

Weeping Water

Miss Marjorie Lueck of Falls City was visiting in Weeping Water, guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Knox.

Mrs. H. H. Smith of Nehawka spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Homan. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Homan are sisters.

Junior Haith was a visitor for the past week at the home of his brother, Kenneth Haith and family of Elmwood, returning home Sunday evening.

Will Marshall and wife of Douglas were guests of their son, Spencer Marshall for a number of days this week. The Marshalls formerly resided in Weeping Water.

Virgil Sudduth and family living the other side of Murray were in Weeping Water last Sunday, guests for the day and dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aakew.

Messrs. Albert Afford and Leonard Parish of Elmwood was looking after some business matters in Weeping Water on Tuesday of this week and were meeting their many friends as well.

Postmaster Sterling Amick with Rural Carrier Ben Olive and Harold Myers were in Nebraska City to the district convention of the American Legion last week. They report having a wonderful time.

W. L. Hobson of the funeral home was over to Omaha last Sunday to receive the remains of Mrs. Klepser and bring same to Weeping Water where it lay in state until Wednesday when the funeral was held. See another account elsewhere.

A. E. Jamison, who has been ill for so many weeks, is slowly gaining, but the improvement has been slow as one day he is better and following this is not so well, but hopes are entertained that he is steadily gaining and will ultimately gain his strength and which is the wish of his many friends as well.

Celebrated Passing Birthdays.

W. L. Hobson and his friend, Ross Shields birthdays came very near last Sunday and in the matter of properly celebrating the natal days of these two excellent men. They with their wives went to Omaha last Sunday where they enjoyed a very fine turkey dinner, at one of the very prominent Omaha hostilities. Following this excellent banquet, they enjoyed a very fine movie. The party returned home in the evening after having spent a very enjoyable day.

Visited Dad Last Sunday.

James Miller and family of near Murray were guests for the day and a very fine dinner last Sunday at the home of P. H. Miller.

Mrs. Smith Entertained.

Mrs. S. Ray Smith was hostess at her home last Wednesday afternoon and evening to the ladies of her former. They sure enjoyed the afternoon and were greatly pleased with the bridge which featured and the delightful luncheon.

The Knickerbockers.

Mrs. Howard E. Brookings was entertaining the Knickerbocker club at

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her home this Thursday afternoon, where the ladies, as is their practice, were enjoying a very pleasant afternoon at contract bridge, and enjoying the very fine luncheon which was served by the genial hostess.

Elmwood People in Car Crash.

While Mrs. Bert Reber of Elmwood was going to visit at the home of Charles Fleischman and was driving into the graded road running from Elmwood to the Cascade school, at the crossroad seven miles east of Elmwood, and John A. Box and wife were going east, they arrived at the same place at the same time with the result the two cars collided, resulting in more or less damage, and the occupants seriously injured. Mrs. Reber was thrown from her car to the ditch, receiving a number of broken ribs and rendered unconscious while the occupants of the Box car were all more or less injured. Mr. Box receiving a severe cut on his chin and neck, Mrs. Box a deep cut on her knee and the daughter also bruised. Dr. Kunkel was called and rendered first aid to Mrs. Reber, taking her to her home in Elmwood.

Celebrated Her Birthday.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, who has made Weeping Water her home for many years and has arrived at the very ripe age of 88 years, was passing her birthday one day last week, and with a number of her friends from Union, Mrs. Martha Lynn, a sister-in-law, and her daughter, Mrs. John Lidgett, with Mrs. Henry H. Becker as driver were in Weeping Water, taking Mrs. Johnson to Lincoln where they were guests of friends and relatives where they celebrated the passing of the natal day of Mrs. Johnson.

Falls on the Street.

While W. H. Frizell, the only remaining veteran of the Civil war was walking along the street he became the victim of vertigo and fell to the pavement. He was assisted to arise and taken in a car to the home of his son where he was shortly recovered. He is over 94 years of age.

Mrs. Jennie (Dunn) Klepser.

Miss Jennie Dunn was born in Illinois some 76 or 77 years ago, and came to Weeping Water when she was about eight years of age. Here she gained her education and grew to womanhood, and united in marriage with Campbell Klepser, some forty-five years ago. To this union two sons were born, they being Fred and Elmer of Weeping Water. She was a long time member of the Congregational church.

She with the husband have lived happily on the farm a short distance from Weeping Water and ever ready to do a kind turn to any one needing a friend. Mrs. Klepser has not been in the best of health for some time and had been in an Omaha hospital for a number of weeks and there passed away last Sunday evening, the remains being brought to Weeping Water. The funeral services were held at the Congregational church here Wednesday afternoon, with interment at Oakwood cemetery.

Will They Build New Road?

There has been a good deal of agitation regarding changing the road which runs west from Weeping Water which has been over a hill and a considerable detour, but which is desired to have road run straight west of town, and some have offered to donate neat sums for the changing of the road. The road is to be macadamized for four miles west and it is desired by some to have the road straightened at the same time. While there are a number of people willing to contribute to the expense, it is a guess whether they will be able to get together enough money to accomplish the desired change.

Underwent Operation in Omaha.

Kenneth Wallace who has been troubled with repeated attacks of appendicitis was advised to go to the hospital for an operation, which he did, going to the St. Catherine's hos-

pital at Omaha, where after the operation he has been getting better and is able to leave the institution and is expecting soon to be well again.

American Legion Active.

The American Legion of Weeping Water has been very industrious in the securing of new members and have exceeded their quota with some to spare and were the first in the state to exceed the quota allotted them. For this the state department has presented the post here with a golden mallet or gavel and a block on which to pound. This is the quota allotted for the year 1938.

Enjoyed Long Visit.

Mrs. Nettie Amick, mother of our postmaster, who departed last summer for the west coast where she visited with relatives and friends for a number of months, is now on her way home. She is stopping on the way at Pocatello, Idaho to visit with friends and also visiting with relatives at Gandy, Nebr., before returning to Weeping Water.

Better Best Club.

The Better Best extension club met November 5 with Mrs. Robert Cole for the Christmas lesson. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Henry Smith. The lesson was given by the leaders, Mrs. E. E. Moore and Mrs. Walter Bickford.

Two new members were taken in at this meeting, Mrs. Fred Wildrick and Mrs. Perry Rector. The ladies cut patterns for aprons, rabbits and bags. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Bickford, November 19. A social meeting is also to be held at that time. Mrs. E. E. Moore, Mrs. Homer Dibel and Mrs. Walter Bickford with Mrs. Robert Cole as chairman on the refreshment and entertainment committee.

Mrs. Henrietta Lawton.

Mrs. Henrietta Lawton was born May 22, 1854 at Jackson, Va., and died November 11, 1937 at her home in Wabash. She was united in marriage to Robert Andrew Howard Lawton July 14, 1878.

To this union was born nine children: Mrs. Harry Hammond, Davenport, Iowa; H. A. Lawton, East Radford, Va.; H. H. Lawton, Murdock; Mrs. Frank Green, Aurora, Neb.; Mrs. H. A. Sweney, Portland, Ore.; F. E. Lawton, Ventura, Calif.; F. L. Lawton, Sheffield, Alabama; Mrs. Grace Watson, Lincoln, Neb.; Adelaide Lawton died in infancy.

Mrs. Lawton united with the Christian church in Virginia, but when coming to the town of Wabash, she united with the Baptist church and was ever faithful and helpful in the cause. Her husband preceded her in death 22 years ago.

Funeral services were held at the Elmwood Christian church, Saturday, November 13th, at 2 p. m., conducted by Rev. W. A. Taylor of Union. Interment was in Wabash cemetery. Hobson & Son of Weeping Water, were in charge.

RIVERVIEW STUDY CLUB

The Riverview Study club met at the home of Mrs. Winifred Slagle on Tuesday, November 9th, with her daughter, Mrs. Velma Kuhns assisting.

The roll call was very interesting as each member was requested to respond with their experiences of the first day at school.

After the business session of the club the leaders, Mrs. Slagle and Mrs. Frank Hull, took charge of the program and gave many interesting suggestions as to the Christmas season. There were many suggestions as to aprons, cards, gifts and also recipes for the Christmas menu.

Refreshments followed the program of the day. The next meeting will be on November 30th at the home of Mrs. Greeley Bell.

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LINCOLN—If the great P. T. Barnum were alive today, he would be more than mildly interested in the fossil fields of Nebraska. First the University of Nebraska museum made history for the state when it uncovered and later mounted the giant form of "Archidiskodon," the world's largest elephant. And now Nebraskans have another fossil gem to talk about—Titanotylpus, probably the world's largest camel.

Just how large the creature was, officials are not sure, but they do know that one of its vertebrae measures all of 11 inches in length. Compare this with a human vertebra measuring not more than an inch.

The story of how this giant "pad foot" was discovered (for that is what Titanotylpus means) is interesting. While investigating the terraces of the Republican river valley near Red Cloud one day, C. Bertrand Schultz, senior field man for the museum and several student paleontologists found the lower jaw of this same kind of camel. Since finders are privileged to name their new specimens, Dr. E. H. Barbour, director of the museum and Schultz named the new monster Titanotylpus Nebrascensis, thus becoming another scientific achievement for the state and the institution. Since the lower jaw had not been found, the problem was to locate the other skeletal remains.

This was not accomplished, however, until the very close of this summer's field work in western Nebraska. Digging along eroded canyon walls in the sand hill region of the state this fall, Schultz and his staff "bumped" into several bones of the big camel. But the surprise of it all came after several hours of work when it was found that this deposit contained not just one or two specimens of this new form, but a whole herd of them.

The necessity of returning to the university at once made it possible for the group to ship back to Lincoln only a few fossil bones. Friends of the museum remained on the job for several days working the site and shipping back what bones they could unearth to the museum laboratories. The reason for field work being practically at an end, Dr. Barbour does not anticipate that many more camel bones will be uncovered this year.

Early next summer, however Schultz and the museum staff will head directly for the camel site and will finish the task of bringing to light the massive bones of Titanotylpus. The next step is the mounting which will be done by experts in the preparatory laboratories, and finally its formal presentation to the public—thus to become another prehistoric creature whose towering frame will thrill the hearts of countless numbers of museum visitors.

A last minute check revealed that the university has now received a metapodial bone, various vertebrae, both neck and back digits, a skull, which measures approximately three feet, a part of a lower jaw, various heel bones, a tibia, and several of the ankle bones.

LONGER SCHOOL HOURS, LESS HOME WORK VOTED

CLEVELAND (UP)—The average high school student prefers longer school hours and shorter home work assignments, according to a "survey-at-random" made at East Technical, East and Lincoln high schools here.

Although home work is decreasing in grade schools, it still is the nightmare haunting the upper graders. A majority of students at the three schools surveyed, said they would be willing to stay longer at school and there complete their home work if long week-end assignments and nightly work were eliminated.

A national youth administration survey of 800 parents showed that the average student studies 1.39 hours at home. Parents requested home work assignments to be made 1.71 hours long, the survey disclosed.

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EAGLE NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Ewereth was the guest of Mrs. R. C. Wenzel on Wednesday of last week.

Guy Wall came out from Lincoln last Sunday and spent the day with home folks.

Mrs. E. H. May visited her cousin, Mrs. Harry Wilson of Elmwood last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peeks of Lincoln called on friends in Eagle last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. O. S. Anderson of Lincoln visited her mother, Mrs. Emma Judkins last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen and R. B. Morgan of Lincoln spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. S. E. Allen.

Mrs. W. E. Muenchau and Mrs. E. H. May called on Mrs. Howard Stege near Elmwood last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Piersol visited in Lincoln with relatives from Wednesday until Saturday of last week.

The Emmanuel Lutheran Aid met at the home of Mrs. George Rockenbach on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooper at the Bryan Memorial hospital on Friday, November 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lytle and children of Elmwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lytle and daughters last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vinson and daughter and Mrs. Cora Vinson of Lincoln visited at the R. A. Oberle home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Root drove to Nebraska City on Tuesday of last week to see Mrs. Emma Root, who was critically ill.

Mrs. F. A. Paine has been seriously ill for several days, but is reported to be slightly improved Tuesday evening of this week.

Mrs. Margaret Brown has rented rooms at the Bert Lytle residence. Mrs. Brown and children moved there on Monday of this week.

Mrs. Sarah Keil and Dorothea motored to Farragut, Iowa, last Sunday and attended the funeral services for Mrs. Keil's brother, N. E. VanSickle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boyd of Beatrice called last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. Boyd's sister, Mrs. G. H. Palmer and Mr. Palmer and Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Piersol and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scattergood and children were the dinner guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Piersol and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Paine of Wausa were called here the first of this week on account of the illness of Mrs. P. A. Paine. Mr. Paine returned to Wausa Monday evening, while Mrs. Paine remained until Mrs. F. A. Paine is better.

The Eagle high school football team defeated the Weeping Water team at Weeping Water last Thursday afternoon. The score was 6-0. A number of people from here accompanied the team and greatly enjoyed the game.

School Program.

A large crowd gathered at the school auditorium last Friday evening and enjoyed the three one-act plays presented by the members of the dramatic class under the direction of Miss Thomas.

Special musical numbers included selections by the girls glee club, the trumpet trio and accordion music by Alvin Weyers.

Obituary.

Emma R. Root, eldest daughter of William and Frances Gandy, was born September 4, 1860, at Decatur, Ia., and passed away November 12, 1937, at Nebraska City, at the age of 77 years, 2 months and 8 days.

She was united in marriage to Frank E. Champlin at Riverton, Ia., February 18, 1883. To this union six children were born. Three sons and one daughter preceded her in death. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs.

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Bible School Lesson Study!

Sunday, November 21st

By L. Neitzel, Murdock, Neb.

"Christian Workers"

I Cor. 3:10-15; Gal. 6:6-10.

In last Sunday's lesson we gave especial attention to the "Christian Minister" and today to the "Christian Worker," but both are laborers together with God. The church is designated as a building (See Eph. 2:20-22) where many kinds of workers are used, but above all the workers must be a specialist, skilled in doing his work well, for they build for eternity. Here is the weakness most apparent, the church very sadly lacks skilled workers; therefore the superficial work, hence the great loss from our Sunday schools—the church does not hold her scholars. We are laying here special emphasis on the teaching of God's word, Jesus was a "worker." He says, "We must 'work' the works of him that sent me, while it is day." (John 9:4). It is also called "labor" (Matt. 9:37); by the Apostles called "service." (Rom. 1:9; Col. 3:24).

This work, labor or service consists of moulding character, making known to the world the love of God as manifest in Christ Jesus, who is the foundation of our salvation, that in Him alone man can be saved, and through Him can become a living stone in the building (the church).

To impart this knowledge to men requires the highest kind of skill. No one who has not experienced the regeneration, justification and sanctification through the mercy of God and the washing of the Holy Spirit in the blood of the Lamb of God from all sin, should undertake to lead souls to Christ, if they have not gone the way themselves.

Of all labor, this is the most important—no unskilled "workmen" can be used. How often do substitute teachers do more harm than good. (This applies equally to the pupil).

In the erection of an edifice system order must be observed; how much more then is this true in building the Kingdom of God, for, as stated above, we are building for eternity and we must use good material—back sliders can wreck the building—often have done great harm to the church. See to it that men are really converted before they are taken into the church. The over-ambitious minister who wants to make a good showing at conference, of having increased the membership of his charge, has been gathering "cheap" material—wood, hay, stubble—that will not stand the test in "that day." How much "inflammable" material some churches contain!

But what shall be said of the great mass of members who have talent and refuse to use it; those who will not accept any responsibility; who sit idly on the sidelines, criticize and find fault with the work and workers, but do nothing to help or better conditions. The thought is overwhelming that they will some time wake up when too late and cry out in despair:

"Must I go there empty-handed
Thus my dear redeemer meet?
Not one day of service give Him,
Lay no trophy at His feet?
"O ye saints, arouse, be earnest,
Up and work while yet 'tis day;
Ere the night of death o'ertake thee—
Strive for souls while still you may."

It is better to work gathering poor material than not work at all. A man may thus save his soul even though his work goes up in smoke. The fire to which Paul here refers is simply a symbol of judgment, like fire which tests true value of gold or silver.

Another way of Christian work is considered as sowing. Preaching and teaching is sowing. The seeds planted in the minds of pupils are bound to grow, be it good or bad seed. How oft does Paul and the apostles warn against false teachers and false doctrines; they are likened to cancer (see II Tim. 2:17). Then again it refers to men's lives; they act and live and seem to think they can sow to the devil and reap not the devil's pay. That is a dangerous thing to do; all nature proves that what we sow we reap—only we invariably reap vastly more than we sow. O the folly for men to make themselves believe that they can deceive God. If not checked, the harvest of corruption begins here and continues in the life to come. The bloated face, the sensual leer, the sullen brow tells of what is going on within. To sow to the spirit is simply to live a spiritual life, in the power of the spirit of God, led by the spirit, energized by His spirit, seeking the will of God himself. The injunction not to be weary in well-doing is much needed, because of man growing tired so easily. Life may seem long and dreary—waiting for the harvest may try our patience—but a harvest will follow sure. May Christian workers take courage, sow good seed, wait patiently for the harvest—it will come in "due season."

"And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament, and they that turn many to righteousness, as the stars for ever and ever." (Dan. 12:3).

Stella Tridle, and one son, Lester Champlin, both of whom live in Nebraska City.

She was reunited in marriage to John W. Root at Nebraska City, February 17, 1908. He preceded her in death November 4, 1928. She has made her home in Eagle since 1908 and has been a member of the Eagle Methodist Episcopal church since 1911.

She leaves to mourn her passing, her daughter and son; one brother, Roy Gandy of Omaha; a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Miscellaneous Shower. A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Joe Rudolph, Thursday evening, November 11th, in courtesy to Miss Pauline Wall, who is soon to wed Paul B. Johnson.

After the guests had written recipes and bits of advice for the bride-to-be, a varied program of entertainment and games was enjoyed. Many gifts were presented Pauline

by the guests, which she will find very useful in her new home. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

VISIT AT SACK HOME

Mrs. Mary Woolman of Waverly, Miss Alice Tennant of Louisville and Clyde and John Jones of Ashland, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sack near this city.

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