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For County Clerk: **P. H. KOHL**

For Sheriff: **ED. REYNOLDS**

For County Judge: **JAS. BRITTON**

For County Superintendent: **ELMER LUNDBURG**

For Surveyor: **AL HOWSER**

For Coroner: **DR. A. L. MUIRHEAD**

It was a very quiet and orderly, nay almost monotonously dull gathering of democrats and populists at the county court house yesterday. Notwithstanding there were no "contests," "machine jobs" nor cut and dried slate in sight the several precincts were fully represented with one exception, namely Wilbur, where the democrats were all probably busy playing ball.

On temporary organization, Andy Shinn was chosen chairman and Walter Gaebler secretary. A committee on credentials, Messrs Joe Cullen, A. P. Childs and W. S. Goldie soon brought in a verdict which received no dissenting voice. The temporary chairman was made permanent and upon Mr. Gaebler declining R. H. James was elected secretary.

J. H. Mitchell, H. W. Durham and Jos. Dobbins were appointed a committee to confer with the populists, the latter party meeting in the county superintendent's office.

Upon motion the chair appointed Pat Coleman, W. Gaebler, H. Klopping, A. P. Childs and Geo. Dreveson a committee to select delegates to the state convention, with the following result: Henry Ley, chairman; Jacob Reichert, N. B. Cullen, Wm. Vincent, Robt. Skiles, J. M. Cherry, R. H. James, B. Fenske, F. A. Berry, June Conger, Chris Eckman.

At this time the committee sent to confer with the populists reported that the democrats were given the privilege of nominating all the county candidates with the exception of county judge and county superintendent which report was accepted.

Then the matter of nominating county candidates was taken up, the vote ticket going through without a dissenting voice.

An unanimous voice was given, the motion that the state delegation be instructed for fusion and also to vote for the endorsement of the Kansas City platform of 1900.

The delegates present at the convention were: Chapin--Jno. Boock, P. Pryor, M. Lyons.

Deer Creek--A. P. Childs, B. F. Skiles, H. Bartels.

Garfield--G. H. Dreveson, G. F. Dreveson, Chris Eckman.

Hancock--R. Fenske, A. Shinn, J. Reichert.

Hoskins--A. Hohnke, O. Kruger, Geo. Weatherholt.

Hunter--Robt. Skiles, W. A. K. Neely, Chas. Nies.

Leslie--C. A. Killion, M. McVicker, Jos. Slaughter.

Logan--F. A. Johnson, J. H. Mitchell, Plum Creek--W. F. Assenheimer, C. Bastian, John Finn.

Strahan--H. Klopping, N. B. Cullen, Tom Hill.

Sherman--J. T. Kinney, T. R. Davidson, F. W. Burham.

Winside--Tom Lound, Walt Gaebler, J. D. Cullen.

Wayne, 1st ward--R. P. Williams, Sam Lane, W. S. Goldie.

2nd ward--R. H. James, A. H. Ellis, F. A. Berry.

3rd ward--H. Ley, W. O. Gamble, U. A. Berry.

The democratic county central committee as elected:

Brenna--Emil Splittgarber

Chapin--John Boock

Deer Creek--A. P. Childs

Garfield--G. F. Dreveson

Hancock--Jacob Reichert

Hoskins--Geo. Weatherholt

Hunter--W. A. K. Neely

Leslie--C. A. Killion

Logan--J. H. Mitchell

Plum Creek--Wm. Assenheimer

Strahan--Jake Ziegler

Sherman--H. R. Davis

Wilbur--Ned Lloyd

Winside--Tom Lound

Wayne, 1st ward--Fred Volpp

" 2d " " R. H. James

" 3d " " Henry Ley

LOCAL NEWS.

Some choice residence lots for sale. Call at this office.

We are still making delicious ice cream. T. Steen.

Dan Roush and wife were in Winside Saturday night.

Frank Hood has been putting down a railroad well at Hoskins.

Mrs. Tom Hill left Monday for a two weeks visit with friends in Iowa.

Pawnee Bills Wild West show with 19 cars will show here September 6th.

Fresh bread every day from the Sioux City Bakery at T. Steen's. Try it.

The Germans will have a party at their hall northwest of town next Sunday.

G. J. Savidge is putting down two 6 inch tubular wells for the city of Wakefield this week.

Sloan Skiles says his corn will make 35 bushels per acre which will not be so worst for a dry year.

Prof. Gibbins sold his furniture on the street Saturday last and on Tuesday departed with his family for Kansas.

Remember the Nichols for fine meals, lunches and short orders. Two doors south of Boyd hotel, Wayne, Neb.

Frank Berry won first money in the fat man's race at Dixon last Thursday. Frank is very fast in a slow race.

A gay crowd drove to Altona last Friday night to organize a lodge of the Hermann Sons. The boys report a grand good time.

Mark Jeffery left Tuesday for points in Washington. Mr. Jeffery expects to visit Wilson Creek, Lakeside and several other places before returning.

The ball game between Wayne and Winside nines which was played on the Winside diamond last Sunday was won by the Waynites, score 12 to 15.

The College ball team were badly defeated by Norfolk at the latter place last Saturday, the score being 18 to 5. That is about as costly a defeat as sustained by Wilbur precinct.

Fred Eickhoff says that next time he goes to the Dixon picnic he'll stay at home. Fred didn't do any business with his striking machine and tough characters stole half of the outfit.

The DEMOCRAT man will cater it a personal favor if those in arrears on subscription will pay up at this time. Look at the date on your paper and then kindly conclude to push a good thing along.

Perry & Porterfield made a ten-strike this week when they delivered 8000 bushels of old corn in Wayne at 50 cents per bushel. That beats beef cattle or beefing about a poor corn crop this year.

Over one thousand dollars in purses for the races in Wayne Sept. 12 and 13. If some little gaddy of a town like Dixon gives up one-fourth that much everybody thinks it's a good show.

J. H. Mitchell and Frank Johnson were up from near Wakefield yesterday to attend the county convention. "Ham" says it wasn't a meeting of his liking, being too tame and tedious for a live democrat.

Taylor Steen says he likes old settlers picnics. He took the one in last Thursday for a couple of hours and sold a barrel of lemonade, a freezer of ice cream, several cases of pop, etc., and could have duplicated the order if he'd had the stuff. Steen gets there with both feet.

Our genial friend, Ed. Morris, leaves on Saturday morning for Minneapolis where he expects to meet his intended who has been visiting in Seattle and is on her return home to Lincoln, Neb., and from there they will go to Sioux City, where we suppose the nuptial ceremony will be performed.

FAIR! FAIR! FAIR!

September 11, 12, 13.

The following special premiums are offered by Wayne business men: \$5.00 first prize, \$2.50 second prize to any lady showing greatest skill driving and handling double team--Wilson Bros.

A fine 10x4 tapestry table cover valued at \$6.00, to the lady showing the best 10 lbs. or more of butter--M. F. Ahern.

For the largest watermelon, \$1.00 worth of candy--J. R. Rundell.

Smoke Wayne Beauty.

W. B. Herbert, Dentist, over Miller's. Jaa. Miller was in Sioux City yesterday.

Gene Jones was here from Omaha Tuesday.

Chauncy Childs went to Lincoln on Monday.

Miss Dollie Holtz has gone to Rock Rapids, Io.

Salted and pickled herring and mackerel at J. H. GOLL'S.

Baled hay for sale, delivered to any part of the city. J. W. MCGINTY.

Don't borrow it, but buy a DEMOCRAT of your own.

Dr. J. C. Clark, eye specialist, will be at Wayne on September 17.

Insure your property in the German of Freeport. P. H. KOHL, Agt.

Mrs. F. F. Wheeler and children are visiting Mrs. Nathan Chace at Stanton.

Ike Walden has moved into the residence recently vacated by the Rev. McKee.

For farm loans see Phil H. Kohl. Can make you 5 or 10 year loans at lowest rates.

Mrs. Mines and children are visiting in Norfolk while J. G. takes in the Buffalo exposition.

Mrs. G. H. Hitchcock went to Blunt, S. D. Tuesday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. Ralph Greer.

Farmers of Wayne or Dixon counties for insurances in the Farmers' Mutual of Lincoln call on or address I. H. WEAVER, Wakefield, Neb.

The families of A. A. Weber, W. G. Howard, E. S. Surber and Mrs. J. S. Bush are spending a few days at Riverside, Sioux City.

Hurry up! Will pay \$4 per ton for old iron, \$2 for stores. Weight it at the Peavy elevator. Goods received by M. Kroger. Good prices for rubber and copper. P. REIDEMSKY.

The Winside Tribune wants Tom Prince elected county commissioner. Since we have an emperor for U. S. president we can probably stomach a Prince for county dad.

Dr. John VanKeuren is in the city, a guest of his sister, Mrs. Dan Harrington. The doctor is looking for a location and contemplating opening an office in Randolph.

The Ladies Aid society and Epworth league of the M. E. church will hold a bazaar and serve dinner and supper on Saturday, Sept. 28. Proceeds for the benefit of the new church.

Geo. F. McNight, a member of the state board of equalization and a prominent citizen of Illinois, is expected to visit with his friend, R. E. K. Mellor.

Norfolk News: E. A. Lundburg, superintendent Wayne county, is in the city visiting Supt. Crum and the teachers' institute. He delivered a very pleasing address before the institute this forenoon.

Madison is to have a base ball tournament Aug. 27, 28 and 29. Between the picnic at Wakefield, the Water Carnival at Sioux City and the Madison entertainment, the fellow who has to stay at home and hustle is the more contented.

Colorado Springs, Aug. 20, 1901. Friend Walter--Please send my paper to 30 E Fountain St., until further notice. Everything is O. K. and this the most delightful climate I ever struck, after breathing this air for a day a person feels like another person as regards living. D. H. SULLIVAN.

R. H. Gibson says to tell the people to quit whining about a poor corn crop. Mr. Gibson got home today from a drive across the country to Randolph and he says he saw fields that will yield 50 bushels per acre and that upon the whole there will be nearly an average crop.

Owing to the fact that the DEMOCRAT plant will soon have to move from its present lodgings a purchase has been made in the shape of the Wheaton building on Main street at a price of \$1700. This looks like a big undertaking to a country newspaper man, not the buying but the paying for it. If all the readers of the DEMOCRAT who are in arrears will kindly pay up, and if those other good friends, who have been so kind by paying in advance, will do it some more, we'll have at least enough to buy a respectable den within. Just think of us when you feel a dollar in your pocket that you have no better place for.

Silent, but not Dead.

During the past month we have not used the newspapers to keep our business before the public. It got too hot for us to write and too hot for the people to read. We have not been dead, but have used other means to keep our business before the people. We have used 2,500 fans that have sent many a refreshing breeze to our friends and we hope have kept our name where they will be reminded of us when they need clothing.

**A Stranger Without Friends.**

Two years ago we came to Wayne as a stranger and without friends. Many, not knowing that we were expert clothing men and had ample means, predicted that we would remain only a short time. All agree now that we are a permanent institution here and that our business has been growing from the start and is now the leading house in our line.

**Have Come to Stay.**

Every new store tells you they have come to stay, but our business has grown to such proportions that we cannot afford to leave and we have bought more goods than ever before for this fall and winter. Other stores may cut down their stock on account of the short corn crop, but our stock will be larger than ever.

**Without Proper Clothing**

in this climate you are subject to many diseases and continued annoyance. Clothing bought of us is made right and is comfortable. Our Staley All-Wool Underwear will keep you well, our Shoes will fit your feet, our hats will make you look well and our prices will make you happy.

**What Shall we do with Him?**

If you have a boy and don't know what to do with him because he wears out so many clothes bring him here and we can settle that matter. If you have a husband that you don't know what to do with because his clothing looks hard and out of shape and style bring him here and we will dress him up with clothing that is in style and don't get out of shape, and he will remind you of the day you married him.

**Make Him Happy.**

We make everyone happy when they buy here. Our goods are different than you find at other stores. We have the kind of goods you have been looking for. We have the best. Our prices will please you and "one price only" suits every one. We are experts at the business and know how to fit you. You are always safe in trading here. Life is worth living if you trade at

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**Market Reports.**

South Omaha, Aug. 21, 1901.

Receipts of cattle are liberal, nearly 4500 a day so far this week. The very choicest corn fed heaves are quoted about steady but on medium and common grades it is weak and lower; some of the commoner grades of corn cattle that have been sent in prematurely have had to be sacrificed at prices 25 to 40c lower than prices current last week. The trading is very slow and dull owing to the inclination of buyers to wait until the range cattle are disposed of. Grass heaves are about steady at prices from \$3.50 to \$3.75 for common grades to \$5.00 and \$5.35 for choice grassers. Cows and butcher stock in liberal supply and weak to ten lower today. For the week about a quarter lower. Stockers and feeders are strong. Country buyers are fair buyers but receipts are limited and anything desirable is quickly picked up at strong prices.

Receipts of hogs liberal. Today with 8000 on sale market opened 5 to 10c lower, and closed about that way though trade was slow. Range \$5.50 to \$6.00 with bulk of sales \$5.75 to \$5.80. Market today averages 5c higher than last Wednesday after being considerable better. Sheep receipts continue liberal, market slow and weak.

Nye & Buchanan Co.

**Road Notice.**

To all to whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at the south east corner of the northeast quarter of Sec. five, Twp. twenty-seven, Range one east of the 6th P. M. and running thence north westerly along the creek bottom to a point about twenty rods west of the east line of said Section five, thence northeasterly to the north line of said Section five, all in Wayne county, Nebraska, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 18th day of October, A. D. 1901, of such road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 9th day of August, A. D. 1901.

BERT BROWN, County Clerk.

The Herald's Heartless Task.

A newspaper man does not mind discussing the merits of candidates with the opposition press and gracefully take defeat or victory, but to be obliged to fight for a fair hearing and the hope of party success with a paper of your own faith is the most heartless task. It should not be so.--Herald.

**Cold Facts for Hot Weather.**

Those Big Bargains in all Summer Goods, AT AHERN'S.

Populist State Delegates.

The populist convention was lightly attended, the meeting being quiet as compared with former years when the old wheel horses were an aggressive quantity. Levi Diltz was chairman and Elmer Lundburg secretary.

The delegates to the state convention to be held at Lincoln Sept. 7, are W. E. Wallace, James Britton, P. J. Neff, Jos. Agler, D. H. Surber, L. F. Rayburn, Leslie Weaver, D. A. Davidson, A. L. Tidrick, J. P. Johnson, C. J. Rundell.

The county central committee for the ensuing year are:

Logan--L. L. Weaver

Leslie--Frank Bressler

Hunter--Henry Kellogg

Plum Creek--J. R. Shawgo

Brenna--A. L. Tidrick

Strahan--W. E. Wallace

Wilbur--G. W. Jones

Hancock--H. L. Tidrick

Chapin--G. Haller

Deer Creek--W. H. Root

Sherman--T. Davidson

Garfield--Peter Jensen

Hoskins--Aug. Hohnke

Winside--Charley Miller

Wayne, 1st ward--C. J. Rundell

" 2d " " J. C. Harmer

" 3d " " P. Lundburg

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Riesling,	1.00	.90

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## THE DEMOCRAT

WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

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The Randolph Reporter says the Oklahoma fever has about run out, up there, and that it was as bad as the small pox while it lasted.

Well, the cat is out of the bag regarding the parole of Jos. Bartley. The scheme as being worked is that Bartley was paroled on condition that he give up the names of the other republicans who helped him steal the state blind. Bartley goes out on parole then refuses to divulge this secret; the governor attempts to lodge the grand rascal in jail again and Bartley puts up a "successful fight" to stay out. Catch onto the racket?

When Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews declared in his lecture before the students of the Chicago university that giving to the needy is not only injurious to the person befriended but to society at large he must have forgotten that two years ago the Chicago board of education gave him \$1,400 of the city's money and two month's leave of absence. His ethical sentiments at that time did not prevent him from accepting the unearned money nor did he make any thorough investigation into the questionable right of the board of education to present him with taxpayers' funds.—Chicago Chronicle.

The fusionists are already beginning to tell what the result will be if republicans are successful at the polls. They have missed their guess so often that it is a wonder they do not become tired and quit but in the absence of other campaign material they probably feel justified in making the worst of what might happen.—Norfolk News.

We are from Missouri and you'll have to show us. If the republicans of this state haven't done exactly as the fusionists prophesied they would do, we'll eat our own words. The remarkable thing is that your state administration had the gall to turn all your party jail birds loose within a few months after assuming the state offices.

The rankest thing we have yet read in the republican papers excusing Gov. Savage for the paroling of Bartley comes from the Geneva Signal, to wit: "It was very well understood at Lincoln last year that Governor Poynter had decided to parole or pardon Joe Bartley. For obvious political reasons he thought it best not to take any steps in the matter until after his re-election last fall. To his great surprise, the other fellow was elected, and Mr. Poynter refused to do anything for Bartley doubtless considering his responsibility relieved by his defeat at the polls." Wouldn't that cork your corporosity! What next from the apologists of state criminals?

Poor old Kansas! remarks the York Times. She has too many kinds of calamity to please even the democrats. It is possible to have too much of a good thing. If the author of the following, in the Hamilton County Register, had told how far he was from a saloon he might have explained the real cause of his discontent: "A Nebraska man moved to Kansas a few short months since and after trying the blistering weather of the sand and sun finally concluded he had enough of it and gave it up as a bad job and left the following farewell written on the wall of his Kansas residence: "Four miles from a democrat, six miles from a post-office, twenty-five miles from a railroad, fourteen miles from a school house, forty-one miles from a church, bothered to death with republicans and flees, half a mile from water and a quarter of a mile from h—l. God bless our home. Gone back to God's country—Nebraska—to get a fresh start."

### Selfish and Non-Enterprising.

There is one thing about the people of Wayne that the DEMOCRAT can point to with pride and that is the unity with which all take hold of any public enterprise or amusement. Wayne has the best class of business men to be found in any part of the country. They are liberal advertisers, generous to all charitable purposes, and that is why Wayne is known all over the central west as one of the foremost towns in the state. In striking contrast to this creditable showing is the niggardly reputation of our sister town of Norfolk. Here is the way the Daily News of that city exploits the get-there capabilities of her citizens:

The News is sorry to acknowledge that it was probably the innocent cause of injury to Norfolk. It has urged some sort of entertainment for the people this fall and for several years past with the belief that it would be of advantage to the town. Other business interests have been in opposition, evidently believing that such an entertainment would result in more harm than good. Their view may be correct and this paper does not wish to question it but The News went so far as to promise its readers that such an entertainment would be held and believed it was warranted in doing so by the enthusiastic manner in which other business men and citizens took hold. The probability of Norfolk entertaining was given state-wide circulation and many people planned to attend, apparently glad that Norfolk was about to arise and meet the demand required from the metropolis of the most fertile section of the state. The promoters took hold of the matter as though they had the support of the majority of the business men and citizens, but shortly afterwards the men with wet blankets appeared on the scene with various objections. They were cajoled and arrangements changed to suit their ideas but they finally set their feet down squarely and said they would aid no such enterprise. They were men who should have been leaders in the movement but they were opposed and that settled it. The farmers and working people who cannot afford to go out in search of pleasure were denied it at home—are not even to be favored with ball games they can attend. Their sole duty and pleasure will be to attend to business. The promoters were certainly sincere in catering to the amusement of this class of people—they didn't contemplate injury, but benefit to the town. Perhaps they were not proceeding in the right direction but any of them would have been glad to have been placed right by those who knew all about it but refused to attend the meetings and express an opinion.

It is positively known that farmers and others have been complaining about the apparent selfishness of Norfolk. They have for several years been of the opinion that the business men have only cared for their money without offering an attraction to draw them here and make them feel that their companionship is desirable. True, there is a base ball now, but few farmers care to come in and see the game and only those town people who have time to spare are permitted to enjoy the amusement, and it has the appearance of a more or less selfish enjoyment. It is very good as far as it goes but something of a broader scope is undoubtedly required. The way the people come in to see a small circus is evidence that they are in a mood to be entertained and if Norfolk will not entertain others will. Some of them have money and will spend it where they find the best inducements. A number of surrounding towns have their fairs and Fourth of July celebrations every year and they are gainers by them, without question, but it has been several

years since Norfolk has provided anything except a circus and these take out about as much money as they leave. In the opinion of many this lack of public enterprise is killing Norfolk. It needs an awakening and will not prosper to its fullest extent until all business men and citizens unite on some project or series of projects that will show it is not altogether selfish and non-enterprising.

### A Sermon in a Will

A Minnesota man died recently possessed of a large fortune. When his will was read it was found to contain a peculiar condition. In it he directed his executors to draw his money from the banks, to burn it until nothing but the ashes remained.

There is a sermon in that document. Its author had worked for years accumulating his fortune. He had denied himself all the luxuries and many of the necessities of life. Day by day he had seen his hoard increase. Day by day he had seen Death creeping closer. When it was about to clutch him, he realized that all his self-denial had been in vain, that there could be "no pockets in his shroud."

"Burn it until only the ashes are left!" The bitterness and disappointment of a mis-spent life are summoned up in those few words. He had lived to see his gold become a curse to himself. He had relatives but they should not touch it. There were many poor people who would be saved from suffering by that money. But he did not so decree. He could not take it with him across the dark river. It must be burned.

You, who are slaving, day by day to add to wealth that is already sufficient for your worldly needs, stop and think of this Minnesota man. And then ask yourself this question: "Is it worth while?"—Omaha News.

The trial of the crooked republican postmaster at Havana, Cuba, resulted in a fine of \$400 or imprisonment for six months. His fine is equal to the amount of his theft and it will be paid, thus relieving him of the disagreeable necessity of going to prison. Now, if Rathbone and Neely can be let down as easily the administration and Perry Heath will feel that they have done their full duty.

A good American had been making some soul stirring remarks about the glorious star spangled banner, when an Englishman, who is pretty well Americanized, told a little story apropos: "I remember once to have seen the stars and stripes applauded uproariously on a peculiar occasion. It happened many years ago when the British flag was not as popular in the United States as it is now and a party of us Englishmen were at a theatre in New York considerably farther down town than theatres are now to be found on Broadway. The play was Richard I, and if you remember there is a

Sewing as a business is an exciting and exhausting occupation. Long hours, the work, poor light, unhealthy atmosphere—these are only some of the things which fret the nerves and hurt the general health. Often there is a disquieting condition of the womanly organism which causes backache or headache and the working of the sewing machine under such conditions is akin to torture.

Thousands of women who work have written grateful letters to Dr. R. V. Pierce, whose "Favorite Prescription" has cured their womanly ills and established their general health. "Favorite Prescription" regularly cures all healthy and offensive drains, heal inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

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scene where Richard, after putting his foes to flight in terrific style, mount the walls of Acre and plants the British colors there. Evidently the management knew the temper of the audience and felt that under such

circumstances the British flag would not be a good thing, so what did they do but give Richard the star spangled banner and by all the gods, he took it with him in the charge and planted it on Acre's walls. It was ridiculous, of course, and we Englishmen laughed, but the audience took it as the correct thing, and the way the people stormed and shouted and clapped was enough to have made Richard turn in his grave. Historically it was away off, dramatically it was open to criticism, but patriotically it was a howling success.—Washington Star.

A thing of Beauty is a joy forever, and that is why the Wayne Beauty is a favorite with smokers.

F. M. THOMAS,

...OSTEOPATH...  
In office at Wayne except Tuesdays and Fridays when at Winside.

No Knife, - No Drugs.

## Cyclone Coming,

And the right thing to do is to have a good cave dug now while labor is cheap. I can also put you down a

Cistern or Well,

on short notice and at low rates. Call and see me, just east of the Jones livery barn. Will guarantee satisfaction.

FRED EICKHOFF.

# Hot Weather.

is always uncomfortable to the person who wears heavy clothing, just as cold weather is hard on the lightly clad.

## A Neat Summer Suit

for either girl or lady, boy or gent, is much cheaper than wearing out your winter apparel, and a great deal nicer.

## The German Store

not only carries a big stock of reasonable summer clothing and dry goods but it has long held the well-earned reputation of being the greatest bargain store in town.

## See Our New Stock

Dress Goods Summer Hats  
Calicos Gingham Percalés  
Dimities Prints Muslins

We pay you the highest price for Produce  
**Furchner' Duerig & Co.**

## Man's Days are Short

at best but yours may possibly be prolonged if your

# PRESCRIPTIONS

— are filled at —

# Raymond's Drug Store

One thing is certain

Prescriptions and Family Receipts propounded here are always filled "on honor."

Our motto is and always

has been "Honest Drugs at Safe Prices."

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Table with columns for EAST, C. ST. P. & N. O., WEST, and various train times for Sioux City Passenger, Black Hills Passenger, and Way Freight.

Supintendent's Notice. Examinations the third Saturday of each month and Friday preceding.

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GENERAL - - BANKING OIL UP!

No, not up in price, but up in my wagon. I want to run it into every home in Wayne.

J H GOLL City Meat Market.

Central MEAT MARKET VOLPP BROS., PROVS.

FRESH & SALTMELTS HUGH O'CONNELL'S

Pool and Billiard Hall In Boyd Annex

Your Picture Is what all your friends want, be you handsome as a rose or as homely as a mud fence.

We Make You Look as natural as life and at a very low price.

The best place in town for Shoe Repairing is at

ANTON BIEGLER'S who has moved into the Smith Shoe Store. Always ready to

Patch, Mend or Make Bowl up, Boys!

AT OOM PAUL'S NEW Bowling Alley.

State G A R Reunion Hastings, Neb., August 26-31, 1901.

Old Settlers Picnic Dakota City, Aug. 29th. Tickets sold Aug. 29th, good returning following day. Fare \$1.25.

REFORMERS ARE ROUTED

Batteries Wilbur and Berry Strike Out Sixteen Men One Inning.

That great cyclone of reformation, Brother Jonathan Willhewia Nicholas, met a dark, dampy-damp defeat last Saturday morning when the referees in the celebrated, Wilbur precinct ball game brought in their clean-cut common-sense verdict: "Not Guilty and Action Brought Without Probable Cause."

A Magnificent Church. Under the guidance of J. D. King the DEMOCRAT man was allowed to pass through the portals of the new M. E. church, one day this week, and say, the new building is simply superb in every particular.

Notice All pupils of the public schools who from any cause, were unable to take the final examinations in June will be given an opportunity to be examined for promotion.

8 Per Cent Interest. I have an investment that will pay you 8 per cent annual interest and is as sure as a U. S. bond.

Teachers' Institute Aug. 26 The Wayne county teachers' institute will open Aug. 26 and continue for the week.

Nebraska State Fair, Lincoln, Neb., August 30 to September 9, 1901.

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It Was Politics and Money.

Hoskins, Neb., Aug. 21, 1901. EDITOR DEMOCRAT:

Please allow me a little space to correct my Hoskins trouble. They say it was politics and whisky; that ain't so; it was politics and money, and the money was what the town of Hoskins was after.

I am a saloon man and the town of Hoskins is a booming and partly for my money. At first Hoskins had but one saloon, now they have two and lots of beer, but they don't want the saloon keeper to sell it.

LOCAL NEWS. Smoke the Leader. Mrs. Fred Philleo is visiting in Illinois.

John Owen came home Monday for a day's visit. Miss Maude Britton is home from her visit to Chicago.

H. D. Blanchard and E. M. Smith were in Omaha over Sunday. J. G. Mines will be home Monday from a week's visit at Buffalo.

"It melts in your mouth" and tickles your palate—Steen's ice cream. List your property with Phil H. Kohl if you wish to dispose of it.

Just arrived, a new line of dishes of the latest pattern at C. R. Witter's. Come in and see them.

Mrs. Wilson will spend the next three weeks studying the millinery fashions in the eastern cities. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Harrington, C. A. Chace and family and R. Goldie were arrivals Tuesday evening.

The Wayne Leader cigar is a regular gold mine for a five-cent speculation. You get the best smoke going.

Sam Davies left Sunday on an Omaha Bee pass to Denver, Pueblo and Florence. He will get home Saturday night or Sunday.

There is nothing pleases the home folks better than to carry them up a brick or two of that famous cream made by Steen. Try it.

We have it now, what? Heinz Mustard Dressing for salads, sliced tomatoes, meats and dressing try a bottle at P. L. MILLER & SON.

J. W. McGinty is selling 100 whips at a dollar each and will give free a hundred dollar buggy to the man who makes the correct selection of a whip out of the hundred.

If a dealer asks you to take something said to be "just as good as Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison Medicine Co.," ask him if he makes more money. Ask your druggist.

The beauty thief has come to stay. Unless you drive the pimples and blackheads away; Do this; don't look like a fright; Take Rocky Mountain Tea tonight. Ask your druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Theobald are in Chicago this week making their fall selections of dress goods, trimmings, cloaks and notions. They expect to put in a better stock than ever before in these lines as their growing trade demands the latest and best in this line of goods.

J. D. King is the originator of the idea of making a city park out of the block of ground east of Dr. Neiman's residence. There are but two buildings on the block and they are of a cheap character. D. N. Connable owns a large portion of the property but none of it could be valued very highly and it is probably all on the market.

Aug. 11, hnecke was down from Hoskins yesterday and has a few lines in the paper today in regard to his recent trouble in that village. August says one saloon man in Hoskins is justice of the peace, and upon the occasion referred to he bought his beer in the saloon run by the other fellow. To give them both an equal footing in the burg he thinks both should be allowed to write J. P. after their signatures.

Rev. E. B. Young was a caller at the DEMOCRAT sanctum last Saturday and complained that since he was the only Sunday school organizer in Wayne county that item in last week's paper about the Sunday schools and Sunday ball game in Wilbur precinct, did him a great injustice inasmuch as he knew nothing whatever about the arrests until after they had taken place and further that such a course as followed out by Mr. Nichols would not have his sanction nor moral support. While the DEMOCRAT made no personal allusion to Mr. Young a good many people concluded from reading it that that gentleman was at the bottom of the fanatical foolishness therefore we willingly and gladly give the reverend gentleman this much space to show that he is a man of finer sensibilities than to get mixed up in such a ridiculous and odious "reformation" as that tried on the natives of Wilbur precinct.

All Records Broken Wayne County's Fair

By Our 1901 Sales of..... PIANOS AND ORGANS

Never in the history of Wayne county have so many pianos and organs been sold as in the past six months by the reliable dealer

M. S. DAVIES who always puts out the finest make of instruments at lowest prices and easy terms.

Hammocks, Books and Stationery Also new patterns in wall paper and cut prices on spring remnants to close then out. DAVIES' BOOK & MUSIC HOUSE.

W. A. Ivory, dentist, over 1st Nat. Bank. Wayne County Fair, Sept. 11, 12, 13. Floyd Jones made a trip to Omaha Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Chace went to South Dakota Tuesday where they expect to sell a farm.

A box sociable is to be held at the residence of Chas. Schulteis this evening in Wilbur precinct.

Mrs. S. T. Wilson leaves next Monday for Chicago and other eastern markets on a three-weeks millinery buying trip.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Damon Monday morning. May the young man bring all the sunshine and happiness into this home as anticipated is the wish of the DEMOCRAT.

The DEMOCRAT man didn't see it, but the real sports who attended shy that the College boys put up the ball game of their existence Tuesday when they walloped the Stantoniens 17 to 2.

For a prosperity candidate the republicans couldn't do better than nominate Frank Hooper. Frank has a record and he made it during "the good McKinley times." He'll be dead easy meat for our Edward R.

Squire Burdick says he's soon going to shake the dust of Wayne off his feet and seek greener pastures. Mr. Burdick says our town is filling up with a class of people who have little use for lawyers unless it is to draw up wills. Well, we'll miss Bro. Burdick from our midst, very much, but there will be plenty of his profesh left.

Icel Icel Icel My delivery team will be on the street every day, but if you fail to see it leave orders at E. P. Olmsted's and it will receive prompt attention. On Sundays we will be at the ice house from 7 to 11 a. m. balance of day at home in east part of city. Give us your trade and you will have no cause for regret. R. H. JOHANSEN.

FOR GOOD HARD BRICK Go to the John Lewis brick yards. We now have an ample supply and will be pleased to fill all orders.

For Sale 6 room house and quarter block at \$1300. E. R. SUBBER. The College ball team plays at Winside next Monday.

Helps young ladies to withstand the shock of sudden proposals, that's what Rocky Mountain Tea has done. 35c. Made by Madison Medicine Co. Ask your druggist.

The DEMOCRAT will discount any prices given by foreign print shops on stationery. Give us your orders for calendars and get them 25 to 50 per cent less than the traveling fakirs sell them.

Hezliwood ice cream, made by the Sioux City factory. I have the exclusive sale of this delicacy in Wayne. You eat this make once and you'll never again want to dip a spoon into the home-made product. D. S. McVICKER.

New.... Livery Strahan & Warnock. Having taken possession of the livery barn of Eli Jones & Son we respectfully invite our friends to call and see us. All our horses and rigs will be put in first-class trim for the road, and kept in that condition. The barn will be under the personal supervision of Mr. Warnock, who has had years of experience in the business. When you want a first-class turnout just call us up by phone or send in to

..The Palace Livery.. STRAHAN & WARNOCK, Proprietors.

Father Fitzgerald left on Tuesday for North Platte. WRITE TOM AVERS, Pierre, S. D., for big stock ranches and choice farm lands in South Dakota. Maps and prices on application.

The city schools open a week from next Monday, Sept. 24. Prof. Snodgrass will arrive next week and occupy the J. R. Manning house north of B. E. Swan's.

There are no doubt a good many people who will wonder why it took a jury so long to decide that the base ball playing in Wilbur precinct was not contrary to law. The answer is easy. There are so few people who entertained any idea of anything possible except an acquittal on such a ridiculous charge that they naturally could not sit on the jury. It was a difficult matter to get a jury, for this reason, unless a whole string of cranks were called for. There was nothing produced in the trial to show that the matter of base ball as played in Wilbur precinct was a violation of law. Why the county attorney ever allowed such a nonsensical movement to be made the DEMOCRAT is unable to say. Even if it could be so construed as an infraction of the statutes it was as dirty and as contemptible a trick as one neighbor could conceive of to play on another. Proper observance of the Sabbath is all right but the few people who lent their aid to this man Nichols, to pull the note out of the eyes of the Wilburites, might as well be in better business by an honest attempt to reform their own shortcomings in regard to a proper observance of Sunday.

BUY THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE Do not be deceived by those who advertise a \$60.00 Sewing Machine for \$20.00. This kind of a machine can be bought from us or any of our dealers from \$15.00 to \$18.00. WE MAKE A VARIETY. THE NEW HOME IS THE BEST. The Feed determines the strength or weakness of Sewing Machines. The Double Feed combined with other strong points makes the New Home the best Sewing Machine to buy. Write for CIRCULARS showing the different styles of Sewing Machines we manufacture and prices before purchasing.

THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE CO. ORANGE, MASS. 33 Union Sq., N. Y., Chicago, Ill., Atlanta, Ga., St. Louis, Mo., Dallas, Tex., San Francisco, Cal. FOR SALE BY M. S. DAVIES.

WHEELER & WILSON No. 9 BEST BALL BEARING SEWING MACHINE

FOR SALE BY E. P. OLMSTED, WAYNE, NEB.

September 11, 12 and 13

MURDER. IN THE FIRST DEGREE Is what you will think I am guilty of in connection with the sales of my buggies. I am Killing Off High Prices and selling you good buggies for little money. I bought these buggies from Eli Jones & Son At Very Low Prices. They are all "A" grade buggies and have the latest style trimmings and painting. I also carry pumps and pump supplies and windmills. Will guarantee to do firstclass pumpwork. Don't forget that I have the famous Sattely Six Shovel Cultivator. J. W. McGinty.. Successor to Eli Jones & Son.

OMAHA BUSINESS COLLEGE

ROHRBOUGH BROS. Proprietors. Omaha, Nebr. FALL TERM—Opens Monday, Sept. 3. Scores of new students will enter in September. All arrangements complete for the opening. COURSES OF STUDY—Business, English, Shorthand, Typewriting, Telegraphy, Penmanship and Port Art. ADVANTAGES—First-class equipments, employ the best teachers, has a College Orchestra, Gode's Book, Colored Paper, Printing Office, Lecture Course & Literary Society. SHORTHAND BY MAIL—Gregg system. Full course for \$15. Write for particulars. GENERAL INFORMATION—Over 1,000 students last year. Board given for three hours work each day, places hundreds of students in positions each year, and guarantees success to its students. CATALOGUE—Free to any address. Write ROHRBOUGH BROS., Omaha, Neb.

A Satisfactory Reflection HOLTZ, THE TAILOR. The man who has his clothes made here is perfectly satisfied with himself. He always looks well, his clothes always wear well, and they are not costly. His coat fits, his trousers fit. They are carefully made and carefully finished. Each little detail has full attention. Let us talk to you about the new suit.

Be Good to Your Wife and buy her a Bissell Carpet Sweeper. They are the great labor saving machines of the age, and relieve tired woman of one of the hardest tasks. The Bissell "Cyclo" Bearer is what you want. Gives perfect satisfaction. It will wear longer than 40 brooms, being cheaper than drudgery in the "long sweep." "Prize".....\$3.00 "Gold Medal".....3.00 "Grand Rapids" Japanned..2.50 You can't afford to do without one at these prices.

J. P. GAERTNER Good Iron Beds from \$3.25 all the way to \$20. We carry Silk Floss and Elastic Felt Mattress, which are much cheaper than hair. A GOOD HARDWOOD OAK TABLE \$4, and up to \$25.00. Golden Oak Bookcases \$10 to \$45. Wood seat Dining Room Chairs 70c. Cane 90c up. Velow Couches from \$7 to \$25. Bed Room Suits for \$16.50 up to \$55.00. J. P. GAERTNER, Wayne, Nebr.





BY DAD.

It is said that a certain druggist doing business not more than a quarter of a mile from my studio recently "fired" his clerk because the said clerk got a "wrong" man up to the back room bar.

Isn't it blamed funny Bro. Nichols or County Attorney Welch have not put a stop to that game of "three old cat" going on every season out in the plum bushes west of town?

WANTED—Some old skate of a politician, a real cheap guy, to take the republican nomination and run for me next November.

Talk about a political sinch! What is the matter with that little game of the E. Lundburgs? Now, wouldn't it freeze you if the republicans nominate A. N. Iceburg tomorrow and succeed in electing the same kind of a burg next November.

I was quite surprised the other day in looking over a democratic poll of Wayne county to find that more than half the readers of this epistle of democracy are republicans.

Now is the time to lay up a few dollars for a cooler day.

"Take a swat at a cheap politician and he'll come back at you every time," says Bixby. The same is true of cheap preachers.

The Sioux City Tribune says that "burglars can work with impunity" down here. Is that all the tools it takes to "crack" Sioux City.

A local paper up the line had a little yarn in the other day about a drug clerk in Wausa who advised a lady to take Pierce's Favorite Prescription saying he always took it himself for a spring tonic.

"What are they?" asked the teacher, somewhat puzzled.

"Well, there is Seidlitz Powders, and Epsom Salts, and Castor—"

But the pretty school ma'am had fled.

I don't believe Bro. McNeal has any kick coming on Bro. Cunningham. You have all noticed for years that whenever the republican heifer won't stand milking from both sides Mac has all four appendages in his mouth, and whenever the old heifer went temporarily dry you might depend on finding Bro. McNeal chewing the long end of the democratic cud.

By dad, there's no flies on the U. D. club of Wayne. What! Six boys in six months? Say, Mac, ahem!

By dad, I was in hopes we had gotten rid of Montgomery but it appears we haven't.

I sing of one whose fame shall last All through Time's countless eyles; Who's known to all, both great and small, As Sabatarian Nichols.

Cheap Excursion St. Paul, Min. 7:30 a. m. Saturday, August 24th. Reach St. Paul 7:30 p. m. Return leaves St. Paul 7:40 a. m. Monday, Aug. 26th. Reach Wayne 6:40 p. m. Fare \$5.00

SOIETY NOTES.

The Monday club ladies held a most delightful evening this week for Mrs. F. A. Dearborn, absent her departure to Chicago. The residence of Mrs. Fuller was chosen for the grand finale and just for luck the DEMOCRAT man was permitted to take a look at the decorations and other dignities before the ladies arrived.

A conuundrum party was given at the home of Mrs. R. B. Crawford yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Evans of Dakota City. A delicious two course menu was served.

WINSIDE. Frank McElen and family, Prof. Bright, Mesdames Brown, Cavanaugh and Chas. Miller attended the Old Settlers picnic at Wayne last Thursday.

Mrs. Thomas and children spent the day with the doctor last Friday.

Dr. Muirhead was called to Central City on professional business Saturday.

The school house is being repainted inside and out which makes a great improvement in its appearance.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham last Thursday. Mr. Cunningham is the new section boss.

Mr. Roehing moved into his new residence this week while Otto Kohl is getting the vacant house ready, to move his family here.

Wylie McClusky left last week for the west in search of health and pleasure.

E. R. Gurney attended the Dixon picnic last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. McMakin and Mrs. White of Wayne were Sunday visitors at the Cavanaugh home.

Uncle Tom's Cabin has come and gone and still we live. The company who gave the play can hardly be called first class, but to give them all the credit due we will say that they had a most excellent band and orchestra.

Mrs. Carrie Johnson and Miss Lulu returned from their western trip Friday.

W. I. Lowery and Claud Ramsey took in the ball game at Norfolk Wednesday.

Winside's first nine played two games of ball this week, one on Sunday with Wayne, resulting in a score of 11 to 6, favor of Wayne, and the other one on Monday with the College in which Winside came out ahead, 12 to 8.

Mrs. W. H. McClusky was in Sioux City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mitchell took in the Dixon picnic last week.

Miss Nannie Crosby of Bloomfield is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Carter.

Mrs. F. M. McElrath and children are visiting in Iowa.

Mrs. O. P. Mueller and sister Josie Hamilton left Thursday morning for Ponca where they will visit for a time.

Miss Retta York left for her old home in Iowa Monday and will visit various Nebraska points before going home.

Mrs. James Lowery of Council Bluffs is visiting the Lowery families here.

Marshal Smith had Ed. Krause in the cooler Wednesday evening. Krause got into trouble over his team which the marshal had taken up off the street.

A petition for a more substantial waterworks system is being circulated. Winside is a live town and can support as good a waterworks plant as any town of its size in the state. Let's have good waterworks.

HOSKINS. Josephine Ferris and sister went to Norfolk Thursday.

Ray Gleason and family of Battle Creek visited over Sunday with relatives.

Emmet Wilson went to Omaha Wednesday.

A school board who will let personal spite influence them to keep a teacher in the school who is not worthy of the position are not themselves worthy of much respect.

James Shanon is taking a vacation and visiting in Iowa at his old home.

Wm. Zutzis visiting his daughter's family in New York City.

The railroad employes who have been here digging a well for the company failed to get water and left Wednesday.

The Uncle Tom's Cabin show was largely attended, while never having seen the play before still we should call it a pretty poor affair.

Everyone says the dance last Friday night was a pleasant affair and was well attended.

Alma Benser came home last Friday evening. (Home is where the heart is.)

Rev. Butler bid his friends goodbye Monday and left for his home near Omaha.

Alma Benser is canvassing the town for a book this week.

Mr. Brugger of Winside and Miss Prior of the same place visited at the Shanon home Sunday.

Any Old Thing

In the early Indiana days, says Lippincott's, when judges and attorneys literally "rode the circuit," a newly elected judge, noted for his lack of personal beauty, was plodding along on horseback between two county seats one fine summer day.

Somewhat startled by this peremptory command and the fact that the hunter was, if possible, even more deficient in facial symmetry than himself, the jurist began to re-mount.

"It's no use talking. I long ago swore if I ever met a homelier man than I am I'd shoot him on the spot!"

The judge was quick witted, and sizing up the situation he promptly got off his horse. Folding his arms, he faced his assailant and said:

"If I am homelier than you are, for heaven's sake, do shoot, and be quick about it!"

Then came a hearty mutual laugh, and a black bottle, produced from the judge's saddle bags, was duly investigated.

"Be truthful," said a teacher, according to Tit Bits.

"Always?" asked the boy.

"Always," answered the teacher.

"Never tell a lie?"

"Never."

"Not even a white lie?"

"Not even a white lie."

"Hah!" ejaculated the boy, scornfully, "it's a mighty good thing for you you ain't a boy with my dad for a father."

"Why?" asked the teacher.

"Because," replied the boy, "if you was my dad's little boy, an' you'd heard what he said about Aunt Eliza comin' to visit us with her children, an' Aunt Eliza had asked you if you weren't all glad to see her, an' you'd told the truth, like I did, you'd think there was a place where your tugsers was mighty thin after dad had finished with you."

He went back to his desk, and sat down with great care there was an expression on his face that showed the great lesson of truth had been, at least in a measure, left on him.

The hysterical proceedings at the local camp meeting, says the Cleveland Plaindealer, call to mind the story of a well meaning colored lady, who noticing that one of her church sisters had "got the spirit" and was tossing about furiously in front of the mourners' bench, proceeded to quiet her, when she was met with the remark:

"I don't want you to quiet me; I want Brother Jasper to quiet me."

There is a dentist in Kansas City who will be exceedingly careful after this when he operates on a nervous person, says the Star. He had an experience a few days ago that has made him shy of nervous people. Like many experiences this one has left him poorer but wiser.

The doctor is a large, athletic man, who rejoices in his strength. He had just opened his office the other morning, when a young woman came in. She was neatly dressed and not bad looking.

"Please fix it so that it won't hurt," was her request as she sat down in the chair.

"It won't hurt much," the doctor assured her.

Now it may have been that the particular tooth the dentist was working on was the most sensitive one the young woman had, or it may have been that the doctor was a bit nervous himself and less skillful than usual.

At any rate the patient seemed to be suffering. Every little while she would throw out her hands as if to push him away, always saying: "Oh, doctor! Oh, doctor!"

The doctor felt his responsibility. Confident of his strength he stood firm even if the girl put her hand on his chest to push him away. Repeatedly he allowed her hand to rest on his shirt bosom.

It was only a few minutes after she had left the office that a friend dropped in to see the dentist.

"I've just had a very tiresome patient," remarked the young doctor, and went on to tell about nervous people, incidentally mentioning the woman.

"She seems to have reached out her hand effectively enough," remarked the friend, "I see she got your diamond stud."

The doctor looked for his sparkler, only to find that it had vanished. He dashed for the elevator to find the thief, but she was beyond reach.

The difficulties in the way of setting up an American aristocracy are freshly illustrated by a story, which we take from an English source, of the adventure of a New Yorker with his harness maker, says the New York Post.

The gentleman in question sent the die of his crest to his saddler to have it put on a new set of harness that he was ordering. The man duly sent home the harness, but omitted to return the die. After sending for it several times without success the owner called for it himself and asked why it had not been returned, when the reply of the harness maker was:

"Oh, why, I didn't know you wanted it."

"I tell you I wish to have it back."

"Oh, pooh pooh! you can't want it much, now do you?"

"I tell you, sir, I desire to have the die back immediately."

"Ah, come now, what'll you take for it?"

"D'ye think I mean to take my crest? Why, you might as well ask me to sell my name."

"Why, you see, a good many folks have seen it, and want to have it on their harness, as it's a pretty looking concern enough."

A poor Scotch woman lay dying, and her husband sat by her bedside, says Spare Moments. After a time the wife took her husband's hand and said:

"John, we're goin' to part. I have been a gude wife to you, haven't I?"

John thought a moment.

"Well, just middling like, Jennie, you know," anxious not to say too much.

Again the wife spoke.

"John," she said faintly, "ye maun promise to bury me in the auld kirkyard at Str'ayon beside my mither. I could na rest in peace among unco folks in the dirt and smoke o' Glasgow."

"Weel, weel, Jenny, my woman," said John, soothingly, "we'll just try ye in Glasgow first, and gin ye dinna be quiet we'll try ye in Str'ayon."

The young man was from town, and was spending a Sunday in the suburbs, says Short Stories. He knew more about horses and carriages than the local livery salesman, and so his interview with the latter, when he sought to hire a "rig" for the afternoon, was tinged with a gentle air of patronage on his part.

"O, have you a trap you can let me have?"

"Yes, certainly."

"One that will hold two?"

"Yes, or twenty," from the obliging countryman.

"Oh, really. Have you a stylish road wagon?"

"Yes."

"Perhaps you have a spider of a Brewster buggy, or, on second thought I might prefer a rubber-tired hansom, you can accommodate me?"

"Yes, all kinds cheerfully furnished."

"Can you give me a lash whip?"

"Yes; with a fancy tassel."

"Oh, well, what kind of a horse can you turn out; a short tailed one?"

"I think so," came gently from the wearied proprietor; then in stentorian tones to his man, "Jake, can you give this gentleman a short tailed horse? If not cut one at once."

The bill boards are well covered with Pawnee Bill's lithographs.

Mat Coyle is in a precarious condition, suffering with typhoid fever.

R. H. Gibson goes to Des Moines, Io., tomorrow to attend the state fair.

A baby daughter, just what was wanted, arrived at the home of Dr. Blair Tuesday.

Dr. Leisenring reports young Chichester in bad shape, today. The doctor says the young man lost about a teaspoonful of brain matter when kicked by the horse.

Modern Woodman picnic, Wakefield, Neb., Aug. 28th and 29th. For the above excursion tickets will be sold Aug. 28th and 29th, good returning Aug. 30th, at one fare for the round trip. Fare 30 cents.

M. P. Ahern has secured the services of a first class saleswoman in the person of Miss Marie Ritger of York.

Miss Ritger has had many years experience as a dry goods saleslady, speaks German as well as English, and the patrons of the Ahern store will find her a most agreeable clerk.

Luther Chichester was terribly kicked by a horse last Monday at the farm home of C. E. Gildersleeve. Dr. Warren of Sioux City was called Tuesday and assisted Dr. Leisenring in fixing the victim up. The DEMOCRAT learns this afternoon that there is slight hopes of Luther's recovery, the skull being badly smashed.

Carroll Index: County Surveyor Robert H. Jones is making preparations to build a large house on his farm in the Welch settlement. Fred Schroeder, who is to do the mason work, estimates that it will require 8,000 brick for the foundation alone.

Work on the same will be commenced next week. We learn that Will Omond, who has been the efficient teacher of the Carroll Cornet band since its organization, will terminate his engagement with that institution on Sept. 12.

The Drouth is Broken At the Palace Saloon Herman Mildner Proprietor. Car Fresh Beer just received. Also all kinds of Bottled Beers. Have a Case sent to your home today. It may save you a doctor's bill. Do not hesitate.

Lower Prices for Clothing.

We have just returned from the clothing centers of the east; have purchased our fall stock from first hands (no middle men's profits). We shall be in a position to offer inducements that we could not have made had we not spent a great deal of time in looking through the large factories of the east. We have bought stock at low figures, and will give our customers the benefit.

Yours for low prices, HARRINGTON'S, The Leading Clothier.

Have You Seen Seymour?

Most everybody in town has met that nice smooth looking fellow, A. H. Seymour, agent for the Bankers' Life of Lincoln. But now he can't be met by even the sheriff for last Saturday he jumped the town, leaving his wife at the Boyd. Sheriff Cherry went to Sioux City yesterday and found that Seymour had got out of that town in the early hours, leaving a board bill at the Garretson as he did the Hotel Boyd.

Seymour was an Englishman and his long suit was to berate American citizenship and defend the British rascals in South Africa. The prospects are that the Sioux City authorities will get him if the Wayne officers don't. His wife is still in the city.

NOTICE

After August 1 my office will be over the Wayne National bank, next door to Dr. William's office. E. R. SURBER.

INSURANCE

The Security Mutual Fire Insurance company of Omaha has been asked by the State Insurance department to show cause why it should not be prohibited from doing business in Nebraska. They are one of the 1893-1894 companies. They had no assets, had borrowed money to pay losses and expenses and were in bad shape generally. 'Tis the same old story. Insure in a solid company that has had experience and can pay all losses. E. R. SURBER.

You want some good bread, try our's—T. Steen. Ryou ready for those oysters—at Steen's after Sept. 1st.

For Rent Good five room house. Enquire of E. R. SURBER.

Cold Facts for Hot Weather. Those Big Bargains in all Summer Goods. AT AHERN'S.

or Sale I have left all of my household furniture to be sold in charge of Dr. Thomas, over Orth's drug store. Mrs. K. M. KASS.

8 Per Cent Interest. I have an investment that will pay you 8 per cent annual interest and is as sure as a U. S. bond. See me about it. Also look up that insurance and get it written in the best company—that's the company I write for. E. R. SURBER.

OUR CLUBBING LIST.

Table listing clubbing rates for various newspapers and journals, including Democrat and Inter Ocean, World Herald, Lincoln Free Press, Breeders' Gazette, Omaha Bee, Prairie Farmer, Wallace's Farmer, Iowa Homestead, Semi-Weekly State Journal, Semi-Weekly Sioux City Journal.

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Illustration of a Wild West show featuring a troupe of genuine Bedouin Arabs. Text: JUST ADDED, A TROUPE OF GENUINE BEDOUIN ARABS. Don't Miss Pawnee Bill's Wild West, Sept. 6th.