

### City Election One of Quietest in Many Years

Conversion of City Warrants Carries Strong—Frank Cloyd and Mrs. Mann on School Board.

Tuesday was election day in this city, altho the fact had apparently escaped the attention of a large part of the voters, the vote being the lightest in many years and little interest shown.

In all but one ward there were no contests for councilmen and this aided in the lack of interest. In the third ward Fred Lugsch and County Assessor W. H. Puls were petition candidates for the council and with the veteran Puls a winner 141 to 61.

The other members of the council selected were the present occupants who were re-elected, Frank M. Bestor in the first ward; W. C. Tippens, in the second; C. D. Palmer in the fourth and E. O. Vroman in the fifth ward.

There was considerable interest shown in the election of the members of the board of education, a large number of the ladies of the city having been active in the candidacy of Mrs. Pearl M. Mann, former instructor in the high school, who polled a strong vote even in the small number that were voting. Frank A. Cloyd, secretary of the board and who has served for several terms, was returned also by the voters as an expression of his excellent work.

The question of the conversion of \$45,000 of city registered warrants now drawing from five to seven per cent, into low interest rate bonds, was submitted to the voters, carrying by a large margin over the needed sixty per cent and will now make it possible to carry out the issuance of the bonds that it is estimated will save the city from \$700 to \$1,000 in interest each year.

The vote on the city bonds was as follows in the unofficial count:

	Not For	Against
1st ward	121	17
2nd ward	79	32
3rd ward	142	50
4th ward	62	18
5th ward	46	3
	450	140

The vote for members of the board of education in the various wards was as follows:

	Cloyd	Lutz	Conant	Mann
1st ward	56	55	29	83
2nd ward	59	53	49	65
3rd ward	115	91	59	101
4th ward	46	43	32	48
5th ward	47	42	27	28
	323	284	227	325

The vote for councilmen in the various wards was as follows:

1st ward—Bestor, 101.
2nd ward—Tippens, 113.
3rd ward—Puls, 141; Lugsch, 61.
4th ward—Palmer, 82.
5th ward—Vroman, 71.

### Plainsmen Map Work to Check Black Blizzards

Government Agencies Join Farmers in Projects to Halt Duststorms; Numerous Reasons Given.

Kansas City—Government agencies are united with weather beaten farmers and stockman in a fight to check crop destroying dust storms, the rising menace of the high plains country.

Soil erosion control by terracing, shelter belt tree plantings, lake and pond projects, deep furrowing and encouragement of moisture retaining grasses is presented as a mighty challenge to further inroads of drought and wind.

The hope is to halt southwestern losses which agricultural statisticians thus far have been able to estimate only at "many millions of dollars."

Kansas is to begin soon, perhaps, next week, a spectacular effort to control drifting soil by deep listing. Residents of affected regions in Colorado, Oklahoma, Texas and Nebraska were busy with furrowing and other schemes to give relief that tree belts could provide only in later years.

To the north, the condition of the Dakotas and Minnesota apparently was better than last year, greater winter moisture giving crops and grasses a start.

**Tractors Mobilized.**

Twenty thousand private tractors and three-share listers were ready to begin banding Kansas with three furrow stripes which according to Governor Landon, will halt for this season, at least, the gigantic storms which have drifted millions of tons of drouth parched soil over roads, cities, wheat fields and pastures and sent it high into the air to blanket faraway regions. A \$250,000 appropriation from FERA was approved tentatively by Lawrence Westbrook, assistant administrator in charge of drouth relief.

Reasons advanced for the storms are numerous. Western range cattlemen assert plowing up of Buffalo grass in semiarid areas by homesteaders caused them.

William Allen White, noted Kansas editor, declares them to be an indirect result of the world war, when vast acreages were plowed for wheat growing, then abandoned as wheat prices crashed.

Against this is testimony of historians that 100 years ago, before there was an acre of plowed land west of the Missouri river, explorers were harassed, befogged and sometimes killed by billows of dust which swept up out of nowhere.

**Black Blizzards of 1933.**

The present cycle of black and yellow blizzards seemed to begin in earnest in the spring of 1933. Throughout April of 1933, successive storms harassed the Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas area, but they ceased with the coming of May and the midwestern populace was only mildly interested.

A year later, on May 11, 1934, high winds scooped up thousands of tons of soil from Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, Missouri, the Dakotas and Kansas and hurried it eastward. May 12, the weather observers reported the dust pall covered the nation from Iowa to New York and from Tennessee to the St. Lawrence river.

There was occasional breathing spells during the thirty days that followed, but drouth ridden farmers begin to realize they had a problem.

Consequently, when the record dust storms of 1935 began, the area was not wholly prepared, but was still lacking in resources to cope with them.

#### HEIRESS LEAVES HUSBAND

San Antonio, Tex.—Annie Gould doesn't live here any more. She has gone to Florida, leaving behind in their modest home the young Texan, Frank Meador, who quit a ranch for Broadway and came back with the pretty New York heiress as his bride.

Sharply, the young bank employe told about it when asked concerning their oft-rumored separation: "It's old stuff. We've been separated for a month."

Meador, whose romantic early morning elopement with Miss Gould, great granddaughter of the railroad builder, caused a Christmas season stir in New York society, went back to his bank job and would say no more.

#### EIGHT MILE GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, April 7  
9:30 a. m. Sunday school reopens.  
10:30 a. m. German services.

Journal ads bring you news of timely bargains. Read them!

### Dance AT CEDAR CREEK Saturday Night, April 6 Everybody Welcome

### Red Cross Plans to Aid Gardens for the Needy

Movement to Aid in the Relief Program Is Formulated at Meeting at Weeping Water.

The Cass county chapter of the American Red Cross, March 29, held a meeting at the office of the Farm Bureau in Weeping Water to formulate a garden project among the needy families throughout the county as their contribution to the relief which is being met by local resources without state or federal aid.

The three county commissioners, Fred H. Gorder, E. B. Chapman and Julius Pitz attended the meeting and gave information as to needs existing in their districts. Farm Bureau Agent D. D. Wainwright and Miss Jessie H. Baldwin, Home Extension agent, acted as advisors in the working out of the program.

Miss C. Augusta Robb of Union, chapter chairman gave out the statement following the meeting that plans were perfected to assist all families in need with garden seed through Red Cross organization composed of a local representative in each district which wish benefit by the program.

Mrs. Henry A. Tool, of Murdock, secretary-treasurer of the chapter, will be responsible for receiving all authorized bills for payment.

L. M. Williamson, Red Cross field representative, was present and suggested details.

### Number of Corn-Hog Contracts Large

Officials Estimate That the Acreage of State Is Slightly Above That of 1934.

Approximately the same number of Nebraska farmers who participated in the 1934 corn-hog program will again hold 1935 contracts, it was estimated Monday as the deadline for accepting contract applications passed. The acreage under contract is expected to be slightly greater, and Nebraska is expected to lead all corn-belt states in numbers signed in proportion to last year.

Altho final figures in the AAA program will not be available for several days, Elton Lux, extension editor at the college of agriculture, estimated that 87,000 applications had been completed by nightfall while another 4,000 to 5,000 were signed but incomplete. There were approximately 90,000 contracts in Nebraska last year.

"The signing was the heaviest in the south Platte territory from Saline county west," Lux said. Herman Hanke, Itasca, a member of the state corn-hog committee, also estimated the sign-up as about the same as last year. County offices, he said, signed increased numbers of applications in the past few days.

More than 10,835 farmers who did not hold 1934 contracts have signed applications, reports from outstate indicate. This number is expected to increase to 12,000 when final reports are completed. More than 65,000 farmers indicated they wanted their land signed up the same as last year.

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### Stage Set for Boy Scout Circus Friday Night

Final Arrangements Being Made for Arbor Lodge District Show—Local Scouts Take Part.

Final arrangements, perfected at a meeting of the general committee Monday night and another of event directors Wednesday night, will pave the way for the Arbor Lodge district Scout Circus to be held Friday night at Nebraska City.

A group of four Scout committee members went to Nebraska City last evening for the committee meeting, and Wednesday night L. S. Devoe, director of staging and the "Out of the Ark" number, and Raymond Larson, director of avalation, will attend the meeting of directors.

This is the first time such an event has ever been attempted outside the large cities in twenty-five years of Scouting.

Scouts from Plattsmouth will participate in the show, which is scheduled to start at 8:15, following a half hour's band concert. A goodly number of tickets have been sold here and it is urged that all ticket holders be at the Memorial building in Nebraska City not later than 8 o'clock, as remaining spectator space will be placed on sale at the door at that hour.

Arrangements have been made to give preference to out of town visitors who buy tickets on advance sale, but no seating room will be reserved after 8 o'clock.

The show will last a full hour and a half. The grand entry, following a prologue that depicts the origin of Scouting will bring into the hall the district officers, troop committeemen, Scoutmasters, assistant Scoutmasters and Scouts from ten active troops of the district, and from that time on one act will follow another in rapid succession, ending with the heavy pioneering act that requires the most time of all to arrange—twelve minutes.

The district committee is being assisted with the arrangements by executives of the Cornhusker council, who have had extensive experience in producing circuses in the larger cities and are now engaged in preparation for one at Lincoln to be held early in May. In addition, visitors will be present from the Covered Wagon area at Omaha, where preparations are also under way for a circus early in May, as well as from Grand Island, at which place an open air circus is to be staged within the next month—the second ever to be held outside the large cities.

Those who have purchased tickets are urged to attend and to be on hand in ample time to insure getting good seats.

#### NEW SOLO FLIGHT RECORD

Lympne, Eng.—H. L. Brook, British aviator, landed here at 3:55 Sunday afternoon setting a new record for a solo flight from Australia to England. He left Port Darwin, Australia, at 8:05 a. m., March 23, completing the journey in an elapsed time of 7 days, 19 hours and 50 minutes. The previous unofficial record, held by C. J. Melrose, an Australian, was 8 days and 9 hours, established last September. The official time for Capt. James Mollison, who set a record in 1931, was 8 days, 22 hours.

#### HOLD PLANS TO FORECLOSE

Omaha.—G. B. Robertson, branch manager of the Omaha district of the Home Owners Loan corporation, announced Tuesday that foreclosure suits would be filed shortly against forty to fifty borrowers who are in default.

"The great majority of the 5,000 having loans in Douglas, Sarpy, Saunders and Washington counties have paid promptly," Robertson said, "but a few have refused to make payments on the mistaken assumption that they can do so without penalty."

#### ATTEND FLOWER SHOW

From Wednesday's Daily  
Mrs. Georgia Creamer and Mrs. Frank Slagel of south of this city were here today to spend a few hours while en route to the National Flower Show at Omaha where they expect to spend the day and also to visit with friends.

#### ACCEPTS NEW POSITION

John F. Creamer of this city has just accepted a position with the J. B. Watkins Co., and is expecting to start at once on his work for the company in all parts of the county. Mr. Creamer has a large acquaintance over the county and should be able to make a great success of the venture.

### Nehawka

Bert Jamison, the auto salesman, was looking after some business in Nehawka last Saturday.

Glen Rutledge was called to Nebraska City last Monday to look after some business matters.

Dr. Henry Walter has traded his old car in on a new Buick and is well pleased with the new vehicle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kruger and family were visiting at the home of his brother, Lyle Kruger, last Sunday.

Fred Nutzman was a visitor in Avoca one day last week, going over to look after some matters of business.

Ray Becker, of Union, was a business visitor in Nehawka on Monday of this week. Ray has just opened a bulk oil station at Union.

Eugene Nutzman was in Union and at the stone quarries on the river east of there Monday, having some business matters to look after.

Miss Ruth Palmer, who is a teacher in the schools at Johnson, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Palmer, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buchholz, of Palmyra, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaede of Unadilla were visiting their parents, Lyle Kruger and family, last Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Anderson was assisting at the store while her brother, J. H. Steffens, was at Lorton last Monday to assist his father with some book work at the bank.

Little Lonnie Kunz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kunz, who has been down with the flu for a week, is now so far recovered that he is able to return to school.

J. M. Palmer was looking after business at the elevator during the time Mr. Rough was over to the hospital at Lincoln, where he took his wife for treatment.

Mark Burton, caretaker of the Nehawka schools, was making some repairs on the roof of the section house where George Paulis lives, as the roof has been leaking around the chimney.

John O. Yeiser and family, of Omaha, were in Nehawka over the week end, visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sturm. On their return home Sunday, they were accompanied by Mrs. Sturm, who visited the flower show Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Steffens, who has been at St. Mary's hospital in Nebraska City receiving treatment, has been showing good improvement and last Sunday was able to return to her home in Nehawka, being greatly pleased that she could be back home among her friends and that she was making such good improvement.

J. H. Steffens went to Lorton last Monday to assist his father, C. Steffens with the balancing of the books at the bank and the preparation of the quarterly statement for publication. The father is well advanced in years and his eye sight not so good, and he appreciates the assistance his son gives at frequent intervals on the book work at the bank.

#### Visited Here Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacob Stones, accompanied by the parents of Mr. Stones, John Stones and wife, came down Sunday from their home near Murray, and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burton, the parents of Mrs. Stones, Jr. A splendid visit was enjoyed also a most delectable noon-day meal.

#### Underwent Severe Operation

Gilbert Edmonds and family were in Lincoln last Sunday, being called there on account of an operation that was performed on a sister of Mrs. Edmonds. The operation was one of great severity and following the operation the patient was so weak it was found necessary to provide a blood transfusion. The following day she was still in a very precarious condition and Mrs. Edmonds went over to remain at her bedside during her critical illness.

#### Has a Very Nifty Place

Frank Lemon, the barber, has been having the interior of his barber shop painted and decorated and now has one of the very neatest of shops to be found anywhere in this section.

Passing of Mrs. Harmon August  
Susan H. McGinnis, daughter of Rachel and John McGinnis, was born February 26, 1847, in Mercer county, Pennsylvania, and passed away at the home of her son, William, March 25, 1935, at the age of 88 years and 27 days.

She was married to Harmon August of Leetonia, Ohio, February 24, 1870, at Bethel, Penn. In 1875, they moved west to Hebron, Iowa, living there until December, 1881, when they came to Nebraska, settling near Nehawka, living in or near this town

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the remainder of their lives, except for fifteen years spent at Jericho Springs, Missouri. The later years were spent with their children, her husband passing away at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lewis Plybon, on December 16, 1931.

To this union six children were born, two girls and four boys. Two of these, Jessie and Edwin, preceded her in death. Surviving are Alice and William, of Nehawka, Albert, of Fremont, and Earl, of Laurel, Nebr. Besides these she leaves one sister, Mrs. Lizzie Summerson of Emonton, Pa., 19 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and many other relatives and friends.

She was a life long and faithful member of the Methodist church.

Funeral services were held from the M. E. church in Nehawka Thursday, March 28th, at 2:00 p. m., conducted by W. A. Taylor, of Union, a friend of many years. Scripture and prayer by Rev. Otto Engebretson, pastor of the Nehawka U. B. church. Interment was in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery. A profusion of flowers attested the high esteem in which the deceased was held by her friends and neighbors of so many years' standing.

**Mrs. Rough Not So Well**  
Mrs. Stewart Rough, who has been home for the past month, was not feeling so well last week and so returned to the hospital to receive treatment. It has not been determined as yet whether she will have to undergo another operation or not. She has been at the hospital since Thursday and Mr. Rough has been there much of the time seeking information as to her condition and remaining at her bedside.

**Participating in Scout Circus**  
Nehawka Scouts are participating in the Arbor Lodge district Scout Circus to be held at Nebraska City on Friday evening.

In addition to the various "acts" in which they will take part, Supt. Stimbart, Scoutmaster, in company with Supt. Devoe of Plattsmouth will have charge of the comedy act, "Out of the Ark," featuring an array of animals of all kinds and descriptions.

A number of local folks have purchased tickets to the show, and it is urged that all these be present at the Memorial building in Nebraska City not later than 8 o'clock, as unclaimed seats will be placed on sale at the door at that hour. The circus begins at 8:15, following a half hour of band music, and lasts a full hour and a half with one act following another in rapid succession.

**Methodist Church Services.**  
At the Methodist church here, there is held Bible school every Sunday morning at 10:15. Preaching by the pastor at 11:30. The Nehawka Brotherhood meets the third Tuesday evening each month.

At Weeping Water the Brotherhood meets on the second Thursday evening of the month. Visitors from Nehawka welcome at all times, as

well as to the Weeping Water church services which include preaching at 10, Bible school at 11, E. L. at 6:30 and the evening preaching service at 7:30.—Rev. E. S. Pangborn, Pastor.

#### United Brethren in Christ

Rev. Otto Engebretson  
NEHAWKA CHURCH  
Bible church school 10 a. m.  
Evening Gospel service, 7:30.  
Mid-week Prayer and Praise meeting Wednesday evening.  
The Woman's Society will be entertained by Mrs. A. Dean.  
Children's meeting Wednesday at 4:15 p. m.  
Young People's Gospel League Friday evening at 7:30.

On Sunday evening, April 14 the orchestra and choir will give a half hour musical program. We enjoyed the music given on Sunday evening.

#### OTTERBEIN CHURCH

Bible church school 10 a. m.  
Morning worship service at 11.  
Prayer and Praise meeting Thursday evening.  
The Int. C. E. and choir rehearsal will be held on Thursday evening at the Douglas home.  
The Woman's Society will meet on Thursday, April 11.

"The soul that sinneth shall die."  
The blood of Jesus cleanse us from all sin.

#### NOTICE

All citizens and tax-payers residing within Eight Mile Grove precinct are hereby notified to meet on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the Hell school house (District No. 88) for the purpose of considering and submitting work relief projects in Eight Mile Grove precinct.

All are invited to attend and submit any suggestions you may have that will result in improvements and general benefit to the citizens of the precinct. Please call your neighbors and urge them to attend.

This meeting is called at the request of the county committee appointed to devise projects to absorb unemployment and to relieve the present county relief load.

FRANK SALBERG,  
Precinct Chairman.

#### SUFFERING FROM COLD

Paul Vandervoort, city weighmaster, is confined to his home as the result of a severe cold that he has had for several days and which has become such as to prevent his usual activities.

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