

Weeping Water

By Mrs. Thomas Murty

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones spent Sunday in Lincoln visiting at the home of their son, Clifford Jones and Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Day returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit with the Harold Myers family at Greencastle, Indiana.

The food sale which was held at Gibson's store Saturday afternoon by the ladies of the Queen Esther Circle was a success in every way.

Mrs. Fred H. Gorder and her house guest, Miss Elizabeth Keller, were guests at the home of Mrs. Jacob Goeby, in Lincoln Thursday. Other guests there were Mrs. Gorder's brother, Harold Tool and wife, of Denver, and their son, who is attending the University of Nebraska.

Many Have Moved

There have been so many people moving into new homes this summer and fall that it has been hard keeping track of our people. The last ones to move were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Howe, who moved last week into the Domingo home, which has been occupied for several years by the Chris Elgaards.

The happy part of all this moving into new or newly remodeled homes is that everyone seems to be delighted with their new home, and is more than satisfied with the change of location.

A Very Enjoyable Trip

Through the courtesy of Miss Myrtle Wood, of Wabash, I accompanied her to Lincoln Saturday afternoon. The purpose of the trip was to hear a lecture by the Hon. Dorothy Kenyon, judge of the Municipal court of New York City, on "A Court of Social Significance."

The lecture was given under the auspices of the Nebraska Women's Educational club in the ball room of the Cornhusker hotel. Having the preconceived idea that

any woman bearing the title of Judge would be tall, with iron grey hair, and of austere mien, wearing glasses and wearing flat heeled shoes, you may imagine my surprise when Miss Kenyon appeared, for she is just the opposite of my preconceived idea of a judge. She is a blonde, not very tall, does not wear glasses and looked charming in a simple dinner gown of a new shade of red. Altogether she was very feminine, and her ready smile captivated her audience.

Miss Kenyon's court deals with the quarrels of neighbors, of petty lawsuits. These are basically human problems and must be dealt with accordingly.

Speaking of children's courts, which were started forty years ago, she said that their technique is improving each year. New methods are being developed, and children are now being handled as if they are human beings.

They are being given proper food and medical care, but so far, only the surface has been scratched. Their problems are too deep, and the age of crime is growing younger, owing to economic conditions.

She believes that there will be a great influx of women lawyers within the next few years.

DELAY RATIONING

LONDON, Nov. 28 (UP)—Start of rationing in Britain has been delayed until January 8 when regulations will go into effect limiting supplies of butter and bacon to four ounces each per week to each consumer, Minister of Foods William Morrison announced in the house of commons today.

Morrison said delay in starting rationing resulted from the requests of private traders throughout the country asking that ration regulations should not be made effective during the Christmas season. He added that although sugar will not be rationed for the present the ministry of food asked consumers to restrict their purchases to a pound per person per week.

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Junior Marshall spent several days the past week visiting friends at Murray.

Guy Hinds left Monday evening for Bern, Wyoming, where he is spending a short time visiting his brother, Jesse Hinds.

Clarence Devore who has been staying at the Mrs. Isaac Wiles home, left Monday evening for Denver, to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Day returned the first of the week from a visit at the Harold Meyers home in Greencastle, Indiana.

Dr. W. H. Tuck has returned home from a stay of several weeks at the hospital and is continuing to improve with each passing day.

Mrs. Helen Clarke departed early this week for Greencastle, Indiana, where her brother, Harold Meyers and family, make their home.

Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer J. Marshall are Mr. and Mrs. Dick Applegate, and Nissley Marshall and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood are spending Thanksgiving day at the home of a sister of Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Perry Walker, at Pollard, Kansas.

The Elmer Michelson family spent last Sunday at Blair, where they visited at the home of Mrs. Michelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hineline.

Prof. Raymond J. Pool and wife, who make their home at University Place, are spending Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pool.

Misses Mildred and Anna Hart are taking Thanksgiving dinner at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Hart. They are sisters of Mr. Hart.

Warren Baker, who is a student at the University of Nebraska, visited over Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Baker.

Thanksgiving day guests at the G. R. Binger home today include Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bolz, and Ralph Binger (son), who makes his home in Lincoln.

Thanksgiving guests at the Floyd home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cole and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mohr, all of Lincoln.

Word from the Bryan Memorial hospital is to the effect that Charles Kimmerly, who has been a patient there for some time, is in very serious condition.

Miss Anna Hart was hostess to the Kniekerbocker club, serving supper at the Rest Haven hotel, after which the evening was spent in playing contract bridge.

There was much joy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Domingo when the stork brought them a fine baby girl, Mrs. Domingo was formerly Miss Thelma Ward.

The Bide-a-Wee club members were guests at the home of Mrs. C. H. Wilkinson last Thursday afternoon, when they engaged in the customary needle work and social hour.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dillon, of Denver, arrived here early this week for a visit with old friends. They formerly resided here, when Mr. Dillon was engaged in the bakery business.

Miss Margaret Jane Robinson, who is taking a nurse training course at the St. Joseph hospital in Omaha, visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ronne have as their Thanksgiving guests their three sons, Fred, of Council Bluffs, Robert of California and Lowell, who is attending college at McPherson, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ray Smith are enjoying a visit from their son, Clifford Smith, who is attending school in Kansas, and from their nephew, Dale Reed, who is attending Peru normal school.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rough, who reside near Weeping Water, are having as their Thanksgiving guests today, Stuart Rough of Nehawka, Miss Agnes Rough of Weeping Water and Guy Lake of Lincoln.

Mrs. Barritt, age 86, was taken to a Lincoln hospital several days ago, undergoing an operation for appendicitis. The age of the patient has made it very difficult for her to withstand the ordeal of the operation.

Harold Krecklow of Manley was a visitor in Weeping Water Tuesday, when he was concluding business at the Sudduth cream station, which was cared for that day by P. H. Miller, who formerly operated the station.

Relatives and friends are guests at the Thanksgiving day dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Anderson. Those present are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Roman Anderson.

The Townsend club took a different tack last Thursday when they

met at the Laurel hotel and enjoyed a box supper, and while there were weighty subjects to discuss, they played pinochle all evening, but got just as far anyway.

Sang at Syracuse

The Cass County Chorus, a musical organization whose fame has spread near and far, was invited to sing at the meeting held to celebrate the beginning of service over the new R. E. A. lines to farmers in the vicinity of Syracuse.

Guests at Oldham Home

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oldham, who have been enjoying a visit from their son, Randall Oldham and wife, of Los Angeles, also entertained on last Sunday at their home here. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lilley, of Omaha, parents of Mrs. Randall Oldham.

Masons Enjoy Turkey Dinner

Tuesday evening at the Masonic Temple in Lincoln there was served a fine turkey dinner, replete with all the trimmings. The affair was attended by prominent Masons from over the state, those going from this vicinity being Chris Rasmussen, Frank Wood, Senator Fred L. Carsten and his son, Calvin Carsten. They report a splendid time.

New Missouri Pacific Agent

The Missouri Pacific railroad has assigned Edgar L. Jones of Lincoln to the position of agent here, taking the place of Mr. Taylor, who was recently transferred to Auburn. Until he is able to secure suitable living quarters for his family, Mr. Jones is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thede Davis. His family consists of a wife and two sons, the elder a graduate of an electrical engineering college and the younger a high school student.

Attended O. E. S. Meeting at Otoe

Last Monday night some twenty-four of the members of Elizabeth Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, of Weeping Water, went to Otoe, where they were guests at a meeting of the Otoe chapter. Besides the regular business meeting, there was initiation work, followed by a social hour and refreshments.

Grand Ruth Mrs. Venus Tyler, of Nebraska City was principal honor guest at the meeting, which was attended by officers and members of the chapters at Palmyra, Dunbar, Nebraska City and Weeping Water.

Enjoyed Skating Party

The Weeping Water Campfire Girls enjoyed a delightful skating party at the Philpot hall last Friday evening. The organization is sponsored by Miss Mayme Michelson, who is much interested in this sort of work. She arranged to have Miss Myra Baumgartner, of Kansas City, now located in Lincoln, present to speak on the principles of the Girl Scout movement.

Home from the West

Peter H. Miller and son Pete visited several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson at Seibert, Colorado, arriving home Friday. Mrs. Johnson is the daughter and sister of the two men. En route home they encountered a rain storm at Holdrege that slowed up travel a bit, but the skies soon cleared and they had good roads all the way home.

Agricultural Association Meets

The annual meeting of the Cass County Agricultural Association—more commonly termed the fair board—was held last Saturday at the new community building that is being erected to house fair exhibits and other community events. Reports on the past year's activities were heard, after which the annual election of officers for the coming year was held.

Henry H. Ragoos was renamed as president, Fred Rehmeier as vice president and Frank E. Woods as secretary-treasurer. Carl Tefft and W. O. Kitzel were elected to serve as members of the board of directors. The hold-over members of this board are Troy Davis, Fred Carsten and Carl Day.

With the new building completed for use this year, the 1940 fair should be one of the most successful held in recent years.

Killed Coyote Wednesday

While Mesdames Chris Rasmussen and Fred Rehmeier were entertaining a group of Eastern Star members last Wednesday and all were busy with the tying of a quilt for the Nebraska Masonic Home at Plattsmouth, they were interrupted by Walter Rasmussen who came in to tell them he had just shot and killed a coyote in the field near the Rehmeier home.

Celebrated Birthday

Last Saturday marked the birthday of Mrs. George Olive, and seven of

her lady friends called in the evening to help her celebrate. The time was pleasantly spent in playing bridge, after which a most delicious luncheon was served. Those present were Mesdames Joan Carter, George Ellis, Andrew Olsen, Arthur Jones, Rasmus Lauritzen, Emmor Marshall, Mogens Johnson and the hostess, Mrs. Olive. Mrs. Carter won the high score at bridge.

Thanksgiving Day at Camp Cass

Many of the boys in the CCC camp have not been away from home much and holidays are a lonely occasion for them as they think of home and the fine time being had there as the members of the family gather for a festive dinner. Although Thanksgiving day couldn't bring them the home contacts, there was nothing lacking in the way of good food and entertainment at the camp, as the officers arranged for the serving of a real turkey dinner with all the trimmings. The food, always good at the camp, was said to have been extra fine that day.

Home from the West

Mrs. Robert O. Baker and son Herbert arrived home Friday from a visit with relatives in the western part of Nebraska and in Colorado. At Paxton they were guests at the home of Mrs. Baker's sister, Mrs. W. E. Countryman and family and at Sterling, Colo., were guests at the home of Mrs. Jack Noell. They spent a short time at Estes Park and at Greeley, Colo., and returned home by way of Chadron, Nebr., where they also stopped for a short visit.

Entertained at Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Wolfe entertained a group of friends at a most delightful supper at the Rest Haven hotel Monday evening, after which all went to the Wolfe home to play bridge. High scoring honors went to Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Hobson.

Entertained for Thursday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Thurstand entertained at a dinner Thursday in honor of Richard Gibson, a nephew of Mr. Thurstand, who was four years old. A beautiful birthday cake formed the centerpiece of the gorgeously decorated table and when the young guest of honor saw it, he was so delighted and impressed that tears coursed down his face. When asked why he cried, he said, "It is so beautiful, mother."

Garden Club Members Meet

At the last meeting of the Weeping Water Garden club, held at the home of Mrs. Clint Wilkinson, the president of the club, Mrs. Lawrence Weseman opened the program with the subject of "State Flowers" and when she named the national flower, it was a surprising thing that many had not known what it was.

WOULD SPANK COUPLES

CHICAGO, Nov. 29 (UP)—Superior Court Judge Oscar F. Nelson believes every divorce court needs a spanking machine for use on couples fighting over "trivialities."

He made the suggestion yesterday when Mrs. Mary Yon, 23, appeared with her year-old daughter, Elaine, to ask temporary alimony from Edward Yon, 24. She is seeking a divorce on cruelty and desertion charges. She said her husband had moved his things out to the garage on alternate days before their separation Sept. 4.

"We ought to have a spanking machine right in the court chamber for cases like this," Nelson said. "I'll take a spanking if he will," Mrs. Yon said, looking at her husband.

"I still love Mary," Yon said, "and I'll take one if she will." Nelson sent her home without alimony and told her to take her husband with her.

HONOR NEBRASKA FARMERS

OMAHA, Nov. 29 (UP)—Fifty-four Nebraska farmers and ranchers were singled out for agricultural honors at the annual pasture-forage and livestock meeting here last night. Six of the fifty-four received awards for outstanding achievements in the pasture-forage livestock contests in 1939. They include L. D. Spence, cattle raiser and operator of a 630-acre farm at Crab Orchard in Johnson county. Among the forty-eight given honorable mention were Merlyn Osborn of Talmage and W. W. Miner, Jr. of Verdun.

SEES LONGER LIFE

OMAHA, Nov. 28 (UP)—The life span will be increased another seven years in the next fifteen or twenty years, Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the American Medical Association Journal, said here today. Medical science has already increased life expectancy in this country from forty-five years to sixty-two years, he said.

"If God will give you no water out of the sky," he said, "then you must take to irrigation. It won't be as much of a financial risk as many of you took in 1929 when you bought certain stocks, paying \$1 dividends at \$300 a share or more. As a matter of fact I don't believe it would be any risk at all. I believe you would get your money back with interest."

Deeds, mortgages and all sorts of legal blanks for sale at the Journal office.

Wallace Asks for Heavy Farm Subsidy Paym'ts

Secretary of Agriculture Announces 1940 Program With \$750,000,000 Subsidies.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 (UP)—Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace announced a 1940 farm program today calling for more than \$750,000,000 in government subsidy payments.

The program provides for increased payments for soil conservation practices in line with Wallace's plan to shift emphasis from acreage control to soil conservation.

Wallace said that the 1940 program was contingent upon an appropriation of \$500,000,000 to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration by congress. At the last session \$225,000,000 was appropriated for parity payments. Export subsidy payments will add considerably to the farm total.

The program calls for changes in the rates to payment on several crops, but total benefit payment would be about the same as this year. The national soil-depleting crop goal was unchanged at 270,000,000 to 285,000,000 acres.

Wheat acreage in 1940 would be increased from 55,000,000 acres this year to 62,000,000 acres. Corn acreage allotments call for a reduction of about 6,000,000 acres. The 1940 goal will be increased from nine to 10 cents a bushel. An additional parity payment of five or six cents a bushel will be made. AAA wheat payments were reduced from 17 to nine cents a bushel.

Acreage goals in 1940 for other crops were:

Potatoes—Unchanged at 3,100,000-3,300,000 acres.
Flue-cured tobacco—730,000-770,000 acres compared with 860,000-900,000 this year. Benefit payment rate increased from .8 cent to one-cent a pound.

Burley tobacco—360,000-370,000 acres compared with 375,000-410,000 this year. Benefit rate raised from .8 cent to one cent a pound.

Fire and dark air-cured tobacco—155,000-165,000 acres compared with 160,000-170,000 this year. Benefit rate reduced from 1.26 cents to 1.2 cents a pound.

UP TO BUSINESS INTERESTS TO FINANCE PROGRAM

OMAHA, Nov. 28 (UP)—It is up to the business interests of the state to finance the remainder of Nebraska's irrigation program, Administrator John Carmody, of the Federal Works Agency, said at the Chamber of Commerce today at the conclusion of a state-wide inspection of federal projects.

Explaining that there are no further funds for such purposes available and will not be unless congress has a change of heart, Carmody said private capital would find it very profitable to invest up to \$20,000,000 to complete the job. All state planning, he said, should be built around irrigation.

"If God will give you no water out of the sky," he said, "then you must take to irrigation. It won't be as much of a financial risk as many of you took in 1929 when you bought certain stocks, paying \$1 dividends at \$300 a share or more. As a matter of fact I don't believe it would be any risk at all. I believe you would get your money back with interest."

J. Howard Davis Attorney at Law

Plattsmouth
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by C. E. Ledgway, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass County, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south front door of the court house, in the City of Plattsmouth in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate to-wit:

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.
To the creditors of the estate of Grant Wetenkamp, deceased. No. 3433:

Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is March 11, 1940; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on March 15, 1940, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.

Dated November 10, 1939.
A. H. DUXBURY,
(Seal) n13-3w County Judge.

NOTICE OF PROBATE

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary Jaeger, deceased. No. 3446:

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 George Braun as Executor thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 22nd day of December, 1939, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated November 24, 1939.
A. H. DUXBURY,
(Seal) n27-3w County Judge.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Jesse E. Kleiser, deceased. No. 3443:

Take notice that a petition has been filed praying for administration of said estate and appointment of Ernest A. Wiggenshorn as Administrator; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 15th day of December, 1939, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated November 14, 1939.
A. H. DUXBURY,
(Seal) o20-3w County Judge.

NOTICE OF PROBATE

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Sidney S. Gooding, deceased. No. 3442:

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 Frank A. Clويد as Executor thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 8th day of December, 1939, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated November 9, 1939.
A. H. DUXBURY,
(Seal) n13-3w County Judge.

NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To Joanna Williams:
You will take notice that on July 10, 1939, George C. Williams commenced an action against you, to obtain an absolute divorce from you on grounds of abandonment as defined by Nebraska law. You are required to answer this notice and the petition filed against you in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, on or before the 18th day of December, 1939, or judgment will be taken against you.

GEORGE C. WILLIAMS,
Plaintiff.
By C. S. WORTMAN,
His Attorney.

NOTICE

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

Blanche E. Lessman, Plaintiff, vs. Wald B. Lessman, Defendant.

To the defendant Wald B. Lessman: You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of June, 1937, the plaintiff filed her petition and commenced an action against you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of divorce and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 25th day of December, 1939, or the allegations of said petition will be taken as true and a decree rendered in accordance therewith.

BLANCHE E. LESSMAN,
Plaintiff.
By W. A. ROBERTSON,
Her Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska }
Cass County } ss.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by C. E. Ledgway, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass County, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south front door of the court house, in the City of Plattsmouth in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate to-wit:

Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 10, Township 11, North, Range 13, East of the 6th Principal Meridian, in Cass County, Nebraska, containing 40 acres more or less, according to Government survey.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Harry Albin et al. defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, a corporation, plaintiff against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, October 30, A. D. 1939.
JOE MRASEK,
Sheriff Cass County,
Nebraska.