

**OVER THE COUNTY**

**ELMWOOD**  
Leader-Echo

Chas. Stone attended the State Bankers' convention at Omaha on Thursday of last week.

Chas. Hart is now the owner of a Buick car, having purchased one of the little fours of Wm. Long last Saturday.

Clyde Hoover, John Stokes and Norville Bothwell left on Thursday morning for Camp Funston to visit Frank Stokes and the other boys stationed there from here.

Charles Sterner, wife and little child, who have been visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sterner, left on Tuesday for Peru for a visit before returning to their home in Holt county.

Last Saturday morning a 9-pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kear. Charley is as proud as can be and says that he will make another Ford man out of him. Of course he had to set up the cigars to the boys in honor of the event.

A fine ten pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey on Wednesday afternoon, October 17th, 1917. Earl is stepping pretty high and has a beam upon his face as big as the sun because of the happy event. Mother and baby are getting along nicely.

Dr. C. R. Trenholm and family and L. F. Langhorst motored to Red Oak, Iowa, last Saturday and visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Moore. They returned Sunday evening and were accompanied by Wm. Langhorst, who had been visiting there.

M. O. Griswold, of Rock Island, Illinois, and Mrs. F. W. Fowler, of Weeping Water visited at the P. J. Marshal home. Mr. Griswold had not visited here for 40 years. He left on Sunday for his home, Mr. Marshall taking him to Murdock to take the train. He is an uncle of Mrs. Marshall.

Another auto accident happened three miles south of town Saturday evening when a Ford car run off of a culvert, upsetting. There were four in the car and they were somewhat bruised up. The parties live near Unadilla and the car was owned by a Mr. Henderson. He was pretty badly skinned up and was brought here for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burke returned from their western trip on Sunday. They had taken in many interesting points, especially in Idaho. Mr. Burke says that he has purchased with his brother some ranch land near Buell, Idaho, and that they will go into the ranch business. Mr. Burke is looking as though his western trip had done him a lot of good after having spent so many years in the store business. The Burke family will be here for several months yet.

**EAGLE**  
Beacon

Myrtle Ball returned Sunday night from a three weeks' visit at Nehawka.

Mrs. Herald Kimblom of Nehawka

is visiting at the home of W. A. Bahr, near Eagle.

Mrs. F. G. Gates and little daughter, Maxine, of Hebron, Nebraska, are visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rivett, Jr., of Lincoln, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rivett took dinner at the A. M. Trumble home Sunday.

The W. A. Bahr farm of 320 acres near Eagle was sold on Monday for \$105 per acre. Mr. Bahr bought a place near Jamaica of 280 acres, and will take possession soon.

Mrs. Thad Adams received word yesterday that her daughter, Mrs. Flora Manker, is recovering from the effects of the operation she recently underwent at Des Moines. She can eat and is considered out of danger.

Mrs. Harry Kramer, nee Maud Lorenz, of Pirth, and her aunt, Mrs. Breeze, of Lincoln, spent Saturday last at the home of T. R. Adams, in Eagle. The ladies brought Mrs. Adams a present of carnations.

Perhaps the happiest man in town is Will Brothwell. He wears a smile that won't come off, all because of a new arrival at his home. It is a boy and will say he now has "one of a kind." His friends offer congratulations.

Conrad Wetenkamp had a narrow escape on Wednesday evening from what might have been a very serious accident. In company with his brother, Henry Wetenkamp, he came to Eagle with a load on a truck. When the truck stopped he went to rear for some purpose when a car from Milford approaching from behind struck the truck. As it was Mr. Wetenkamp was considerably bruised and will be laid up several days. No further damage was done.

**UNION**  
Ledger

Miss Nell Bramblet, who has been in the hospital in Omaha for several weeks recovering from a broken knee cap was able to return home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Morris of Oklahoma, who have been visiting at the home of D. W. Foster, an uncle of the former, returned home last Saturday morning.

Mrs. Obie Pickering returned to her home in Laurel, Nebraska, Tuesday morning having come down to attend the funeral services of W. A. Edmisten.

U. S. Town and wife of South Omaha came down to attend the funeral of Wm. Edmisten. Mr. Town and family formerly lived a few miles east of Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Garrison, Rev. E. N. Thorn, and Misses Zola Frans and Verna Harris motored to Hastings last Friday where they attended the Baptist state convention.

Last week Fred Clark sold the farm on which he has been living, which includes eighty acres of land, to L. F. Fitch. Mr. Clark intends to move to town in the near future.

Mrs. E. H. Husman and small daughter arrived the latter part of last week and joined their husband and father who is Superintendent of the Union school. They had been visiting in Holdrege for several weeks with Mrs. Husman's parents. Mrs. Bessie Reeves of Seattle,

Washington, arrived Monday for a week's visit with G. W. Cheney and family. She is returning west from a visit with relatives in Des Moines. Her father, Harry Willis, well known by the older residents of this place was the first station agent to have charge of the depot in Union.

W. R. Mellor and wife of Lincoln and Peter Youngers of Geneva spent the night here Wednesday, they being acquainted with W. B. Banning. They were touring this part of the state in an auto. Mr. Mellor was formerly secretary of the state fair and Mr. Younger owns the largest wholesale nursery in the state.

**LOUISVILLE**  
Courier

A 9-pound girl baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mayfield Wednesday, October 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Willam Gobelman spent Sunday at Utica with Mrs. Gobelman's brother, Albert Thierolf and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griswold, of Lincoln, drove down Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Earle Mayfield.

Edward Jochim, of near Louisville who was one of the fifty examined for service last week, in the supplemental list, was exempted for dependency, having a wife and small children.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hart, of York, visited at the W. F. Diers home on Friday between trains, on their way home from Omaha, where Mr. Hart attended a meeting of the State Bankers' association.

Mr. and Mrs. August Pautsch were Sunday guests at the hospitable home of Theodore Harms in Manley, Mr. Harms driving over after them in the forenoon and bringing them home in the evening. They report a very enjoyable time.

Ralph Stander, from near Harrington, in Morris county, Kansas, left for home Tuesday after a short visit with his mother, Mrs. E. A. Stander and other relatives. He was accompanied home by his brother, James, who went down to look after his farming interests in Kansas.

A wedding announcement that will come as a surprise to the Louisville friends of the participants, is that of Miss Emma Ward, of Louisville, and Ray Harper, of Los Angeles. The wedding occurred at Denver, Colo., on the 3rd of October, while they were on an auto trip with the parent of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stander entertained Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerbeling and family, of Wabash, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and family, of Weeping Water, last Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Stander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Berger, of Elmwood, who expect to leave soon to spend the winter in California. They will stop to visit relatives in Red Willow county and also at Denver on their way west.

**WEEPING WATER**  
Republican.

Ralph Rich drove to Union Sunday night to meet his uncle Joe Rich of West Point, who was called on account of the serious illness of his brother, Martin Rich.

Clark Newlon returned home from the hospital in Omaha Saturday. He seems to be getting along fine and we expect to see him down town next week.

Mrs. Sidney Marshall was called here from Scotts Bluffs Tuesday on account of the illness of her father, Martin Rich. She was met by auto in Lincoln by E. B. Taylor and Mrs. Russell Hobson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Countryman received word this week that their daughter, Mrs. L. W. Turner of Schenectady, N. Y., had survived several serious operations. Her condition is reported as good as could be expected.

J. M. Teegarden has gone to Columbus, Ohio, as a delegate from the Lincoln district to the National convention of the Congregational church. While in the east he will visit his father and other relatives at his old home at Avilla, Indiana.

Our old veteran, Owen McGrady, of Co. K, 35th New Jersey, made up his mind to join comrades S. W. Orton and Jesse Davis who left Sunday morning for the Blue and the Gray Reunion at Vicksburg, Miss. M. J. Garrison is handling the bag at the crossing while Mac is away.

This is what an acre of alfalfa, that was sown last year did for William Coatman. Produced 4 tons of fine hay which is now in the barn and worth \$15 per ton. Also \$26.00 worth of hay has been sold which will make an \$88.00 yield in one year from \$200.00 acre land. Is land too high at the price?  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Spangler en-

tertained the following to Sunday dinner: Mrs. Spangler's mother and sister from Plattsmouth and the following from Glenwood, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. C. Wiles, Marion Wiles and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hubbard and daughter, Barbara. There were seventeen altogether who sat down to the sumptuous repast.

Miss Charlotte Hungate was a Wednesday night visitor with her friend, Dorothy Dunn, while on her way from Murdock to Palmyra to fill her lecture course date. She greatly enjoyed being in Weeping Water and meeting old friends for a short time as it had been three years since she had been here. She made the trip to Palmyra by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hay and Mrs. Bele Main of Yuma, Colorado, arrived Tuesday evening by auto for a couple of weeks' visit with relatives and old time friends. Their first visit was at the Robert Young home east of town. From here they go to their sister's Mrs. Will Troop near Nehawka.

Mrs. Hay and Mrs. Main were formerly Edith and Bele Tanner who resided here some years ago. They speak highly of Colorado and had some fine samples of corn grown there this year. Three weeks ago the Republican published the prize letter which Mrs. Main had written for her home paper.

**NEHAWKA**  
News

R. C. Pollard left Saturday for Atlanta, Georgia, where he is to be judge at the National Swine show.

E. A. Kirkpatrick was a sufferer from an attack of appendicitis several days last week.

Wm. Wiler of Wamego, Kansas, was a visitor at the T. E. Fulton home from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Gamble of Omaha, Mesdames H. M. Soennichsen, Waldemar Soennichsen and Matilda were visitors at the H. L. Thomas home last week.

Mrs. Lottie Shotwell arrived Friday from Seattle, Washington, on a visit to her brothers, E. M. and R. C. Pollard. She leaves Thursday for Kansas City to attend the National convention of the Christian church.

Mrs. E. B. Sawyer and daughter, Helen, of Lincoln, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond H. Pollard. They returned home Sunday with E. V. Sawyer and family, who spent the day at the Pollard home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Thomas, of Palmyra, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thomas of Plattsmouth, Frank Marler and wife of Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eaton of Lorton were visitors at the H. L. Thomas home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Pollard and their son and daughter, Metitte and Rowena, motored to Camp Funston, Kansas, Friday to visit their son and brother, Hall. They report the boys there from around Nehawka as getting along fine.

Nehawka has a cellar burglar. Charles Hall had the lock broken on his cellar door last Friday night. Potatoes and canned goods were taken. A chicken thief is also abroad in the land. Uncle Wm. Rose had nearly all his chickens stolen recently.

E. C. Giles and family, who live a few miles north of Nehawka, are enjoying a visit from Mr. Giles' father and mother, F. L. Giles and wife, and their daughters, Pearl and Bernice. Their home is at Ellenburg Depot, N. Y., and the family made the long trip to Nebraska in their auto.

**SHIPS SOME FINE HOGS.**

Mr. William Rummell shipped today three fine hogs from his herd, from west of the city. Two of them which were especially fine went to L. J. Novak, of Weston, Nebraska, and one was shipped to George Rummell of Millard. Mr. Rummell surely has some fine specimens of hogs.

**GO HAVE A LOOK!**

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**HOWELL ACTS AS PURCHASING AGENT**

**IS CONTENTION OF CHAIRMAN MAYFIELD OF THE STATE BOARD OF CONTROL**

**Has No Contract With State Senator for Furnishing of Coal, Declares Chairman**

Lincoln, Oct. 18.—Gene Mayfield, chairman of the state board of control in charge of state institutions replied today to published criticism in republican papers because the board of control authorized the E. E. Howell Coal Co., of Omaha, to furnish the fuel for nine of the fifteen institutions.

The board secured an agreement from Howell to furnish coal to the state on the basis of 5 cents per ton profit. The next lowest bid called for about 10 cents per ton profit, members of the board of control declared. The board considered itself especially fortunate in securing the agreement, Mr. Mayfield declared.

Republican papers have raised a kick on the ground that Howell, the senior member of the firm, is also a state senator. It is claimed that the constitution expressly forbids a state officer from entering into a contract with the state.

"There is no contract in that sense of the word," Mr. Mayfield declared. "Mr. Howell merely acts as purchasing agent for the state. Our position is supported by an opinion from Attorney General Reed."

"I imagine the people of the state are much more interested in saving 5 cents a ton on 25,000 tons of coal, which will be needed to supply the nine institutions, than the attempt of the press to throw a partisan light on the arrangement."

**U-BOATS CAN'T WIN WAR, SAYS REICHSTAG SOCIALIST**

Copenhagen, Oct. 18.—At the convention of German Socialists at Wurzburg, Dr. Edward David, reichstag member, declared the war could not be ended by submarines. Germany had not been spared a fourth war winter through the operation of the U-boat, he said, and would not be able to force peace upon England in a few months, as the pan-Germans claimed, or even in one or two years.

At yesterday's session Hermann Mueller, of the executive committee, said: "Alsace-Lorraine under no circumstances could be made a subject of discussion in the peace negotiations and that these provinces could be wrested only from a completely defeated Germany."

The conference by a vote of 284 to 26 rejected a motion binding the party to vote against war credits in the reichstag.

A resolution was submitted, signed by 118 delegates, demanding the restoration of Belgium and protesting against division of Alsace-Lorraine.

**TWICE-TOLD TESTIMONY**

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**FIRE DAMAGES SOLDIERS' HOME AT LEAVENWORTH**

Leavenworth, Kans., Oct. 18.—Damage estimated at \$20,000 was caused at the National Military home, south of this city last evening. A large dry cleaning building was destroyed and a 2-story brick laundry building badly damaged. The fire started from a gasoline explosion. The Leavenworth Fire department assisted the Soldiers' Home fire companies in fighting the blaze.

Moore did not care to lose. Sheriff Quinton departed this morning for Murray to serve the attachment papers upon, the Missouri Pacific at that place to secure the fruit. The suit was started in the District Court, and will probably come for hearing at an early date, as the apples are in the hands of the railway company, and the demurrage of the goods, would be an item in a short space of time.

**DEPART FOR THEIR HOME.**

From Friday's Daily. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gephart, of Pekin, Illinois, who have been visiting in the city for some days past the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Seybert departed for their home in the east this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Gephart, having been away for some six weeks visiting in the west. Mr. Gephart, who is an automobile salesman, drove a car west which he sold and after spending six weeks there seeing the sights and taking an outing they returned via the railway, and stopped for a visit with their friends here.

**ISSUES WRIT OF ATTACHMENT FOR APPLE MONEY**

From Thursday's Daily. Frank Moore was in the city this morning, and had a writ of attachment issued, for the stopping of apples in transit, which a firm of Nice & Novak had gotten from his orchards and loaded on the cars, at Murray, but had not as yet paid for them. The crop amounted to \$1500 and this was an item which Mr.



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