

# Nehawka

James J. Pollard and wife were in Elmwood last Sunday, spending the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Sumner.

Mrs. F. R. Cunningham was visiting for a number of days this week with friends and relatives in Omaha. David Stuart was a visitor in Union looking after business matters and also went to Plattsmouth to transact business at the court house Monday of this week.

John Cole of Weeping Water was a visitor in Nehawka Monday of this week visiting friends and looking after some business matters. He says he had a letter from his brother, Richard Cole who with the wife, formerly Miss Ruth Cole, recently moved to California, telling of the arrival at their destination and were liking the country very much.

### Making Repairs on Light Lines.

William Highfield foreman of construction for the Iowa-Nebraska Light & Power company was making some repairs and improvements last Monday on the power lines and was compelled to set a number of poles and in doing so found the moisture was all the way from sixteen inches to five feet in depth. In some places the moisture was as deep as they dug and in other places they found some dry ground, but in all cases found an abundance of surface moisture, and all over the county the condition of vegetation shows the condition is much better than for some time, as all the crops are looking fine.

### Will Hold Banquet Saturday.

The alumni of the Nehawka consolidated school of which there are 271, covering the past twenty-five years, are to gather around the banquet table next Saturday evening when they will recall the progress made not alone of the Nehawka schools but of the world and will again live over the past quarter of

a century and talk of the history which this school and the graduates have helped to make.

### A. F. Sturm Very Ill Lately.

A. F. Sturm who was so ill for so long a time was kept from his work and looking after his business when he had to remain home from Friday of last week until and including Tuesday of this week. Victor Sturm was in charge of the business while the father was kept away from the office.

### Commencement Program.

The commencement exercises of the Nehawka schools was opened by Miss Maxine Steffens playing the professional "Land of Hope and Glory," by Elger, followed by the invocation.

"On Wings of Song," by Mendelssohn was given by the sextette composed of Betty Ross Hilda Christensen, Genevieve Rutledge, Violet Hadley, Dorothy Linder and Dorothy Beverage.

The address was delivered by John A. Jimmerson.

"Twilight and Dawn," by Oley Speals was given by Miss Betty Ross. Eight grade recognition.

Awarding scholarships, E. C. Stimbert.

Presentation of class, E. C. Stimbert.

Presentation of diplomas, J. W. Murdoch, president of board of education.

It was to a crowded house that the class acknowledged their thanks for the very fine opportunity which has been given them for acquiring their education. Some will enter the battle of life in the world now and others will attend schools of higher education.

### Remembered on Mother's Day.

Ralph Sturm who is making his home in southern Texas, wired his mother last Sunday, Mother's day, including his father and extending wishes that they were both enjoying good health and happiness. Mrs. John J. W. Yelzer, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. A. F. Sturm called up over the telephone extending best wishes and congratulating the mother, Mrs. A. F. Sturm and as well Mr. Sturm.

### Home From Hospital.

Vilas P. Sheldon, who has been at the hospital in Lincoln for some time where he underwent an operation, returned home last Sunday and was feeling very good. He was very pleased to get back home again.

### Baccalaureate Address Sunday.

The baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of the Nehawka high school was given by the Rev. W. D. Lenker, pastor of the Methodist church at Weeping Water and Nehawka, at the Nehawka Auditorium on May 8th, in the evening.

The professional, "Largo, from Xerxes," by Hadley was played by Miss Maxine Steffens.

The invocation followed by "Lift Thine Eyes" by Mendelssohn by six young ladies, Betty Ross, Lella Lindberg, Betty Schafer, Charlotte Lundberg, Doris Creamer and Violet Hadley.

Scripture reading.

Prayer response by the girls sextette.

The sermon by Rev. Lenker was followed by a hymn by the congregation:

O Master let me walk with Thee In lowly paths of service free; Tell me thy secrets: Help me to bear The strain of toil, the fret of care.

Help me the slow of heart to move By some clear winning words of love. Teach me the wayward feet to stay And guide them in the homeward way.

In hope they send a shining ray Far down the future's broadening way.

With Thee, O Master, let me live. Benediction.

The auditorium was crowded with patrons of the school and friends of the class.

### History of Nehawka High School.

In 1914 the Nehawka school was a ten grade school, which was just twenty-five years ago and graduated at that time five members, they being Norma V. Trotter, Verner O. Lundberg, Martin E. Ross, Ralph M. Sturm and Alfred C. Anderson.

With "Forward" as a watchword the school, its patrons and friends looked to the horizon with a hope for the better future every year and during the twenty-five years all of the citizens of Nehawka have worked with not only the success of the school but the town in view.

In 1914 three districts were consolidated and the school became the Nehawka consolidated district No. 103. During the past twenty-five years the Nehawka school has graduated 271 pupils and from five the first year to the present year with 22 leaving school to go out into the world to take their places.

The class this year is composed of Eva Mae Adamson, Dorothy Beverage, Loren Burns, Hilda Christensen, Estelle Hadley, Dorothy Lender, Maurice Linder, John Moritz, John Murdoch, Deane Nutzman, Vesta O'Connor, Merritt Pollard, Oren R. Pollard, Louis Paulos, Elizabeth Rose, Genevieve Rutledge, Lester Shrader, Westley Stone, Pearl Sutton, Dorothy Tyson, Jack Wunderlich.

There have been six superintendents, they being V. Y. Craig, Lillian Sutherland, H. E. Huston, M. L. Swingel, A. E. Wagner, R. E. Dale, L. W. Burbey and E. C. Stimber. The last name the present superintendent.

The 1938 faculty was composed of E. C. Stimbert, superintendent; Miss Katherine Becker, principal, having mathematics and language; Mrs. Glen LeDoit, home economics; Clarabel Phillips, English and music; Glen LeDoit, vocational agriculture, science and coach.

In 1914 H. F. Kropp was chairman of the board, with D. D. Adams and F. P. Sheldon the other members. In 1915 E. M. Pollard was chosen chairman of the board on which he was held for ten years, and in 1926 Mrs. M. N. Tucker was elected chairman of the board which she retained for the next ten years when J. H. Steffens was chosen chairman, serving for two years and then J. W. Murdoch was elected as chairman of the board and is chairman at the present time.

### Mother's Day at Lorton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Steffens and Maxine Steffens, Laverne Steffens, Mrs. Mollie Magney, Albert Anderson and family of Nehawka, Frank Horstman and family of Talmage, made a merry party who went to Lorton where at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Steffens they celebrated the passing of Mother's day, Mrs. C. Steffens being guest of honor for the occasion. A magnificent dinner was served and all enjoyed the day visiting.

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## Propose Limit on Hours for Sale of Beer

### Council Passes to Second Reading New Measure—Park Board Must Take Back Ordinance.

From Tuesday's Daily—The city council last evening passed to its second reading an ordinance that would restrict the hours on the sale of beer in taverns and also ordered that a \$250 warrant made by the park board to the city for the fire equipment fund be returned as being illegal.

All of the councilmen were in attendance when the meeting was called to order and remained through the long session that was filled with routine business.

The city officers made their reports for the month of April and which showed that City Clerk Albert Olson had collected the sum of \$1,213.13, that City Treasurer M. D. Brown now had on hand the amount of \$21,007.43, deposited in the Plattsmouth State bank.

The public library presented their report and which showed that in the year there had been 38,708 books circulated and that 2,175 persons had taken advantage of the library to become borrowers. The board also recommended that Dr. H. G. McClusky and Mrs. P. T. Heineman, retiring members be re-elected and which was approved by the council.

The report of Joseph Libersal as chief of police for the month of April showed three arrests and fines and costs of \$39.25.

A petition was received asking the installing of a street light at Ninth and Timber streets, which was referred to the lighting committee for their action.

Application was made by Charles Petersen, for operating a recreation parlor and which was accompanied by a check for \$125. On motion of Councilman Vroman the license was granted.

A communication was received from the state liquor commission regarding the facts as to the residence of R. W. Wasley, holder of a beer license, the commission stating that they had been informed that he was a resident of another state. This was referred to the license committee and the city attorney.

### Must Put Warrant Back

A communication was received from Attorney A. L. Tidd in which he informed the council that the action of the park board in making a warrant for \$250 from the park board funds and transferring to the fire equipment fund was illegal. The amount should be returned to the park fund or the board members were liable on their own bonds for the action. City Attorney J. Howard Davis stated that the park board had asked his opinion and he had told them that the transaction was not according to law. The park board members had felt that the expending of the money on the truck was a much needed matter for the city. The warrant was not cashed and he advised that the treasurer be advised to make the necessary notations to restore the money to the park fund. A motion was carried that the city attorney be notified of the action and to make what changes might be necessary to restore the amount.

Mayor George Lushinsky, as the president of the board of health, stated that there were twenty cases of measles in the city, all of a mild type and all quarantined.

### Would Set Closing Hours

An ordinance was then presented, No. 733 that amended part of section 4, ordinance No. 713 or the liquor control ordinance. The amendment proposed in the ordinance was that to set the closing hours for the sale of beer in the city, making the closing hours from midnight to 6 a. m. All other provisions remained as at present. Beer sale would be allowed each week day from 6 a. m. to midnight, on Sunday from noon until midnight and closed on Christmas, Memorial day and election days during the hours of voting. Liquor stores would be regulated as at present, 8 a. m. to 11 p. m. each week day excepting Christmas, Memorial day and election days when they would be closed all day and on Sunday also.

On the vote to place the ordinance on its first reading Pils, Tippens, Tlekotter, Comstock, Schutz, Vincent, all voted for the ordinance. Webb, Kebab and Gableman voted no and Vroman passed.

Councilman Tippens of the streets, alleys and bridges committee reported that work was getting along very well but that bad weather had made necessary a great deal of maintaining work. He urged that the government be asked to have road rocked to the rifle range to stop the cutting of the dirt roads in the city leading to the range.

### The Claims

The following claims were allowed: Platts, Water Corp., hydrant rental \$483.96

Iowa-Nebr. Light & Power Co., street lights 248.95

Iowa-Nebr., Light & Power Co., city hall light, gas 8.78

Western Security Co., bonds 295.75

John Kubicka, street work 14.80

George Taylor, same 70

George Taylor, street work with team 47.40

Ivan Taylor, street work 32.40

John Kubicka, cleaning stis. 14.00

favorably on the application of Fred G. Herberster for a license to conduct a retail package liquor store at 122 North 6th street in the Hotel Plattsmouth building. The bond had been submitted and approved by the liquor commission.

On motion of Councilman Schutz, the fire and water committee was empowered to have the water turned on in the drinking fountains after they had been repaired and made ready for the summer.

Chairman Vroman of the police committee reported that they were preparing to draft rules and regulations for the police.

### Lay Over Bids

The council had received a large number of bids for the excavating of some 12,300 cubic yards of dirt for the construction of a drainage ditch from the Missouri river to the storm sewers. After examination of the bids it was found that H. D. Grosshans, West Point, Nebraska, with a yard bid of 9 1/2c and alternate bid of \$1,156.20, and W. G. Humphries with 9c a yard bid were the lowest. All of the bids were in excess of what the city could expend and on the recommendation of the committee the bids were rejected for the present, the two low bids being retained for reference.

There was some discussion of the need for resurfacing of Oak street from the end of the paying to Oak Hill cemetery and also the need of a walk to the cemetery, the one formerly in use, long since being worn out or dug up. This was referred to the WPA committee for their investigation.

The fire and water committee asked that the Plattsmouth Water Corporation be notified to have holes and ditches near the fire hydrants all filled in so that it would be possible to get the new fire truck and pumper to the hydrants.

The finance committee authorized the city clerk to mail and publish notice to bond buyers that the city on Monday, May 23rd, would offer for sale refunding bonds for \$28,000 and also \$16,000 optional bonds would be available. All information as to the bonded debt of the city and the record of payments would be supplied.

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D. L. Ramel, tractor work 22.40

Tiddall Lumber Co., steel posts 1.75

F. G. Fricke Co., supplies .80

E. J. Richey, lumber and material 22.80

John Boetel, buying 1 dog .60

Robert White, taxi 1.75

Sinclair Refining Co., gas and oil 17.00

### MARION BROWN IMPROVING

Reports from the Methodist hospital in Omaha show Marion Brown, granddaughter of Mrs. J. A. Donelan, much improved.

### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Henry Greer, deceased, No. 3307:

Take notice that the Executor of said estate has filed his final report and a petition for examination and allowance of his administration accounts, determination of heirship, assignment of residue of said estate and for his discharge; that said petition and report will be heard before said Court on June 3, 1938, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated May 4, 1938.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To the creditors of the estate of Verna Baker, deceased, No. 3300:

Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate in September 6, 1938; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on September 9, 1938, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.

Dated May 5, 1938.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE OF PROBATE

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Amelia Schroeder deceased, No. 3333:

Take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of Albert Schroeder as Executor thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 3rd day of June, 1938, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated May 6, 1938.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE OF PROBATE

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of John McNurlin, deceased, No. 3331:

Take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of Searl S. Davis, as Executor thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 20th day of May, 1938, at 10 a. m.

Dated April 20, 1938.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE OF AUCTION SALE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Educational Lands and Funds or its authorized representative will offer for sale at public auction on the 6th day of June, 1938, at 2 o'clock p. m. in the office of the County Treasurer of Cass County in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, the following educational lands in Cass County upon which the contract has been forfeited or canceled, the said public auction to be held open not less than one hour:

Lot 4 or SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 16, Township 12 North, Range 9 East, containing 10 acres more or less.

The Board of Educational Lands and Funds reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Lincoln, Nebraska, May 10, 1938.

BOARD OF EDUCATIONAL LANDS AND FUNDS, LEO N. SWANSON, Secretary.

### NOTICE

To Prudential Insurance Company of America, Newark, New Jersey; Cassius C. Conn; Castle, Roper & Matthews, Lincoln, Nebraska, and Drs. Thomsen and Ferciot, Lincoln, Nebraska, creditors of the estate of Edna Conn, deceased; and to all heirs, devisees, legatees, and others interested in said estate:

You and each of you are hereby notified that Cassius C. Conn, Executor of the estate of Edna Conn, deceased, has filed a petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to procure authority to execute a mortgage for the sum of \$4,750.00 upon the following described property:

North Half (NE 1/2) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section thirty-two (32), and the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section twenty (20), all in Township twelve (12), North Range nine (9), East, in Cass county, Nebraska, containing 120 acres.

To pay the first mortgage, debts against the estate, costs of administration and loan costs. The hearing will be had on said petition at the court house in the District Court room on the 31st day of May 1938, at ten o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as the same may be heard.

CASSIUS C. CONN, Executor of the Estate of Edna Conn, Deceased

STERLING F. MUTZ, Attorney for Said Estate.

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### MAGICIANS MAY SURPRISE CITY

CINCINNATI, O. (UP)—Cincinnati residents will be skeptical of all they see from June 14 to June 17. The 13th annual convention of the International Brotherhood of Magicians will be held here at that time.

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Ronald Baker, deceased, No. 3332:

Take notice that a petition has been filed praying for administration of said estate and appointment of Dick Baker as administrator; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 27th day of May, 1938, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated April 25, 1938.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE of Hearing on Petition for Final Settlement of Accounts

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Sophia Nielsen, Incompetent.

To all persons interested in the matter of the Guardianship of Sophia Nielsen, Incompetent:

You and each of you are hereby notified that Henry A. Tool, Guardian of Sophia Nielsen, Incompetent, has filed in the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska, his final report as Guardian of said Incompetent, together with his petition for the final approval and allowance of his accounts since his appointment, not already approved and allowed, and for his discharge as Guardian and for an order of Court accepting his resignation as such Guardian.

You are further notified that the said petition prays for the appointment of a suitable person to replace the said Henry A. Tool as Guardian of the person and estate of the said Sophia Nielsen, Incompetent;

You are further notified that a hearing will be had upon said matter on the final report, together with all other matters pertaining to said guardianship, and upon said petition herein filed as aforesaid, on the 3rd day of June, 1938, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. in the County Court room in the court house at Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, at which time and place you or any of you may appear at said hearing and make objections to said accounts and petition, if any you have to said accounts;

You are further notified that the County Court will on said day of hearing make such orders as may be for the best interests of said incompetent person.

By the Court,

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, under the terms of the decree of said court rendered in an action therein pending wherein Vincent W. Straub, revived in the names of H. J. Requisite and Max Straub, Jr., Administrators of the Estate of Vincent W. Straub, deceased, are plaintiffs, and Ole Olsen, doing business as the Cass County Quarries et al. are defendants, I will at ten o'clock a. m. on May 28, 1938, at the south door of the court house in Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, offer and sell at public auction in the order herein-after stated, the following described real estate in Cass county, Nebraska, to-wit:

First, that part of Lot 1, also described as Tax Lot 1, in the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 19, in Township 10, Range 13, lying south and west of the middle of the Weeping Water river; all that part of Lot 2, also described as Tax Lot 2, lying east of the ravine or ditch running north therein in the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 19 in Township 10, Range 13, subject to a road 40 to 60 feet wide running east from ledge of rock therein; Lot 14, also described as Tax Lot 14, in the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 19 in Township 10, Range 13, described as follows: Commencing at a point 2 rods north of a stone at the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 19, running thence east 15 rods, thence north 10 1/2 degrees west by magnetic meridian 12 rods, thence north 18 1/4 degrees west 12 rods 4 links, thence west 12 rods and 4 links, thence south 24 rods to the place of beginning, containing 2.1 acres, more or less.

Second, shall be sold Lot 2, also described as Tax Lot 2, except all land east of the ravine or ditch running north therein, in the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 19 in Township 10, Range 13, together with the right to a road 40 to 60 feet wide, running east from ledge of rock across that portion of said Lot 2 lying east of said ravine.

Sale of said last described premises to be made only in the event that it is necessary so to do in order to satisfy the lien of plaintiff, all as in said decree provided.

Dated April 22, 1938.

H. SYLVESTER, Sheriff of Cass County, Nebraska.

By—

CASS L. SYLVESTER, Deputy.

Wm. H. Pitzer and Marshall Pitzer, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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## Bible School Lesson Study!

Sunday, May 15th

By L. Neitzel, Murdock, Neb.

### "Testing Discipleship by Service"

Mark 10:17-31.

When we read this brief story, it strikes us as if we witnessed a tragedy. It is as if we saw one struggling in the sea, making desperate efforts to have himself, and almost grasped the strong hand of another, but just when we thought him saved, he was swept away and perished. The reader is moved to paths when he reaches the climax—so near the Kingdom and then turns his back on Christ. What was the final fate of this young ruler—do we find him in Luke 17:19-31? We are inclined to believe so.

Is this