

### Weeping Water

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Business Men's Luncheon Club had as their guests at their Wednesday meeting, Congressman Howard Buffet and his secretary, Mr. Mitchell. Congressman Buffet spoke to the club and then answered questions put to him by the members of the club. One soldier, S. Sgt. Roy Embury, was present and gave a short talk.

Monday was Mrs. Richmond Hobson's birthday. Her mother, Mrs. Helen Clark and her aunt, Mrs. Harold Myers entertained at a birthday dinner in her honor at the J and M Cafe, Sunday, when those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Day, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Day, Mrs. Helen Clark, Mrs. Harold Myers, David Myers, Harold Myers, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Hobson and Susan Hobson.

Miss Margaret Gibberson spent Tuesday in town. Miss Gibberson is a teacher in the Grand Island schools, and is spending the summer with her father, Al Gibberson, in Lincoln. She reported that his condition is not improving as they had hoped. He has been quite ill for some time.

Henry Crocker, our real estate man, reports the following sales

completed during the past week. The Peter Andersen farm northeast of town, was sold to Ed Lorensen, and both of the brick business houses on the north side of Main street, the one adjoining Guy Hopkins' place of business was sold to Guy, and his brother, John Hopkins will use it for an implement business, carrying the Ford Contract Implements and the Wood Bros. implements. The building east of that and adjoining the American Legion building, has been bought by the city, to be used as a council room and the rear end for the fire trucks. Across the street north the building occupied by the Earl Cole Produce Station has been sold to Bert Philpot, also the building adjoining it on the west. This building Mr. Philpot expects to tear down and erect a new building in its place. His Grain and Feed Center will be moved there.

Mrs. Jack Hayes had not had a letter from her husband, Pfc. Jack Hayes, for some time. As he had always written a letter each day, she naturally was beginning to feel worried. Sunday she began to receive letters again and these letters tell her that he is in the General hospital in England, and that he had lost everything that he had. He was unable to tell the extent of his injuries, or where they were received. Her supposition is that he took part in the invasion into France, and that they were received in D day. Mrs. Hayes is very happy to be receiving his letters again. Four came Sunday and Monday, so she knows

that he is on the road to recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hebard have had as their guests since Friday, Mr. Hebard's mother, Mrs. B. M. Hebard, of Council Bluffs, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hesly of Chicago, and their three children, George, Leslie and Waunita.

Mrs. Ralph Keckler writes that the weather has been delightful in California, where she is visiting. She had worn a coat every day since arriving there. She is at Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oldham are now the owners of their home and the business building next door. A deal was closed recently, when they bought them from Troy L. Davis. Elizabeth Chapter O. E. S., met Tuesday evening with a good attendance. Two candidates were initiated into the order. They were Mrs. Harold Elliott and Mrs. Owen Welch. At the close of the meeting all remained for a social hour when the hostesses were Mrs. Nettie Amick, Mrs. E. M. Ruby, Mrs. Clifford Cooper, Mrs. Earl Power, Mrs. W. W. Davis and Miss Fern Davis.

Miss Hazel Pool has accepted a position as teacher in the fifth grade of the Plattsmouth schools for the coming year. Miss Pool spent from Tuesday until Saturday, last week at Peru as the guest of her sister, Miss Eloise Pool.

Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Herman had as their guests last Sunday, Mrs. Herman's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ebsen of Council Bluffs. Boy Scout Field Executive, Ray Arundale of Beatrice met with the local board Tuesday evening for a discussion of plans for the local Boy Scout groups. Those attending the meeting were E. Thomas Stacey, local Boy Scout master, Howard C. Elliott, Rev. John C. Pryor, Owen Welch and M. L. DeCreame. Dr. C. O. Herman, assistant scout leader, was called to take a patient to a hospital and was unable to be present.

Miss Mary Ramsey is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties at the Farm Loan Association office, while visiting her parents at Dorchester. Mrs. Frank Hunt's birthday was Monday, and she thinks that she had a very fine birthday. First, she received a letter from her son, Sgt. Meryl Hunt who is in India. Her daughter, Mrs. Merritt Polard, had come the Friday before from Seymour, Iowa, to be with her mother. In the evening she received a long distance telephone call from her brother, Louis Amick, who lives in St. Louis, and a half hour later, a call from her son, Major Marvin Hunt, from his home at Arlington, Va.

Tuesday morning there was the monthly meeting of the War Board, held at the AAA office, with the following present: County Farm Agent Willard H. Waldo; Chm. AAA Oscar Domingo; Unit Work Leader C. S. office, E. Thomas Stacey; R. E.A., Clark Greenwood; and F.S.A. office, Leonard Hauks, Nebraska City. Mrs. Harold Domingo and baby returned home from the hospital Tuesday morning.

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Mrs. Belle Jack of Lincoln is visiting friends in Eagle this week and also looking after some matters of business.

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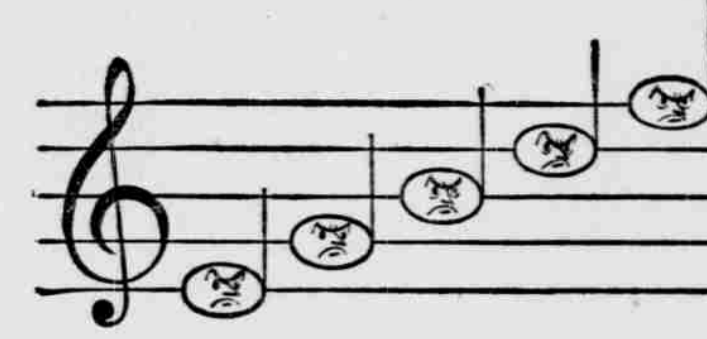
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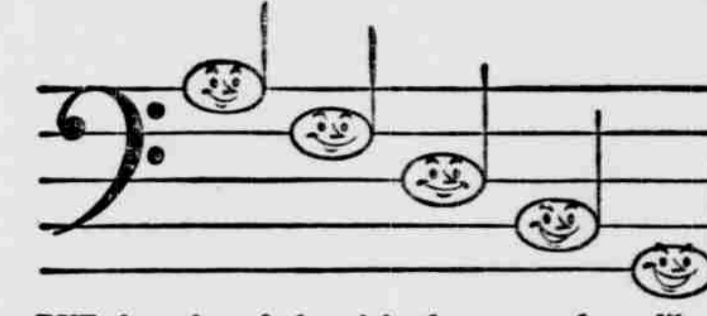
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