, 1930, at the age of 72 years, 11 months, 13 days.

**Home From the Hospital.**  
Mrs. Frank E. Wood went to Lincoln where she brought her little nine year old niece, Doris Hayes home with her, and who is convalescing at the home of the aunt, who is caring for the little patient. Doris is getting along nicely and it is hoped will soon be entirely well again.

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daughters who with their families were meeting with their parents in Auburn on that day.

**Makes Trip to Iowa.**  
E. C. Wright and wife of Papillon, who are very close friends of J. S. Williams and family, extended an invitation to accompany them on last Saturday and Sunday on a trip to a farm owned by Mr. and Mrs. Wright, five miles south of Farmington, Iowa. They drove and were greatly impressed by the country and the farm as well. They arrived Saturday night and visited the farm, returning Sunday morning but went north on the gravel to Fairfield, where they struck the new Iowa paved road No. 34, and were enabled to travel to Red Oak with but a slight space over the new pavement. They then turned south again and came through Shenandoah, as Mr. Wright had folks there whom they desired to visit.

**Horses and A Cow For Sale.**  
I have a little more horse power than needed, can spare either a single horse or a team all well broken, and also a four years old Holstein cow to freshen soon.—Fred Rehmeier, Weeping Water.

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### 100% CLOTHES for 100% BOYS

Racing to and from school—playing—stuffing pockets—doing things that are hard on clothes—that's a 100% boy. These over-active boys must wear strong clothes and our 100% clothes are made with such boys in mind. The fabrics are durable and do not show soil—the pockets are reinforced at the corners and the buttons sewed on to stay. —that's our famous

**"SONNY BOY" LINE**

Made with 2 golf, 1 golf and 1 long or 2 long trousers. Price range — \$9.85 to \$18.00

### Wescotts

She was married to Jacob Conrad, March 20, 1883. They were parents of seven children, six boys and one daughter of whom five sons are living: Clarence E. Brandon, Nebraska; Charles W. Omaha; Lawson, Weeping Water; Lucien D. Chapell, Nebraska; John H. Brandon, Nebraska. One son, Calvin, died at the age of five years, nine months, twelve days, and the only daughter, Grace, at the age of 23 years, 11 months, four days.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad came to Nebraska in 1886 where they made their home since Mr. Conrad's death in 1916. Her home has been in Avoca.

This loved mother leaves to mourn besides five sons, 19 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, five sisters, three brothers of whom some are living, exact residence unknown, and hosts of other friends.

She was a member of Rebekah lodge No. 160, and a member of the Christian church of Avoca, from which church the funeral was held Monday 24th at 1 p. m., conducted by Rev. W. A. Taylor of Union. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Her husband preceded her in death May 1, 1916.

### TESTED SEED CORN

Reid's Yellow Dent (every ear tested) Seed Corn, high test, good vigor. \$2.00 at farm, \$2.50 shipped. C. F. MORTON, Union, Nebr.

### RADIO LISTENS IN ON SEA RECORD

New York, March 25.—America's radio family Tuesday attended the arrival and docking of a new mistress of the seas, the breaking crossing of the Atlantic.

With the aid of a short wave transmitter placed on board the big liner at Quaintance, the National Broadcasting Co., sent out a 12-minute program that included short talks by Commodore Nicolaus Johnsen, who spoke in German; Baron F. W. von Prittwitz-urd-Graffron, German ambassador to the United States, and other officials.

### TRIO ADDED TO FLORSHEIM SHOE FROLIC BROADCAST

The Florsheim Shoe Company of Chicago have included on their National coast-to-coast broadcast of the Florsheim Shoe Frolic the well known Vocal Trio, Tom, Dick and Harry.

These three artists have been very successful on the stage as well as on the air and their unusual arrangements of the latest melodies will be a treat to the Florsheim Frolic followers each Tuesday night over the N B C network at 7:30 Central Standard time.

### MYNARD U. B. CHURCH

Sunday school 10 a. m. Sermon 11 a. m. Junior church during sermon-hour. Ladies Aid meets in the basement Thursday April 3rd, at 2:30 p. m. Hostesses Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Robbins and Mrs. Jessie Smith. Leaders Mrs. Anna Wiles and Mrs. Barnard. Subject "Interior Decorations."

### SEEDS AND SEED POTATOES

Car Red River Early Ohio \$2.25 bu. Yellow or White scarified Sweet Clover Choice \$4. to \$4.50. Extra Fancy 100% pure \$5. to \$5.25. Althouse \$13.50. Timothy \$3.50. Northern Alfalfa \$13.50 to \$16.50. Dakota 12 and Grimm, Sudan 7c, Rape 12c. Samples mailed.—Johnson Bros., Nebraska City.

### HATCHING EGGS

Hatching eggs from S. C. R. I Reds, dark, heavy laying strain, range flock, \$3 per 100.—Mrs. Chas. Mead, Murray phone 3113.

### NOTICE

Strayed from our home Monday night a short horn black cow. Anyone seeing her call phone 2182, Plattsmouth. m19-3td-3tw.

### Democrats Hope to Gain Control of Lower House

Predictions of a Political Turnover: at the November Election—Begin 30 or 40 Seats

Washington—The flat prediction that President Hoover will face the problem of dealing with a democratic-controlled house during the last two years of the present administration was made Sunday by Representative Byrns of Tennessee, chairman of the democratic congressional committee.

The assertion was based upon a political survey conducted by Byrns. He predicted the democrats could increase their number in the house in the fall elections by seventy members. With the 165 members now they need but fifty-three additional votes to give them a total of 218 seats in the house of 435 members. The republicans now have a majority of 102, with one farmer laborite and several vacancies.

"Not only will the democrats regain thirty lost seats during the 1928 elections," the Tennessee said, "but from the survey made we conservatively estimate that we will gain seventy seats, and there is an excellent possibility of our taking twenty more."

**Basis of Democratic Hope.**  
Byrns declared that the "failure of the administration's efforts to successfully carry out one major project within an entire year, the economic depression, the obvious failure of the London arms conference, and nationwide unemployment conditions, have created dissatisfaction throughout the country, and the voters will register their protest this fall."

Noting that it was customary for the democrats to "stage a comeback in off-year elections," Chairman Snell, of the house rules committee, said the democrats would regain between thirty and forty seats. Snell said the republicans now held approximately that number which normally were in the democratic column. However, the New Yorker added, the democrats were due to lose some seats now held, and forecast that republican control of the house would continue during the last two years of the Hoover administration.

The democrats, Byrns said, would gain seats largely in the northern, midwestern and western states, in addition to those expected to be regained in the southern and political border states.

"New England states, particularly Massachusetts and Connecticut, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, several western states and California and Washington," Byrns said, "undoubtedly will send democratic representatives to congress instead of republicans. We will regain the seats lost in North Carolina, Virginia, Kentucky, and Oklahoma, and will pick up a few votes in Missouri, Michigan, one in Utah, and several scattered seats."

Byrns added that reports being received from practically every congressional district indicate more strongly disappointment "in the failure of the administration to achieve its aims." He added that "farmers have not received the relief they expected, industrialists have become impatient over the tariff, and many of the people are out of work and the economic depression discourages them."

"As a result," he added, "they will demand a change, and will register their demands at the polls in the fall by voting for democratic candidates for the house."—State Journal.

**CAPONE CAN ENTER FLORIDA**  
Miami—Alphonse Capone, Chicago racketeer, was free Sunday to enter Florida and proceed to his Palm Island home here without fear of arrest or molestation from sheriffs along the probable route of his trip to Miami. Federal Judge Ritter Saturday night signed a temporary restraining order prohibiting North Florida and East Coast sheriffs from molesting Capone, who is expected to arrive here Monday or Tuesday. The injunction was sought by attorneys for Capone after Governor Carlton had issued instructions to each of the sheriffs of the state to arrest Capone and escort him to the state border should he attempt to enter.

Governor Carlton at Tallahassee declined to comment on the granting of the injunction. The restraining order stated that it becomes effective upon the service of a certified copy upon the defendants named.  
J. F. Gordon and Vincent Giblin, Capone's attorneys here, in applying for the order said the plaintiff's son, Albert Francis Capone, and his brothers, John Capone and Albert Capone, now are guests of the plaintiff and occupying his home on Palm Island.

Just a few of the Cass county maps left. While they last, 50c each. Phone your news to the Journal.

### KILLED IN AUTO COLLISION

Sidney, Iowa, Mar. 23.—One Omaha man was killed and five others were injured in an automobile collision on Sunday afternoon.

John Erickson, the victim, was killed almost instantly in the crash which occurred when the Erickson car collided with one driven by two Avoca, Ia., men who are reported to have run from the scene without giving their names.

Members of Erickson's party said that the other machine had swung out to pass another car and ran head-on into theirs. The impact hurled the Omaha machine into a ditch and there it lay for the rest of the road.

Sheriff Redenbaugh of Fremont county indicated arrests are probable in connection with the fatal crash.

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### CAMP FIRE NOTES

The Okawika Campfire had the pleasure of attending the Grand Ceremonial which was held in Omaha March 16, 1930. Eight girls accompanied by their guardian and assistant guardian were there.

The regular meeting of the Campfire was held March 25, 1930. The meeting was called to order by the president, Alva Barbra Wiles. The roll was called and the minutes of previous meetings were read and approved. There were several matters of new business brought up. After this was tended to, a motion was made we adjourn.

Our next meeting will be April 1st. —Reporter.

### ALFALFA FOR SALE

Alfalfa for sale in barn, second and third cuttings. S. T. GILMOUR, m20-4tw-2td. Plattsmouth, Neb.

### BERRY PLANTS FOR SALE

Cumberland Raspberry. Two year plants \$5.00 per hundred; one year plants \$3.00 per hundred.—C. R. Todd, Plattsmouth. m20-2tw-8td.

### Argument Rages

The committee will meet Monday to further discuss the Norris-Wheeler resolutions for a sweeping investigation of prohibition.

The controversy over prohibition will continue to rage before the house

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