

Weeping Water

(Opal E. Wallick)

Miss Marne Rasmussen, principal of Beal and Pickering schools in Omaha was here visiting with her brother, Mr. Chris Rasmussen and wife last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Merling Fernbaugh and Joyce went to Lincoln Sunday to visit with Mrs. Margaret Litten, Mrs. Fernbaugh's grandmother. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baty were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hammond. Anderson Studios of Lincoln were in Weeping Water, Monday, taking pictures at the school for the 1950 annual, "The Warrior." Pupils of the grades will be able to purchase individual

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pictures besides the class pictures that they are usually offered.

Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dotys, a birthday dinner in honor of Mr. Eugene Colbert, was held with the family all present. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colbert, Sue and Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Colbert, Bob and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Heneger and Reginald Colbert, a grandson, met to congratulate Mr. Colbert on his birthday anniversary.

Last Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bickford and children went to Union to spend the day with Mrs. Bickford's mother, Mrs. Emma Morton.

Mrs. C. E. Pool and Hazel went to Lincoln last Friday to be with Miss Eloise Pool and to attend the game on Saturday.

Mrs. Pearl Martin, of Omaha, was a guest at the J. M. Ranney home over the last week end. During Mrs. Martin's visit here Mrs. Ranney invited Miss Villa Jameson and Mrs. Sarah Spohn as her guests also.

Mrs. Leonard Webster (Beulah Bobbitt) and Mrs. Carol Barber (Helen Bobbitt) of Manhattan, N. Y., came Wednesday for an overnight stay with a former schoolmate, Mrs. Leonard Doty. They were enroute to Milford to visit their brother, Ed, and family.

Roger Bickford was home Sunday from Fremont, where he has been transferred to represent the Eastern Silver Company as field supervisor. Over Armistice Day holiday

Mr. and Mrs. DeCreane and Marianne accompanied by Mrs. Owen Welch and Virginia drove to Missouri, where they left Mrs. Welch and Virginia at St. Joseph to visit her mother, Mrs. E. M. Talbot, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Farmer. The DeCraines drove on to Brookfield, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. George R. McGregor, parents of Mrs. DeCreane. Coming back from their trip they were guests of the Alvin Farmers for dinner Sunday evening.

Monday at school the high school students were given the opportunity to hear the story of escape from Czechoslovakia by a scholarship student from Hastings college. One of two brothers who escaped the iron curtain by traveling on skis during the daytime only—the night travel being too dangerous. No maps were used and since the border line is so very irregular they discovered several times that they had crossed to safety only to cross right back into enemy territory again. On December 31, 1948, they finally escaped across the German border to the American zone. While in Luxembourg France, they received the scholarship to Hastings college. Having been in the U. S. only two months he apologized for not being able to express himself readily. Giving his impression of his first football game he said he couldn't understand why everyone kept yelling "get that guy" or "hit 'em harder." The whole student body was thrilled over the talk and many of them were heard to say "I could listen to him talk all afternoon."

Clyde, of Omaha, and Neil Rice, of Lincoln, were home over the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rice. Incidentally they expected to get in on a little hunting trip.

Monday evening six advanced scouts from Troop 220 went to Alvo for an investiture service which was held at the Methodist church. A fine group assembled to watch the ceremony as given by Terry Bickford, John Stone, Delano Amick, Dale Gray, John Everett and Lanny Ludwick. Mr. Bob Gray and Mr. Marion Stone accompanied the scouts to Alvo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noell and Miss Betty Noell went to Gettysburg to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Noell. Bank examiners were in town this week checking the Nebraska State Bank. Mrs. Herbert Ratnour, city city librarian, spent a very busy Monday. Being National Book Week several of the grades decided they would visit the library with the result that four

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grades made the inspection trip. Mrs. DeCreane with her first grade, Miss Fieck with her third grade, Miss Ellis and the fourth grade and Mrs. LaRue the sixth grade. On Wednesday, Miss Fern Dougherty took the fifth grade. Miss Spohn went last week. On Monday, Mrs. Ratnour reports that 204 books were taken out and the attendance for that day was 96. Posters that had been made by the grade pupils were used to advertise the Book Week Observance. The first practice of the school dance band was held on Monday evening at the school in preparation for the football dance which will be held next week. A football game is to be chosen for the evening festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hanlan were Plattsmouth business visitors Monday.

Miss Marjory Porter who had been visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. R. C. Porter and family for the holiday week end returned to her teaching Storm Lake, Iowa, Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Porter took her to Omaha to the Union station and they went to visit with Mr. Glenn Pickereil, superintendent of the Underwood school.

One of the nicest of Weeping Water's observance was the "Sunset Service" held at the Methodist church last Friday evening. Honoring their guests from the town, who had reached the age of seventy and over, at a dinner and program is an annual affair for the church, and also one that is looked forward to with utmost anticipation by all concerned. About 60 guests were present at the 12th meeting. The regular Fellowship dinner was held in connection with the Sunset Service, which swelled the crowd to 170 persons attending the event. Rev. B. N. Kunkel, retired minister, now living in Nehawka, was a special guest, having been the speaker at the first meeting, which was held in 1937 and which originated with the late Rev. W. D. Lenker. Tables were

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decorated in seasonal flowers, a special bouquet of white chrysanthemums, in memory of Mrs. Henry Christensen's mother, Mrs. A. Spencer. Members of the Ruth Circle made candle holders from ears of corn. Mrs. Russell Newham decorated the program leaflets and Miss Pearl Schitz and Mrs. Herb Ratnour had charge of the menu printing. Mrs. John Norris was program chairman.

The program was as follows: Welcome—Mrs. E. A. Woman. Response—Mrs. J. M. Ranney. Boy's Choir—Directed and accompanied by Mrs. Eugene Ludwick.

Rhythm Band—Mrs. Bernice Kivet (Laurel School). Music—Mr. Archie Crozier, Mr. L. A. Malstead, brother-in-law of Mr. Malstead, Mr. Orville Graham.

Talk by Rev. H. Hart. Vocal Solo—Alvin Groesser, accompanied by Mrs. Groesser. Violin—Dr. L. N. Kunkel, accompanied by Miss Maud Molton. Greetings from Rev. B. N. Kunkel and Rev. John C. Pryor.

As special recognition to the older guests they gave requests for their favorite hymns to be sung during the group singing. It had been hoped that Miss Ella Bates would be here for the evening, but she returned to her home at Alvo last week. Miss Bates is 97 and would have been the oldest one present. Mrs. Mary Blaikie, mother of Mrs. Harold Blaikie, was the honored "oldest" present. Rev. B. N. Kunkel dismissed the service with the benediction. Another "sunset picture" has been painted and the memory will linger for days to come of a very special evening filled to the brim with pleasures and happiness and hopes for another such lovely event next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hanlan spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rasmussen. Celebrating their granddaughter's birthday, Mr. and Mrs. G. Heneger were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Edenmiller. Karen was seven years old Wednesday and her parents gave an oyster supper in her honor. Mr. and Mrs.

Glen Heneger and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Heneger were guests also.

Mr. E. K. Norton returned last Thursday from Omaha after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dowler. Mr. and Mrs. Dowler have just moved to a new location, 2352 So. 29th street, Omaha.

Mrs. S. R. Smith was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Glen Taylor on Saturday. Mrs. Smith who had been visiting with relatives here for several days returned to her home in Hartington on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Colbert will celebrate their 48th wedding anniversary Sunday, November 29th. An informal will be held at the home and friends and relatives will call and extend congratulations to the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Stanley of Perry, Iowa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Porter over the week end until Wednesday. Vicki returned with her grandparents until the Thanksgiving holidays when her parents will make a trip to Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Wiles drove to Perry last Friday to get Corrine. They took Richard Garrison and Bob Clark to Humboldt with them to see the football game there, before their return trip home. Mr. Clark and Miss Hester Friedley of Omaha were guests at the Wiles home over the week end.

The Eastern Star members are gathering up used clothing to be sent to Mrs. Merlin Fernbaugh, who is in charge of the project.

Supt. R. C. Porter attended a two day meeting of all-state superintendents at Lincoln on Friday and Saturday. These meetings are held for school improvement and round table discussions were held. Wayne O. Reed, state superintendent of Nebraska schools introduced the speaker, Dean Henzeck, Friday. Discussion units were held with Dr. Earl Wilkie, superintendent of the Grand Island schools in charge.

Election of officers was held at the Rebekah meeting Thursday evening with the following elected to hold office for the

ensuing year—Mrs. Lester Parson, Noble Grand; Mrs. Enos Plunkett, Vice Grand; Mrs. Mogens Johnson, Secretary; Mrs. Murray Muttter, Treasurer. Appointee officers will be announced later. The newly elected officers with the appointees will take office at the January session.

A demonstration on stalk pulverizing was held at the farm of Eugene Day last Saturday afternoon under the direction of the Young and Stacey implement company. This demonstration was given to help control corn borers, which have plagued the farmers for several years.

Winner of the Berthold furniture store platform rocker was Mrs. E. L. Parrott, of Murray. Many bargain sales were featured during the three day opening of the store and each visitor was presented with a flower. Mr. Joe Bender assisted Mr. Berthold with the duties around the store during this busy time.

Everyone was glad to learn that Dr. L. N. Kunkel has decided to direct a symphony orchestra again. After several years of inactivity a meeting was held last Wednesday evening open to persons who would be interested in giving Weeping Water a chance to hear and be a part of good music of the symphonic and operatic types. Meetings will be held each Wednesday evening. Anyone interested in taking part is requested to contact Dr. Kunkel. Mrs. S. H. Harmon will be the accompanist. 1st violins, S. H. Harmon, Mrs. L. N. Kunkel; 2d violins, Mrs. DeForest Brown, Dorothy Ann Kunkel; viola, L. A. Malstead; string bass, Archie Crozier; cornets, Wendell Hart, Regina Stander; trombone, Lloyd Ranney; clarinets, Richmond Hobson, Janet Christensen; flute,

Alvin Groesser; drums, Herbert Ratnour. A meeting was held on Friday night for all who were interested in a town basketball team this year. The school gym will be used again for the games. Lynn Parson was in charge of the meeting which was held at the American Legion hall.

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The Middles By Bob Karp. BY THE WAY, DEAR, I JOINED A GYM CLASS TODAY—GETTING TOO FAT. IT'S EXPENSIVE, BUT WORTH IT! YOU CAN FORGET THAT GYM CLASS, DEAR—I'VE ARRANGED TO REPLACE YOU MUCH CHEAPER!

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