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Weeping Water

John E. Johnson the blacksmith was called to Nehawka last Monday to look after some business matters for a short time.

Ralph Keckler has purchased a 1937 Chevrolet. W. L. Hobson has a new Buick, and Harold Meyers is waiting for a Buick, which has not yet arrived.

John Cole and family were enjoying a very pleasant visit at the home of the parents of Mrs. Cole, Wm. Peters and family on Christmas day and an excellent dinner.

Miss Agnes Rough was a visitor with her niece, Mrs. Martin Ross near Nehawka for a day during the fore part of this week where she enjoyed the visit very much.

John M. Callahan selected as the Christmas present for the entire family one of the 1937 LaFayette automobiles, which makes a very merry Christmas for the entire family.

Mrs. Myrtle Stock and two daughters,

Misses Reba and Vera were guests for Christmas day and an excellent dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson in the country.

W. P. Sitzman and wife were guests for Christmas day in Plattsmouth where they were enjoying a visit at the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gerbering.

Misses Mildred Hart and Anna Hart were guests for Christmas day at the home of the Hart Brothers and sister at the farm in the country and where all enjoyed the very fine Christmas that was featured by a very fine goose dinner.

Miss Clara Johnson, who operates the Johnson came and sister, Miss Doris were visiting in Friend last week end guests at the home of C. W. Johnson and wife for a few days. They found "Wally" remodeling his moving picture show.

Lawrence A. Wiseman and wife and Miss Mayme Hillman were over to Plattsmouth last Monday looking after some business matters and later were also looking after business in Lincoln, they making the round trip during the afternoon.

Chris Snell and family of South Omaha were visiting in Weeping Water for Christmas day and were guests with Henry Snell and family and as well with them were enjoying the family gathering at the home of S. Ray Smith on Christmas.

Rudolph Hart and family were guests for the day on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Grosser, for the celebration of Christmas and a very fine dinner. The ladies being sisters made the gathering the more enjoyable.

Will O. Johnson who has been at Newman Grove with his brother, Art Johnson, where he is operating a picture show, returned home last Saturday and has been visiting here since.

Our Greetings TO YOU

At this joyous season of the year, we are wishing all our friends and patrons a

Merry Christmas AND A Happy New Year

Rudge & Gunzel
O. O. Kimber, Manager
Weeping Water Store

Holiday Greetings TO OUR FRIENDS

It is our sincere wish that you may have Health, Happiness and a good, comfortable Home as well as many Friends to share your good fortune with you. At this joyous season of the year, we wish you

A Most Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

The Binger Lumber & Coal Co.
G. R. Binger Weeping Water

The Seasons Greetings

To All Our Patrons and Friends

We are wishing for you a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year . . . together with the opportunity of continuing to serve you in 1937.

The Quality Cleaners

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shields
WEEPING WATER, NEBR.

Wishing You . . . Our Patrons and Friends

A Most Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year Ahead

We hope the coming twelve months will bring Happiness, Health, Prosperity and Contentment to each and every one and trust we may be privileged to continue serving you economically during '37.

Weeping Water Variety Store
Elmer Michelsen

Bill, as he is better known, expects to embark in the movie business in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Young, making their home a number of miles east of Weeping Water entertained for Christmas and had as their guests the family of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schwere of Weeping Water, Mrs. Schwere being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Young, which added much to the enjoyment of the family gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Binger entertained on Christmas and had as their guests for the very fine dinner which was served, the parents of Mrs. Binger, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Letton and Mr. and Mrs. John Bolz of Weeping Water while Mr. Ralph Binger and the family of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fernbaugh of Lincoln also were members of the very pleasant gathering.

W. L. Hobson was kept busy with the ambulance, taking Chris Rasmussen to the hospital at Lincoln and with the funeral of Mrs. John Murray of Oklahoma which was held at Otterbein church Tuesday afternoon and again on Wednesday when he was called to bury Mrs. Mary Orton Smith who died recently in Omaha and was buried in Oakwood cemetery here.

Clifford Jones and family of Lincoln, where Mr. Jones is employed with the Burlington railroad, were visiting for the day last Sunday in Weeping Water, their old time home and were guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones, parents of Clifford. In return Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones went to Lincoln to spend Christmas day with the son and family.

Chris Rasmussen Severely Ill.

Chris Rasmussen, veteran merchant and who has been engaged with the government during the past year in measuring land for crop restriction was taken suddenly ill with a hemorrhage of the lungs late last week and was hastened to a Lincoln hospital where medical service was rendered to stop the flow of blood. However the bleeding had been so profuse that it was found necessary to give blood transfusion on Tuesday and later an operation was performed to take up the ruptured blood vessels. The condition of the patient was considered as being very serious and all efforts are being used to retard and stop the flow of blood and he has lost so much that his condition is weakened. The many friends of this excellent man are very desirous that he shall show improvement and regain his health. He still remains very low at the hospital at Lincoln.

Visiting in Iowa.

Stuart Rough of Nehawka, brother of Miss Agnes Rough, was over to see his sister last Sunday, visiting here for the day, and on Monday last departed for Iowa City, Iowa, where he visited for the Christmas season at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harold J. Dane and family, having Christmas dinner with them and on his return is expecting to depart for Los Angeles where he will visit for the winter with his son, Stuart B. Rough and family. Mr. Rough is expecting to drive to the west and enjoy the mild climate there, expecting that it will be much better than the winter we had here last season.

Died in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Una Young Murray, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Young who has been making her home in Oklahoma where she first resided with her husband, John Murray, he passing some years ago and she has continued to reside there until her death last week. The remains were brought to Weeping Water and the funeral held from the funeral home here and interment made at Otterbein cemetery north of Nehawka, where a number of the family sleep. A further account will appear in another column of this paper.

Mary Orton-Smith.

Mrs. Mary Orton-Smith who has been making her home in Omaha for a number of years passed away late last week in Omaha, and was buried in Weeping Water Wednesday of this week, from the Hobson funeral home and interment made in Oakwood cemetery here. Mrs. Smith was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Orton, the father passing away a number of years ago. The mother, who is near ninety years of age was with the daughter at the time of her death. Mrs. Orton has been making her home in California and hastened to the bedside of the daughter when informed of her illness. Mrs. Smith also leaves one son and was cousin of C. E. Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ray Smith Entertain. Mr. and Mrs. S. Ray Smith were host and hostess to a large number

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of friends and relatives at their home in the southern portion of the city on Christmas day where they served a very fine dinner. This matter of the families getting together is a very fine custom and sure the entire assemblage which were guests at the Smith home enjoyed the very fine visit and dinner.

A Very Enjoyable Party.

A number of the relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Askew assembled at their home on Christmas day and enjoyed the hospitality and the very fine dinner which was served. The feature of getting together once a year or oftener when possible is very fine for it binds the ties of the family a wee bit tighter and is one of the safeguards of the home and country.

Many Less Slot Machines.

The visit of Deputy Sheriff Cass Sylvester in Weeping Water made the number of slot machines perceptibly less. Some were taken and among them was those which were sure winners for the machines, and some were sent back to the houses which put them out while others were discontinued in operation. However there are many less now being used.

Visiting in California.

Banker as well as Mayor of Weeping Water and family departed last week for California where O. C. Hinds will visit for a short time and the other members of the family for a longer period, where they will all enjoy their Christmas in a warm climate. Later Mr. Hinds will return leaving the other members to enjoy a longer visit in the west.

Enjoyed Family Gathering.

J. Johansen and wife were over to near Murdock on Christmas day where the family was spending the day at the home of Mrs. A. A. Rikli, the other members of her family, Leo Rikli and family, a son of Mrs. Rikli and Mrs. Rikli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johansen, Wm. Rikli and family also living north of Murdock, being members of the happy gathering. Dr. Arthur Rikli, son of Grandmother Rikli, and his family being there from Chicago which added much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Entertained Knickerbockers.

Miss Anna Hart, the merchant, and member of the Knickerbocker club of Weeping Water was hostess to the other members of the club at a supper at the Laurel Hotel. After the six o'clock dinner the guests enjoyed a game of contract bridge in which Mrs. George Olive was winner of high score and Mrs. Andrew Olsen received the consolation prize. A very enjoyable evening was had.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Fred Tritley of Omaha, was operated on Saturday at the Clarkson hospital and the latest reports are to the effect that she is doing very well. The children, Nancy and Bruce, are here to spend the holidays and during the recuperation of the mother, with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wiles and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tritley.

TAKES STOVE TO MANLEY

W. A. Swatek was at Manley Monday afternoon where he installed a Skell-Gas range at the residence of Father J. J. Hoffman, pastor of the St. Patrick's church at that place. The new stove will give the parish house a modern means of cooking.

Mrs. William Weber Dies Today at Bellevue

Long Time Resident of This City Passes Away After Long Illness at Home of Daughter.

From Monday's Daily— Mrs. Veronica Weber, 79, died this morning at 7 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Stefan at Bellevue, after an illness that covered the past eight months.

Mrs. Weber was born in Waldenhausen, Baden, Germany, in 1857 and when twelve years of age was brought to the United States, locating at Plattsmouth where the family located, she growing to womanhood here and where she was married to William Weber, who preceded her in death eight years ago.

The deceased lady in her long residence here made many friends who will sincerely mourn her passing and greatly miss her from the daily activities of life. With her failing health in recent years she has made her home with the children.

She is survived by four daughters and one son, William V. Weber of Aurora, Illinois; Mrs. F. A. Schiele, Omaha; Mrs. S. W. Stefan, Bellevue; Mrs. Henry Starkjohn of this city and Miss Jeanette Weber of Oklahoma City. There are also surviving seven grandchildren, five great grandchildren, two brothers, L. B. Egenberger of this city and F. G. Egenberger of Long Beach, California and one sister, Mrs. Mary Weckbach of this city. The husband, and one son, Fredrick, who died in infancy, preceded her.

EASTERN STAR ENTERTAINMENT

From Tuesday's Daily— Eastern Star officers arranged the Christmas program which was presented last evening at 7 o'clock in the spacious dining room at the Masonic Home.

Song numbers by Bobby Tritsch, Mary Ann Wetenkamp, Mary Katherine Sporer, and Della Jean Sharp were interspersed with readings by Ruth Woest, Marie Lenz, and Margaret Heineman. Wauweta and Granville Sigler gave two instrumental numbers. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Wiley Sigler. Rev. G. A. Pahl, Jr., sang a solo from the Messiah as the closing number.

The same program was presented later in the parlors of the infirmary. Following the entertainment a group of small children distributed a Christmas treat to each member of the Masonic Home Family.

TO VISIT AT CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wescott are leaving Thursday for Chicago and Evanston, Illinois, where they are to spend the holidays. They will be the guests of their children, Mason Wescott and family and Miss Alice Louise Wescott during the festive Christmas season. The children were not able to return home at this time owing to business affairs and accordingly decided to have the family party staged at Evanston.

TWO WOLVES CAPTURED

From Monday's Daily— Over 1000 men joined in the wolf hunt yesterday afternoon. The hunt terminated on the Cedar Creek road four miles west of Plattsmouth. Two wolves and a dog were in the final circle. Several wolves escaped through gaps in the line. The sport was almost as exciting to the spectators at the termination as to the hunters.

Annual Meeting of Cass County Farm Bureau

Many Interesting Discussions on the Work for Coming Year in All Lines of Activity.

The nineteenth annual Cass County Farm Bureau meeting was held at Weeping Water last Wednesday. Local committeemen and project leaders gave reports of different phases of work being done in the county.

A panel discussion on what \$18 Cass county women are getting out of extension work was led by Miss Jessie H. Baldwin, home demonstration agent. Others taking part in the discussion were: Mrs. Eva Bailey, and Mrs. G. R. Eveland of Elmwood, Mrs. Henry Tool, Murdock, Mrs. Nelson Berger, Nehawka, and Mrs. Everett Spangler, Murray.

Mrs. R. E. Norris, chairman of the county 4-H club committee summarized the activities of 460 4-H club members for the past year and introduced some of the county's International winners. They were Robert and Merritt Pollard, Oscar Brandt, Virginia and Margie Ruth Pollard, all of Nehawka. James Schafer, county baby beef champion, gave an interesting report of his Chicago trip.

C. D. Fulmer, county chairman of the conservation program, told of the work that had been done in measuring 1600 farms and getting the figures in shape to go to Lincoln. Mr. Fulmer emphasized that the office had not tried to rush a few compliance records and applications thru in order to get a few checks but rather were trying to get the majority of them ready at the same time. "It's not the first check that I worry about, but rather the last one," Mr. Fulmer said.

Howard Ellis, work superintendent of the CCC camp explained how the camp was going to work in definite areas in the future, rather than at random thru the county. Two such areas have been laid out at present, one in Mt. Pleasant precinct, and the other in Center precinct.

George Domingo gave a very good discussion of bindweed and told how he had killed a three acre patch on his farm one hundred per cent by using the cultivation method with a V-type blade.

Fred L. Carsten, newly elected member of the state unicameral assured the farmers that he would represent them in the best way possible and that he was particularly interested in a bindweed law and the coming grasshopper campaign.

J. F. Lawrence, marketing specialist from the college of agriculture, Lincoln, told of his recent visit to the Netherlands. "While we were having a rainless summer the Finns were cutting hay with a scythe and hanging it on the fence to cure because it was so wet," Mr. Lawrence said.

He explained the cooperative movement and told how forty per cent of all the business done there was thru co-ops. "Three things were outstandingly different and contrary to our ways of doing and thinking," Mr. Lawrence said. They were: First, that all milk was handled without a profit. As a result the average daily per capita consumption of milk in Finland is one liter, which is slightly less than a quart, per day, while in the U. S. the consumption is less than a half pint. Second, that all

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This
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Season Bring
You Much Joy
and
Happiness
C. E. Wescott's
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bread is handled without a profit. The same quality bread we have here sells to the consumer for forty per cent less than it does in the U. S. Third, that rents on apartment houses are reduced ten per cent for each child in the family up to five children. While in America apartments, cats, dogs, and canaries are welcome but not children. These three things show that the Finns are considering the welfare of their children much more important than making a few dollars.

A crowd of about ninety people were present to hear the fine program presented during the afternoon. John B. Kaffenberger, president of the Farm Bureau presided, and in his opening remarks suggested a new national anthem such as "I'm going to raise my boy to be a farmer."

DEATH OF BABE

Monday afternoon at the family home east of Union, the funeral services for Roger Eugene, six-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Younker were held.

The services were conducted by Rev. W. A. Taylor, a long time friend of the family, who brought from the scriptures words of comfort and hope to the bereaved parents and family.

The interment was at the Eaton cemetery east of Union in the Younker family plot.

The deceased is survived by the bereaved parents, five brothers and two sisters, the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Buttery of this city and Mrs. Sarah Younker of Ogallala, as well as a large number of uncles and aunts.

Mrs. Lloyd Younker, the bereaved mother, was formerly Miss Essie Buttery of this city.



We can only say—
May Peace, Prosperity and
Happiness be Yours.

W. H. Puls
PLATTSMOUTH, NEB.

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Christmas is more than just a date on the calendar; much more than merely the 25th of December. Christmas marks the anniversary of the greatest Birthday since the world began.

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Our Best Wishes for 1936

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

To thank you for past kindnesses and patronage and to wish you again the Season's Compliments

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