

AVOCA NEWS

John Maseman and Elmer Schultz were in Lincoln last Sunday, where they visited with friends. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Zaiser were entertaining friends from Wisconsin during the past week. Claude Hollenberger and Jack Betts have been painting the brick block, greatly improving its appearance. Ralph Morley and wife, of Nebraska City were guests last Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morley. Mrs. Dick Bohlman, of Otoe, was visiting in Avoca last Tuesday, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Meyers, both enjoying the visit. Mrs. Martha Ruhge has moved to the country where she will make her home with her daughter Ruth and husband, Calvin Carsten. Miss Stella Opp of Omaha and her mother, Mrs. Jacob Opp, were visiting and looking after some business matters in Avoca last Monday. C. W. Everett and son Arthur of

Weeping Water were visiting and looking after business matters in Avoca for a time Tuesday afternoon. Elmer Hallstrom and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hennings were in Omaha last Monday, taking in the Ak-Sar-Ben den show there that night, and also visiting friends. Miss Dorothy Gollner, who is employed by the government, is taking her annual vacation, spending the time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gollner. A. D. Munn, with the assistance of C. O. Zaiser, were putting the threshing outfit that belongs to Mr. Munn in good condition to go out and handle its share of this year's threshing business. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Freeman of Weeping Water and son Raymond and daughter Nina departed last Monday for St. Louis, where they will spend some time visiting at the home of a brother, Lester Freeman. Clyde Bogard, who owns and operates a barber shop at Otoe was off for a few days on account of an infected foot, which is now improved

to a point where he is able to return to his work in the barber shop. Reese O. Hutchens and wife are here visiting at the home of Mrs. Lulu Buss and as well with a large circle of friends, as they lived here for a number of years, and know many people. They are making their home at Arriba, Colorado, now. Mr. and Mrs. Ora E. Copes, who are engaged in the drug business at Auburn, visited friends here on last Sunday. Mr. Copes was engaged in business here years ago, having a drug store located where H. H. Marquardt is at this time. Albert Sell, mail carrier, is taking his annual vacation at this time, and with the wife is spending the time in the Ozarks of Missouri. Silas Everett, substitute carrier, is looking after the mail deliveries during the time the regular carrier is away. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marquardt were at Nebraska City Tuesday evening, where they attended a meeting of Southeastern Nebraska Grain Dealers' association. After the business session, all went to the Wagon Wheel, a dine and dance pavilion a

few miles south of Nebraska City, where a splendid dinner was served. Harry Lum and wife, of Verdon, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Lum, of Portland, Oregon, came up from Verdon last Sunday for a visit with their uncle, Monte Lum, who with the guests were visiting with relatives and friends in Lincoln on Monday. Return to Old Style There will be an old fashioned Fourth of July celebration in Avoca on Saturday, July 2nd. For years it was a practice here to hold the celebration on July 2nd and this year that practice is being resumed. A good program is being arranged and if you want to have a good time just come to Avoca this coming Saturday. You'll not be disappointed. Entertained Friends Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wessell entertained a number of friends last Sunday, among them Mrs. Chris Nutzman and daughter, Jean High, of Bertrand, who are visiting relatives here for some time. W. A. Ost

and family, E. J. Nutzman and family, Mrs. Fred Nutzman, C. M. Balfour and family, Henry Hendricks of Nebraska City, John H. F. Ruhge and wife, Ernest Enshoff and family, Henry Maseman and family, Albert Schwarzd and family, J. M. Kokjer and wife, Fred Ludwig and family, Floyd Mohr and family and Charles Hoshchild. 44 BODIES RECOVERED MILES CITY, Mont., June 25 (U P)—Forty-four persons were known dead and three still missing in the wreck of a speeding express train which fell through a trestle over Custer Creek last Sunday, J. R. Regan, divisional passenger and freight agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific railroad announced today. Regan said 44 bodies including the body of an eight year old girl recovered today have been taken from the water of the creek and from wreckage of the train. He said it was also assumed the 3 missing are dead, drowned in the flood waters. The total death toll, then would be 47.

BASEBALL RECORD

The Plattsmouth Merchants thus far, have scored 27 runs, in five games, and have held the opposition to but 18. As a team, they are batting .268, and fielding .947. The three leading hitters to date are: Street, with a high of .522, which shows 23 times at bat, and 12 hits, Rhoades with .375, 9 hits out of 24 trips to the plate, and Sundstrom hitting a flat .300 or 3 hits for 10 times at bat. In runs scored Hayes leads with 6, followed by Street, Rhoades and Wall each with 4. Total base hits shows Street having 12, Rhoades 9, and Hayes 7. Of Rhoades' 9 hits, 3 were two base blows, while Street, Sedlak, Hayes and Wall each have 2 doubles. O'Donnell and Hayes each have 5 runs driven in, and Street is second in this department, with 4. Rhoades has 5 stolen bases, Street and Hayes each have 3. In the fielding averages, Ault leads, handling 46 chances perfectly, or 44 put-outs, and 2 assists, for a percentage of 1.000. Rhoades at shortstop has handled 13 put-outs, and 14 assists without a bobbie. Hayes, catching, has 59 put-outs and 9 assists, with one miscue. In the pitching department, Street has 3 victories and 1 defeat, and "Stub" Sedlak, 1 victory and no setbacks. G IP R H BB W L Street 4 36 11 20 9 3 1 Sedlak 1 5 1/2 4 5 3 1 0 Rhoades 1 3 1/2 3 5 1 0 0 (Averages includes games thru June 19).

Legion Juniors Take Measure of Syracuse Nine

Score of 19 to 1 Rolled Up at Plattsmouth Go on Hitting Spree and Visitors Forced to Quit. From Saturday's Daily—John Jacobs won his third straight game yesterday, as the slugging American Legion Juniors romped on Syracuse 19 to 1, in a game which the visitors called at the sixth inning. In the opening inning the local boys started lambasting three Syracuse hurlers, there being 13 men batting in this stanza. The feature of the inning was White's long home run over the left field bank. Smith received two walks in this frame. The Plattsters added three runs in the fourth, and seven more in the fifth, and found no pitcher that caused them any amount of trouble, as every man in the lineup scored at least one tally. John Jacobs pitched hitless ball in this abbreviated game, there being only 21 men to face him, as he was registering nine strikeouts while coasting along with great hitting and fielding behind him. Syracuse got its lone marker in the sixth, via an infield error, a fielder's choice, and an infield out. Shiffer, Phillips, White, Persinger and Jones all secured two safe blows, and Sedlak was credited with one bingle. Box score: Syracuse— AB R H PO A E Burley, 2b-ef 3 0 0 1 0 0 Patton, ss-3b 2 1 0 1 0 0 Goerke, p-ss 3 0 0 0 4 1 Shiene, c 3 0 0 6 1 0 Bottcher, rf 3 0 0 0 0 1 Stoner, 1b-p-3b 2 0 0 4 1 1 Straube, lf 2 0 0 0 0 0 Metzger, 3b-1b 1 0 0 2 0 1 Hobbs, 2b 2 0 0 1 0 0 Farmer, cf 0 0 0 0 0 0 21 1 0 15 6 4 Plattsmouth— AB R H PO A E Smith, 2b 3 2 0 0 2 0 Shiffer, 3b 4 2 3 1 2 2 Phillips, rf 5 2 2 0 0 0 Sedlak, ss 5 3 1 0 0 0 White, lf 4 3 2 1 0 0 York, 1b 3 1 0 7 0 0 Persinger, cf 4 2 2 0 0 0 Jacobs, p 2 2 0 0 3 0 Jones, c 4 2 2 9 1 0 34 19 11 18 8 2

WILDLIFE ACRES IN U. S. ALMOST 8 MILLION NOW

WASHINGTON (UP)—Wildlife sanctuaries in the United States have been nearly doubled in extent during the last two years, the Interior Department reports, and now total 7,951,937 acres. Another 4,064,104 acres have been set aside in Alaska, bringing the grand total to approximately 12,000,000 acres. The 1,968,000-acre Desert Game Range in Nevada and the 1,033,647-acre Fort Peck Game Range in Montana are the two largest feeding and breeding grounds for wild animals created since 1936. An antelope refuge of 273,000 acres in the Hart Mountain region of Oregon also was established. Scattered from corner to corner of the country, 30 migratory bird and waterfowl refuges were created, the largest of which is the Sabine Refuge in Louisiana, containing 143,100 acres. SECURE PERMISSION LINCOLN, June 25 (UP)—The Eastern Nebraska public power district received permission from the state railway commission today to construct 483.6 miles of rural electric lines in Otoe, Nemaha and Cass counties. The commission overruled objections presented by the Nebraska Power company. Company officials said they planned to build lines in the same area next fall if crops are good. This project is an extension of two other units constructed by the Eastern Nebraska district and is known as project 3. COMPLETES FILING LINCOLN, June 25 (UP)—C. A. Sorensen, Lincoln attorney paid his filing fee to the Lancaster county clerk today as a candidate for chief justice of the supreme court. He will complete his filing Monday by mailing the receipt to the secretary of state. FIGHT RECEIPTS NEW YORK, June 23 (UP)—Unofficial figures on the Louis-Schmeling fight as announced by the 20th Century Sporting club: Gross receipts \$940,000 Net Receipts \$803,113 Paid Attendance 66,277 Louis' Share (approximate) \$320,000 Schmeling's share (approximate) \$160,000 MAX IMPROVING NEW YORK, June 25 (UP)—The condition of Max Schmeling was reported today as being very satisfactory.

TUESDAY PLATTSMOUTH DAY AT AK-SAR-BEN RACES

Residents of Plattsmouth are invited to be guests of Ak-Sar-Ben on Tuesday, June 28, at the big race meeting, which will continue thru the Fourth of July. A supply of complimentary tickets (subject only to payment of state and federal tax) that will admit the holder to both the grounds and grandstand has been received by the local Ambassador. These tickets may be obtained from either the Bates Book Store or Conis Shining Parlor. Fixing of these special days for various communities is in keeping with a long-established policy of Ak-Sar-Ben and one which has resulted in building up community spirit and co-operation in Nebraska and western Iowa. Plattsmouth's special day at the races will be known as Eastern Nebraska day, and bring guests from as far south as Falls City. There are more than 600 horses stabled at the Ak-Sar-Ben field, it is said—a far greater number than in any previous year and it has been necessary to erect temporary quarters to handle the overflow of thoroughbreds which have been entered from all sections of the U. S. Ak-Sar-Ben racing is generously accepted by the people of Nebraska and the middlewest because Ak-Sar-Ben is a non-profit organization. A percentage of the receipts derived from racing admissions and pari-mutuel betting is distributed among the 93 county fairs that are held each year in the state and some also goes for development of the agricultural and live stock industries.

OUR PHOTO-FLASHES

A collage of various photographs and illustrations with captions. 'Fashion Highlights' shows models in various outfits. 'Detects Drunken Drivers' shows a man with a device. 'Rapid Transportation' shows a child on a swing. 'Spinsters Demand Pensions' shows a woman with a sign. 'A Luxury Hotel On Wheels' shows a train interior. 'U. S. Coast Artillery Maneuvers' shows a ship at sea. 'Dog-Gone, That's Clever!' shows a dog balancing a glass. 'At Harlan County Labor Trial' shows a courtroom scene. 'Jim Tells All' shows two men at a table. 'Sports Outfit' shows a woman in a dress. 'U. S. Coast Artillery Maneuvers' shows a ship at sea.