

WEEPING WATER

Charles V. Seely of the Republican, was looking after some business matters in Lincoln on Tuesday of this week.

Walter Earls who has been on a farm moved last week to Weeping Water and will make his home in town for the present.

V. J. Vesley of Bennett, was a visitor in Weeping Water for a short time this week, looking after some business matters relative to the store which he maintains here.

M. R. Tams and family the first of the week moved from the southern portion of Otoe county to the Marshall farm near Wabash, thus adding another family to Cass county.

Edward Murphy was a visitor in Plattsmouth for the day one day during this week, looking after some business matters and also visiting with his friends in the county seat.

Mrs. Ernest A. Jamison has been having a tussle with the flu, which has kept this good woman in her bed for the past few days but who is reported as being some better at this time.

Jack Jourgeson who has been having severe time with an affection of one of his ears was able to return home after an extended stay at a hospital in Lincoln, where he was receiving treatment, and is feeling some better.

H. L. Richards and wife were over to Lincoln for last Tuesday and Wednesday, they driving over to visit with friends and relatives, as well as to look after some business matters in the line with their hardware store here.

This week Ray Ward, and A. J. Patterson became readers of the Plattsmouth Journal and will be supplied with news from over the county direct from the various communities as well as the general news of the county and country over.

The Pennsylvania Consumers Oil company have just unloaded a car of gas therein. They are expecting their new truck the coming week when they will place a delivery system on throughout the country districts.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis was gladdened early this week by a visit of the stork, and who left a very fine son, which they are very proud to have added to the family circle. The mother and young man are getting along nicely and the father will pull through, it is thought.

B. F. Goodman tells the writer that word from Mrs. Goodman, who is now in Chicago, where she was called on account of the very severe illness of her mother, who is kept in her bed with an attack of cancer of the stomach, is showing no improvement and that but little hope is entertained of her ultimate recovery.

Seward P. Day and Clint Wilkinson, the postmaster of Weeping Water were over to Omaha on last Tuesday where they were called to attend after some business matters, they driving and taking the route via O Street road, Union and Plattsmouth. They found not exactly the best roads, but got through all right, notwithstanding.

A model chicken house is on exhibition at the office of the county agent which was manufactured by Wayne and Clifford Domingo, and which has also been used at different places by County Agent L. R. Snipes in his demonstration of the practicality of having the best buildings for the care of poultry, young chicks and laying hens especially.

Mrs. D. M. Johnson who has been visiting for the past month at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bert Jamison, and where she has enjoyed the visit very much, left on last Wednesday for her home in Omaha. While here Mrs. Johnson had the pleasure of visiting with many of her former friends as she resided in Weeping Water for many years.

Fred Linville who has been at the hospital at Omaha, where he has been receiving treatment for his health, returned home on last Saturday for a time. He is feeling some better and hopes in the course of a few weeks to be himself again.

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BIG ST. PATRICK'S Dance!

Saturday Night Am. Legion Building Plattsmouth, Nebr.

MUSIC BY Pioneer Cord Tire Orchestra

The boys who played here last week.

Admission Dancers and Men Spectators, 50c Unaccompanied Ladies, 10c

that place, with the changing of the firm, concluded he would engage in farming, rented the Henry Snell place east of Weeping Water and moved to that place last Monday, and will farm there this season.

Mr. Campbell and family are very fine people and will add to the community in which they reside, and while Murray is the loser of this excellent family, Weeping Water is the gainer.

The Cole Motor company sold a Universal coach of the Model A style to Harold Eads of Wahoo, and delivered the same during the week. The roads have been so very bad that it has impeded the delivery of their cars, but it has kept one man busy washing cars most of the time. On last Tuesday John Cole, Homer Sylvester and Fred Rhoadward, salesmen for this institution were over to Omaha, where they were attending a meeting of the salesmen of the Ford Motor company and were also attending a banquet which followed during the evening.

Weeping Water's new bakery, which is conducted by Mr. and Mrs. John S. Williams, is doing a good business and putting out excellent goods. Co-operating with this institution is a matter of making Weeping Water a better place to trade for all business institutions which have their place of business in the town, just as it is a benefit to the community far more than that where the goods are produced at another place which calls for the sending of the money out of the community. Co-operate with the institution for the success of Weeping Water.

Doing Nice Business. During the past week the Drexler Brothers garage and distributing agency for the celebrated Chevrolet cars sold to Albert Prince and Alva A. Reynolds each one of the trucks, which have proved to be economical a means of transportation of all matters to be hauled, and during the same time they disposed of a coach to Lewis Herman, south of Alvo and also one to Harold Klinion, of Nehawka, the latter starting on a trip to the northwest, to Wayside, in the new wagon.

Pretty Bold Attempt. A pretty bold attempt at chicken stealing was made last week when a party went to the produce station of Antoine Jourgeson, and after holding a conversation with Mr. Jourgeson relative to one thing and another, went away, and kept in mind that Mr. Jourgeson said he was going to dinner at once.

When Mr. Jourgeson departed, the man returned and attempted to load a crate of poultry which was setting in front of the place of business, when the bottom of the crate came off, allowing a number of the fowls to escape. The attempt to perlin the birds failed, and when the checking up came it was found that some twenty or so pounds of the fowls were gone.

Held Funeral Sunday. Late last week Mrs. Mary Hoback, nearly seventy-nine years of age, passed away at her home in Weeping Water and the burial occurred at Avoca cemetery Sunday afternoon. The services were held at the Menonite church in Weeping Water, the funeral being in charge of W. L. Weeping Water, and while it is a little in advance at this time, preparations for the meeting are being made and it is expected that a very good meeting will be had, and that a large representation will be in Weeping Water. This is a fine order and works on their ideals in the fabric of real life in the way they minister to the needs of the members as well as going out of the order to render service in the name of humanity.

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Tefft Resigns from Faculty

Assistant Law Professor at Nebraska University Accepts Position at Chicago University

Sheldon Tefft, assistant professor of law at the University of Nebraska since 1927, has tendered his resignation to accept the position of visiting association professor of law at the University of Chicago, according to an announcement made Saturday by Chancellor E. A. Burnett.

Mr. Tefft came to the University of Nebraska in 1927 to take the place of Prof. E. M. Dodd, Jr., who went to the University of Chicago, and later to Harvard. Mr. Tefft will receive \$1,500 a year more at Chicago than he does at Nebraska, with possibility of advancement to a \$1,800 position. Mr. Tefft said Saturday that he greatly respects leaving Nebraska, but the inducements, financial and otherwise, offered by the University of Chicago, are such that he has felt obliged to accept. It is understood that he will take the course offered at Chicago that were given by Professor Dodd.

After graduating from the high school at Weeping Water, Mr. Tefft came to the University of Nebraska in 1918. He received his A. B. degree in 1922 and won the Rhodes-Kappeler honors. In 1924 he received his LL. B. from the University of Chicago. During his attendance at the university, he also distinguished himself as a debater. In 1924 he was appointed Rhodes scholar from Nebraska and entered the law school of the University of Chicago, where he graduated with the distinction of being the first American to win the Merton scholarship. This scholarship is the highest distinction open to law students at Oxford and was founded by the same benefactor who endowed the scholarship at Oxford made famous by Blackstone.

Mr. Tefft is a native Nebraskan of unusual ability. His resignation brings us face to face with the perennial problem of holding the younger members of our faculty at the University of Nebraska. It is pointed out by Chancellor Burnett that the resignation of Mr. Tefft is a loss to the university, but it is also a gain to the state, as well as for our other men.

RIVERS GO OUT OF BANKS

Des Moines—With warm weather breaking up the jams, many Iowa rivers went out of their banks Tuesday, damaging bridges and inundating lowlands and railroad tracks. The greatest damage was reported in Page county, where nine road bridges were washed away and six others damaged. Loss in the vicinity of Riverport, where four miles of Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad track were under water, was estimated at \$30,000. No trains were operated Tuesday on the Hastings to Riverport branch of the C. & N. W. south of Red Oak.

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Lowlands in the south part of Marshalltown were covered when Dan creek went out of its banks. Police were prepared to all in removing residents from their homes if the stream continued to rise. Several families were reported unharmed at Denison along the Boyer river banks.

IN OUR Used and Exchange Department

Three Kitchen Cabinets, \$12.50, \$15 and \$22.50; Kitchen Cupboards, \$7.50 and \$10; China Cabinet, \$12.50; Buffets, \$5 to \$20; Ten Dining Room Tables, \$5 to \$15; Chairs, 75c to \$2.50; Rockers, \$2.50 to \$10; Davenport and Library Tables, \$5, \$7.50 and \$10; Combination Desk and Book Case, \$4; two good Duofolds, \$15 each; Davenport, \$7.50; a Globe-Wernicke sectional Book Case, \$15; Filing Case, \$15; Typewriter Desk, \$15; Typewriter, \$10; Wardrobe, \$10; six Dressers, \$7.50 to \$15; Beds, \$1 to \$5; Sanitary Cots, \$2.50 to \$4; Steel Army Cots, new, \$3.75; Bed Springs, \$1 to \$5; used Rugs, \$2.50 to \$10; Kitchen Ranges, \$20 and \$25; one all-over Enamel Range, new, but slightly damaged in shipping, at half price; three new Enamel Ranges, \$69.50 to \$95; one hand power Washer, \$8.50; three good Oil Stoves, \$6.50 to \$20; good Gas Ranges, \$7.50 to \$10; Gas Plates, \$2.50 and \$3.50; one large Refrigerator, ice capacity 150 pounds, with water cooler attachment; one large Porcelain Bath Tub, like new, only \$12.50. Many other articles not mentioned.

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MOVING ON NARCOTIC RING New York—Assistant United States Attorney Blake announced that the federal grand jury Monday will return indictments against three alleged members of an international narcotics ring who at the time of their arrest in July were held out by the late Arnold Rothstein, slain Broadway gambler.

The three men, Sidney Stager, George Williams and Abraham Stein, will be charged with conspiracy and with violation of both the federal narcotics act, Blake said. He said the ring which they were alleged to be members relayed narcotic orders and information through the United States and Europe.

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SCOUT TRAINING COURSE AT MIDLAND

Fremont, March 8.—Midland college officials announced Friday that a course in scout leaders' training similar to that offered at Columbia university would be presented at the college under the direction of Lyman Burkholder, Fremont Boy Scout executive, during the remainder of the present semester. The course, which is meant to give training to prospective scoutmasters, executives and councilors, will give college credit in proportion to the amount of time devoted to the work.

Hoover Turns to Plans for Farm Relief

Preparing Message for Special Session of Congress; Hoover Favors Co-operative Marketing.

Washington, March 12.—With the special session still in month away, President Hoover is turning his thoughts toward the development of plans for dealing with farm relief in his message to congress when it assembles in extraordinary session. Already the president has given much thought to the problem and his views largely are being followed by the committees of the senate and the house in planning hearings to work out the legislation. These will be opened several weeks before the special session starts.

Although Mr. Hoover is reserving the public revelation of his plans for his message to congress, it is known that the committees are preparing to approach the task largely from the co-operative marketing angle. In several of his speeches last summer in which he dealt with farm relief, Mr. Hoover stressed the part that he feels co-operative marketing must play in assuring the farmer a proper price for his product. Along with co-operative marketing, he placed much emphasis on the need for cheaper transportation to markets.

Many of the witnesses to be heard by the committees in planning the farm bill are expected to be persons who have had experience in dealing with the marketing of farm crops and the better means expressed in the measure that will come from the committee will largely hinge around the development of marketing facilities.

Some of those who have been closely associated with the president appear to hold views similar to his own. The greatest success in dealing with the farm problem can come only when the marketing of agricultural products has been developed to keep pace with production. They recognize that there are wide differences in the marketing systems that must be established for handling different crops and that methods must vary among perishable and staple products.

One of the proposals that has been advanced for dealing with the problem has been the creation of a national co-operative organization, but the method of promoting the growth of these marketing agencies must be evolved largely after the testimony of various experts has been submitted to the congressional committees dealing with the subject.

In the midst of his thought of farm relief, however, the president still finds time for innumerable conferences upon patronage, federal appointments, immigration, prohibition and the wide range of subjects that find their way to the desk of the chief executive.—Lincoln Star.

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Senate Boosts Prize for Oil

Approves Bill Offering \$100,000 for Discovery of Good Well; Will Create Oil Drilling.

The senate senate relieved itself of further discussion of the guaranty fund bills, which were set for debate Tuesday morning, by voting to postpone action until the house of representatives had reached a decision on the bills before it.

The two bills have been at the head of the general file since last Tuesday. The senate spent two days on them and then rested while the house went ahead with its bills. The two senate measures will probably be held over general file until it can be learned if the final condition of the house bills is satisfactory to the members of the senate.

One of the first measures to meet the approval of the upper body today was S. P. 267 which provides for the payment of \$100,000 to the person discovering oil in Nebraska. Several of the senators were of the opinion that there is oil in the state and that such a prize will stimulate activity toward its discovery. Since 1903 there has been a similar prize on the statute books of the state, but it calls for payment of only \$15,000.

Rules Govern Award. To be eligible for the prize a person must bring in a well which produces at least fifty barrels of oil a day for sixty days. Senator Johnson of Texas said he had several letters from Texas and Oklahoma drilling companies intimating they would start drilling in Nebraska the bill offering the \$100,000 prize is passed.

Much levity prevailed when the senate was called upon to take action upon H. R. 198, a concurrent resolution declaring the Western Meadowlark to be the state bird of Nebraska. As was previously suggested in the house, one senator declared the "state bird" was the most prominent bird in the state.

Another suggestion that the stork be declared the official bird, but this met opposition by several who declared this bird was going out of style. The measure was finally advanced without opposition.

Fear Bill Too Stringent.

Final action was delayed on the advancement of H. R. 98, a bill defining the conditions under which a state bank may be declared insolvent, when Senator Dwight Griswold objected that the provisions might be too stringent for safety. Under the provisions of the measure a bank could be declared insolvent and could be closed when the actual cash market value of its assets are insufficient to pay the liabilities, when the bank is unable to meet the demands of its creditors, when the bank fails to make good its reserve as required by law, and when the stockholders fail to make good the impaired capital of the bank.

Although Griswold said he was in favor of more strict regulation, he feared that the broad provisions of the bill as they now stand would permit an official of the trade and commerce department, who might build a grandeur or wish to play politics, to close up a bank without giving it a chance to comply with the requirements.

Senators Woods and Griswold succeeded in killing H. R. 209, which would permit the publication of a bank statement in a newspaper, in another measure than that in which the bank was located if the newspaper was published within ten miles of the bank.

An Opening Wedge.

They argued that if passed the bill would be an opening wedge toward breaking down the present laws regulating the publication of legal notices.

Their bills advanced to third reading during the morning were:

S. F. No. 188—Provides for exemption from inheritance tax of personal property owned by non-resident decedents to transferees except tangible property having actual situs in the state.

H. R. No. 234—Provides that county treasurers be paid from warrants drawn on the county general fund instead of from fees.

S. F. No. 140—A bank code law suggested by the American Bankers' association to simplify and expedite the collection of items in transit, checks on other than local banks, etc.

Correct An Error. H. R. 109—Correcting typographical errors in present law by increasing legal weight of a bushel of barley from 24 to 48 pounds.

H. R. 161—Adding trucks and motor transportation companies to that provision of the law relating to the shipment companies to that provision of the law relating to the shipment of branded hides, which defines a common carrier.

H. R. 202—Amends the present law designating what associations and societies may incorporate to include state agricultural associations and to further read "and other societies" as relating to societies which have been or may be originated in the state.

H. R. 371—Increasing the indemnity to be paid by the state for any grade animal or pure bred animal which must be destroyed under the bovine tuberculosis eradication law.

H. R. 380—Requiring content of nitrogen in commercial fertilizer to be shown on container labels.

Fixes Length of Day. S. F. No. 295—Limits a day's labor to eight hours in the absence of a contract. Does not apply to farm labor.

S. F. No. 96—Authorizes banks and trust companies to refuse payment of checks presented on 7 or more after drawing. H. R. 99—Reduces from 7 to 5 per cent per annum interest rates on all warrants or orders issued by any county, city, township, school district

Are You Saving Money Also?

Hundreds of people of Plattsmouth and vicinity have been enjoying the saving in cash which the system of Plattsmouth's newest Cash and Carry Store has made possible. Do not fail to be one of them and save money on every purchase made. We offer for

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

- PORK AND BEANS—Van Camp's med. size cans, three cans for 25c
- SWEET POTATOES—Large size cans, Chase's brand, per can 14c
- SARDINES—Portola brand; Mustard or tomato pack, per can 11c

Have you tried our Whipping Cream for your Sunday dinner? It will pay you to try it. The price is only 15c per half pint bottle.

The People's Market!

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or municipal subdivision except school district in metropolitan cities and cities of the first class.

S. F. No. 127—Provides for the adoption of a code of safety rules to apply to all places of employment within the state and requires regular inspection by the department of labor.

Removes Danger of Flood.

Greybull, Wyo.—A blinding snow storm of blizzard proportions, general Tuesday in the Basin territory had alleviated the threat of another immediate flood from the Big Horn river which has menaced Greybull and other nearby towns since Saturday. There still was a foot of water on the streets in the southern part of Greybull. The return of freezing temperatures, however, had resulted in a diminished flow of the stream and the water gradually was receding from town.

Altho snow and colder weather has aided in bringing temporary relief from flood waters, eventually it will mean possibly more trouble. The snowfall in the Big Horn basin this season has been the heaviest in years and new flakes will add volume to the rush of water that will come when warm weather sets in again.

A dyke is being built in the southern part of Greybull which, when connected is expected to handle any overflow.

The water supply was cut off in Basin Tuesday by dirt carried by the flood waters into the intake. Workmen were engaged in cleaning out the clogged pipe and it was believed water would be available by tonight. Greybull was not affected.

About sixty destitute persons were cared for by Greybull and Basin residents Monday night and given food and shelter.—State Journal.

ABLE TO PICK OUT ROBBER

Chicago—Lee Way, Chinese laundryman, has a way of striking while the iron is hot, so George Page, twenty-six, faced a robbery charge Saturday night. Learning that a robbery suspect had been arrested, Lee Way hastened to the police station. The suspect was lined up with five other men for identification.

"I don't know what he looks like," Lee Way answered. I have to measure first.

Then he unwrapped a package and took out a flatiron while the police gaped. Lee Way calmly walked back of the row of suspects and stopped behind page. He lifted the iron and placed it against a scorching part of the overcoat.

"Yes, that's the man," Lee beamed.

He explained that when Page tried to rob him he chased him and pressed the hot iron against his coat as he fled. The scorch tallied with the iron.

REBEL GENERAL EXECUTED

Vera Cruz—A dispatch to El Dietamen from Alvaro says says General Langunes, who launched an uprising against the government on the Sotavento coast was captured and executed by government forces commanded by General Juzgado. General Langunes, the dispatch states, was caught at Alvarado, south of here, and convicted by a court-martial of having conspired to aid General Aguirre, now fleeing southward after retreating from Vera Cruz. Federal troops are continuing their pursuit of General Aguirre's band, the newspaper declares, and have captured some prisoners.