

Weeping Water

Miss Donna Lee Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Baker who has been visiting here during the holidays, returned last Monday to Hesper, Kansas, where she is teaching school.

C. E. Sharpe of Big Springs, in the western portion of the state, has been visiting in Weeping Water with his friend, E. F. Parish and family. He departed for his home Friday of this week.

The Cole Motor company sold during the present week a dump truck to Orville Hennings and a two-door sedan to Alvin Groesser, both gentlemen being very well pleased with the new purchases.

Homer Abrahams who is located at Central City where he is a salesman for the General Motors, was a visitor in Weeping Water for the Christmas season and returned to his work early this week.

During the present week C. J. Schweser has sold three tractors, they going to Freddie Stohman of Manley, Lorenz Alburns of near Elmwood and Herman Hauschild and Fred Haberman of near Avoca.

H. C. Humans, superintendent of the Barneston public schools who with the wife have been visiting here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schweser for the Christmas season, returned to their home last Monday. The ladies are sisters and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Young east of Weeping Water.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olsen of Oshkosh where they are engaged in farming have been visiting in Weeping Water at the home of the parents of Mrs. Olsen, Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Olsen and other relatives and friends who are remaining for another week.

As they are here the stock of Mr. Olsen is being looked after by Mrs. Olsen and wife, the former of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olsen.

Visited in Missouri.

Mrs. E. E. Moore was entertained at Marysville where she spent a pleasant time with a group of friends and returned to Weeping Water on Monday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Young, who is visiting here.

Received Severe Injury.

Melvin Johnson, the electric appliance salesman who was in the wreck west of Murray on Monday morning while he did all possible to avoid the wreck, even driving into the ditch on his side of the road, suffered the wrecking of his car, two broken ribs and a fractured nose.

Suffers Much Damage.

While Walter O'Brien was return-

ing from a trip to Nebraska City he was just approaching Weeping Water from the south and was met by an oncoming car which sideswiped his car, causing him to deflect to a ridge of sand at the side of the road which caused his car to skid and roll over, wrecking the car and it seems almost miraculously allowing Walter to escape death, as the car rolled over three times. However he escaped with a few bruises.

Planning Second County Meeting.

J. J. Meier, the president of the county association of the Men's Brotherhood of the churches who was so efficient in the organization of the county brotherhood, the first meeting at which there were some three hundred and fifty present, says there is to be a second county meeting soon and that he expects there will be a great many more present. The principal speaker for the coming meeting is to be R. Foster Patterson, teacher of history in Tarkio College, Tarkio, Mo., and for a number of years principal of the Plattsmouth high school.

CCC Boys to Go West.

It is authoritatively reported that between the 6th and 15th of January the CCC boys camp at Weeping Water which is known as Division 4796, will be sent to California and later the barracks here filled with another detachment which will be connected later. There is a large number of boys here that have made the business houses of Weeping Water a better business than otherwise and they will be missed until such a time as the camp is filled again.

Leonard Little Dies in Omaha.

Leonard Little, 48, who has made his home in Weeping Water and near here for a number of years and who was highly respected and had many friends in this vicinity, died in an Omaha hospital last Saturday after a short illness. Mr. Little had been engaged in farming for a good many years, and of late had been doing a considerable amount of trucking. On Thursday he took a load of stock to Omaha, and while there was suddenly stricken and taken to a hospital, where he underwent an operation which died a short time later.

The remains were brought to Weeping Water and the funeral held Sunday.

Mr. Little was a member of the Methodist church and leaves a wife and a number of children to mourn his departure.

KIPLING IS 70

Burwash, Sussex, England.—A fiery little figure, jut jawed and beetle browsed, Rudyard Kipling celebrated his seventieth birthday Monday in this age old village on the Downs. The greying "Sage of Burwash" passed the day quietly with his second, American born wife and daughter and a few old friends.

AVOCA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Stoval, who were recently married, moved last week to a farm near Talmage, where Mr. Stoval has been offered a good position.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marquardt were at Nehawka last Sunday, where they attended a family reunion and Christmas party, which is held annually by the Anderson family. The host and hostess at this year's meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson. There were more than a score of the members of this family present at the gathering.

H. M. Lum, the lumber man, was called to Weeping Water last Monday, where he was looking after some business matters for a short time.

William Maseman and wife were in Lincoln last Sunday, where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maseman, enjoying a fine dinner and a splendid visit together.

Mrs. Henry Maseman, while visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kokjer, a short time since, was taken suddenly ill and had to remain there. During her recuperation, Henry and the children are keeping house at home. The many friends of Mrs. Maseman are hoping she may soon be restored to her customary good health.

John Ruge and wife entertained at their home last Sunday, having as guests their son and his lady friend, Sophia Sumbendick, and Albert Base and his lady friend, Edna Mohr. All enjoyed a most pleasant get-together and the excellent dinner.

John Ehlers and wife, of Bertrand, who have been here for a visit with relatives during the past week, on last Friday, with Henry Maseman and wife, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kokjer.

Misses Hazel Butler and Mary Wilson, both of whom are teaching in the western part of the state, are spending their mid-winter vacation at their home in Avoca, enjoying a visit with their respective families and their many friends.

Gerald Stoval was seriously ill the fore part of this week with an acute attack of appendicitis. The inflamed appendix was reduced by treatment, and he is now feeling much better, but will probably have to undergo an operation before the trouble is entirely cleared up.

Mrs. A. Z. Thomas, of Shenandoah, daughter of W. H. Bogard, and her two daughters, Eileen and Nadine, were spending several days here with Mr. Bogard and Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCann entertained at their home in Avoca on New Year's day, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Harry Akbur, of Dunbar, and Charles Bassett and wife, of Nebraska City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Seybolt, of Murray, were guests for dinner last Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs.

New Pool King



Jimmy Caras

One of the youngest ever to hold the world championship pool title, Jimmy Caras of Wilmington, Del., annexed the crown when he defeated veteran Erwin Rudolph of Cleveland in a 16-inning playoff, 125 to 53.

J. W. Brendel, Mrs. Seybolt is a sister of Dr. Brendel.

Leo McCann has purchased a new de luxe model banjo, trading in his old one on the deal.

The Four Aces orchestra played for a New Year's eve dance at Oro.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stoval, recent newly-weds, entertained at a social dance for their friends as part of the wedding festivities, having a large number present to enjoy the occasion.

George Stoval received the sad news last week of the death of his mother, who has been making her home at Kearney. The funeral occurred on Monday of this week and was attended by Mr. Stoval. Grandmother Stoval was well advanced in years and had been in poor health for some time.

To Hold Annual Meeting Sunday

The coming Sunday the members of the Congregational church of Avoca will hold their annual meeting, at which they will hear reports of the progress made during the past year, elect officers for the coming year and transact other business, including consideration of a proposal to either purchase the Christian church building or construct a new church building.

Evening with College Friends

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kokjer last Tuesday evening, there were gathered some sixteen couples of young people, friends of Jordan Kokjer, who is a student at Doane college at Crete and is at present spending the mid-winter vacation in Avoca. In the group were many former students of Doane college who now reside in this vicinity and a few who are students there now.

The evening was spent in playing bridge, followed by the serving of a delicious luncheon at a late hour.

Former Citizen Dies in West

Mrs. Oril E. Berks, formerly Miss Laura Wiltzie, who with her family have been residing near Hamlet, in the western part of the state, was injured when she slipped and fell, and as a result there occurred a rupture of the blood vessels, causing her death last Friday. The funeral was held Monday, being attended by Mr. and Mrs. Marion Pittman and Mrs. William Gollner, the ladies being sisters of the deceased. Mrs. John Nutzman, another sister, was not able to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Berks was a member of the Lutheran church and was the mother of two sons and one daughter.

CONSIDERS EASTERN BID

Topeka.—Governor Landon took under consideration an invitation of the New York State Association of Young Republicans to address a party rally in New York City before the national convention in June. The invitation was presented by a delegation headed by George H. Sibley, representing Walter J. Mahoney of Buffalo, association president.

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.

Census of Business to Start in Next Few Days

Director Herman G. Meyer of Lincoln Prepares to Start Fifty-eight Enumerators Out.

Herman G. Meyer, who has been named local Supervisor of the Census of Business, today announced that enumeration work will start in Congressional District No. 1 on January 2nd. He said (58) enumerators will be named within the next few days to make the canvass of this district, which includes eleven counties.

Offices of the Census has been established in the Federal building and a staff of (5) persons will be employed to handle the work. All census employees are bound by a strict census oath not to reveal any information contained on business reports and the law makes any violation a criminal offense.

Mr. Meyer stated that every retail and wholesale business, all hotels, places of amusement, business service companies, insurance agencies, real state offices, and trucking and bus companies; all banks, office building managers and contractors will be canvassed for reports on their operations during the calendar year 1935. The results are to be tabulated in Philadelphia, headquarters of the Business Census, and become the basic statistics which businesses use in planning their operating policies.

All enumerators will be instructed thoroughly on all phases of the census, Mr. Meyer said, prior to the beginning of the canvass. Mr. Dan Campbell who has been selected as assistant supervisor, will conduct the training courses.

Supervisor Meyer explained this census has been extended considerably beyond the limitations of the Census of Distribution for 1929, and the Census of American Business of 1933, as a result of business request that all fields of business be included.

"It is designed," he said, "to supply a definite answer to the question of how many concerns there are in business, the total volume of annual business, and the total payroll and employment. More than (100) representatives, delegated by various business associations in each field to be covered, met with census officials and formulated the questions to be asked."

Retail trade will be divided into two size classifications: Stores with total sales of \$50,000 and over, and those with sales of less than \$50,000. Commodity data will be sought from the larger group and from all wholesale establishments including exporters, importers and limited function wholesalers.

For the first time, Mr. Meyer announced, the census includes banking and finance for the entire range of commercial, agricultural and mortgage and personal credit finance as well as security, brokers and dealers.

Construction, including building, highway and heavy construction by contractors is included again, as in 1929. General contractors, operative builders and sub-contractors are to be covered.

Highway and street transportation, including trucking for hire and bus operations are included in the census for the first time. Commercial warehousing is included in the comprehensive plans announced today.

A census of the business of operating office, commercial and other non-residential buildings will be made in cities of more than 10,000. For the first time the operations of insurance companies, agents and brokers, real estate brokers and dealers, management and rental agents as well as the business aspects of non-profit associations and organizations of every type, (exclusive of religious bodies) are included in the census.

The census of service establishments, which in 1933 included only personal, business and mechanical repair services, is extended in the plans to include certain classes of professionally trained persons. Mr. Meyer explained these include advertising counsellors, architects, auditors, certified public accountants, engineering services, private detective agencies, market research services, map drawing and cartography services, and sales consultants. Theatres and hotels are to be covered as in 1929 and 1933, he said.

Mr. Meyer declared the present Census is in answer to the request of business for dependable 1935 information for sounder planning of expansion programs, and is a continuation of the similar business censuses of 1929 and 1933.

OLD TIME DANCE

Legion Building, Plattsmouth
Saturday, January 4
 AND SUCCEEDING SATURDAY NIGHTS
Herold & Lancaster's
Old Time Orchestra

Pat Campbell and Ed Kohrell, Callers

Sack of Flour Free! Cents, 35¢; Ladies, 15¢

Elmwood News

Mrs. L. E. Fitch, who has been visiting in Omaha during Christmas week, arrived home Monday evening.

Henry Melons was a business visitor in Omaha last Tuesday, his shoe shop being closed the last day of the year.

John Bauckhart, of Lincoln, has been visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rose-nov of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shreve were in Lincoln last Wednesday, where they were enjoying the day and a very fine dinner with their friend, Mrs. Lela Wilson.

Mary Talhurst, of Raymond, was a visitor in Elmwood for a number of days during the yuletide and enjoyed meeting her many friends while in this vicinity.

Miss Dulcie Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Greene, departed for Chicago Friday morning. She is entering the Chicago Institute of Art as a student.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Stark entertained at their home in Elmwood, having as their guests many of their friends, among them Mrs. Lucy Lile and Charles Buell and family.

Norville D. Bothwell was in Lincoln last Tuesday, where he was called to look after some business matters in connection with the Clover Farm store which he conducts in Elmwood.

Donald Gonzales, who is a student at the University of Nebraska, arrived home last week and is spending the mid-winter vacation with his mother, Mrs. Emily Gonzales, and other friends and relatives.

County Treasurer John E. Turner and family were visitors in Elmwood last Sunday, being guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Bothwell, parents of Mrs. Turner, and also of Mr. Oscar Turner, father of the genial county treasurer.

At the home of Art Lorenz on New Year's day, a very fine dinner was served, being enjoyed by Mr. Lorenz and family, Louis Bornemeier and family, also John Creamer and wife who are visiting here from the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Greene were in Lincoln last Tuesday afternoon, where they were looking after some business matters and were also visiting with friends. During the time they were away, the store was looked after by Harry Greene and wife.

Miss Jean Maloney, who was the music instructor in the Elmwood schools two years ago, and now has a similar position in the schools at Rock Springs, Wyoming, arrived in Elmwood last week and is spending the holiday season here, being a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles West.

Miss Emma Kuntz, who has been in poor health for some time, was taken to the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln, where she underwent an operation last week for relief from an acute attack of appendicitis. She is now getting along nicely and should be able to return home the fore part of next week.

Installed Tank Heater

Loren Parish and Guy McGill installed a tank heater at the home of Mr. McGill, it being the last article that was sold by the late E. T. Comer. With it, they expect to be able to keep the tank filled with warm water and Mr. Parish can get as much water as he may need, that is heated to the proper temperature.

Farmers Union Hold Meeting

The Farmers Union of the west side, to the number of about ninety, were gathered at the Woodmen hall on Main street last Monday, where they enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon and evening session, looking after routine matters of business and holding the annual election of officers.

At the conclusion of the regular order of business, they enjoyed a fine oyster supper which was served by Herman Penterman, who has a repu-

tation of being one of the best in the country to prepare and serve an oyster supper. Judging from the way the members praised the feed, Herman has lived up to his reputation.

At the election of officers, Henry Vogt was named as president; August Bornemeier, vice president, and Elton Kunz, secretary.

Visited Here During Holidays

Mrs. Mabel Houtson and daughter, Mary, and Miss Lottie Lane, all of Chadron, arrived in Elmwood early last week and have been visiting here since then. Mrs. Houtson and daughter have been calling on numerous old friends in the community, while Miss Lane has been a guest at the home of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rosenow.

Another Interpretation

On last Tuesday, December 31, as the bank was closing for over the New Year holiday, J. P. Cobb repeated the remark of a traveling man, who last week said that A. D. stands for "All Done." However, in our opinion, things are still a long ways from being "all done" and the coming year will present the same problems and opportunities that its many predecessors have. Doubtless there will be crowded into 1936 more than we have ever dreamed would happen, in the way of action and new methods of doing things. The Italian-Ethiopian war is not "all done," the fate of Bruno Richard Hauptmann has not been definitely decided, congress is about to reconvene and begin anew wrestling with the various and perplexing problems of state, a president is to be elected this year and a lot of things are yet to be done.

Enjoyed the New Year

The members of the Elmwood Library board, who had made arrangements for the proper observance of the New Year at the Elmwood community hall as an appreciation of the loyal manner in which the people of Elmwood and community have worked to secure funds to pay for the installation of the heating plant in the community building, and whose work made the carnival the success it proved to be. The community hall was kept open all day New Year's day and an excellent time was had by all, with various games and array of eats, as well as a warm welcome to all the callers.

Elmwood Wall Paper Headquarters

Recently considerable publicity was given to the arrival of a carload of wall paper in Elmwood direct from the mills in Illinois. This was assigned to the Rase Transfer company for distribution to dealers in this territory, a goodly portion of it going to Green's drug store here.

Now, we are informed a second car has arrived for distribution in the same manner. To the average person, a car load of wall paper is almost unconceivable, for it contains enough to cover hundreds and hundreds of rooms, and now the fact that a second car has been received for distribution from this point, makes Elmwood the wallpaper headquarters of this part of the country.

TO RETURN TRUCKER

Grand Island.—Deputy Sheriff Fred Griffin will return Alec Baker, 23, Giltner, from Pueblo, Colo., to face charges of robbery in connection with the holdup of the Skaggs Safeway store here Jan. 6, 1934. Baker, who has been trucking in Colorado, was implicated in the holdup by Oliver Anderson, 19, Aurora, who confessed to the holdup, according to police.

MISSIONARIES IN DANGER

Peiping, China.—The United States embassy requested the Chinese foreign office to provide full protection for nine American missionaries, reported menaced by a sudden incursion of a communist army into western Homan province. The situation was described as tense, with a bandit advance forcing some missionaries to flee to the mountains.

Wise Woman Knows Her Own Style Limitations



The principle factor to be considered by one in selecting a wardrobe is the important consideration of whether the style is suitable to one's personality and character. The smartly dressed woman is not necessarily one who follows the style parade. She is the one who realizes what she can wear best and stays within those limitations. Wini Shaw, sleek siren of Hollywood, is the type who can affect such extreme styles as the clinging satin creation she

wears, above. Jane Froman, who is another type, appears to advantage in her metallic gown which has a court train and shoulder decoration to balance the simplicity of line. Jean Muir's striking blonde beauty is admirably set off by the Capri blue velvet creation she prefers for afternoon. On the other hand, few but Dolores del Rio could get away with a creation of such simplicity of line and daring décolletage as she wears.