

Weeping Water

Miss Jane Whiting, of O'Neill, Nebraska is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mrs. James DeLaney and Mr. DeLaney.

V. O. Miller and the mother and W. S. Lane and wife were in Lincoln last Sunday enjoying a visit with friends.

Mrs. Ole Olson departed today for Chicago where she will visit with her two daughters for several weeks and also visit a number of friends.

Mrs. Ole Olson was in Lincoln Thursday attending the state board meeting for Congregational churches, of which Mrs. Olson is a member.

Miss Maude Baldwin and Miss Jessie Baldwin are at Elk Point, South Dakota visiting with their sister, Mrs. Herbert Lohnes and Mr. Lohnes.

Officers elected for the local Red Cross for the coming year are: Mrs. Carl Oldham, chairman; Sterling Amick, treasurer; Miss Agnes Rough, secretary.

Wm. Coatman has been visiting for some time and still is a guest at the home of his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gollhofer and family of Grand Island.

Dr. L. N. Kunkel and Clair Wolfe departed last Tuesday for Genoa where they go to examine some geological specimens and investigate relics of Indian villages and mounds in that locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis LaRue and daughter, Betty were in Lincoln last Sunday visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Millie LaRue, Ellis coming home in the evening while the wife and daughter will visit for a number of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hillman are delighted over the approaching visit of their two sons, and their wives from Rochester, New York. They will arrive Sunday and will spend a week here with their parents.

A very interesting game of kittenball was staged at the Weeping Water park on last Tuesday afternoon which was played between the CCC camp No. 751 and the Weeping Water team, in which the boys at the camp were successful in winning the game.

Mrs. G. S. Hunt, Mrs. Edward Lorenson and Mrs. O. A. Specht attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Seward-Day, in Lincoln, Thursday, honoring Mrs. Day's mother, Mrs. Chas. Murfin. Other former Weeping Water people who were guests were Mrs. L. R. Snipes.

Mrs. Helen Wallick, for a number of years chief operator of the telephone company here, but who has been placed in charge of an exchange in the west where she has been for some time, arrived in Weeping Water early this week and has been the guest of her son, Victor Wallick and family, returning home Thursday morning.

The announcement was made at the Congregational church Sunday morning that the state board had accepted the invitation of the Weeping Water church to hold the 1940 annual conference of Congregational churches with the Weeping Water church, with Avoca Congregational church as assistant hostess. These meetings are always held during the latter part of April, or the first part of May.

Carl Balmer, of Woodston, Kansas, nephew of Mrs. Grover Kirkpatrick

visited his aunt one day last week while returning home from Iowa City, where he graduated from Iowa State college this spring. Carl majored in mathematics, and expects to make teaching his profession. He is a nephew of Frank Balmer, who is a well known educator, connected with the Washington State college, at Pullman, Washington.

Visited Quits Two Times.

While Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fitzpatrick and their daughter were in the east and seeing sights they were privileged to visit and talk to the Dionne quintuplets at two different times. They were greatly impressed with the five little girls and greatly pleased with their fine behavior. They thought this one of the very finest sights in their three weeks trip to the east.

Married at Rockport, Mo.

Miss Wilma Baier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baier near Avoca was united in marriage to John Albert Nickles at the court house at Rockport, Mo., on June 17th, and after a short stay returned. They will make their home at Nehawka where Mr. Nickles is employed in a stone quarry.

Last Sunday, June 25 at the home of the bride's parents they were given a reception, the entire family being present, with two very important events to celebrate, the wedding recently consummated, also the 31st wedding anniversary of the parents of Mrs. Nickles, Mr. and Mrs. John Baier, who were united in marriage June 25th, 1908. A family dinner was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. John Baier reside a few miles west of Weeping Water on the highway leading to Elmwood. They were united in marriage at Nebraska City thirty-one years ago. Mrs. Baier was formerly Miss Rose Bates. Besides the family those present for the celebration were Hogue Jensen and family, Carl Compton and family and Herman Brunkow and wife.

Enjoyed Picnic and Rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shields were host and hostess at a picnic for a number of friends last Sunday afternoon at the place where they have their trailer parked in the pasture of Henry P. Smith and wife.

Those to enjoy the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shields and Henry P. Smith and daughter of Weeping Water, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Eager and family, Glen Eager and family and Herbert Eager and wife of Louisville.

The picnic went along nicely until Mother Nature took a hand in the festivities and just as the picnic supper was at its height, a rain came with considerable hail and chased all of the picnickers into the trailer which when they all got in were like sardines in a box. Notwithstanding all the inconvenience they all enjoyed a very fine time.

Railroad Changes Agents.

Station Agent R. C. Fry who has been here with the Missouri Pacific for the past 25 years will depart for his new home at Los Angeles, going with his brother who has been here for the past two weeks, coming to visit with R. C. Fry and on his arrival found the brother had just lost his wife of some forty years. Following the funeral Mr. Fry tendered his resignation and will discontinue railroading, as his brother also has done, for he was a conductor on the Southern Pacific for some thirty years and is now on the retired list. Mr. Fry will be succeeded by H. T. Wilson who has been at Crete for a number of years.

Mr. Fry has a host of friends here who will be sorry to see him depart from Weeping Water. The other help will remain as it has been heretofore. Mr. Wilson was operator in Weeping Water 25 years ago.

O. E. S. Kensington.

The members of the Eastern Star Kensington spent a most delightful afternoon Tuesday at the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Pollard. A bountiful covered dish luncheon was served at 1 o'clock to which all did justice as it included so many appetizing kinds of food.

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that they were hard to resist, especially the delicious home made ice cream and raspberries served by the hostess.

The afternoon was spent in a social way, and enjoying the delight of wandering around through their gardens.

Thirty-three ladies were present to enjoy the afternoon with Mrs. Taylor Wilson, a charter member, who has recently returned to Weeping Water to live, Mrs. Henry Ross, a member of Queen Esther chapter, Mrs. L. L. Henderson a member of Chapter 6, of Pawhuska, Oklahoma, and Mrs. M. L. Fernbaugh, of Lincoln as visitors.

Placing New Floor in House.

W. P. Sitzman, formerly of Weeping Water and where he still has property interests was a visitor in town last Tuesday looking after the installing of a new floor in one of the rooms of his residence property here. The property is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bickford and family.

Red Cross Swim Week.

This is Red Cross swimming lesson week for the children and young people of Weeping Water, Manley and Louisville. They are held at Louisville State Park, with Lauren Hnizda, of Lincoln, the instructor who has been with them the past four years again in charge, assisted by eleven lifesavers. Mrs. Ray Norris is serving as Cass county chairman for the sixth consecutive year, and Mrs. Clair Wolfe is the Weeping Water assistant.

Weeping Water and Manley young people have their instruction in the afternoon and the Louisville young people in the mornings. During the evenings, beginning at 6:30 there is a class for the adults, also.

During the week of July 5th to the 11th instruction will be given at Graham Mill pool, north of Nebraska City, when the Nehawka class will meet at 8:30 in the morning and Union and Avoca classes will arrive at the pool at 2 o'clock.

July 12 to 18, will be devoted to the young people of Plattsmouth and the surrounding territory, at Merritt Beach.

July 19 to 25, classes will meet at Lake Park, at South Bend, when the young people of South Bend, Murdock, Elmwood, Eagle, Alvo, Greenwood and Wabash will hold their classes.

During this month of instruction, which is sponsored by the Cass county Red Cross, every child in the county will be given the opportunity of free transportation to the pools, and free swimming lessons. This is an opportunity which should not be missed by any one who is interested in swimming.

Garden Club Meets.

The regular meeting of the Weeping Water Garden club was held Friday evening at the home of its president, Mrs. H. C. Wilkinson, with 22 members present.

As Miss Jessie Baldwin was absent from the city her paper on "Roses and Romance of a Rose Jar" was read by Mrs. Ole Olsen. "Garden Pests and Diseases" was the subject of a paper presented by Mrs. C. C. Ralston; and Mrs. C. E. Day talked on the subject of "Medicinal Herbs and Uses." An open forum on "Garden Pests" was then called for by the program chairman, after which the guests were invited to the dining room where ice cream and cakes were served.

Furnish Fine Entertainment.

Gibson's grocery store, Jorgensen's cafe and Dr. Herman were in charge of the regular Saturday evening entertainment last week. These programs are given from the band stand each Saturday evening and are drawing large crowds. With the new loud speaking system all can hear.

C. H. Gibson was the announcer for the following program:

Trumpet trio—Ben Olive, Jack Munkres, and John Towle, accompanied by Jean G. Jones; Piano Duet, Stanley Wiles and Lois Wiles; vocal solo, Kenneth Boyd; with Jean G. Jones accompanying; and then came the spelling contest between five of our citizens, who have been out of school for several years, and five who have recently graduated from our high school. They were Mayor T. L. Davis, Rev. G. S. Hunt, Mrs. L. F. Wolcott, Mrs. Edna Shannon and Mrs. W. W. Davis against Evelyn Johnson, Doris Jane Marshall, Dorothy Everett, Betty Hinds and Carlene Steinkamp. The result was that Mayor Davis, Mrs. Wolcott and Mrs. Davis proved to be the winners. Mrs. Frank Marshall was the announcer and the judges were Supt. L. H. Beghrens and Mrs. A. C. Peterson.

Hollingsworth's band completed the evening's program with three numbers.

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Murray

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Arnold Mast was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth last Monday morning.

Earl Merritt was painting the pump house of the Murray water system, which has been erected over near the Murray bathing beach.

Luther Womack was shelling and delivering the rental share of the corn of last year to the elevator for the owner of the farm, S. S. Davis.

David Kendall and son Robert of east of Union were looking after business matters in Murray Monday and meeting their many friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merritt were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Eugene Fitch and father, John Fitch, where the families enjoyed a real family dinner.

On last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McQuinn, the stork with the assistance of Dr. R. W. Tyson presented this happy couple with a very fine baby girl.

Robert Elliott the mechanic at the Murray Garage was over to Syracuse last Sunday visiting with his folks, returning in time to take up his work Monday morning.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merritt were over to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lewis for a visit for the evening and as well visited with Mrs. Lewis' father, J. D. Lewis.

Victor Wehrlein was called to Plattsmouth Friday of last week to look after business matters and was accompanied by W. O. Troop who also had some business to look after.

Mrs. Frank Hogue underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils at the office of Dr. Tyson and following the ordeal was feeling much better and has been getting along very nicely.

Franklin Womack had his wheat combined last Saturday and was well pleased with the result, as the wheat averaged slightly over 16 bushels the acre and tested just 60 pounds to the struck bushel.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Holmes of Plattsmouth were guests for the day and a very fine dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith, Mr. Holmes and Mrs. Smith being brother and sister.

Jeff D. Lewis who has been visiting for some time at the home of Mrs. Earl Merritt returned to the home of his son, Lloyd Lewis in the country Friday of last week where he is improving from his recent illness.

Charles R. Troop of Plattsmouth was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop last Saturday and was accompanied by Mrs. Troop. Mr. Troop has been very poorly for some time but is feeling much better at this time.

Charles Reid in order to get the harvesting done in the very best manner has secured a new combine for harvesting the wheat, oats and barley. The machine was secured from the Murray Hardware. John Hobscheidt, Jr., also secured one of the combines to care for his harvest.

Will Make Home Here.

Miss Elsa Lohnes who has been making her home in the west, arrived in Murray and has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ella Womack, for a time and will make her home on the farm over near Eight Mile Grove where she will be joined by her father J. J. Lohnes. Mr. Lohnes and daughter have been living in the west part of the state for a number of years. They will make their home at the farm but not farm, as they have the land rented.

Celebrated Birthday.

Mrs. Anna S. A. Wiles was passing her natal day last Sunday and was entertained at the home of her son, Guy Wiles and wife, who entertained for the other members of the family. Those there for the occasion were C. D. Spangler (brother) and wife, Mrs. Margaret Todd and son, Dick, Everett Wiles and family of Murray, Joseph Wiles and family, Miss Elizabeth Spangler (sister), Mr. and Mrs. Luke L. Wiles, Mrs. Wiles being a sister, as well as Joseph Wiles. A most enjoyable time was had.

W. W. Coble Very Poorly.

W. W. Coble, father of Mrs. Wm. Minto who has visited in Murray often and was for a number of years postal inspector, has been in poor health, and was taken to the hospital in Omaha where he was compelled to undergo a critical major operation, which with his age of 77 years and delicate health made the ordeal hard to bear. His friends are wishing a rapid recovery.

Attended Meeting in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Brubacher and daughter, Beverly were in Omaha last Sunday attending a gathering of the customers of the Paxton &

Gallagher wholesale grocers where they discussed business conditions and were entertained by the wholesale house at the noon hour at a very fine lunch and a six o'clock dinner in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Brubacher and daughter enjoyed the occasion very much.

Visited Relatives Here.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart and son, Morgan, of near Davenport, Iowa, were here for a visit at the home of the daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boedeker and daughter. They stayed for a very fine visit of a few days.

Returned Home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Van Dyck of Winfield, Iowa, Mrs. Van Dyck's mother, Mrs. H. L. Moody, who have been visiting here for the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Kendall and family, have returned to their home in Iowa. They enjoyed their visit here very much.

Caught in Hail Storm.

While in the west Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Gilmore as they got to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kemper Frans and had just stopped when a garage man motioned for them to drive in his shop, which as they did, the hail storm burst in all its fury, and a car belonging to Kemper Frans which stood outside was riddled, tearing the roof away. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore arrived home last Friday after having toured a great deal of the western part of the state.

Enjoyed Ice Cream Social.

A large crowd of people were gathered at the Lewiston Community Center last Friday when an ice cream social was had, with a very interesting program. The receipts were for the care of the Community Center as well as the cemetery adjacent to it.

Undergoes Operation.

The thirteen-year-old son of Mrs. Mary Campbell of Plattsmouth was down to Murray to see Dr. Tyson, who operated on the little fellow for the removal of his tonsils which had been giving him some trouble. The lad has been getting along very nicely following the operation.

Here From Fort Worth.

Miss Avis Troop who has been making her home at Fort Worth with relatives for the past winter where she has been attending school, came home to spend the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop, she being daughter of Earl Troop, and was joined by Miss Mary Catherine Gorder, her cousin, from Plattsmouth. The two girls are both eleven years old, make it a lively place for Grandfather and Grandmother W. O. Troop.

Celebrated Birthday Saturday.

Miss Avis Troop who was passing her natal day last Saturday was given a birthday party by her grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Troop which was attended by her two little cousins, Miss Mary Catherine Gorder and Master Billie Wehrlein as well as a number of other little folks in the neighborhood.

Had Bible School Anyway.

Miss Avis Troop, Miss Catherine Gorder, the latter of Plattsmouth, and Master Billie Wehrlein who were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop went to the United Brethren church last Sunday and no one came, so with Mrs. Minnie Troop as teacher and superintendent they had their Bible school, which they enjoyed and thus afforded Miss Mary Catherine Gorder a certificate of attendance as she is a scholar in the Presbyterian church Bible school at Plattsmouth.

Home From the East.

Mrs. C. S. Sherman of Lincoln and her friend, Mrs. Mary Paymiller also of Lincoln, Mrs. Wm. Gorder of Plattsmouth and Mrs. Robert Troop stopping in Chicago while the other member of the party went on to New York where they attended the world's fair and visited other places of interest, including Canada, returned home Tuesday of this week, well pleased with their trip. They stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop. Mrs. Robert Troop will visit with her niece in Chicago for a good deal of the summer.

The Happy Homemakers Club.

The Happy Homemakers 4-H club of Murray held its second meeting June 27, 1939 at the home of Yvonne Deles Dornier. All members were present.

Our assistant leader, Yvonne Deles Dornier took charge of the lesson, the subject being "The Home."

Our next lesson will be judging cookies and will be held at the home of Leone Coolman. Our meeting closed with the hostess serving lunch.—Beverly Brubacher, news reporter.

Nehawka

George Lopp was looking after some business matters at Murray on Friday of last week and also was over to Plattsmouth.

Mrs. Lyle Kruger was a guest for the day on last Sunday at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kruger of Nebraska City.

Dr. Elmer Kintner who has been in poor health for some time is reported as being in an Omaha hospital for treatment and is thought to be some better of late.

Farmers about Nehawka report many grasshoppers and have been poisoning them which seemed to have the effect of thinning them out slightly but there remains many as yet.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Sheldon were over to Omaha last Sunday where they enjoyed a visit with friends and as well a very fine dinner, meeting a number of Plattsmouth people while there with whom they also dined.

The amusement which the Commercial club of Nehawka has been putting on attracted large crowds of people from the surrounding country Saturday. The bingo games which has been put on is one of the attractions which has drawn the crowds.

Miss Ruth B. Kruger, the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kruger of Nebraska City has been visiting for the week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Kruger. She has been enjoying a very fine time with the grandparents while here.

Mrs. A. R. Kintner of Omaha, formerly of Nehawka when Dr. Kintner was a practicing physician here was visiting with friends in Nehawka last Sunday and while here was guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Chapman. Mrs. Kintner also went to Weeping Water to look after some business matters.

The Nehawka Commercial club posed as hostess at a steak fry when the membership and their families were guests. Superintendent E. C. Stimbert and ye editor, Glen Rutledge were selected as the chefs and how they did make the steaks fry, and served the entire crowd which was hungry and don't forget it. They held their festival at the woods behind the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Wunderlich.

Edward Jordan, formerly a resident here when he and F. R. Cunningham were associated in business together, who left Nehawka many years ago, and is making his home at California, Mo., was a guest of his friend Mr. Cunningham and other friends in Nehawka. Since leaving here Mr. Jordan associated himself with a construction company and became an expert with the drag line as operator and made good success, being able to purchase a farm and pay for it.

Olaf Lundberg who has been kept to his home for the past nine weeks on account of a very severe infection in one of his legs and hips, which has presented him from walking, has been showing some improvement of late and while he was able to get about with a cane now is able to walk a short distance without the cane and stay at the service station and work some.

Scouts Visit Lincoln for Week.

A troop of Boy Scouts of Nehawka went to Lincoln last week where they are to spend the week in an outing and camp life. Albert Anderson and wife took with them Kenneth Anderson, Gerald Opp and Billie Kraeger, while in the other conveyance, driven by Verner Lundberg were Nelson Lundberg, Hal Hansen and James Stone. The boys are expecting to have a very fine time.

A Number of Weddings.

Miss Opal Schumacher and Mr. John Dale were united in marriage Monday, June 26th. They are among the very fine citizens of Nehawka and will make their home in Omaha where Mr. Dale has a position driving a truck.

Miss Ruth Lenhart and Clarke Bates were united in marriage during the past week and in recognition of the approval of their many young friends they were given an old fashioned charivari which they accepted with pleasure, inviting the serenaders in and a merry evening was enjoyed. Their friends extended the wish for a happy and prosperous life for the newlyweds.

Miss Wilma Baier and John Albert Nickles were united in marriage on June 17th at Plattsmouth and will make their home near Snyderville between Nehawka and Weeping Water where Mr. Nickles will be employed in a quarry. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baier of west of Nehawka where she has lived and where a host of friends extend congratulations and best wishes. The groom formerly resided in Texas.

Red Oak Plans Greatest 4th of July Celebrat'n

Fireworks and High Diving Act to Provide Thrills Along With All-Day Activity.

It's a great celebration Red Oak's celebrating Legionnaires have cooked up in the 1939 version of July 4 observances, according to advance information released here today as the Red Oak Legion post concentrated its efforts to maintain a reputation for outstanding celebrations.

With a greater free list than ever before scheduled today was growing by leaps and bounds. Already a \$1,500 double fireworks program is ready.

A preview will be shown Sunday evening (July 2) at 9:30 o'clock. The giant display will be fired by experts from the Thearle Duffield company at 10 p. m. The pyrotechnics this year are made by the same company which created world fair exhibitions.

Many New Shows

In addition to the featured fireworks there will be the Landis Greater Carnival Shows; swimming in the big Red Oak pool, matinee and evening dances, parades, band concerts, baseball games, exhibitions, free acts on the carnival grounds, band maneuvers and all the rest that goes to make up a typical Red Oak celebration.

A new act this year will be a high dive that Legionnaires expect to create a sensation. John Pollock leaps 100 feet into a small net once during the afternoon and again during a special night performance. It's patterned after the leaps of fire trapped victims of tenement skyscrapers into small firemen's nets. His exhibition carries with it all of those elements which thrill seekers desire. There'll be other specialties interspersing the program.

Plenty of Dances

Cliff Kyes and his swing orchestra, a nationally famous group of 11 musicians will furnish the dance music. They'll kick open the program at a dawn dance prior to the official opening of the celebration. This starts at midnight Monday and continues until early into Tuesday morning.

At noon and again at 7 o'clock parades of historical and colorful floats will wind through the business district. Holders of admission tickets will be admitted to the Red Oak sanitary swimming pool as many times as they wish during the day. The admission ticket also carries free parking space, picnic grounds admittance and free admission to other general attractions, dances, ball games, band maneuvers, and fireworks.

Fine Picnic Grounds

To care for capacity crowds this year the Legion has purchased 14 acres of land adjoining Legion park. There motorcycle and special uniformed police will be on guard duty all day. Parks are being groomed. Roads are being rebuilt and grandstands have been given the "once-over" in preparation. Today's paper carries the official Legion invitation for folks of the area to "Celebrate in Red Oak."

The regular meeting of the Mynard community club will be held on Friday evening, June 30th at 8 o'clock at the community building. The east side committee will be in charge.

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