

UNION ITEMS.

C. E. Morris was looking after business matters in both Plattsmouth and Omaha last Monday.

Guy Stokes of between Murray and Myrard was in Union last Monday looking after business matters for a short time.

Vance Harris and wife of Connebawka were here with the assistance of a mechanic there have been overhauling his tractor.

Ira Clark and family have purchased a piece of property known as the Pugh property recently and moved to their new home the first of the week.

Prof. Wyck of the Union schools was a visitor at his home over the week-end, getting back in time to take charge of the work here Monday morning.

Miss Mutazachien, teacher in the Union high school was enjoying the week end at the home of her parents at Neligh, returning to her school work Monday.

A. L. Becker has been kept very busy as he was called to Lincoln Monday to deliver wood and Tuesday was in Omaha to look after business and went to Plattsmouth Wednesday.

Victor Clarence is to discontinue farming and will have a sale this week for the disposal of his farming equipment, after which he will come to Union to enter the produce business.

Sterling Harris and wife of Concordia, Kansas were visiting friends and relatives in Union last week. While here they were guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harris.

Mrs. Paul Swan was hostess to the member of the Baptist missionary society Thursday of last week.

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Smith Bros. Cough Drops are the only drops containing VITAMIN A

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They held their regular business meeting and planned for the future activities of the society.

Mary Becker was called to Omaha Wednesday of this week to consult her physician, from whom she has been receiving treatment. She is making good gains and feels she can discontinue her treatment in a short time.

Mrs. H. A. Chilcott since her return home from the hospital at Nebraska City where she was for several weeks, is showing good improvement and it is hoped she will be entirely recovered in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leach who have been residing in their trailer house in the country, with the cessation of work in the region where they have been located, moved their trailer house to near the home of Jay Austin.

Conrad Watkins and wife of near Murray were visiting for the day last Monday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Land. They came especially because of the extreme illness of Mr. Land who has been in bed for a number of days.

Last Friday and Saturday Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Booher of Cedar Pluffs, where Rev. Booher is pastor of the Methodist church, were in Union, coming to attend the gathering held in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Paul Griffin, in form of a miscellaneous shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peters of Nebraska City were enjoying a visit at the home to the parents of Mrs. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Banning.

Hallas Banning, who is employed in Lincoln, was a visitor at home over the week-end, returning to his work last Sunday evening.

Entertained Friend Sunday. Rev. Stevens of Omaha, accompanied by the wife were here from Omaha last Sunday. Rev. Stevens delivered the sermon at the morning hour at the Baptist church. During their stay here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip F. Rihn.

Charles Land Very Ill. Charles Land has for the past number of days been very ill with what threatened to develop into pneumonia, and was a severe case of pleurisy with complications which required that he be kept quiet and cared for by a nurse.

Visiting Friends Here. Mrs. Manerva Brenner, formerly of Union but who with the husband, Frank Brenner, moved to Stockton, Kansas where the husband died some time ago, the wife later moving to Oregon, has been visiting here for the past ten days and with her sister, Mrs. Charles Heckathorne were visiting friends and relatives in Union. Mrs. Brenner expects to return to her home in the west in a few weeks.

Visited in Kansas. Mrs. Clara James, Miss Lenna Barber with Paul Davis as driver of the new 1939 Buick Mrs. James recently purchased, were week end visitors at Mound City, Kansas where they visited with friends, returning home the first of the week.

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passed away at his home between Syracuse and Burr last Sunday. After the snow had fallen and accumulated to some depth, Mr. Chase was shoveling the same away, when he was stricken with a heart ailment and dropped dead. The funeral and burial were held at Burr.

Attend Show in Nebraska City. Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Becker were down to Nebraska City last Sunday night where they attended a show at the Overland theatre, "Ferdinand the Bull." While the play is creating a sensation and much interest Henry thinks it is not much more than a common scrub bull which one might see on an ordinary farm.

In Honor of New Bride. Two young ladies with the appropriate name of June—June Johnson and June Frans last Friday entertained at a shower in honor of Mrs. Paul Griffin, formerly Miss Booher. Some forty of her friends were present and made merry during the afternoon and terminated with the presentation of a large number of beautiful gifts, token of their high esteem for the friend.

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Mrs. Trumble was assisted in serving by Mrs. Rose Caddy and Mrs. William Trumble.

Dockage facilities make Plattsmouth an ideal factory site. Welcome and a splendid opportunity to expand should be an inducement to those contemplating a change in location from the more thickly populated centers and flood areas of the east.

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Weeping Water

Mrs. Wm. Peters was able to be in town one day last week after having been kept at home for several weeks on account of illness.

Miss Evelyn Moore, a teacher in the consolidated schools of Eagle, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moore.

Mrs. Lois Clude, of Butte, Nebraska, is visiting at the M. E. church parsonage with her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Lenker and Rev. Lenker.

Mrs. Ole Olsen, who has been visiting in Chicago with her two daughters for the past few weeks, returned home last Tuesday morning.

Wilbur Fitzpatrick has been quite ill with the mumps. This disease has been very severe with quite a number of our people during the past few weeks.

Euclid Lodge No. 97, A. F. & A. M. held their regular meeting Monday evening, with 2nd Fellovercraft degree work. Five visitors were present from Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Thurslund, Miss Laverne Gibson, Miss Betty Wolcott and Jack Hayes motored to Omaha Sunday afternoon to hear Jan Garber's orchestra.

Mrs. James Elgaard, Robert and Jean, of Marysville, Mo., left Sunday evening for home after a few days' visit at the home of Mrs. Elgaard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hinds.

Russell Van Every, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Van Every, a student at the University of Nebraska, was spending last Sunday at the home of his parents, also visiting with his many friends.

Ward Tefft of Chicago, arrived here Wednesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tefft. Ward is only recently out of Billings hospital in Chicago, where he underwent an appendectomy.

James De Laney is able to be out again after a severe fall on the ice which kept him confined to his home for several days. Mrs. De Laney has also been confined to their home with a severe case of the flu.

Miss Rhena Christensen is at St. Joseph's hospital in Omaha, where she underwent a major operation Friday. Latest reports are that her condition is satisfactory, which is gratifying to her many friends in this vicinity.

Miss Joan Carter Poorly. Joan Carter who has not been in

the very best of health for some time has been rather poorly in recent weeks and as her condition seemed to grow worse, her niece, Miss Agatha Colbert took the aunt to Lincoln last week where she was given an examination at the Lincoln General hospital, later undergoing a minor operation. She has been there for a number of days and has been getting along nicely, with hopes of returning home soon.

Making the Dirt Fly. Workmen beginning on the Weeping Water sewer project early this week, have begun making the dirt fly in the digging of the trenches for the installation of the system of drainage and storm sewers which has been under contemplation by the city for some time past. It is estimated the work will require a number of months.

Home From Hospital. Mrs. W. D. Lenker, wife of Rev. Lenker, pastor of the Weeping Water Methodist church, who was in the hospital at Lincoln for a number of weeks where her recovery was impaired, has been making good improvement and was able to return home last week, which is excellent news to the many friends.

Entertains at Luncheon. Honoring Mrs. Harold Myer's birthday Mrs. Eugene Day entertained twenty ladies at a luncheon and an afternoon of bridge Saturday afternoon at the Hotel Rest Haven. The guests were seated at one long table, which was decorated with yellow jonquils and St. Patrick day favors. A beautifully decorated birthday cake was presented to Mrs. Myers for her to cut.

The afternoon was spent playing bridge at five tables. Mrs. Myers was presented with a guest prize, and Mrs. John Robinson and Mrs. O. E. Specht received prizes for the highest score.

Receive Pleasant Surprise. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pool had a pleasant surprise Saturday evening when Mrs. Pool's brother, Howard Colbert and wife and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brown, all of Wauwata, came to visit. Mr. Brown was called here by the illness of his father, John Brown, of Alvo. The Browns went to Alvo where they spent Sunday, and a family reunion of the Colbert

family was held at the Clarence Pool home Sunday at noon when Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Colbert, Miss Agatha Colbert, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colbert, Mr. and Mrs. James Kivett, Janice and Jerry, and the visiting guests, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colbert enjoyed dinner together. Sunday evening they all enjoyed a visit at the Eugene Colbert home.

Enjoy Skating Party. The Camp Fire girls are doing some excellent work. At present they are weaving their head bands, and most of them have them finished. As one evening each month is set aside as a social meeting, last Friday evening they invited twenty-eight guests to a roller skating party at Philpot Hall, where they spent a most delightful evening. They were accompanied by their guardian, Miss Mamie Michelson.

Contrast in Weather. Word was received from Rev. and Mrs. G. S. Hunt that they did not reach Roanoke, Alabama until Thursday, on account of the blizzard through which they passed. When they reached the south they found peaches and plums in bloom, in sharp contrast to the weather farther north. They expect to start for home the 14th. They were called to Roanoke by the death of Rev. Hunt's mother.

Welfare Society Meets. Welfare Society met Monday afternoon at the M. E. church, with Mrs. I. L. Markland, Mrs. C. E. Tefft and Mrs. Henry Christensen as hostesses. Mrs. George Ellis presided at the business meeting after which the afternoon was spent piecing comforters tops. This society is busy all the year round, piecing quilts and making comforters to give to those who need them and in seeing that those who are in need are given assistance in any way possible.

Friendly Ladies Meet. The Friendly Ladies, a social society of Weeping Water, who meet twice a month for social enjoyment, playing contract bridge and enjoying something to eat, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Markland Wednesday afternoon of this week.

See the goods you buy. Catalog but how about the goods when descriptions are alluring enough, you get them?

VOTE STANDING

of the 23 Schools that Turned in Votes in School Contest the Past Week

Dist. 97, Ruth Alexen, teacher, won the seventh weekly prize in the Rural School Contest last week, turning in 661,030 votes. Dist. 41, Doris Wall, teacher, turned in the second greatest number, 563,720. Seven weekly prizes have now been awarded, and three remain, including this week's. Dist. 45, Mildred Wilson, teacher, still leads in total votes, with 1,640,510. Contest ends Saturday night, April 8, when the \$250 in grand prizes will be awarded. Here is the vote standing of all schools that turned in votes during the week ending March 4th:

School and Teacher—	Last Week	TOTAL
\$Dist. 97—Ruth Alexen	661,030	730,338
Dist. 41—Doris Wall	563,720	677,647
\$Dist. 45—Mildred Wilson	295,897	1,640,510
\$Dist. 3—Esther Tritsch	152,060	959,350
\$Dist. 25—Nellie Carlson	100,771	860,152
\$Dist. 37—Martha Kaffenberger	85,815	895,289
\$Dist. 27—Velma Fulton	78,989	701,888
Dist. 60—Esther Rhoden	67,173	185,201
Dist. 56—Irma Dvorak	26,028	50,147
Dist. 79—Frances Shelhorn	22,474	207,117
\$Dist. 29—Evelyn Shelhorn	19,865	932,345
Dist. 14—June Armstrong	15,460	86,609
Dist. 31—Fern Williamson	12,527	63,338
Dist. 26—Marie Lutz	10,115	172,546
Dist. 15—Dorothea Hobbie	9,639	911,841
Dist. 91—Kathleen Schafer	7,030	20,359
Dist. 40—Jean Ingersoll (Sarry)	3,650	106,881
Dist. 9—Rosemary Cloidt	3,650	197,029
Dist. 80—Florence Schafer	2,496	8,673
Dist. 10—Beulah Albin	2,468	144,086
Dist. 42—June Keil	2,283	167,083
Dist. 30—Dorothea Siemoneit	1,230	96,360
Dist. 38—Beatrice Beverage	400	3,863

(S)—Indicates a Weekly Prize Winner.

Teachers: One of the fastest ways to increase your school's vote standing is by securing new or renewal subscriptions to the Plattsmouth Journal. See vote schedule on subscriptions elsewhere in this paper.

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