

# Union Department

Prepared Exclusively for The Journal.

Carl Giles from near Nebraska City was a visitor in Union last Monday looking after some business matters.

Thomas E. Dunbar, an attorney of Nebraska City, was a visitor in Union last Saturday, looking after some matters of a legal nature.

W. O. Burbee has secured possession of the building which he recently purchased and had his garage running in the place this week.

J. L. Fitch shelled and delivered his corn during the past week in order to make room for the present crop, which will soon be in readiness for harvesting.

Mesdames Ellis LaRue and A. W. Propst and the latter's children were visiting at the country fair last Wednesday afternoon, driving over in the car of Mr. Propst.

William McConnell of Kansas City, and Lincoln, and who formerly lived at both Union and Nebraska, was a visitor for a few days during this week with his friend, Mont Robb.

County Sheriff E. P. Stewart and County Attorney W. G. Kieck were in Union last Sunday morning and were looking after some legal matters. They drove down in the sheriff's auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wolfe and Louis Burbee and wife were visiting last Sunday at Manly, where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Burbee, for the day and where they all enjoyed the day much.

Winfred Scott Norris and wife of Nehawka, were visiting last Monday for a short time in Union, being guests of friends while here, also Mr. Norris was looking after some business as well.

Allison Clarke and Melvin Todd were doing the fair at Weeping Water on last Thursday and enjoyed the occasion very much, but we can be safe in saying they did not bet on any horse race.

Len Austin has accepted a position with the bridge workers, and are constructing a bridge over the Weeping Water creek, the south branch, which has been very narrow and will be made wider.

George Halmas and family of Calistoga, Cal., has been visiting in Union and was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Austin, the ladies being sisters. They also visited at Plattsmouth with Manza Klamm.

Mrs. Edward Wilcox of Plattsmouth, a sister of A. W. Propst, was a visitor in Union last week and a guest at the home of her brother and his family, and accompanied Mrs. Propst to Weeping Water where they attended the fair.

L. G. Todd was a visitor in the northeast one day last week and while there purchased a car of potatoes which are to arrive this week and will supply the wants of many of the people here for something in this line. The car load was purchased at Hay Springs.

Joe Banning has moved to the new house which he recently purchased from Mrs. J. M. Patterson, and the house where Mr. Banning has been residing is now occupied by J. A. Eaton, while the place where he has just moved from is now the residence of Mr. Cadwell and family.

Word from Chicago tells of Mrs. Nettie Stanton feeling some better but still far from being well. She

will have to remain there for some time in order to effect a cure. Her many friends here are hoping that she may be able to return home in the near future entirely well.

The sheriff from Otoe county visited Union last Saturday and extended an invitation to a certain gentleman then residing in Union to accompany him to Nebraska City to answer the charge of annexing a radio which he had no legal right to. The case was tried in Nebraska City later.

There is being conducted at the Wyoming Episcopal church at that place, a two weeks service which is known as Mission Services and which are being conducted by the Rev. Miller, pastor of the church at Nebraska City. Many people from Union have been attending and enjoying the services.

William James, living just over in Otoe county, was in Union last Monday evening accompanied by Mrs. James and reported some one had visited their chicken house and carried away a number of the flock which makes it very far from profitable to Mr. and Mrs. James in the poultry business.

Miss Addie Austin, who has been making her home in Omaha for a number of years and where she has held a very responsible position as stenographer, has been visiting at the home of her parents for the past two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Austin, and will remain for two weeks more, not having had a vacation for the past twelve months.

**Highest Award at Fair.**  
Richard, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Propst, received the highest percent of any baby at the county fair, he being marked at 98 percent, or within two points of perfection. This gives the little fellow the grand champion of the county and is a fact very pleasing to the parents and friends of the little American.

**Departed for the South.**  
The Rev. C. L. Elliott, who has been the minister for the Methodist church of Union for the past two years, and who has asked for a vacation of a year to go to the south, where he will expect to spend the year, departed on Wednesday of this week. He will make his home in Florida. He spent the day last Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Todd, where the old time friends enjoyed the day very much.

**Returns to Home in South.**  
Mrs. T. J. McClurg, a sister of Messrs. A. H. Austin and Dean Austin, who has been visiting her for some three weeks, departed for her home at Weedward, Okla., last Monday. Mr. Dean Austin and wife took her to Nebraska City to catch the train for her home in the south. Before this visit the gentlemen had not seen their sister for some 32 years and they all enjoyed the visit very much.

**It Was a Fractious Ford.**  
Sure it was and had a foot feed on it, which could easily be mistaken for a break, and so was taken by Mr. Frank Bauer, with results not to the liking of Mr. Bauer. It happened that Mrs. Herold Nickols of Greenwood was visiting with her mother and an uncle, and Frank, who is the kindest hearted man in America, almost volunteered to get the car from the garage for Mrs. Nickols, and in so doing had occasion to stop, and so endeavored to do, but his foot found the foot feed instead of the break and the more he pressed the faster it went and getting over near the buildings, hopped upon a box that happened to be setting there and not satisfied with that took a bump at the large plate glass window and removed a piece of it. Then the car seemed to be satisfied and could be driven by a lady anywhere.

**Enjoyed a Shooting Contest.**  
A number of the good shots of Union and vicinity, and there are some good ones in the bunch and very few not so good, held a contest last Sunday at which some excellent scores were made. We were not able to get the score but were assured they were good ones.

**Departed for the West.**  
On Tuesday morning of this week, Carl Swan and wife departed for the west and will visit with friends and relatives at and near Overton as well as take a couple of weeks' vacation and will see that their is in the line of game in that portion of the state.

**Buy your ink and pencils at the Bates Book and Gift Shop.**

## THOMAS WILES PASSES HIS 80TH BIRTHDAY

Well Known Resident of This City Bears Years Well and is One of Surviving Veterans.

From Wednesday's Daily—  
Thomas Wiles, one of the real pioneer residents of this section of the country, was down in the business section of the city and through conversation it was learned that he was celebrating his eightieth birthday, although his actions and appearance would not give the impression that Mr. Wiles had passed this long period of life.

Mr. Wiles is a member of one of the oldest families to settle in Cass county and has been a resident here for the greater part of his long lifetime. He is one of the few remaining veterans of the Civil war in the community, having been for years one of the active figures in the work of the G. A. R.

Mr. Wiles also has been a strong and dominant figure in the work of the Christian church in this community and has frequently served as leader at the services, bringing to his associates in the church the message of the Christian faith.

**MRS. ELIZABETH DOTY DIES**  
From Wednesday's Daily—  
Mrs. Elizabeth Doty of near Weeping Water who has been ill for the past year at her home having suffered from a stroke of paralysis, died at her home last Saturday, the funeral being held from the Christian church at Weeping Water on Monday afternoon and the interment being at the cemetery at Weeping Water.

**CLEAN UP AT JAIL**  
From Wednesday's Daily—  
Sheriff E. P. Stewart has been conducting a general housecleaning at the county jail in the last few days and proposes to have the prison portion of the jail building spic and span if water, soap and elbow grease can secure the desired result.

**UNDERGOES OPERATION**  
From Wednesday's Daily—  
This morning, Dr. J. F. Brendel of Murray, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bell and Ray Campbell, departed for Omaha where they will visit the St. Catherine's hospital where Joe Bell is to be operated on today.

**AN OLD TIME FIFER**  
From Saturday's Daily—  
While the American Legion drum and bugle corps was at Weeping Water yesterday it received many compliments on their appearance and the excellent form that was shown in the parades over the city during the day.

**SICKNESS IN BURROWS FAMILY**  
From Wednesday's Daily—  
The many friends of the J. A. Burrows family will regret very much to learn of the fact that Ray Burrows, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burrows, is now in the hospital at Omaha where he has been taken to undergo an operation, following the same for some time.

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# LOCAL NEWS

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If you want a farm loan, it will pay you to see John M. Leyda, Gund building, Plattsmouth, Neb., phone 42 or 91. Imw-lewd

From Monday's Daily—  
Mrs. A. J. Snyder and son, Keith, were in Omaha today for a few hours going to that city on the early Burlington train to spend a few hours.

Dick Taylor, wife and two daughters of Gordon, Nebraska, were here over the week end while in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Porter and friends.

Miss Grace Furlong of Steamboat Springs, Colorado, who is attending the State University at Lincoln, arrived Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stamp.

Attorney William Deles Dernier of Elmwood was here today for a few hours attending to some matters of business and visiting with many of his friends in the county seat.

Mrs. A. R. Noble and daughters, Mrs. Golda Bell, clerk of the district court, and Miss Sylvia Noble, with Masters Joe Noble and Bobbie Beal, returned this morning from a trip out in the vicinity of Broken Bow.

Ell Eaton, one of the old time residents of Liberty precinct, accompanied by his son, Dave Eaton and wife, was here Saturday. Mr. Ell Eaton states he is planning to leave soon for Denver where he will spend a part or all of the winter with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor, of Gordon, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Taylor and daughter Doris, of Osmond, Neb., and Mrs. Wm. Hoeft and baby of Plainview arrived Tuesday evening by auto for a visit at the home of Mrs. W. A. Taylor, the mother of Mr. Taylor, and also at the home of Mrs. Wm. Hendricks, of Murray, mother of Mr. Taylor.

From Tuesday's Daily—  
C. G. Mayfield of Louisville was here today for a few hours looking after some matters of business and visiting with friends.

W. G. Boedeker, the Murray banker, was a visitor in this city today for a few hours looking after some matters of business.

Farmers needing breeding hogs cannot do better than to attend Stambaugh's Duroc sale, Friday, Oct. 9th, at Richfield, Neb.

D. C. West, the Nehawka banker, was here yesterday for a few hours looking after some matters of business and visiting with friends.

H. C. Ross of near Union was in the city today for a few hours and while here was a pleasant caller at the Journal office renewing his subscription for another year.

John G. Wunderlich and wife of Nehawka were here yesterday for the afternoon visiting with friends and as guests of their daughter, Mrs. C. A. Rosenkrantz and family.

John McNurlin was in Omaha today where he was called to have his eyes looked after by a specialist in that city as they have been giving him more or less trouble of late.

William Faray, who formerly resided here but some time ago removed to Waunima, Nebraska, has returned to this city which he finds to be a much more pleasant place to live and make his home.

Miss Margaret Hallahan departed this morning for Omaha where she will spend a few hours with Monsignor M. A. Shine at the St. Catherine's hospital in Omaha where he is now taking treatment.

William Kruger was a visitor here yesterday for a short time while en route home from Omaha where he is having his feet treated by a specialist. Mr. Kruger motored in last evening from his home at Nehawka.

M. L. Lohnes of near Cedar Creek, was here today in company with Clarence Busche looking after some matters in connection with the accident last evening that resulted in the damage of the car of Mr. Busche.

From Wednesday's Daily—  
Peter Mumm was among the visitors in Omaha today for a few hours, going to that city on the early morning Burlington train to spend the day.

Miss Alpha Peterson, county superintendent of schools, was a visitor in Omaha today looking after some matters of business and visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgel McFarland of Lexington, Nebraska, arrived here last evening to visit for a short time at the home of C. C. and E. H. Westcott and their families. Mrs. McFarland was formerly Miss Olga Campbell of this city and has just returned home from Port Huron, Michigan, where she has been for several weeks.

From Saturday's Daily—  
While the American Legion drum and bugle corps was at Weeping Water yesterday it received many compliments on their appearance and the excellent form that was shown in the parades over the city during the day.

The Legion boys discovered one of the members of the corps who was engaged in flogging at the fair and he was impressed into the parade when a group—the "spirit of '76"—was organized and paraded over the main section of the city and proved a very pleasing part of the program of the day although it was informally organized.

**FOR SALE**  
Good Newton Wagon, almost new. Extra good double set work harness. JOS. Mynary, Neb. s21-4tw

**Some Hog Winners**  
In the futurity litter completion

# Weeping Water Department

Henry H. Gerbeling living near Washburn was a business visitor in Weeping Water on Wednesday of this week.

J. M. Walker living northeast of Nehawka was a visitor in Weeping Water last Wednesday and was looking after some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Busch were over in the county seat last Tuesday where they were looking after some business matters and also visiting with friends.

Omar A. Coon the land merchant who with his son, Rollin, is selling southern lands, was a visitor in Weeping Water on Wednesday from his home at Manly.

Gust Ruge living near Murdock was a business visitor in Weeping Water last Wednesday and was doing some shopping as well as meeting a number of his friends.

Elmer Pearson the barber from Manly, accompanied by Mrs. Pearson, was in Weeping Water Wednesday of this week visiting relatives as well as doing some shopping while here.

James M. Carper and wife of Lincoln have been visiting at the homes of Elmer Pearson, Carl Carper, Will Carper and families for the past week, driving down from their home in their car.

John F. Carper has been building a hen house for their flock which pays about as well as anything on the farm. John believes in taking good care of the poultry as he does with the other stock and it also pays for good care always pays in the end.

E. K. Norton who has been improving his residence property in Weeping Water for some weeks past, has about completed the contemplated work and will in a short time depart for Des Moines, Iowa, where he again enters the employ of the Western Union Telegraph Co.

Marcus Hughes, formerly of Mountain Grove, Mo., who came to Weeping Water to live about a month ago and who is a nephew of W. H. Hooper and who has moved the family to Weeping Water to live, will conduct the blacksmith shop for Mr. T. H. Baldwin while the hunting party is in the west.

**Death Claims a Pioneer**  
Miss Elizabeth E. McClelland was born March 26, 1847, at Dalton, Wayne county, Ohio, and as Mrs. Elizabeth Doty passed this life September 26, 1925, being 78 years, six months of age. Miss Elizabeth McClelland was united in marriage to William J. Daly, April 22, 1869, at Wooster, Ohio, and two years later, in the spring of 1871, the young married folks came west and settled on the farm two and one-half miles northeast of Weeping Water where they lived until death claimed the husband and father some years ago.

Mrs. Doty with the children lived on the farm and here this hardy pioneer passed away at the same home where a young woman began her happy married life 44 years ago.

Mrs. Doty early embraced the Christian faith and has been a devoted and consistent member of the Christian church for more than a century. She leaves seven children, 32 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren besides a host of friends to mourn her departure as well as three brothers and two sisters, they being Joseph McClelland of Las Gatos, Cal., and Samuel and Charles McClelland of Holmesville, Ohio; Mrs. Sue Stickler of Cameron, Mo.; Mrs. Samuel Murrey of Elmwood.

The last sad rites were held from the Christian church in Weeping Water Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock and conducted by the Rev. W. A. Taylor, pastor of the Baptist church of Union. The interment was made in the beautiful Oak Hill cemetery in Weeping Water.

**Are Hauling Apples**  
Herbert Schliefer and John H. Deber making their home in the northwestern portion of the county, near Ashland were in Weeping Water last Wednesday on their return home from Peru where they had secured two truck loads of excellent apples which they were taking to their neighbors and Ashland merchants.

**Married Wednesday**  
At the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spangler in Weeping Water Wednesday afternoon which had been especially decorated for the occasion, the marriage of their beautiful and accomplished daughter, Miss Stella Spangler to Mr. Amos Bates, the excellent young gentleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bates of Weeping Water. The bride was costumed in blue chiffon over green silk, while the groom was dressed in the conventional black. There were present only the relatives of the contracting parties and a few very close friends the marriage was a pretty home wedding and was conducted by the Rev. George Berch, pastor of the Congregational church of Weeping Water of which the parties are members. The beautiful ring ceremony was used. Little Pauline Towle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Towle was ring bearer, while Little Millie Wiles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wiles, was the flower girl. The bridal party will take a short trip but just where they will spend the first few weeks of their married life they are leaving their friends to guess. They will be at home in due time to their many friends. The Journal joins with their many friends in extending the best wishes for a long, useful and happy life and their lives may bless and make better all whom they may touch in the life giving, where joy abounds on every hand like beautiful rains for the gathering.

**To See Nebraska-Illinois Game**  
Henry Crozier, Lloyd Woodcut and Carl Day, who are all lovers of a real game of football, are departing this morning via their car for Urbana, Ill., where the Nebraska-Illinois game between the football teams of the Universities of Nebraska and Illinois will be played Saturday afternoon. It will no doubt be a real treat to see this game between real players and the Weeping Water men sure will enjoy it.

**Will Not Preach For Year**  
The Rev. C. I. Rose, who has been pastor of the Methodist church at Weeping Water for some time on account of very poor health has been given a vacation for a year and has gone to the mountains west of Denver where he will endeavor to regain his health.

**Are Hunting in Northwest**  
This morning, early, (Thursday) Messrs. Frank Doty, F. H. Baldwin and Ralph Murphy departed for Arthur in Arthur county making the trip in the auto of Mr. Doty. They go well equipped for the two weeks

there was a large number of entries at the county fair and some excellent showings. James Schaeffer, son of Mr. Otto Schaeffer, drew the first premium, \$30. He had four on exhibition. Marcus Nelson of Avoca received the second prize, \$25. Carl Schroeder of Avoca, getting the third prize, \$20; Otto Schaeffer getting the fourth prize, \$15; Robert Baker getting the fifth prize, \$10.

**Entertained the Teachers**  
The members of the Woman's club of Weeping Water who are very sociable and use their kindly offices in the promotion of the best relations between the different interests in Weeping Water, welcomed and made at home the teachers of the schools at Weeping Water at a gathering during the present week, which the club sponsored. This society is doing a very commendable work.

**Parade Prizes Awarded**  
The floats which were in the parade at the county fair and which attracted very favorable attention for their real worthwhileness and put on by the schools of the county, were awarded prizes as follows: School district No. 70 getting the first prize while others were as follows: 64, second prize; 92, third prize; 19, fourth prize; 13, fifth prize; 71, sixth prize; 21, seventh prize; 44, eighth prize; 21, ninth prize, and 48 the tenth prize, while the Boy Scouts camp got the eleventh prize.

**Floating Resident Disappears**  
At several places in and about Weeping Water, certain articles have disappeared, especially Tires and auto accessories. One night recently when C. H. Gibson went home he heard a noise in his garage and on investigation found a well known character with one tire cut from the place where it had been secured. In very short time another tire would have been added to the list of the missing but the next morning the character above mentioned was gone. He saw the hand writing upon the wall and lost no time in going "west."

**Paving Now Completed**  
The city of Weeping Water which has been doing a large amount of public improvement this summer has completed their quota of paving and is now at the work of graveling, of which there will still be some. The water out of the mud and made her the envy of many towns in her class. One of the benefits of the paving was realized when the county fair was held for everything was nice and dry.

**New Pastor Arrives**  
The Rev. Murrey, the new pastor of the Methodist church at Weeping Water, and who succeeds the Rev. Rose who has just closed his pastorate here arrived on Wednesday of this week coming to take up his work here. The new pastor comes very well recommended having held the pastorate at Schuyler for the past year. With the co-operation of the enthusiastic members of the Methodist church here they should accomplish much good for Weeping Water in the year just beginning.

**Sustains Serious Injuries**  
Frank E. Wood, one of the rustling and wideawake citizens of progressive Weeping Water, sustained a broken leg last Sunday when he fell some sixteen feet into a cistern which he had built at the mouth of neck, precipitating him with a large amount of material of which the cistern was constructed at the bottom. Besides the broken leg Mr. Wood was greatly bruised all over his body, a broken hip and a broken arm. He was hurried to the Lincoln hospital at Lincoln where the fracture was reduced and where he is being cared for. There have been a number of violent deaths at the place where Mr. Wood lives and where this accident occurred and Mr. Wood possesses a lot of money. "While the undertaker has gotten the others, I intend to make it impossible for him to get me." Speaking of the violent deaths which have occurred at this place a number of years ago, a gentleman, Basil Jones, living at Weeping Water, with a spell of coughing and partly swallowed his artificial teeth, thus choking himself to death. Later, while James Baird, who was carrying a loaded gun on his shoulder was attempting to remove it when the gun was discharged, when contented passing into his body, killing him, and still later while Glen Atchison and Louis Johnson were overcome by gases in a well and killed. Thus making a sad series of accidents and deaths.

**THOMAS WALLING IMPROVING**  
From Tuesday's Daily—  
The reports from the home of Thomas Walling, Sr., state that he is gradually showing improvement from his recent attack of neuralgia that was very dangerous owing to the location of the ailment. Mr. Walling has been under constant medical care since last Thursday and seems to be gradually gaining and securing relief from the suffering that he has undergone but his case is still serious and requires rest and quiet.

**17 SHIPS MISSING AFTER TORNADO SWEEPS BLACK SEA**  
Berlin, Sept. 30.—Seventeen sailing vessels with their crews are reported to have been sunk and three big transport steamers are missing as a result of a tornado which has been sweeping the Black sea in the last few days.

Dispatches from Constantinople report serious loss of life due to the storms.

Mrs. H. R. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Baldwin were visitors in Omaha today where they attended the meeting of the Parent-Teachers association in that city, representing the Wintersteen Hill district association of this city.

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