

Weeping Water

The tank which was dug up at the Handy filling station after it had been repaired has been installed again.

Ernest Jamison was looking after some business matters in Avoca last Tuesday, also visiting with friends while there.

Earle A. Oldham was in Omaha Tuesday with a load of produce and on the return trip brought back a load of feed and other goods.

Mrs. Guy Lake and daughter, Miss Maxine of Lincoln and Mrs. Louis Bradley were visiting in Weeping Water last Friday with Miss Agnes Rough.

Ross Shopshire and the family who have made their home in Weeping Water for many years, last week moved to Omaha to make their home in the future.

Clifton Jones and wife of Lincoln were guests for the afternoon and evening last Sunday at the home of the parents of Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Jones.

Art Rough and wife and Miss Agnes Rough were over to Lincoln last Monday where they were looking after some business matters and as well were visiting with relatives.

Among those who purchased Maytag washers during the past week were M. B. Honor of near Nehawka and Earl Freeman of near Avoca, while they were in Weeping Water.

G. R. Binger and John Bolz have both been struggling with cases of hay fever or summer flu which have a portion of the time kept these gentlemen in their bed, but they are at this time feeling better.

Dennis Oldham was a visitor at Syracuse on Tuesday of this week where he was looking after some business in the trucking line and as he has recently purchased a new stock truck is now seeking employment in that line.

J. A. Chapman and son, Tommy of Lincoln who a number of years ago was engaged in the drug business in Avoca and later in the same business at Union, but who has since been making his home in Lincoln, was looking after some business matters in Weeping Water. Mr. Chapman has purchased the J. J. Mejer drug store, taking immediate possession, and will move to Weeping Water.

Miss Reba Stock who is employed by the Rudge and Gunzel company in their Weeping Water office, was a visitor in Plattsouth at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Waga south of that city last Tuesday afternoon, where she was looking after some matters in connection with the sale of the Maytag washer.

A. I. Bickford, a long time resident of Weeping Water, has been in very poor health for some time and is still so and to add to the many troubles of the family, their son, Melvin Bickford, was taken with an attack of appendicitis and has been taken to the University hospital at Omaha where he recently underwent an operation for removal of the appendix and is reported as getting on very nicely since the operation.

Joe Bender, who has been located at Sioux City for the past more than two years where he has been engaged in business, has disposed of the same and last week moved to Weeping Water where he with the family now are located. He has accepted a position with the Knude Jensen Market and is now working there. Joe is well known here and has many friends who will be pleased that he has returned to Weeping Water.

Signs for County School.

Miss Donna Lee Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baker, who taught in Kansas last year, at Reserve, has been offered a number of schools since returning home. Miss Donna Lee is attending summer school and was a visitor home for over last Sunday and while here accepted the offer as teacher at Factoryville which is a few miles from Union and is the school which teaches the scholars now living in the vicinity of the former manufacturing town of southeastern Cass county, for a number of years a very lively little manufacturing frontier town, but now like some twenty-nine others in the county, is only a ghost town. As Nehawka got their mill which is located on the historic Weeping Water and most of the business houses went to Union when that town was organized and the Missouri Pacific railway was built. The residence was mostly torn down and moved to other places. Once there was a high school and manufacturing plant there.

Daily Vacation Bible School.

One of the needs of the times is a knowledge of the Bible and the conducting of a Daily Vacation Bible school is one avenue to impart that knowledge to the people and a good way for those who are needing the knowledge to get it.

We are pleased by the manner in which this is being handled in Weeping Water.

ing Water. At the Methodist church is a school whose scope is the teaching of the primary pupils of the common schools, and the teaching of the more advanced pupils in the common schools is being provided at the Congregational church, thus both churches co-operating in the conduct of the Bible teaching.

The Presbyterian and Christian Bible schools of Murray have recently closed a Bible school conducted by the co-operation of the two schools at Murray and with excellent results. We are hoping the same fine results may be attained in Weeping Water.

Visited in Plattsouth.

Postmaster Sterling Amick and the family, accompanied by Mr. Amick's mother, Mrs. Nettie Amick, were guests at the home of the parents of Mrs. Sterling Amick, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Engelkemeler of Plattsouth last Sunday where all enjoyed the day splendidly and as well an excellent dinner.

Will Have Charge of Services.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church of Weeping Water, will have charge of the preaching hour at the Methodist church of Weeping Water the coming Sunday and will provide the worship with an excellent program. Better come and see what the world is needing and what these brave and courageous women are doing for the reclaiming of the world for Christ.

Visiting in the West.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hobson departed last week for the west, going first to Los Angeles where they visited with relatives for a time and later to San Francisco where they also have relatives and friends, and are now spending some time at Seattle, Washington where they will visit for some time and will later decide whether they will sail for Hawaii, as they had considered going, but have not fully decided.

Vacation in the West.

Knude Jensen and family departed last Tuesday for the Pacific coast, where they will visit at numerous places and see the country there at its best. The store is left in charge of Oscar Nelson, Joe Bender and Miss Agatha Colbert.

Engages in Business.

J. Johnsen who has been in the employ of the Knude Jensen market for some time past, has severed his connection with that institution and has purchased the meat market department of the C. H. Gibson store which has been conducted by another man in the past and has taken charge of this line of work there.

Found Streets Congested.

Ralph Keckler and wife were visiting last Monday at Manley, where the hustling citizens there feature a moving picture, free to everybody every Monday night and which draws many people from over the county to enjoy the free open air concerts and movie shows which are presented. He says it was almost impossible to cross the street and was dangerous as well from the rapidly moving autos.

Injured in Car Crash.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Livingston, of Yakima, Washington, met up with a severe auto accident Wednesday at a point some two miles north of Elmwood, just as they were starting back to their home in the west after a most pleasant visit of some three weeks' duration here and in Chicago. As a result of the accident, their car was badly demolished and they were cut and bruised, their return trip to the west being delayed. At the time they were headed for Lincoln, where they expected to visit over night before starting out for the west early Thursday morning. The car with which they collided was driven by Kenneth Wiles, being occupied by himself and wife and mother, Mrs. Arthur Wiles and a two months' old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wiles.

Their car was also badly damaged as a result of the impact and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wiles received minor cuts and bruises, while Grandmother Mrs. Arthur Wiles was the more seriously injured, as she sought to protect the little baby who was in a basket sleeping, when the crash came, receiving numerous bad cuts as well as being badly bruised. The little baby came out uninjured and was scarcely awakened, however.

Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Lee were summoned from Murdock and treated the injured parties at the scene of the crash, caring for them in such manner that they were able to go on their way. It was fortunate that none of them were severely injured or killed.

It will be recalled that Mr. and Mrs. Livingston came here for a visit from their home in the west 2 weeks ago and were honored guests at a family reunion and dinner at

AVOCA NEWS

Dorothy Gollner was home from Omaha to enjoy a week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gollner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rebers and daughter, Alma were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCann last Sunday.

Dr. J. W. Brendel was called to Lincoln Tuesday of this week to look after some professional business matters for the day.

Mrs. Alice Bassett of Nebraska City has been visiting for a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corbin was called to Murdock by the illness of a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Corbin remaining for some days while Mr. Corbin returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Thomas and two daughters of Shenandoah were here last Sunday visiting with the father and brother of Mrs. Thomas, Postmaster W. H. Bogaard and son, Clyde.

Edwin Schumaker and Wm. Obernault, both of Nehawka, were in Avoca and south of town last Tuesday where they were building a chimney on the property of Mr. Schumaker.

Cyrus Everett cleaned up the Avoca cemetery and made it look very fine with the grass nicely cropped and the flowers blooming and made it a beautiful place and attractive to the travelers going by.

Henry Huntmen shipped a car load of cattle from Avoca to the Kansas City Market Tuesday of this week, accompanying them to see them sold. The cattle were fine and should bring the top price at the market.

Marion Pittman at this time is taking his vacation from the work of carrying the country mails and with the wife is enjoying a trip. The mail is being carried by Ed Morley during the time Mr. Pittman is away.

A large crowd of the countryside and some from a distance were in Avoca last Tuesday to enjoy the first of a series of picture shows which is to feature the entertainment of Avoca in its out of doors amusements.

Elmer Hennings, the accommodating barber of Avoca, was over to Otoe where his friend, Max Straub, jr., is recovering from injuries sustained in an auto wreck, an account of which will be found in another column of this paper and shaved his friend, finding him showing improvement and hoping to soon be out again.

Remembered His Friend.

When Paul Ottens left his native land, Germany, many years ago like many young immigrants, brought to America an outfit which would stand him well in keeping his personal appearance and among which was a razor which had been in the family for many years, and which he had kept during his more than fifty years in this country. Much of the time he shaved himself and since his residence in Avoca had occasion to have the razor touched up, which was done by his friend, Elmer Hennings. The two gentlemen became fast friends. When the time came for Mr. Ottens to go, to leave this world, he communicated to the family that he desired Mr. Henning to have his razor, which was presented to him after the death of Mr. Ottens. Mr. Hennings prizes the razor highly, but the friendship of his friend much more.

Visiting in Dakota.

Robert L. Propst of Lake Worth, Florida, father of Mrs. E. J. Hallstrom, arrived in Avoca last week and accompanied by Mrs. Hallstrom and the children, departed for Mitchell, South Dakota, early this week where they are visiting at the home of another daughter, Mrs. Maude Test where they will visit for some time. Mrs. Test is to celebrate the passing of her wedding anniversary this week.

Entertained for Friends.

Mrs. Fred Marquardt was hostess on Wednesday to a number of her friends from Louisville at her home in Avoca where a very pleasant day was had and a very fine dinner as well. There were there for the occasion Mrs. Berdella Stander, mother of Mrs. Marquardt, Mrs. Gertrude White, sister of Mrs. Marquardt, Mrs. Ben Doan and Mrs. F. H. Nichols, all of Louisville.

the home of his brother, Cyrus Livingston, two weeks ago, afterwards going to Chicago for a visit and returning here on Tuesday to remain over night at the homes of Cyrus and H. J. Livingston, before leaving Wednesday for their home in the west.

Grover Livingston is a former Cass county boy, having been born near Louisville and remained in this county until 25 years of age, when he went to the state of Washington to make his home.

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Seeks Federal Aid in Fighting Grasshopper

Governor Cochran to Asks Speedy Help—Other Pests Reported Not Serious.

Governor Cochran said Sunday he would seek immediate federal aid against the imminent grasshopper infestation in Nebraska. The resettlement administration was mentioned as a possible source of assistance for farmers whose fields are threatened.

The governor said reports indicated serious grasshopper invasions in all sections of the state and even worse conditions in the Dakotas. Requests for help will be dispatched to Washington officials Monday.

There are no state funds available to assist in fighting the hoppers, and farmers have been advised to purchase poison at their own expense.

Nebraska farmers have nothing to fear from other insect pests at the present time, however, O. S. Bare, extension entomologist of the University of Nebraska college of agriculture, said Sunday night.

Altho weather conditions are favorable for the increase of Nebraska's regular crop destroyers, reports indicate conditions are not serious and give no signs of becoming serious, Bare said.

Farmers have reported a few chinch bugs in southern and southeastern counties, but the infestations are light and scattered. The worst chinch bug counties are Nemaha, Pawnee and Jefferson. Most of the bugs are invading barley fields, the entomologist said. Unless there are untoward developments, Bare said he expected little difficulty in combating the bugs.

Red Spider Seen.

If hot, dry weather continues the red spider may make itself known, particularly in the western end of the state. Box Butte county farmers have sighted the pest in spots and have made preparations to check its advance.

The red spider, which thrives between the middle of July and the middle of August, attacks trees, shrubs and gardens. Bare said additional moisture in the infested area would check serious spider damage.

Other pests which have been seen in scattered areas are the melon aphid which attacks melons, cucumbers and similar crops; the squash bug and the striped cucumber beetle. These three bugs, however, are expected annually and indications are their existence this season is only about average. The college has received no word of hessian flies as yet. The fly thrives mostly in cool, damp weather.

Rain would halt the invasion of most of the pests from which Nebraska crops suffer. The grasshopper threat remains imminent, however. The entomologist said in a recent visit to Cass county he found excellent co-operation among farmers who attended mass meetings in attempts to organize a stop-grasshopper campaign.

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Nehawka

George Trunkenbolz was looking after business matters here Monday. Robert Troop and wife, of Syracuse, were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop last Sunday.

Jean Burton was at Palmyra over the week end, visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burton.

Tommy Troop and sister, Lois, drove to Lincoln Saturday in order that Miss Lois might take her vocal lesson. They also attended a show.

Mrs. Z. W. Shrader, who has been in poor health for some time, was taken to the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln, where she is under observation and treatment.

Genevieve and Donald Rutledge, daughter and son of Glen Rutledge, were at Syracuse last Saturday and Sunday, where they visited their mother, Mrs. C. R. Troop, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Lloyd entertained at a party for their daughter, Nelle Jean, age 6, having a large number of her little friends present to enjoy the occasion.

Albert Anderson was looking after some business matters in Omaha on Monday and while he was away, Mr. Monday and while he was away, Mrs. Anderson was assisting with the work at the store.

Ray Creamer and Roy Gregg, who are working together, began cutting their wheat on Wednesday of this week, finding it fully ripened and ready for harvest.

George Sheldon and daughter, Miss Ruthann and J. H. Steffens and daughter Maxine were in Lincoln last Sunday, where they went to attend the passion play. They speak very highly of the drama.

Ole Olsen, of Weeping Water, was in Nehawka during the past week, looking over the field with a view to opening a stone quarry here and thus providing work for an additional number of unemployed men.

Edith Landergren, of Greenwood, who was in Nehawka for some time taking lessons in cream testing with Mrs. Susane Buskirk, went to Lincoln to take the required examination and was granted a certificate for testing cream. She is now operating a cream station at Murdock.

John Rough and wife, of Tekamah, were guests last Friday at the home of his brother, Stuart Rough of this place, going from here to Lincoln for a visit at the home of Mrs. Jacob Goehry, mother of Mrs. John Rough. The Goehry family formerly resided in Nehawka. Mr. Goehry conducting a blacksmith shop here for a good many years. They also visited with Arthur Rough of near Weeping Water before returning to their home at Tekamah.

Attended Dedicatory Services

While we were not able to get a complete list of Masons from here who attended the service on Sunday, June 14, at the old cemetery southwest of Nehawka, among them were Robert H. Chapman, James M. Palmer, Stuart Rough, Marion N. Tucker, Andrew F. Sturm, C. E. Stimbart, worshipful master of the lodge, C. D. Adams, W. A. Taylor, Joseph W. Banning, W. A. Ost, B. E. Summers, Edwin Schumacher, J. H. Steffens, J. J. Pollard, V. P. Sheldon, Raymond C. Pollard, J. J. Pollard, Nelson Berger and George A. Stites.

Little Son Dies in Omaha

Douglas, the four year old son of Mrs. Lester Waldo, who died at the hospital in Omaha last Saturday, was buried on Tuesday, the funeral being held there and interment was in an Omaha cemetery. A number of the relatives from Nehawka were present at the funeral.

Come to Nehawka July 4th

The American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary ladies are making preparations for the giving of a fine celebration on the 4th of July, and will have a carnival here at that time. All who come are assured of an excellent time as there will be something doing every minute of the day. Keep this in mind, and arrange to spend the 4th at Nehawka.

Two Lodges Join in Celebration

Away back in 1850, and even before that time, early settlements were being made in Cass county, there being some thirty townships, many of which have since passed out of the picture. One of these, Cassville, was located where the old Mt. Pleasant church and school now stands. Another was Waterville, located where Mr. Akin resides on the old Pollard homestead, now owned by J. J. Pollard. A man came from the east and established a mill on the banks of the Weeping Water, which was a much larger stream in those days before the land had been broken up and put to farming use, which takes

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a much greater amount of the rainfall than the unbroken prairie did.

The story goes that heavy rains brought flood waters that took part of the mill and damaged the dam of the building of which the man had a license from the government at Washington. He was discouraged at the loss when along came Lawson Sheldon and Isaac Pollard, who purchased the site and erected a mill thereon, the place being known as Waterville. This is practically where the town of Nehawka (meaning Weeping Water in the Indian language) now stands.

Other settlements sprung up about that time, one of them being in the vicinity of what is known as the Young cemetery (not the one near Murray, but on the county line about five miles southwest of Nehawka). This was about the year 1869.

Dr. A. Young, who was a physician and member of the Masonic order, was buried there, also his son some four years later.

Recently Will Ost, a member of the Masonic lodge here became interested in the matter and upon investigation found that Dr. Young was a Mason. A rude stone wall was laid around the place enclosing the graves, and this with a Masonic emblem buried in the ground with the passing years was about all that designated this spot as a burial ground, although a number of others were buried there. Arrangements were made whereby the Masonic lodges of Nehawka and Dunbar marked the graves of Mr. Young and his son, with a cement wall replacing the old stone one, and a slab of concrete connecting the graves, in which was set the Masonic emblem, to preserve it.

A memorial celebration had been arranged for Sunday, June 7, which is Masonic memorial day, but on account of bad weather, was postponed until Sunday, June 14, the two lodges joining in the memorial program that included a number of talks on pioneer days in Nebraska.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore, who is well versed in early Cass county history and an archeologist of note, gave a very interesting address covering the early times. Other speakers included Attorney Varro N. Tyler, of Nebraska City; Worshipful Masters Baker of Dunbar lodge and Stimbart of Nehawka lodge; Rev. W. A. Taylor of Union, and a Mr. Hershey of Nebraska City. There were about 160 present at the ceremonies.

As a result of the interest of these two sister lodges, this old cemetery, which had been neglected and converted into a pasture, will be cared for and perpetuated in the future. In all, there are about fifteen graves there, part of which are marked with stones of some sort.

One of the interesting stories retold concerns a man who was alleged to have traded a barrel of whiskey for a quarter section of Cass county land, and who considered that he had paid too much for the ground.

United Brethren in Christ. NEHAWKA CHURCH Bible church school 10 a. m. Evening gospel service at 8. Mr. Carlson will preach.

Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening. The Woman's Society will be entertained by Mrs. Burton Wednesday. The Young People will meet on Tuesday evening. The choir will also rehearse that evening.

OTTERBEIN CHURCH Bible church school 10 a. m. Morning worship service at 11. The Young People will meet at Guy Murdock's this week. The prayer meeting will be held

on Thursday evening. The Woman's Society will be entertained by Mrs. Engebretson on Thursday, July 2.

Our churches were blessed by the lectures of Dr. E. W. Raetz of China on Sunday. The services were well attended and a commendable offering given.

On Sunday, July 12, Bishop A. B. Statton of Kansas City, Mo., will speak at our churches. We will have three services on that day. A baptismal service will be held in the afternoon. Plan to be with us on that day.

"We walk by faith and not by sight."

PLATTSMOUTH NETTERS BEAT FALLS CITY, 6-2

Falls City, Neb., June 22.—The Plattsouth tennis team won from Falls City, 6 to 2, here Sunday. A return match will be played at Plattsouth July 12. Results:

Singles Ray Larson (P.), defeated Ernie White (F. C.), 6-4, 6-2; Jim Ramsey (F. C.) defeated Ralph Mason (P.), 6-1, 4-6, 6-3; George Sayles (P.), defeated Claude Ramsey (F. C.) 6-2, 6-1; Sheldon Giles (P.), defeated John Falter (F. C.), 6-0, 7-5; James Comstock (P.), defeated Walter Juergensen (F. C.) 6-1, 6-4; Floyd Shanholz (P.), defeated Vance Ramsey (F. C.), 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Doubles Sayles-Giles (P.), defeated C. Ramsey-Walter (F. C.), 6-4, 6-1; White-Juergensen (F. C.), defeated Larson-Mason (P.), 6-1, 3-6, 6-4.

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