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On all our Summer Wash Goods.

One that you must see to appreciate.

The HOT weather is HERE, and with it summer needs. We want to close out all seasonable goods. You need them—take advantage of these prices—Every day a SALE DAY

All our fine Mouslain De Soie 50c yard,	now	40c
" " Alexander Silk 35c	" "	25c
" " Egyptian Tissue 38c	" "	25c
" " Lace striped goods 25c	" "	20c
" " Figured Dimity 15c	" "	12 1/2
" " Holly Batiste 15c	" "	12 1/2
A very good Baptiste at 13c	" "	10c
" " Dimity 13c	" "	10c
" " " 10c	" "	8c
" " Lawn 10c	" "	8c
Good stock of Challie and Print at	" "	5c

Every Shirt Waist receives a cut of 25c to 50c. A few boys' Sailor Waist Suits at one-half price. Men's and boys' Straw Hats your own figure.

You can't miss us for HOT WEATHER BARGAINS.

Eggs same as Cash.

## THE RACKET

For Western Stock Food, the best in the market, see Peter Coyle. Dr. J. C. Clark, the eye specialist, will be at Wayne Sept. 1st.

Lee Hunter of Council Bluffs is visiting his cousin Claude Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Skeep spent Sunday with their daughter at Ponca.

Trade at the Brookings grocery and save money on the necessities of life. Wm. Wholer the jolly big "ditches spraker" of Brenna, was in town Monday.

Jackson Deits now of California, is looking after his Wayne county interests.

The wedding of Rollie Ley to Miss Pearl Reynolds is announced for early October.

For Sale—Remington typewriter, in good condition and cheap. Enquire at this office.

Mrs. Tom Berry and children returned to their home at South Sioux City today.

The guests at the Kay-Geise wedding, relatives of the Kays, returned to Mo. Valley today.

S. R. and Mrs. Theobald and Perry are in Chicago this week buying fall goods for the racket.

70-foot corner lot on Main street, worth \$450, will take \$275 cash this week. Enquire this office.

You get 7 good cigars for a quarter at the DEMOCRAT office. We are selling them out at cost.

If you want some of the finest whiskey sold just sample some of that rare old bourbon at the Palace. It's O. K.

Misses Wilda and Jessie Chase of Stanton are visiting in the city, the family returning home from the lakes.

C. A. Chase left yesterday, for Stanton where he joined L. J. Harton on a several weeks trip through Oklahoma and the Indian Territory.

There is only one trouble with those hot weather beers at the saloon. They are so big that one of them is a "jag" for a little man to carry.

Harry Sawyers, a traveling man for Tolerton & Stetson, well known in this part of the state, committed suicide at Sioux City Wednesday by drowning in the Missouri. The writer first knew Harry Sawyers nearly thirty years ago and he was one of the most popular and jolliest of fellows.

John Finn yesterday sold his farm south of town to D. G. Rockwell, a gentleman from Lyons. The price was \$50 per acre, E. R. Surber effecting the transfer. Mr. Rockwell is a man of family and will make his home in Wayne. Mr. Finn is going to look for cheaper lands in Dakota.

Henry Geise, who lives at Jefferson S. D., and is well known to many Wayne county folk, was married yesterday to Miss Elizabeth Kay daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claus Kay. Judge Hunter officiated and a very merry wedding dinner served at the home of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mellor and children and R. E. K., left last Friday for Colorado Springs. The party intended to stay for some time but George wrote back that it costs them \$4 each for a room without board, and he thought they would soon get enough mountain air at that price. Even the rich have their troubles like we poor devils.

### A Bargain

In a 3 room house and lot, with shrubberies, fruit, cistern, etc. Must be sold at once. Call on E. R. SURBER.

Insure in the German of Fireport. PHIL. H. KOHL, agt.

List your farms with R. J. James.

Heckert, dentist over P. L. Miller's.

Fine residence property for sale. R. H. James.

Ralph Rindell drove up to Dixon to attend the picnic.

Norfolk's street fair will be held on Sept. 22, 23 and 24.

Call for a pint of ale and porter at the Mildner sample room.

D. H. Rockwell has leased the Cross land house, across the street from Mr. Crossland's residence.

Miss Stewart of the College was a passenger east this morning.

Charley Maxwell bought a 160 acre farm in Brule county, S. D., Monday, Fred Benshoof making the deal.

This wet weather is disastrous to the threshers and farmers who thresh out of the shock. If early frosts do not follow the rains we will be fortunate.

Herman Mildner will commence excavating tomorrow—if it doesn't rain, for his brick building. It will be 80 feet long with living rooms in the rear part.

A cement walk will probably be laid from the Boyd hotel corner south to Voget's hardware. Mr. Voget commenced the needed necessary and it is now up to John Lewis to continue the good work.

Alvin Nelson, manager of the Wayne Cement and Construction Co., went to Bloomfield last night, taking up a half car load of cement. Bloomfield is entitled to a little of the good things as well as Wayne.

A stranger hired a team at Strahan & Warnock's barn Monday, and nothing being heard of it Sheriff Mears began an investigation Tuesday, locating the team in a barn at Wisner. The fellow left there for parts unknown.

Subjects of sermons at the Baptist church next Sunday: Morning, "The Sunday School as a Factor in the Forming of Character." Evening, "Jesus Pointing the Way to the Highest Inquirer. Everyone cordially welcomed to our services.

Henry Kellogg is having a rather desperate time of it during his wife's long visit. This week Henry amused himself by cutting off his mustach, and he now looks like a monk from the Philippine Islands. Tomorrow Mr. Kellogg goes up to Boyd county for a three weeks outing until Mrs. K's return.

Yesterday Mrs. George Miner sent her little boy down town to make some purchases, giving the boy a half dollar. The money dropped out of the child's hand and a fellow named Ed. Parker picked it up and kept it. Mr. Miner filed a complaint against the fellow for theft and Marshal Miner gathered him in, at an expense to Mr. Parker of \$5 and costs. Parker belongs to a "white wagon" outfit and today he sent his "soiled doves" to the Dixon picnic to see if they could make enough money to pay his fine and get him out of the county jail.

## Our Leading Dry Goods Merchant Writes from Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12-02. To Our Customers:

At present we are in the city making great preparations for the unusually heavy business promised this fall:

We find that we came just in time to secure first selection from the exceptionally fine Dress Goods stocks which are being shown by the leading wholesale houses.

The assistance of a city buyer who is connected with the leading Dress Goods House of the country gives us every advantage in selecting the latest stock at very special prices.

Every leading house in the city will be visited by us and we expect to open up the finest and most complete line of Dress Goods, Ladies' Furnishings, Capets and Notions that have ever been shown in Wayne.

We are confident it will be a stock that will merit your trade. The styles are the newest that the market shows and the prices are as reasonable as the most expert buying can make them.

Thanking you for your past business and trusting to enjoy your trade the coming season, we are Yours truly, M. P. AHERN.

## College Commencement

The eleventh annual commencement of the Nebraska Normal College was very successful and all the exercises have been very interesting, starting on last Friday evening with a contest between the two literary societies. The contest was won by the Crescents with an average of 100% per cent, while the Philos followed with an average of 99 2/5th per cent. The orations were won by the Philos and the essays, recitations and debates by the Crescents.

On Saturday the first division of the Teacher's class gave their orations at the college chapel, which was very nicely decorated. On Sunday morning the baccalaureate sermon was given by Rev. Newhall White of Sioux City. The graduates and students met at the college and marched down to the M. E. church. The graduates made a very striking appearance, being dressed in gown and cap. The instructors took the lead, then came the graduates and then the students. The procession was over two blocks in length and was a very nice sight.

The joint meeting of the Christian Associations on Sunday afternoon was attended by a great number of students and visitors. On Monday and Tuesday the second and third divisions of the Teachers' class gave their orations, and on Wednesday evening the orations were given by the Scientific class. The graduating class of this year is the largest in the history of the college, numbering 36 members.

A great number of the graduates have secured good positions in town and village schools. Among those are G. A. Hall, who has a position at Atlanta, T. R. Nelson as principal at Concord, John Wilson at Belden, W. A. Spencer at Gayville, S. D., L. G. Lockwood at Jefferson, Marian Hopkins as assistant principal at Emerson and Ollie Elliott who has the intermediate department at Hoskins. A great number of others have secured good country schools and village schools but it could not be learned where. Among other students and former graduates who have secured good positions are E. A. Littell, who has the school at Carroll, Nellie Palmer and Mary McLaughlin at Winside and Mr. Marsdal who goes back to Verdigris.

On Thursday evening the lecture was given to the graduates at the M. E. church. Although the weather was bad there was a large and appreciative audience present. L. B. Wickersham, the lecturer, gave a very entertaining and instructive lecture, keeping the audience in good humor for nearly two hours. The graduates were then presented their diplomas. There were 36 diplomas given, 29 being for the Teachers' class and seven for the Scientific, which confers upon them the degree of B. S.

Immediately after the lecture the Alumni Association held the business meeting in which the officers for the coming year were elected. The association then repaired to the Boyd hotel where the banquet was served. The classes were welcomed by Anna B. Bright who was responded to by Carrie A. Hoffman of this year's Teachers' class. These were followed by toasts from Jennie Mettlin, who spoke on "Side tracked" and E. A. Littell on "Why Not." The banquet continued until the early hours of the morning when Mary E. McLaughlin presented the toast on "Ohegs" and President J. M. Pile gave a farewell address which concluded the exercises.

Prof. Pile considers this year one of the very best year's work, as the attendance has been greater than any previous year. The prospects for the future and success in the past will cause the president and instructors to start in and make the next year's work the most successful in the history of the College on the Hill.

Stuck on Steen's That is the verdict of everybody who patronizes the Steen Ice Cream Parlor, the Steen Bakery or the Steen restaurant. As a matter of fact no other party conducting a like business has ever enjoyed the success and popularity that Taylor Steen is having. Electric fans cool you while you eat the finest ice cream made in the state. Steen's home made bread and pastry excel anything ever sold in that line, being as good as "mother used to make." Steen's candies are the choicest bonbons that can be bought; no cheap, shoddy sweets. To complete this story Steen is making money because he knows how to run his business and get the people what they want. There's no choice in this matter of trading—Steen takes the whole bakery.

## Ale and Porter on tap at Mildner's Farmers Mutual Insurance Co.

PHIL. H. KOHL, agt. E. James.

The Fuller residence for sale. Enquire at premises.

Phone 74 if you want some job printing done in a hurry.

Markets today—wheat new, 51, old 57, oats 25, corn 40, rye 32.

Miss Lucie Buffington was an arrival Monday from Chicago.

The Fuller family horse and phaeton for sale. Enquire at residence.

F. M. Griffith and Adam Grier were in Omaha with stock Monday.

When you smoke a Wayne Leader cigar you are getting something good.

The Misses Carrie and Alice Stringer came home Wednesday evening from Lincoln.

Mrs. H. T. Donnel and children came home Wednesday from a visit to Dakota City.

The DEMOCRAT has an old building, plastered, that would make a good hog house, for sale cheap.

Messrs E. R. Gurney, Harry Siman and C. D. Jones were Winside business men in town Wednesday.

Want some home-made bread, try Steen's. Want the best fresh bread, cookies, cakes, pies etc., Steen's is the place to get them.

The Winside Tribune says: "Hon. John Micey, a game of basket ball and a merry go round are the attractions at the Old Settlers meeting in Wayne next Thursday."

First Presbyterian church topics for Sunday, "Some Characteristics of a Successful Church," "Three Men Whom Jesus Called." You are welcome to our services come, and bring your friends.

REUNION PIONEERS AND OLD SETTLERS ASSOCIATION—Dakota City, Neb., Aug. 28th, 1902. For the above occasion excursion tickets will be sold Aug. 28th, good returning Aug. 29th at one fare for the round trip.

T. W. MORAN Agent John Goss received news yesterday that his son Fred was badly hurt while railroading in Wisconsin, a coal derrick falling on him, breaking his cheek bone and inflicting other injuries. The young man will be brought home at once.

A jolly gang of Winsiders came home from North Dakota Wednesday night. Art Chapin and W. H. McCluskey had charge of the boys, with W. H. Lowery as chief spokesman. The waiters at the Wayne depot were treated to a serenade while the stop was made here.

The many friends of J. C. Harmer are a bit slow to believe that John is actually married to a handsome young lady, formerly Miss Loretta Phillips of Cape Girardeau, Mo. Of course there's nothing like being "from Missouri" but J. C. says he is equal to the emergency.

A. O. U. W. AND D. OF H. PICNIC.—South Sioux City, Crystal Lake Park, Wednesday Aug. 20th. special excursion train leaves Wayne at 7.30 A. M. Returning leaves South Sioux City at 7.30 P. M. reaching Wayne at 8.40 P. M. Two base ball games, foot races, swimming races, trap shooting, boat races, bowery dances, etc. popular fare only 90 cents.

The DEMOCRAT man took a squint in the city power house one day this week and was surprised at the appearance of the interior. Manager Fritts has all the machinery, walls, floor and ceiling elegantly painted with asbestos paint and aluminum, and no one would ever think the place had seen a fire. Tom is a little proud of his quarters, and has reason to be.

Ed. Owen tells one of the funniest little stories—with a moral. It seems Ed. was out west, knocking about with the cowboys where a fellow would be liable to "catch" most anything, and Ed. supposed he had lost 'em all before he got home, but 'em was ever doomed to disappointment. Explanations were in order, and says Mr. Owen "I just told the folks the durnd little animals were nothing but sage lice that I got in chasing the cattib through the sage brush." Wouldn't that—wouldn't that—take the—cake.

### To Sell a Horse

Take the animal to Strahan & Warnock's Palace Livery barn where they buy and sell horses, and do a general horse business.

### To Buy a Horse

Look over the animals in the Strahan & Warnock barn. Any kind of a horse you want at reasonable prices.

### In the Pork Business

Strahan & Warnock buy hogs and it will be money in your pocket to see "Bob" before you sell your hogs, as he will give you the top figure for them.

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### Store For Rent

The store room, one door west of postoffice is for rent, possession given at once. Apply to the DEMOCRAT.

### Notice to Teachers

Examination will be held one day only, Aug. 16, for those who did not finish last month.

C. H. BRIGHT, county superintendent.

### This is "The Tea The Japs Drink"

Longworth's half pound Red Package Japan Tea which is known to be the finest tea grown in Japan, money back if not satisfactory sold by WILSON BROS.

### FOR SALE

My house and two 50ft lots in Carroll. Call on me or address me at Wayne. Mrs. B. E. McVAY.

We make handsome, artistic rugs out of your old ingrain and brussels carpets. Send for price list and descriptive circulars. The Deen Rug Factory, Harlan, Iowa.

### Special Excursions to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, and Other Lake Superior Points.

Tickets sold June 1st to Sept. 10th good returning until Oct. 31st. Rates vary according to time of purchase. For further information call at depot. T. MORAN, AGENT

### Craven Bros. Clearing Sale

We have a few Refrigerators left that we will sell at Less than Cost. Here they are:

1 Box White Enameled inside 90 lb. ice; Former price \$18.50, Price now \$14.90.

1 Box Apartment House Style 90 lb. Ice; Former price \$17.00, Price now \$13.25.

1 Box Zinc lined 90 lb. Ice; Former price \$14.00, Price now \$11.50.

1 Box Apartment House Style, Former Price \$13.00, Price now \$10.50.

These are all Ash boxes, and finely finished, and standard makes.

We have one 16 in. cut Ball Bearing Lawn Mower, was \$5.00, Price now \$3.95.

We will need the room for our large line of stoves, soon. Now is the time to get a refrigerator cheap.

Our line of washing machines and wringers is complete.

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Sir Edgar Vincent, who is mentioned  
as the probable successor of Sir  
Michael Hicks-Beach as chancellor of  
the exchequer, was British, Belgian  
and Dutch representative on the council  
of the Ottoman public department  
at Constantinople, March, 1882, and as  
president of that council, in 1883, he  
proved a very conspicuous ability for  
finance.

A railroad engine may be roughly  
said to be equal in strength to 900  
horses.

Philadelphia Catholic Standard: "I'm  
sorry," said Mr. Pashentz to the new  
neighbor, "but if these boys of yours  
continue their rude behavior around  
here I'll have to prosecute you." "Huh!"  
Go ahead and prosecute. You can't  
find no law against me." "No? Perhaps  
you have never heard of the law prohib-  
iting the raising of hogs in the city  
limits."

A good trade in poultry is now being  
done on between New Zealand and  
South Africa.

Nicholas H. Torney, a wealthy New  
York broker who was the double of  
Andrew Carnegie in appearance, died  
a day or two ago. It was his last day  
live for an occasional month or so in  
some heavy looking house and then  
came over to the Homan of Aster  
house, being centrally well known in  
city of his times. So generally was  
he respected in the Bovey that regular  
patrons of one lodging house there  
referred to him as "the regular of  
room 37." That was where he slept  
when he first made his appearance  
there something over ten years ago  
and that was where he died.

General Lukas Meyer, the Boer leader,  
is a big man with big ideas. Some  
years ago he formed a sort of republic  
of his own, with headquarters at  
Vryheid, but was persuaded to tack it  
onto the Transvaal. He was already  
very popular and used to be known as  
"the lion of Vryheid."

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friend," said Senator Sorghum, "you  
have an exceptional talent for speech-  
making." "Yes," replied the statesman  
who gets a great deal of applause from  
the galleries, "I feel justified in saying  
that oratory is a gift." "That's just  
what it is! There are mighty few peo-  
ple who can get paid for it nowadays."

Long engagements are rather expen-  
sive affairs in Russia. The bridegroom  
elect is expected to send his fiancée a  
present every day.

Washington Star: "Don't you fear  
the trusts?" "Not a bit," answered  
Senator Sorghum. "In my younger  
days I felt kind of bashful in the pres-  
ence of so much money. But I soon  
learned that trusts can be right chum-  
my and agreeable if properly ap-  
proached."

Philadelphia Press: Tess—The ma-  
terial in my new gown is very pretty,  
but it needs something to improve the  
shape of it. Jess—Why not let some  
other girl wear it?

When America was discovered, the  
Indians were divided into tribes, though  
there were no exact boundaries be-  
tween the countries of different tribes.  
The Indians of the Atlantic coast were  
generally Algonquians; the Indians of  
the interior, or middle states, were Iro-  
quois. On the other side of the Iro-  
quois, along the Mississippi, there were  
other Algonquians, of whom some still  
survive in the Indian Territory, across  
the Mississippi. The tribes of the  
south, Creeks, Cherokees, Chickasaws  
and others, are kindred to the Iroquois.  
Their descendants are in the Indian  
Territory.

At the present time many valuable  
species of big game in South Africa are  
threatened with extinction. It is pro-  
posed to establish regulations for their  
preservation and it is suggested that  
camps should be set apart for the  
purpose of breeding certain species in  
order that the country may be re-  
stocked with game.

**Denies Right of Jury Trial**  
Manila, Aug. 12.—Judge Ambler has  
decided the motion of the defendants  
in the Freedom of Information case for  
trial by jury. In making this decision the  
court said: "The law-making power in  
the Philippine Islands is vested in the  
Philippine commission. The laws do  
not grant the right of trial by jury.  
The Philippines are entitled to the full  
rights, excepting the right to trial  
by jury. The constitution of the  
United States follows us here only so  
far as congress enacts that it shall."

**Destitute Haytiens Appeal.**  
Port Au Prince, Aug. 12.—The people  
of Petit Goave to the west of here are  
in great distress and have asked for  
assistance. It was reported from Port  
Au Prince that further government re-  
liefments had started for Petit  
Goave to aid the government forces.  
Battle there by the revolutionists. A  
battle between 400 Foucharists, sup-  
ported by a regular regiment, and the  
forces under General Chigoye, the first  
minister commander, was fought at  
Goave August 8. The town was almost  
completely destroyed by fire.

**WIT AND WISDOM.**  
There is lots of cant in cant.  
A wise woman prefers friends to  
lovers.  
Keep your temper; no one wants it,  
and you may need it.  
A wise man and a stingy one keeps  
everything to himself.  
Fame may be a bubble, but you can  
find it a football of fate.  
It would appear that woman's  
rights constitute her wrongs.  
There is often more hypocrisy than  
sanctity out on clerical lines.

# KING EDWARD IS CROWNED.

Ceremony to Which the Nation Has Looked  
Is Finally Consummated.

Westminster Abbey Thronged with  
Participating Peers and Peers-  
esses, a Gorgeous Sight

London, Aug. 12.—King Edward VII.,  
after seven weeks of battle with death,  
was triumphantly crowned ruler of  
the world's mightiest empire at West-  
minster abbey at 12 o'clock on August  
9, and as the crown was placed upon  
his head the signal was flashed from  
the abbey to Hyde park and the tower.  
At these places the artillery fired sa-  
lute after salute, and joined with the  
ringing of bells, made the whole city  
reverberate with an acclamation of joy.

Surrounded on all sides by scarlet-  
robed peers and white-satined peer-  
esses, Edward solemnly swore to gov-  
ern according to the laws of parlia-  
ment, whereupon the abbey rang with  
shouts. The most republican spectator  
must have been impressed with the  
solemnity of the occasion.

The morning opened with brilliant  
sunshine, but later the sky was over-  
cast. No rain fell, however, and for  
chilly breeze made the conditions for  
the densely packed crowds comfortable.  
As the state carriages appeared from  
Buckingham gates, the throng sent  
up a mighty shout of welcome. His  
majesty appeared to be in excel-  
lent health, and with the queen, bowed  
and smiled right and left and ap-  
peared much gratified.

**KING STILL A SICK MAN.**  
Beside the carriage rode the duke of  
Connaught and his son, Prince Arthur.  
A close scrutiny of the king did not  
bear out the favorable impression of  
his physical condition given by the  
first glimpse of his majesty. His usual  
ruddy appearance was missing.

**SEATED ON A DAIS.**  
In the very center of the church was  
a dais for the king and queen. Upon  
it a very large throne chair for the  
king, and a smaller one for the queen.  
To the right and left, on either side  
of the dais, were the peers and peer-  
esses. The peers were all in crimson  
robes, with ermine capes. The peer-  
esses were all dressed in low cut  
gowns of richest fabrics, and displayed  
jewels of sparkling beauty and fabu-  
lous value. Both peers and peeresses  
held their coronets in their hands.

The commons galleries were rather  
thinly filled. No Irish members except  
Ulster unionists appeared and many  
English members were away in the  
country.

**KING TAKES THE OATH.**  
The archbishop of Canterbury  
stepped to the king's side and in a  
clear voice said:

"Sir, I here present unto you King  
Edward, the undoubted king of this  
realm; wherefore all you who are come  
this day to your homage, are you  
willing to do the same?"

Immediately everyone in the abbey  
shouted: "God save King Edward."  
God save the king," repeating this  
many times until the voices merged  
into a general shout of acclamation.  
As it died down the heralds lifted their  
trumpets and blared a salute.

Next came the taking of the oath.  
The archbishop, standing before the  
king, said:

"Sir, is your majesty willing to take  
the oath?" The king answered, "I am  
willing."

After this the oath was administered  
to his majesty twice.

Following the anointing with oils  
came the minor ceremonies, such as  
presenting the king with spurs, a  
sword, a ring, a sceptre and orb.

Then the archbishop, standing before  
the altar, took the crown in his hands  
and prayed God to crown the king with  
all princely virtues. The king, who had  
kneelt during this prayer, seated him-  
self again in the chair, and the arch-  
bishop, attended by other bishops and  
the dean, advanced to where the king  
sat and the archbishop very slowly  
placed the crown on the king's head.  
There was absolute silence and then  
the moment the crown touched the  
king's brow everyone shouted loudly  
and well together: "God save the  
king."

The heralds blew their trumpets and  
outside guns fired a salute. At the  
same moment the peers and kings at  
arms put on their coronets.

The archbishop of York then  
crowned the queen in much the same  
manner as the king had been crowned,  
but with a less elaborate ritual. As  
the crown was placed on her head all  
the peeresses put on their coronets.

Then came an interesting incident.  
In passing to her throne, which she took  
without further ceremony, the queen  
bowed low before the king in token of  
homage.

As the ceremony continued the king  
began to show some signs of fatigue,  
having some difficulty in getting to his  
feet. Toward the end of the ceremony  
the abbey became hot and stuffy.

# Nebraska Politics.

Excerpts From The Nebraska Independent, Lincoln, Nebraska, Made by  
Direction of the Populist State Central Committee

**SOME COMPARISONS**  
A Little School District in Lancaster  
County Where the Railroad Pays Nearly  
Half the Taxes, Yet Shirks to Best  
the Band

The "steenth bulletin" issued under  
authority of the railroads of Nebraska  
"makes a showing of the assessed  
valuation of Lancaster county in 1893  
and 1901, and gives as a "horrible ex-  
ample" certain school districts which  
in the railroad valuation runs from  
45 to 60 per cent of the total assess-  
ment roll. The tax bureau and Col-  
onel Brown rub their hands delight-  
edly and say, "Haven't we fixed 'em?"  
That ought to be their motto.  
Suppose the railroads do pay 50 per  
cent of the taxes in a certain school  
district—what does that prove? Not-  
thing, except that they pay half the  
taxes. That is fully as wise an argu-  
ment as the republican demand for a  
dollar containing a hundred cents.  
Suppose the railroads do pay half the  
taxes paid in a certain school dis-  
trict—what of it? It might happen  
that they ought to pay 60 or 75 per  
cent instead of 50. Let us investigate.

School district No. 53 is a little dis-  
trict lying just east of Havelock, in  
North Platte precinct, Lancaster coun-  
ty, Nebraska. Its entire area, inclu-  
sive of railroad right of way, is 120  
acres. Of this, 2,480 acres are taxed  
lands and 1,240 acres are unimproved  
state lands (saline and common  
school) under contracts of sale and in  
lease, the holders of which are as-  
sessed as having "investments in real  
estate," the same thing counted  
as property. The B. & M. railroad  
("main line" of the C. & N. system  
in Nebraska) runs through the dis-  
trict, having 1.03 (one and three-hun-  
dredths) miles assessed for taxation in  
the district. This line is the highest  
assessed piece of railroad in Nebraska,  
and any comparison of tax with rail-  
roads will be giving the railroads every  
advantage.

Our calculations will be made for  
the year 1901, because the railroad tax  
bureau has kindly furnished the fol-  
lowing statement of railroad earnings  
for that year. The assessment roll of  
district No. 53 for 1901 is as follows:  
**ASSESSMENT ROLL—1901.**  
Personal property ..... \$120,282.50  
4.80 miles B. & M. railroad ..... 1,120.00  
1.03 miles B. & M. railroad ..... 10,497.40  
Total ..... \$131,880.90

The B. & M. property amounts to  
48.8 per cent and all other property  
51.2 per cent.

The tax levy for 1901 was 7.5 mills  
for state purposes; 16.6 for county  
purposes; 12 for school purposes; a  
total of 36.1 mills on the dollar valuation, or  
\$3.61 to each \$100. The entire taxes  
charged against the district are as fol-  
lows:

**TAX LEVY—1901.**  
Railroad ..... \$393.40  
Lands ..... 31.40  
Personalty ..... 40.80  
Total charged against prop. \$865.41  
Labor tax, 10 at \$3.00 ..... 30.00  
Total taxes ..... \$895.41

Now, the tables given by the rail-  
road tax bureau show that the B. &  
M. earnings on Plattsmouth to Ken-  
saw, a distance of 191.61 miles—a trifle  
less than 192. Their sworn statements  
show earnings as follows:

**B. & M. EARNINGS—1901.**  
Gross earnings ..... \$3,985,855.93  
Operating expenses ..... 1,487,849.56  
Net earnings ..... 2,498,006.37  
A simple problem in long division  
(using 191.61 for divisor) will give the  
earnings per mile as follows:  
**EARNINGS PER MILE—1901.**  
Gross earnings ..... \$20,799.31  
Operating expenses ..... 7,760.51  
Net earnings ..... 13,038.80  
And another little problem in mul-  
tiplication (using 1.03 for multiplier)  
will show the following earnings for  
the 1.03 miles of road in district No.  
53:  
**EARNINGS IN DISTRICT 53—1901.**  
Gross earnings ..... \$21,422.37  
Net earnings ..... 13,429.65

Now, it will be observed that the  
B. & M. was charged with a total of  
\$393.40 taxes in district No. 53. Ac-  
cordingly, the road was taxed 1.8 (one  
and eight-tenths) per cent of its gross  
earnings, or 2.9 (two and nine-tenths)  
per cent of its net earnings for taxes.  
How does this compare with the taxes  
paid by other taxpayers in the dis-  
trict? We are now coming to the real  
question.

Catherine A. McDevitt, the largest  
land owner in the district, has 440  
acres assessed in her name, the total  
valuation being \$1,550 or at the rate  
of \$3.50 per acre; just half of the acre-  
age is improved and this was valued  
at \$1.41 per acre, the unimproved be-  
ing assessed at \$2.77 an acre. 229  
acres were in corn, 130 in meadow and  
90 in waste land and pasture in 1901.  
She was charged with taxes as fol-  
lows:

County ..... \$118.85  
School ..... 26.22  
Total ..... \$145.07  
Accordingly, her property was taxed  
1.8 per cent of the gross earnings of  
land, she must have received \$5,  
168.58 all told from the 440 acres—  
about \$7.26 from each acre. But, as

The gold shipments prepared for at  
New York yesterday aggregate the  
large amount of about \$2,000,000, and  
had a decidedly sobering influence on  
the soaring stock market. It is too  
early to say much about the probable  
extent of the recovery, but one thing  
is being made clearly evident. Inter-  
national trade and international cred-  
it have passed the culminating point in  
our favor for the present, and if the  
rising tide of merchandise import and  
export can be maintained against us  
we can be fairly certain that the gold  
shipments during this fiscal year will  
be small. —Springfield Republican.

The woman who weeps is the woman  
whose eyes are always beautiful;  
tearless eyes are dull and cold.  
There is a plethora of fools in the  
blatant old world, as the fellow who  
is talking to you may find out.  
When a woman runs around at the  
business end of a string with a poodle  
attachment, she off she may become  
dangerous.  
Philanthropy has greater love for  
the building with its spires haunting  
the name in the face of heaven than  
it has for the poor who knock at its  
portals.

There is lots of fun for a pop in this  
campaign. The republicans are print-  
ing some democratic speeches, such as  
Morgan's defense of the army, and the  
democrats are printing some republic-  
can speeches including those of Sen-  
ator Hoar. "One offsets the other and  
whether either party gains votes will be  
established and that is that some dem-  
ocrats are republicans and some republi-  
cans are democrats, and the party in-  
sults has such a hold upon them that  
they will all vote their own party  
ticket and vote 'er straight.

Don't give any one a piece of your  
mind; you have none to spare.  
The summer girl who falls in love  
thinks she is having a warm time.  
Before a girl marries she thinks  
the man is a demigod; after marriage  
she don't.  
Some people who thought them-  
selves saints here on earth will be  
surprised to find how hard they will  
have to knock before the latch key of  
heaven gets down to business.  
Slightly reduced—slight

# Believe it paid more than his share?

Does any man believe it paid as  
much as he? CHARLES Q. DE FRANCE.

**Follow Servant Law**  
Editor Independent: What is the  
follow servant law what is denounced  
in the democratic platform?

Harrington, WILL FERGUSON.  
("This is 'court-maste' law governing  
the relations of master and servant—  
a vexed question when applied to a  
corporation where every human being  
connected with it is in a certain sense  
a servant. When the business of the  
road is employed. Hence, who is master  
and who is servant depends consid-  
erably upon their relations to each other  
in the line of their employment.  
For example, the brakeman on a train  
is undoubtedly a servant to the con-  
ductor and the latter the "master" (that  
is, he represents the master—the  
soulless corporation) so far as the two  
are concerned. But the conductor is  
obliged to obey the orders of the su-  
perintendent; and as between these  
two the conductor is the "master" and  
superintendent the "servant."  
Now, the courts hold that every per-  
son assumes the risks incident to his  
employment, and that unless the in-  
jury complained of is shown to be the  
result of negligence on the part of the  
"master," the servant is held liable for  
his own negligence. "Contributory  
negligence" (on the part of the injured  
person, there can be no recovery. For  
example, some courts hold the con-  
ductor to be the "master" of his train,  
and the brakeman, fireman, and  
signal men are all servants of his, and,  
consequently, all "follow" servants.  
Accordingly, if brakeman Doe is in-  
jured because of the carelessness of  
Engineer Roe, say, by a sudden and  
uncalled for quick shunt of the en-  
gine in making a coupling, the  
damages payable to the company because  
of the negligence of a "follow servant,"  
and not by the negligence of the "master."  
The populist and democratic plank  
differ in language, but mean substan-  
tially the same. That where an em-  
ployee engaged in the operation of  
"dangerous machinery" or "hazardous  
pursuits" is, through no fault of his  
own, injured because of the careless-  
ness or negligence of another em-  
ployee, he may recover damages. The  
distinction is to be abolished between  
those injuries which are caused by  
negligence of the "master" and those  
which are caused by the negligence of  
a follow servant. There really is no  
master to be negligent, because the  
master is a corporation, and every  
employee is a servant, although to a  
greater or less extent representing and  
impersonating the master. And who  
are "follow servants" and who are not  
has been mooted point with courts  
for years. The Jordan knip can be  
cut by holding the corporation liable  
for damages to the injured party occa-  
sioned by the negligence of any em-  
ployee (other than the injured himself),  
whether he be "master" or "follow  
servant."—Ed. Ind.)

David Blume of Havelock owns a  
quarter section in the district, it was  
assessed at \$600. He had 150 acres  
of corn, 6 of potatoes, 60 in meadow,  
and 4 in waste land. His property  
was assessed as follows: 3 horses,  
\$20; 1 cow, \$3; 2 carriages and wagon,  
\$50; 20 bushels of corn, \$5; household  
goods, \$5. His tax lands and  
personalty amounted to \$25.47 and  
"labor tax" \$3—the latter being a pun-  
ishment to Mr. Blume for being a man  
instead of a soulless corporation. Nine  
other men in the district were similar-  
ly assessed. Mr. Blume had to pay  
no soul was not called upon to pay  
"labor tax." Mr. Blume paid all to  
\$28.72 taxes. If he and the B. & M.  
had been taxed equitably, his gross  
earnings must have been \$1,705.56.  
Every acre of his land should have  
borne its share of the tax. Did it do  
it? If his taxes had amounted to 2.0  
per cent of the net earnings of his  
property, then Mr. Blume must have  
had clear, after paying all his farm  
labor and everything, except taxes and  
interest on his mortgage (if he have  
any), including his own wages for his  
own labor, he must have had \$8  
net earnings \$974.52. Did he have it?  
Let him answer. He did well if he  
had half the amount and kept out  
nothing as pay for his own labor. At  
the least calculation Mr. Blume paid  
6 per cent of his net earnings in  
taxes—the Burlington paid less than  
3. Suppose the B. & M. did pay nearly  
half the taxes in district No. 53—  
what of it? The fact is, it should have  
paid at least fifty per cent more than  
it did.

But, urges the special pleader for  
the railroads, but state constitution  
prohibits tax by valuation—not on  
earnings. Dear friend, the capacity to  
produce income is the basis of value in  
nearly every taxable thing. This is  
especially so in the district under con-  
sideration. Land values are booming  
and the value of personal property is  
but nine-tenths of the recent rise is  
speculative—amounting on "bumper  
cars and drought prices. Suppose,  
however, we do make a comparison on  
"values." What is the B. & M. worth?  
We cannot count the cost of right-of-  
way, but we can count the value of  
what we must count the cost of the  
farms, and some of these were home-  
steaded. The 1.03 miles earned \$13,  
429.65 in the year 1901. That is a 5  
per cent return on \$268,543.20. That  
piece of road, then, was worth in 1901,  
the sum of \$537,086.40. Now, let us  
place an extravagant valuation on all  
the other property:

3,120 acres at \$60 ..... \$187,200  
52 horses at \$100 ..... 5,200  
2 mules at \$100 ..... 200  
103 cattle at \$50 ..... 5,150  
500 sheep at \$20 ..... 10,000  
20 wagons at \$50 ..... 1,000  
8 sets agr. tools at \$200 ..... 1,600  
8 sets household goods at \$300 ..... 2,400  
1 organ at ..... 75  
Total ..... \$204,225

Even at these exaggerated values of  
farm property in the district, the as-  
sessed valuation is nearly 5.6 per cent  
of the true value, while the railroad  
assessment is almost exactly 4 per  
cent of its true value.

Lands in Lancaster county rent on  
the average at not more than \$2.50 an  
acre; \$3 is considered a high price, ex-  
cept for garden land, and the value of  
the lands in district No. 53 are im-  
proved, but let us give the owners \$3  
an acre for the whole 3,120 acres.  
That would be \$9,360 net earnings for  
the lands. Allow a 5 per cent return  
on \$19,225 of personal property—  
\$961.25. A comparison of net earn-  
ings would show as follows:

Railroad ..... \$13,429.65  
All other property ..... 10,227.25  
Total ..... \$23,656.90  
County taxes ..... \$393.40  
All other taxes ..... 442.01

In district No. 53 the B. & M. paid  
2.9 per cent of its net earnings in  
taxes; the other taxpayers paid at  
least 4.3 per cent of their net earnings  
in taxes. Suppose the B. & M. did pay  
nearly half the taxes in district No.  
53—what of it? Does any sane man

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vote to reciprocity and the cause of the president he must explain why Cuban reciprocity was killed in the senate. Here it is:

Cuban reciprocity legislation was defeated by the power and avarice of the sugar trust, they fearing if a bill should be reported to the senate the differential would be repealed. Other senators were also opposed to having a bill reported, fearing that some other protected industries might be attacked and a general attack made upon the tariff schedule. It was to avoid such a fight that the committee on relations with Cuba decided not to report a Cuban reciprocity bill.

More queer "facts" these. If the wicked sugar trust did it by preventing any bill from being reported, who backed up the trust in this purpose and did the work of the trust in the senate? Who were the seventeen "boxers" who swore that under no circumstances would a Cuban reciprocity bill be allowed to pass the senate? Here are the names:

Elkins and Scott of West Virginia, Barrows of Michigan, Gamble and Kittredge of South Dakota, Nelson and Clapp of Minnesota, Perkins and Bard of California, DIETRICH of Nebraska, Mason of Illinois, Bears of Utah, Deboe of Kentucky, Burton of Kansas, Foster of Washington, Mitchell of Oregon and Jones of Nevada.

If the sugar trust defeated Cuban reciprocity, then the above named senators did the work of the trust. The sugar trust could not have won without the help of the seventeen, among whom Dietrich was a shining light. This much he makes plain, if one is to accept his testimony as it appears. It seems that the sugar trust can occupy all sorts of positions convenient for the Nebras-

ka senator in his "explanation" that it can be either for or against Cuba, for or opposed to the president, stuffing the "Associated Press and the leading newspapers" with falsehoods, in favor of reciprocity and then playing a little joke on the whole crowd by knocking out reciprocity—with the help of Dietrich of Nebraska. But it is mean of the sugar trust to leave Dietrich to do the explaining. It is evidently too much for him.—Sioux City Tribune.

Bixby facetiously writes: The World-Herald seems abundantly able and perfectly willing to prove that Edward Rosewater can't write an editorial opinion without running crosswise of some previously-expressed conviction. Mr. Rosewater is the personification of the bundle of contradictions we have all read about.

The State Journal notes that Nebraska tried the "water cure" this summer and liked it. The Journal should not be too hasty; it is forcing the water out that constitutes the cure.

Lincoln Journal: If Mr. Thompson says he has never been and is not now on the pay roll of a soulless corporation, we believe him, and we are not disposed to call a man a railroad attorney simply because he moves about without having to pay fare. W. H. Thompson is a good citizen and a good man, which makes it inexplicable how he can train with such a vile crowd.

The Norfolk News protests against giving Gov. Savage a federal appointment upon his retirement from the governorship. The News ought to know better than kick on such trivial affairs.

From the vigorous manner in which Senators Millard and Dietrich are bucking President Roosevelt, republicans do not show much consistency in asking voters to elect J. J. McCarthy to congress in support of the administration. Mr. McCarthy's record in state politics shows him an insurgent of no mean ability.

I have never made a practice of painting wings on men, but it is gratifying to me, and to his thousands of friends in this district, to feel and know that our congressman, John S. Robinson, is regarded by all men who share his acquaintance as one of the cleanest men who ever sat in congress. He is both morally and politically clean.—Columbus Telegram.

A Kingman county, Kansas farmer is growing a row of corn a little more than twenty-five miles long, for no other reason than to be singular and extraordinary. He commenced in a fifty acre field and went round and round in a circle with a lister until he had planted the whole single row which commences at one of the edges and terminates in the middle. When he cultivated it, of course, he had to plow the same way.

What would the people of Des Moines, Burlington, Sioux City or any other Iowa town do if a Nebraska corporation lawyer should venture to interfere in their local politics and appointments? Would they not have grounds for resenting it as a piece of impertinence? Yet that is precisely what John N. Baldwin's defensive alliance with Dave Mercer means for Omaha.—Omaha Bee.

What would the people of Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio or any other state do if a corporation lawyer should venture to interfere in their state politics and nominations?

What would they do if a corporation lawyer should call a conference of corporation lawyers and after that conference was held announce that these corporation lawyers had all agreed on a candidate for governor?

What would they do if the importance of that conference was demonstrated several days later by the nomination for governor in the republican state convention of the choice of this corporation lawyer's conference?

Would they not have just grounds for resenting it as a piece of impertinence? Yet that is precisely what John N. Baldwin's defensive alliance with Mickey means for the state of Nebraska.—Omaha World Herald.

A young lady of 17 summers who had resided in Chicago from birth, for the first time boarded a train Tuesday evening, her destination being Denver. Tuesday night was spent in a sleeping car and Wednesday morning found her in the city of Omaha awaiting the Colorado special for the far west. She was nervous and could hardly wait until the train started, as she was soon to see a Nebraska farm. An acquaintance was made with a lady bound for Madison who willingly imparted all the information at her command to the young Chicagoan. Finally the word, "all aboard for the west over the Union Pacific," was heard and the young lady just simply jumped for joy. "I will soon see a real farm," she exclaimed. South Omaha was soon passed and finally the lady who was coming to Madison said to the Chicago lady: "That is a farm, and a nice one too," pointing out of the car window. "Isn't it lovely, and they have so much room on the farm and not a house within fifteen blocks. "What is that big wheel on that tower turning for?" "Why that is a windmill and is pumping the water for the stock." "Oh, I thought it was an electric fan to keep the cows cool." At that juncture the peanut butcher, who had been listening all the time, fell over apparently dead, but was soon heard to remark, "Well wouldn't that eak your feet?"

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For State Public Lands and Buildings, JAMES C. BRENNAN  
For Treasurer, J. N. LYMAN  
For Auditor, C. Q. DEFRANCE  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction, CLAUDE SMITH

#### COUNTY TICKET

For County Attorney, GUY R. WILBUR  
For Constable 1st dist., AUGUST JODST

#### Too Much for Dietrich

It seems impossible for the sugar insurgents to defend themselves in the matter of their Cuban reciprocity attitude without making a thinly veiled attack upon the president. Tawney of Minnesota did it, and so incensed his constituents that they have induced another republican to contest in the nomination for congress. Now Dietrich of Nebraska comes forward with about the same thing. Of course, Mr. Dietrich and Mr. Tawney, was always in favor of Cuban reciprocity. Mr. Dietrich, like Mr. Tawney and the other insurgents, has been grossly misrepresented, for says he:

The Associated Press and some of the leading newspapers have been completely sugar-coated and characterized by the sugar trust that it will take some time before the American people will know the facts. They are queer "facts" that the Nebraska senator is trying to tell the people. For instance, the country is told that the president, Governor Wood, Secretary Root and others of like character and standing who have been guilty of "gross exaggeration" in the matter of industrial conditions on the island. But they did not fool Dietrich, et al. Hear him:

I wish I understood, however, that the so-called "insurgents" were fully aware that the depressed and distressed conditions in Cuba were grossly exaggerated and that the conditions there are fully as prosperous for the masses of the people as they are in the United States, and tab only reason that we were willing to "aid Cuba" at the expense of the American producer was because of our loyalty to the president.

Here it is very broadly intimated that the president was engaged in trying to injure the interests of the American producer. This seems to be the point which both Tawney and Dietrich want to make without being to plain. The president has been wrong and they right; the former has been against the American producer and they have stood valiantly both with

## Carry the News

About Carroll and vicinity that George Rohrer has opened a firstclass sample room in that town where you can get the best beer brewed and pure whiskies and choice Cigars.

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## RAILROAD TAXATION COMPARED.

### Statement of Taxes Paid by the Union Pacific Railroad in 1901, in Nebraska.

(Issued Under Authority of the Railroad of Nebraska.)

COUNTY	TAXES PAID
Boone	\$ 3,704 84
Buffalo	26,097 84
Butler	3,892 27
Cheyenne	14,925 47
Colfax	6,890 73
Custer	3,195 84
Dawson	33,400 67
Deuel	4,864 29
Dodge	12,600 88
Douglas	32,053 31
Gage	6,583 29
Greeley	1,543 21
Hall	14,801 40
Howard	8,442 42
Keith	19,431 40
Kimball	7,469 08
Lancaster	5,149 89
Lincoln	28,462 80
Madison	3,243 43
Merrick	15,178 61
Nance	5,333 19
Platte	13,218 16
Polk	2,465 89
Sarpy	3,918 59
Saunders	5,457 98
Sherman	3,149 66
Valley	2,301 67
Total, 947.56 Miles	\$297,336.51=\$314.32 per mile.
Taxes paid Main Line, \$221,273.69—467.38 miles—\$473.22 per mile.	
Taxes paid Branches, \$76,062.62—480.18 miles—\$160.00 per mile.	

The trunk line of the Union Pacific passes across the state of Nebraska, and it is a valuable property. The figures presented show that it pays taxes amounting to \$473.22 per mile in the state of Nebraska, and through the payment of this amount of tax in this state, it made the average tax per mile \$262.79 on the whole line of road in the year 1900. The Inter-State Commerce Commission reports show that the average tax paid by railroads in Nebraska was \$198.86 and the average west of the Mississippi was but \$171.45. These figures show that in Nebraska the Union Pacific Railroad pays much more tax than the average railroad pays, and it pays much more proportionate taxes than it should pay.

The tonnage given the Union Pacific in 1900 amounted to \$48,206 tons of freight for each mile of railroad, and for purposes of comparison, we will compare with the Pennsylvania railroad system, the greatest freight carrying roads in the world—a system of roads that handled in 1900, 3,250,587 tons of freight for each mile of road nearly six times the tonnage of the Union Pacific.

The widest western boomer would not compare the Union Pacific with the Pennsylvania system of railroads. The Pennsylvania railroad system having net earnings of \$30,440,621.19 in 1900, while the Union Pacific earned but \$9,071,606.79, and still this great system of railroads running through the states of Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware and Virginia, paid but \$307.49 tax per mile in 1900.

Tax per mile, Pennsylvania Railroad	\$307 49
Tax per mile, Union Pacific Main Line in Nebraska	473 22
Tax per mile, Northern Pacific Railroad in 1900	163 72
Average Tax per mile in Nebraska, 1900	198 86

(Inter-State Commerce Commission.)

### Statement of the Taxes Paid by the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company in 1901.

COUNTY	TAXES PAID
Douglas	\$ 2,610 70
Cumby	2,127 91
Stanton	851 57
Dixon	8,338 42
Cedar	6,230 40
Knock	3,736 16
Thurston	4,757 71
Madison	875 41
Burg	6,182 34
Pierce	1,215 72
Washington	6,890 49
Wayne	8,487 31
Dakota	6,798 78
Total, 271.16 miles	\$39,402 92=\$219.03 per mile.

[This section of road is the Nebraska end of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company.

The traffic furnished this portion of the road is so much less than what is given the line east of the Missouri River, that while the whole road in 1900 earned \$2,751.80 net earnings per mile, the line in Nebraska earned but \$1,270.41, or less than one half the average. However it will be seen that on the Nebraska line, they paid \$219.05 per mile tax.

It is our aim to make comparisons with roads under similar conditions, either in earning capacity or location, and in these comparisons not using immediate adjacent states, so that the complete line of comparisons will ultimately cover nearly the whole country.

So in this bulletin we will take some southern states, among others, for lines of comparison.

STATE	RAILROADS	Miles	Tax Paid	Net Earnings Per Mile	Tax Per Mile
Tennessee	Yazoo & M. R. R.	1,000.05	\$175,917.26	\$2,081.68	\$177.91
Mississippi					
Louisiana	Florida Central	940.81	111,034.96	776.72	118.00
Georgia	Georgia & Ala. R. E.	457.42	41,563.12	763.11	90.87
Alabama					
New York	Central N. E. R. E.	181	19,276.33	760.61	106.50
Connecticut	(Inc. Poughkeepsie Bridge)				

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**FOR SALE**—Pure blood Short Horn bull. See J. S. Lewis.

Miss Louie Childs went to Parker, S. D. Wednesday to visit her sister.

Henry L. Shattuck of Shellburg, Iowa, was cured of a stomach trouble with which he had been afflicted for years, by four boxes of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He had previously tried many other remedies and a number of physicians without relief. For sale by Raymond.

Atty. Welch was a visitor to Sioux City Wednesday.

The best physic—Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take. Pleasant in effect. For sale by Raymond.

Are you thinking of going to Dakota? If so, do not fail to see me before going. I have been making regular trips for the last three years into this country. I am thoroughly acquainted with the soil and the lay of land and think I can save you some money and assist you in getting properly located. PHIL H. KOHL

If you wish to buy from 10 to 100 acres of land close to the city of Wayne it will pay you to see E. D. Mitchell.

**NATIONAL G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT**, Washington, D. C., October, 6 to 11th, 1902. For the above excursion ticket will be sold Oct. 2, 3, 4 and 5 good returning until Nov. 3rd, 1902. Stopovers permitted east of Pittsburg and Bellaire, Ohio. Side trips to Washington to battle fields at one fare for round trip. Fare from Wayne \$30.20, children half fare.

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**Elmer R. Lundburg Attorney**

Wayne, - Nebaska.

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AT OOM PAUL'S NEW

**Bowling Alley.**

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Thompson of Chicago, who have been visiting since last spring with Mrs. Thompson's brother, Hans Jacobson, six miles north of Randolph went over the road yesterday on their return trip. They were brought down by Mr. Jacobson, who will visit in Chicago for a week before returning home at Randolph. Mrs. Thompson came to Nebraska for her health but made little improvement having to be carried around like a small child.

**LOCAL NEWS.**

Fine residence property for sale. R. H. James.

J. G. Mines went to Omaha Monday to buy goods.

Perrin Long was down from Winside Monday.

J. T. Bressler returned to the Iowa lakes Monday.

Surber's ball nine got the worst of it in a game at Dixon Saturday.

The Fuller family horse and phaeton for sale. Enquire at residence.

W. L. Jones has moved into the Pres Crockett house north of the Catholic church.

Mrs. P. H. Kohl and children left Tuesday for a few days outing at Lake Okoboji.

Smokers, try a pound of clippings, pure tobacco, only 30c per pound at the cigar factory.

For five or ten years loans, best options and lowest rates on farm loans. See Phil H. Kohl.

Tom Casey threshed out 1840 bushels of barley from 40 acres, which is a pretty good yield.

Get your farm loans of R. H. James. He makes low rates and gives favorable option privilege.

S. E. Auker is going to have a big auction sale of cattle at the Wayne yards about Sept. 1st.

Fred Benschopf chaperoned Charley Maxwell and a Mr. Larson to Charles Mix county, S. D., Monday.

S. E. Auker went to Omaha Monday and from there to the northwest part of the state to look after some cattle.

Why pay rent? When you can buy a home of your own in the coin belt at from \$10 to \$25 per acre. For particulars see Phil H. Kohl.

Surber's Land Agents have a new diamond cut out in R. H. Gibson's pasture. Nothing funny about it except what's come over Mr. Gibson.

E. P. Olmsted got home Monday from his trip to North Platte. He found land all the way from a dollar to ten per acre, but it was too cheap.

When you want ice cream for socials, lawn fetes, lodge banquets, etc., order from Steen and get the best. Mr. Steen will take back all cream left over at full price.

Billy Bruner departed Monday for Minneapolis where he has secured a job of firing on the railroad. Billy left a dollar with the DEMOCRAT for a little hot stuff.

E. Cunningham came home Tuesday evening from South Dakota, and goes back there again next Tuesday for an indefinite period. Eph is doing a land office business in lands.

R. H. James got home from Duluth Monday, saying he had a glorious good time. There are 168 saloons in Duluth paying \$1000 license each, which may account for Rollo's jollity.

If it wasn't popular, if it wasn't loved by the people, why do dealers say "We have something just as good as the Madison Medicine Co's Rocky Mountain Tea." Think it over. 35 cents. Raymond's Pharmacy.

There's a pretty girl in an alpine hat, A sweeter girl in a sailor brim, But the handsomest girl you'll ever see

Is the sensible girl who uses Rocky Mountain Tea.

Raymond's Pharmacy.

Hans Hansen says he is proud to live in Nebraska, that it is the greatest state for crops on earth. Hans says the corn crop is bigger than a balloon. He recently saw one stalk that had four good ears of corn on it and a fifth ear silking out.

Hank Subr, the boss thresher of northeast Nebraska, is making things hum in his line of business. Hank has a brand new outfit of the latest pattern. P. G. James traded some land for Mr. Subr's old outfit.

Randolph Reporter: We learn that Geo. Fox, formerly foreman in this office, has formed a partnership with two other printers at Pipestone, Minn., and are running a weekly paper named the Week's Review. Here's wishing them success in their new venture.

Wm. Mellor received a very nice letter from W. H. Thompson, this week, which he will no doubt prize as a souvenir after Thompson has been governor of the great state of Nebraska. The boy met Mr. Thompson on the train and wanted a Thompson button, the same being sent him with letter.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Thompson of Chicago, who have been visiting since last spring with Mrs. Thompson's brother, Hans Jacobson, six miles north of Randolph went over the road yesterday on their return trip. They were brought down by Mr. Jacobson, who will visit in Chicago for a week before returning home at Randolph. Mrs. Thompson came to Nebraska for her health but made little improvement having to be carried around like a small child.

A newspaper published at Stratford, Wash., has the following pleasing reference to a former Wayne citizen: "J. W. Chaffee, who resides a mile south of Stratford, made this office a pleasant call Saturday. Mr. Chaffee came here recently from Nebraska, having arrived about three months ago; and he is greatly elated over the change in his health which he has experienced since his arrival. When in Nebraska he suffered so much from bronchial troubles that he had to have a chair made to sleep in, being unable to lie down; but now he says he feels better than he has in ten or twelve years, there being no traces left of his former ailment. During his three months residence in Washington Mr. Chaffee has gained ten pounds in weight.

**"Are You Dead?"**

The innovation of discontinuing papers to people when the paid-for subscription expires, surprises some people, as the following from a former Wayne citizen evidences: Schaller, Iowa, Aug. 10, 1902.

W. S. GOLDIE, Dear Sir:—Are you dead? or what has happened to my paper or have you taken my name from your list? I am only behind since April so hardly you can not quit sending it. Now, trot it along, also the four back numbers. You will get your subscription price. We feel as though we have lost a friend. Your resp't., J. W. DUNKLEBERG.

**Public Sale**

Saturday afternoon, Aug. 23, on Main street, Mare and colt, no. 1 milk cow, and calf, single harness and lot of household goods. W. D. WELKER

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**Estray Notice**

From my place south of town, one black polled and one spotted red and white calves. Roamed away about July 26. F. N. HOSTETTER.

**Want Old Iron.**

Old stoves, machinery, etc., take it to Marcus Kroger at the Peavey elevator and get cash for it.

**City Council Doings.**

The city Council meet in regular session Monday night. The following bills were allowed: Weber Bros., coal \$1 60 H. S. Ringland, freight ect' 8 06 W. S. Goldie, printing 10 50 S. E. Bradford, draying 2 15 Ohas Warden's labor 3 25 S. E. Bradford, draying 3 60 W. H. Gibson, printing 8 85

**Elks Big Fair**

The order of Elks at Sioux City are going to have a time "with horns on it" at the big town, Sept. 22 to 27. A lion show, Japanese garden, bicycle riders, famous Auatin Sisters, the Seven Grouthao Sisters, and other attractions will draw the crowds. For a frisky, free jubilee the Sioux City Elks will put up the best fun for the money.

Tom Loud was in town from Winside Saturday.

G. P. Hitchcock and son Frank are at home this week.

Bert Norton spent Sunday with relatives in Sioux City.

Prof. and Mrs. Harvey Mason visited the former's parents this Saturday.

Henry Otte, the jolly charmer from Wilbur was in the city Saturday.

S. D. Relyea and "Doc" Winterburn were among the Duluth excursionists.

Misses Ethel and Nellie Juhlin went to Omaha Monday for a visit with their cousin.

Rev. J. J. Parker, formerly of Norfolk, has accepted the pastorate of the Congregational church at Wakefield.

S. F. McMackin, father of Mrs. D. J. Cavanaugh of Winside, says his daughter was not awarded by Porter, as was stated last week.

Dan Roush is just giving a certain party a certain length of time to bring back a cart to his shop before giving the sheriff a job. It's a wise fool that takes a warning.

Norfolk News: Rev. David Utter and wife are expected here tomorrow evening for a few days visit with his brother, Robert Utter. Rev. Mr. Utter is pastor of the Unitarian church at Denver, Col., and is on his way to Auburn where he will lecture at the chautauqua next week.

Republican: W. S. Goldie is moving the rear addition of the old Volpp meat market building to his lots on upper Main St.

Not quite. Robt. Baird is high-cock-olorum of the above job. Goldie's done more moving now than he can pay for in a thousand years. Now is the time to pay your subscription.

**For Sale.**

The James Mack farm west of Pender in Wayne County. This is one of the best improved and finest laying half sections in Wayne County. Easy terms, for particulars write or call on PHIL H. KOHL, Agt.

**Western Stock Food.**

Is sold by Peter Coyle, agent for Wayne county. This is one of the best stock foods in the market. If Mr. Coyle does not call at your place, leave your order at the Coyle residence on First street and it will be promptly filled.

**For Sale**

A 160 or 200 acre farm near Altona, with good buildings, pasture, and meadow. Also, some good town property in Altona. Enquire of W. F. ASSENHEIMER, Altona.

**A GOOD THING**

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boesche, a celebrated German Physician and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in Medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung troubles of the severest nature, remaining as it does the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boesche's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1863, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75cts. Get Green's Special Almanac.

**California** ripe, red, sweet, juicy Free Stone Peaches for canning, by the box they are Cheaper and Stock Fancier than at any time last year; am making a BIG CUT in PRICE on three and five box lots. You want to take this up, now is the time to Jump On The New Castle pack of Peaches; the fruit season is a month ahead of last year; don't wait too long; now is the time. I handle pack of Peaches, the best, longest keeping Peach shipped out of California, carrying a large stock of this fine fruit, having it arrive daily, so you always get Fresh Fruit and can always fill orders, also carry a large stock of Fresh California Pears, Burbank Plums and Tragedy Prunes, Indian River Sugar Pineapples something new, Port-Limon Bananas, Lemons, Oranges, Apples, Celery, Water Melon, Musk Melon, Fresh Tomatoes and new Cabbage.

**C. R. Witter's Cash Grocery.** Chickering Bros., Hobart M. Cable. **Pianos & Organ** Estey and Western Cottage. Peerless New Home Sewing Machine Wall Paper, - Fountain Pens. We have just received a new supply of copyrighted books. Also a new line of tablets and school supplies. MUSIC DEPARTMENT—We sell all the new music at half price, and we have a large stock of the old classics in our standard edition of Popular ten-cent music, in vocal and instrumental. M. S. DAVIES, Books & Music.

**Rain or Shine** You will always find a big crowd of customers doing business with the busiest store in Wayne Furchner, Duerig & Co. **The German Store** always has a crowd; what better proof is wanted to indicate the cheapest place to buy your dry goods, clothing and groceries. The German store employs double the number of employes of any other Wayne establishment, and they are always busy. The German store handles more farm produce than the sum total of many towns. The German store always has the best table butter, the freshest eggs. In fact the German store, Furchner, Duerig & Co. **Is Always in the Lead.** Try is and see if it doesn't come up these modest specifications. It will save you \$ \$ \$

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**Hear the Birds** warbling over their fine feathers! You would feel good, too, if you didn't feel as shabby as you look. Sing Get Ready for Spring by selecting a neat and natty suit of fashionable wear. I have some excellent patterns to show you. **HOLTZ, The Tailor.**

**Old Settlers Picnic** Second annual picnic of Pioneers and Old Settlers Association of Wayne county, Nebraska, to be held at Britton's Camp, five miles north and one half mile west of Wayne, on Thursday, August 21st, 1902. Officers—John T. Bressler, president; David Cunningham, vice-president; J. D. King, secretary; W. A. K. Neely, treasurer. Reception Committee—A. J. Ferguson, chairman; F. M. Northrop, Mrs. James Britton, Mrs. John T. Bressler, Mrs. E. Huelter, Henry Ley, Mrs. Frank Fuller, Mrs. E. M. Corbit, Mrs. George Buskirk, Mrs. John McGuire, Mrs. W. A. Hunter, Mrs. Charles Schulteis, Mrs. F. M. Griffith, Mrs. T. M. Crawford, Mrs. Brans Moses, Mrs. F. M. Northrop, Richard Russell, J. W. Agler, Henry Wolf, Mrs. William Root, Mrs. J. H. Mitchell, Mrs. O. F. Crane, Mrs. John Donner, John Wendt, Theodore Barnhardt, Mrs. Rachel Richardson. Committee on Grounds—R. Phillo, Ted Perry, F. M. Corbit, W. O. Gamble, C. E. Gildersleeve, Charles Beebe, Nels Nelson, J. P. Larson, J. W. Agler, B. F. Feather, Fred Volpp. Committee on Music—Prof. M. S. Davies, chairman. Committee on Amusements—George Cook, chairman. Committee on Membership—James Britton, T. S. Goss, O. R. Crane, I. O. Richardson, Ernest Behmer, A. T. Chapin, J. R. Manning, Robert Eneath, Charles Erlender, F. E. Mosts, E. C. Brooks, J. R. Morris, James Perdue. Programme Exercises to open promptly at eleven o'clock. Music Rev. Peter Birrell. Prayer Hon. John H. Mickey. Music Candidate for Governor Dinner Address Hon. John H. Mickey. Afternoon, 2:30, Business meeting of the Association. Election of officers. Music Report of the "Historian" Dr. R. E. Crawford. Address "Women of Pioneer Days" Hon. H. H. Moses. Address Guy R. Wilbur, Topic to be assigned. Address Elmer Lundburg, Topic to be assigned. Short addresses by Pioneers and Old Settlers and Visitors. There will be entertainment and amusements for all; first class refreshments can be had on the grounds. We expect to have a "Merry go round" for the young. There will be a matched game of Basket Ball on the grounds in the afternoon between two Wayne teams of Ladies. Greeting To our old friends and neighbors; The "Old Settlers of Wayne County send Greeting to you, and ask you to come out to this picnic and reunion. We will be pleased to meet you and your friends, whether old or new Settlers, and will endeavor to make the day one long to be remembered. JOHN T. BRESSLER, President. J. D. KING, Secretary. Mrs. D. M. Davis and daughter of Carroll left last Saturday for a long visit in Wisconsin. Mr. Davis accompanied them as far as Wayne.

**At Panama, Colombia by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.** Dr. Chas. H. Utter, a prominent physician of Panama, Colombia, in a recent letter, states: "Last March I had as a patient a young lady sixteen years of age, who had a very bad attack of dysentery. Everything I prescribed for her proved ineffectual and she was growing worse every hour. Her parents were sure she would die. She had become so weak that she could not turn over in bed. What to do at this critical moment was a study for me, but I thought of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and as a last resort prescribed it. The most wonderful result was effected. Within eight hours she was feeling much better, inside of three days she was upon her feet and at the end of one week was entirely well." For sale by Raymond. Get ready to make the Old Settlers' picnic, Aug. 21st, the biggest picnic ever pulled off. **For Sale.** Three thoroughbred Short Horn bulls, can give pedigrees, age from 11 months to two years. Call on or address Jas. Paul, Concord, Neb. **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. **Flies and Mosquitoes** Try a little of Lee's Flyo-Curo on your horse or cow during fly season and observe the great benefit from such use. It relieves the animal from the tormenting insect pest and pays a profit to the owner through saving in feed and increased marketable product. Easy to apply by means of the Aspiral-Wall Sprayer, and inexpensive in cost. Sold by Fuercner, Duerig & Co. **A Cure for Cholera Infantum.** "Last May," says Mrs. Curtis Baker, of Bookwater, Ohio, "an infant child of our neighbor's was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctor had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house, telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days time the child had fully recovered, and is now (nearly a year since) a vigorous, healthy girl. I have recommended this Remedy frequently and have never known it to fail in any single instance." For sale by Raymond. **Farm for Sale** Parties wishing to purchase a well improved farm of 320 acres, with fine orchard of plums, apples and cherries situated 4 miles west and 2 miles south of Winside, 2 1/2 miles north and 1 mile east of Hoskins, will do well to see Jas. A. Erlinger of Winside. **Land for Sale** 80 acres, improved, near Altona. Enquire of W. F. Assenheimer.

**..The Capital..** The Capital Saloon of Wayne is one of the finest bar rooms in the state, both in apartments, furniture and quality of liquors and cigars sold its customers. The Capital does the saloon business of North-east Nebraska. Always..... **For Bottled B r** Try our Pabst, Lemp, Budweizer or Blue Ribbon. We deliver a case at your home, call for it when empty, and replace it with another, if so desired. You can call up 43 by phone, send a messenger, or call; either insures prompt attention and identically the same service and prices..... **Whiskies, Wins** The very best in these that ever "came down the pike." Years of experience has told us that the way to make coin in the saloon business is to sell only the better grades of whisky. In our Planet, Harper and Green Brier, we can guarantee a better thing than usually put over the bar. Let us make you a selection for a sample pint. Phone 43..... **O. D. Franks**

NEBRASKA NEWS NOTES

The state camp meeting of the Salvation army will be held on the chautauqua grounds at Beatrice August 23 to September 1.

John Schroeder, the proprietor of the Midway laundry at Broken Bow, was burned to death by the explosion of the tank of his gasoline tractor.

The most successful institute ever held in Boone county closed Saturday at Alton. The instructors were J. W. Seaton, W. L. Stephens and Dot Allen.

While working on the Burlington bridge south of Beatrice, Henry Ogen fell fifteen feet and received bruises about the head and body. His injuries are not fatal.

Adjutant General Colby has issued an order for the encampment of six companies of the national guard at the southeastern Nebraska district reunion at Beatrice.

The commissioners of Red Willow county contracted with H. T. Ward and company of Tecumseh to build a bridge over the Republican river at Red Willow and to repair the bridge at Indianola.

Work has commenced on the Carnegie library building at Fremont, and the cornerstone will be laid about September 25. An effort will be made to have President Roosevelt stop off here on his trip through the west and take a part in the ceremonies.

The secretary of the Polk County Agricultural society, with his corps of assistants, is endeavoring to make the coming fair the best that the county has ever had. Concessions are going fast. The people are sure to be entertained each of the four days of the fair with all sorts of amusements.

E. B. Shaw of Richmond, Va., had a meeting with some of Kearney's business men with a view of buying the old cotton mill for the purpose of turning the plant into a strawboard factory. The plant would cost about \$150,000 and would employ a large number of men the season through.

Those who own and operate threshing machines in Cass county formed what is known as a threshers' trust, and raised the price of threshing. The farmers refused to pay the increased price. Fifteen farmers united and purchased a large steam thrasher. Andrew Maxwell, son of the late Judge Maxwell, fired up the engine and took the machine to the country.

While trying to quiet Bert Albon, George Hugh, a butcher at Bellevue, was assaulted by Albon's mother, who knocked him down with a club and attempted to dissect him with a butcher knife. George retaliated by two or three blows with his fist, which colored the woman's eye. Friends intervened before any very serious damage was done.

A very sad accident occurred at Lodge Pole, resulting in the death of Katie Ewin, the 17-year-old daughter of J. W. Ewing, proprietor of the Park hotel. She was out horseback riding and the horse became frightened and ran away. The animal dashed into a barbed wire fence, throwing the girl into a ravine and instantly killing her by breaking her neck.

Fernando Hayle, living in Midland township, Gage county, has finished threshing a field of 110 acres of wheat which yielded 30 bushels to the acre. A number of other farmers living near Mr. Hayle have threshed and in each instance the yield has been more and the quality better than was expected. From present indications Gage county will have the biggest and best crop of wheat and corn ever grown.

J. A. Morton, a cattleman of Ontario, Ore., had his pocket picked in the Union Pacific yards at Grand Island, missing \$1,200 in checks and paper, and \$115 in bills. He felt a hand on his trousers pocket and caught it, but in the rush and crowd the sneak got away. Later when on a train between Wood River and Grand Island he felt in a vest pocket to get his pocketbook containing his ticket, but it was found missing.

Better accommodations have been provided for Nebraska veterans who attend the next encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in Washington in October, than have been enjoyed by the delegates from this department in any recent year. The preliminary arrangements for the excursion have been completed by Department Commander Steele and Assistant Adjutant General Howe, who have returned from Chicago and Washington. At Washington these two officials met the representatives of the various roads, and from the eastern roads a concession was obtained by which it will be possible to run the Nebraska train unbroken from Lincoln or Omaha clear to the destination. This will do away with the necessity of changing cars at Chicago or any other intermediate point, which has always been a source of considerable discomfort to the Nebraska excursionists.

The annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church for southeastern Nebraska will be held in Wymore September 17 to 24. The meeting promises to be a large affair, and more than 300 delegates have already signified their intention of being present.

Richard Tosland, one of the leading farmers of Humboldt, is in a critical condition from an attack of lockjaw caused by tramping upon a barb wire while wading about the yards during the recent high water.

Superintendent Hignall and Roadmaster Carter of the B. & M. were at Sutton and as a result of the city council granted the right-of-way through Main avenue so as to connect with the Kansas City & Omaha east of the city. The company has said the stock yards will be moved to the section house site and the roundhouse will be built where the stockyards are.

A whole can remain under water for an hour and a half.

WILL CONTROL THE CABLE.

The President and Attorney General Agree on the Conditions.

Government to Fix Rates and in Case of War Will Have Absolute Control of Cable.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 12.—At a conference between President Roosevelt and Attorney General Knox the conditions under which the Commercial Cable company may lay its Pacific cable to the Philippines were agreed upon. As decided the conditions practically give the government control of the cable.

Several months ago the Pacific Commercial Cable company sought permission from the executive branch of the government to lay a Pacific cable running from San Francisco via Honolulu and Guam to China, there to connect with the British cable to the Philippines. The proposition of the company was to assume all expense of laying and operating the cable. For the concessions of landings at San Francisco, Honolulu and Guam the company proposed to grant the United States government special rates, and in certain conditions of war practically absolute control. The conditions as presented by the company to president were naturally such as any corporation might make. They had been drawn for the protection of the company's interests.

Mr. Roosevelt referred the whole subject to Attorney General Knox, with a request that he go carefully over the proposed conditions, eliminating such as he might regard as impracticable and adding such others as he might believe would subserve the interests of the government. The results of his investigation and his conclusions Mr. Knox presented to President Roosevelt, in verbal form, the papers in the matter previously having been laid before the president.

President Roosevelt approved of the amended conditions and, so far as the executive branch of the government is concerned, the company now may proceed with the work of laying the cable. It is regarded as essential, however, that the conditions be ratified by act of congress, as some doubt exists of the rights of the executive branch of the government alone to grant such privileges as are included in the Pacific Commercial Cable company's proposition.

The conditions as approved by Mr. Roosevelt are regarded as particularly favorable to the government, and it is believed that with the cordial endorsement of the president, which he will give, the proposition in his message next December congress will ratify the conditions without serious delay.

Attorney General Knox added several important conditions to those proposed by the company, including these: "That the United States government at all times shall have priority of service."

"That the government, through the postmaster general, as is customary in such contracts, shall have the right to fix the rates to be charged by the company."

"That in time of war the government shall have the right absolutely to control the cable. That in order to protect not only the government, but also individual private customers of the company, the Pacific Commercial Cable company is required to lay a duplicate line of cable from China to Manila, so that it will not be necessary to depend upon the British company which now controls the only cable from Hong Kong to Manila, and, finally, that the United States at any time after the completion of the cable, may purchase the line at an appraised valuation to be fixed by arbitrators selected in the usual manner by the two parties to the transaction."

By those who have studied the subject it is believed that a cable laid under the condition proposed will be to all intents and purposes, a government cable line, with few if any of the disadvantages attendant upon government construction and maintenance.

MEAD MAKES AN INVESTIGATION.

Topeka, Kan., (Spl.)—Edward Mead, chief of the irrigation bureau of the United States department of agriculture, who is here to investigate certain matters connected with the new government policy of irrigation, will make a full investigation of the controversy between Kansas and Colorado regarding the water rights on the Arkansas river. He thinks the matter can be settled amicably, in a manner satisfactory to both states. It is the hope of all concerned that the case may be adjusted without proceeding further in the supreme court. The irrigationists of Colorado are understood to be anxious to have it settled, as they are not willing to make further improvement in the system until they find who is entitled to the water.

Leper Colony in Guam.

Washington, D. C.—The navy department has received a report from Commander Schroeder, governor of the island of Guam, saying that the leper colony he proposed to establish would be ready for occupancy July 1. It was supposed that the lepers had all disappeared from Guam, but investigation developed that many victims had been secreted by their friends in various parts of the island, and Commander Schroeder determined that they should be gathered in one place.

Funston Confined to Room.

Denver, Aug. 13.—Brigadier General Frederick Funston, commander of the Department of the Colorado, is confined to his home by illness, having undergone an operation for fistula. His condition is not at all alarming, and his friends expect that all his ailments will be removed. The general's present illness is not the result of the attack of appendicitis, for which an operation was successfully performed at Kansas City before he came to Colorado.

VERY BIG INCREASE IN IRRIGATION.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—The progress in agriculture in the arid states and territories during the decade ending with 1899 is shown in the report just published by the division of agriculture of the twelfth census. As this progress is attributable largely to irrigation the statistics relating thereto are of general interest.

The number of irrigators in the United States in 1899, not including irrigators of rice, was 108,218, an increase in ten years of 99.9 per cent. The area irrigated was 7,539,545 acres, an increase of 107.5 per cent. Of this area, 5,944,412 acres were in crops and 1,595,133 acres in pasture and unmaturing crops. The cost of irrigation systems in operation, exclusive of those on rice plantations, was \$7,770,942, while the value of the irrigated crops was \$39,860,491.

The total length of all the main ditches in the arid and semi-arid states and territories was 44,149 miles.

The average number of irrigated acres in farms in arid states and territories was 71; the average value of irrigated land per acre, \$42.53; the average value of crops produced on irrigated land, \$14.81; the average first cost of water, \$7.80; the average annual cost of maintenance, 98 cents. Of the 5,711,965 acres in crops, hay and forage occupied 3,665,654 or 64.2 per cent; cereals, 1,299,709, or 22.5 per cent; vegetables, 168,432, or 2.9 per cent; orchard fruits, 256,281, or 4.4 per cent; other crops, 526,891, or 9.1 per cent. The value of the hay and forage was \$34,834,965; cereals, \$14,335,325; vegetables, \$9,627,491; orchard fruits, \$8,920,409; other crops, including subtropical fruits, grapes, flowers, plants, sugar beets, etc., \$16,712,246.

FIRST BIG BORAZNA WHEAT FARM.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 12.—A syndicate of Americans, led by T. B. Hoard of Nebraska, a wealthy cattleman, will establish the first borazon wheat farm in Canada between Craik and Davidson, on the Prince Albert branch of the Canadian Pacific. Forty thousand acres of land has been purchased at an outlay of \$200,000 and another \$100,000 has been set aside by the syndicate for improvements. None of the methods which made the great wheat farms of North Dakota famous have yet been applied in Canada and wheat-raising has been confined entirely to small areas and to the work of small farmers.

The syndicate includes F. J. Waddell of Aurora, Neb., another wealthy cattleman, and capitalists from Iowa and Illinois. One whole township is to be converted into a monster wheat field and the greater portion of a township adjoining is to become a portion of the syndicate's interests.

Mr. Hoard and his associates will introduce steam plows and other modern farm machinery.

The syndicate will own its own elevators, two of which are to be built this fall at Garvin in the center of the new farm. It will also operate nine elevators at adjacent points.

BURLINGTON ROAD GIVES AN INCREASE.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12.—Nearly every one of the 7,000 conductors, brakemen and train baggagemen of the entire Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad system will receive a material increase in wages September 1. Under the general readjustment the "45 per month brakeman" will be a thing of the past, as the minimum will be \$50. The monthly wages of passenger brakemen will be advanced from \$50 to \$55, collectors and train baggagemen from \$55 to \$60. Where the collectors and train baggagemen handle express in addition to their other work they will receive \$5 more, or \$65 per month. The freight brakemen and conductors will be advanced from 1 to 2 cents a mile, and passenger conductors will be brought up to a standard of \$125 a month. The raise in wages will mean about \$25,000 in addition to the company's payroll.

The increase will apply to the entire system, from Chicago to Denver.

REPORT ON THE NATIONAL BANKS.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—Hon. William Barrett Bidgley, comptroller of the currency, made the following statement in regard to the summary of the condition of the national banks of the United States at the close of business Wednesday, July 26:

"The reports of condition show the banks to be in excellent shape, as have all recent statements of the kind. The increases in most of the items of the statement are consistent with the universal reports of the prosperous condition of business and the increase in its volume all over the country. The footing of the statement, \$8,008,734,975, is, as might be expected, the largest on record. The least favorable feature of the statement is perhaps the continued increase in loans, \$18,102,152 and \$294,193,255 over the statement of July 15, 1901. In this expansion of the volume of loans there is, of course, considerable solid growth and increase of values upon which loans can properly be based, but there is always danger in going too far in this direction."

Merger Hearing Postponed.

New York, Aug. 13.—The hearing in the Northern Pacific merger case before Special Examiner Mable was adjourned until next Monday at the request of counsel for Camille Weidenfeld, the broker, who was expected to testify today. Peter Power, the plaintiff in the case, was not present, but his counsel, George A. Lamb, stated that he had communicated with Power. He assured the opposing counsel that his client would be produced within a few days.

Lands Belong to Church.

Rome, Aug. 13.—The action of the Philippine friars in selling their lands to syndicates of laymen is disapproved at the Vatican. The lands are considered to be church property, inalienable without the consent of Rome. An investigation indicates that the Dominicans alone sold their lands. When the sales are definitely ascertained the friars will be obliged to show the amount received by them and reimburse the church.

TRACY TAKES HIS OWN LIFE.

Outlaw Surrounded in Wheat Field and Wounded, Commits Suicide.

Remarkable Career of the Man Who Murdered All Who Came In His Way.

Spokane, Wash., (Special.)—Harry Tracy, the notorious outlaw, whose escapades have filled the nation for the past sixty days, lies dead in Davenport, the county seat of Lincoln county. Sheriff Cuddehe of Seattle, who came across the state to take up the long and tiring chase, positively identified the outlaw at the inquest.

The death was intensely tragic. For two days Tracy had terrorized the occupants of the Eddy ranch, out in the Lake Creek country, three miles from the little siding of Fellows, on the Central Washington railroad. Then five determined citizens of Creston, hearing of his presence there, took their rifles and revolvers and went after him. They knew their business and did it without flinching. When Tracy ran they hung on his flank as the deer hounds hang to the hunted deer. Sighting the men, and securing his rifle, Tracy sought cover behind a hay stack, escaping several rifle bullets. The posse then found cover behind a large rock and for a while it looked like a siege. Then Tracy broke for a large boulder lying on the edge of a small wheat field and this dash was his undoing for just as he came to the rock he fell forward, a rifle bullet having broken one leg.

He plunged into the wheat and his bloody trail there shows the savage determination of the man. For after receiving the wound he crawled seventy-five yards on his hands and knees in order to reach a spot that would command the posse and enable him to pour a merciful rifle fire upon them. But only was he able to fire from this vantage point. Then, weakened by loss of blood, he tried to staunch his wound, failed, and with his revolver sent a bullet through his brain.

By this time dusk had fallen and the posse, unaware of the seriousness of his wound, and fearing that his silence was intended to lure them into a deadly ambush, posted themselves to prevent his escape and patiently waited for the dawn. During the night others came on the scene and joined in the cordon. At daylight they found the outlaw's dead body.

None of the posse was wounded, though all of them had narrow escapes. When they were firing from the cover of their rock, they had to lift their heads above the cover and every time this was done Tracy's rifle rang out and a bullet bounced off.

Harry Tracy escaped from the Oregon state penitentiary at Salem on June 9 in company with David Merrill, after killing four men—Frank W. Ferrell, G. R. T. Jones and B. F. Tiffany, guards, and Frank Ingraham, a convict—who tried to prevent his flight.

TRACY'S MURDEROUS RECORD.

On June 28 Tracy killed Merrill near Napavine, Wash., shooting him from behind, and leaving his body in the forest, where it was found on July 13. On July 6, near Seattle, in a fight with a posse Tracy shot and killed Charles Raymond, a deputy sheriff; E. E. Bresse, a policeman, and mortally wounded Neil Rowley, who died on the following day and wounded Carl Anderson and Louie Scarfit, newspaper reporters.

Tracy committed many feats of daring during his flight, in the course of which he eluded various posses, when apparently surrounded, and held up numerous farmers, whom he forced to furnish food and clothing, and by threats of murdering their families compelled them to cover up his tracks.

Perhaps his greatest show of daring was displayed on July 2 at South Bay, near Olympia, when he held up six men and forced four, including Captain Clark of a large gasoline launch, to embark with him on Puget sound, and pilot him up stream for ten hours.

In 1897 Tracy murdered Valentine Hoge, a Colorado cattleman, and William Strong, a boy of the same state. A total reward of \$5,000 was offered for his arrest. Governor McBride of Washington offering \$2,500 for his capture dead or alive. The state of Washington offered \$3,000 and a brother of one of the guards killed at the penitentiary offered \$100.

Bryan Col. Not Say No.

Clear Lake, Ia.—(Special.)—William J. Bryan addressed an audience of 2,000 persons at the Clear Lake assembly. He was asked if he had been correctly quoted when it was reported that he refused to again be a candidate for president. He replied that only a part of the interview was used. He said that he was not a candidate in the light of seeking to again lead the democratic party, but if the party should decide that he was the proper man to head the ticket he could not honorably say no.

Vatican Is Well Pleas'd.

Rome, (Special.)—The Vatican has shown much interest in the press interview with Archbishop Ireland in St. Paul on July 22, in which the archbishop said the pope and other Roman authorities were delighted with Governor Hart and the course of the negotiations between him and the Vatican. The Vatican officials agree that Archbishop Ireland clearly and happily set forth the true spirit of the intercourse between the Vatican and the United States.

Oyster Men in a Combine.

Mobile, Ala., (Special.)—The various oyster canning and packing companies in Mississippi, Louisiana and Alabama will, it is said, combine under one head with a capital of \$2,000,000. The movement has been on foot three years and is now practically assured. It will control all the business of the three states along the fish and canning lines. Headquarters probably will be in New Orleans. Ten companies are in the combine.

TRACY RELIES ARE IN DEMAND.

Spokane, Wash.—When the sheriff with the body of Tracy drove through Davenport, hundreds of people flocked up and crowded about the wagon. By the time the wagon reached Spokane the streets were crowded.

The town was wild. The morgue doors had to be closed and the crowd was asked to stand back. Several persons were allowed to see the body and then trouble began. Everyone wanted a relic, and in a short time nothing was left but the body. Someone even picked up the bloodstained handkerchief which had been used by Tracy to keep from bleeding to death.

Many relics of the dead man's hair were carried away and in many places his head has been made bald. His trousers were cut into strips and before they were divided they were cut into smaller pieces.

Many of Tracy's cartridges were divided among the members of the posse and those that could get at the buckskin bag.

Davenport, Wash.—The curious air flocking to Davenport from all directions to view the body of Harry Tracy, the dead outlaw. The inquest has been started at the courthouse, but the body is still at the undertaker's rooms.

The body will be taken to Spokane and sent on to Salem, Ore., for burial at the penitentiary. Tracy's guns may be distributed among the Creston posse. His other relics have already been given away.

Another story of Tracy's wonderful daring has come to light. Mr. McGregor, the keeper of a livery stable at Wilbur, on viewing Tracy's body, positively identified Tracy as a man who came to his stable last Thursday night. He (Tracy) had two horses which he put up for the night. He also left his rifle and a bundle, asking the unsuspecting liveryman to take care of them until morning. Where he spent the night is not known, though it is said he ate at least one meal in a restaurant in the town. About 10 a. m. he called for his horses bundle and rifle, paid his bill and rode away.

It is probable that the \$4,100 reward for Outlaw Tracy will not be paid for some time, owing to the number of claimants. The body will be taken to Salem at the conclusion of the inquest at Davenport, Wash. Governor Gear has already stated that he will willing for the state to pay the reward as soon as proper identification shall be made, but the reward will not be paid until the claimants reach an agreement. It now seems likely that the aid of the courts will be invoked.

SECRETARY SHAW INSTITUTES REFORM.

Washington, D. C., (Special.)—Secretary Shaw is making a careful and close study of the practice of the treasury department along a number of lines and is determined to institute reforms where justice or good business principles seem to require them.

He has made an important ruling relative to readmission to this country of articles of foreign production which had once been imported and duty paid thereon at the time of the original importation.

After careful consideration the secretary has decided that the privilege of free re-entry may be properly accorded to all articles of foreign manufacture or production under proper safeguards for the protection of the revenues, provided the articles so admitted shall not have been advanced in value or improved in condition while abroad. The articles should be registered with full description at the custom house on exportation and a certificate issued to the owner, and on their return they must be fully identified as the articles exported. The secretary has issued instructions to the collector of customs at New York in connection with this decision. Heretofore the department has held that no matter how many times an article of foreign manufacture was brought into this country it must pay duty each time.

KING EDWARD GIVES THANKS.

London, (Special.)—The following message from King Edward to his people was made public: "To my people. On the eve of completion of an event which I look upon as one of the most solemn and important of my life, I am anxious to express to my people at home and in the colonies my warmest gratitude and appreciation of the deep sympathy they have manifested toward me during a time in my life of such imminent danger. The sentiment of a coronation ceremony owing to my illness, has caused, I fear, much inconvenience and trouble to all who intended to celebrate it. But their disappointment has been borne by them with admirable patience and temper. The prayers of my people for my recovery were heard, and I now offer up my deepest gratitude to divine Providence for having preserved my life and given me strength to fulfill the important duties which devolve upon me as sovereign of the greatest empire."

King Edward's proclamation is a personal and spontaneous expression of his majesty's feelings. It was conceived and written by himself in an autograph letter to the home secretary, C. T. Ritchie. In addressing this communication to the home secretary, the king is following the traditions observed by the late Queen Victoria, when she addressed personal messages to the nation.

Czar Meets Emperor.

Reval, Russia.—Emperor William of Germany arrived in the roadstead. The shipping in the harbor was brilliantly decorated with bunting and garlands and a spacious reception hall, lavishly furnished, had been erected on a quay. The Russian merchant squadron, anchored in the harbor was dressed with flags. The czar on the imperial yacht sailed early to meet the Hohenzollern and the German emperor was transported to the Standart, which was returned to port with the two emperors.

To Reject Russia's Plan.

London, (Special.)—The London Daily Mail's St. Petersburg correspondent says he learns in well informed circles that the British government has just repudiated the Russian circular declining to take any part in the proposed conference regarding the sugar trade and reaffirming its reasons for regarding the regulation by Russia of the sugar industry by a system of indirect bounties. The reply contains no reference whatever to the proposal for a conference on trusts in general.

SICKNESS IN PHILIPPINES.

Report on the Ravages of Disease in Our Eastern Possessions.

Hundreds Die From the Cholera and the Epidemic is Steadily on the Increase.

Washington, D. C., (Special.)—Surgeon General Horwood received a report from Lieutenant Colonel F. F. Harvey, chief surgeon of the division of the Philippines, giving a detailed account of the health of the troops in those islands for the month ending July 15 last. The report shows a considerable increase in percentage of sick, as compared with the previous month. In the south Philippines sickness has increased in quarters, station hospital and department hospital, but the report says, the reason for this cannot be indicated at this time.

Cholera has attacked two officers, sixty-two Americans and one native soldier. Most of these cases occurred in Laguna and Batangas. The cause in the majority of instances has been the drinking of infected water, and a few cases were due to food, contaminated either by handling or by flies.

In Samar and Leyte some cases are reported, but the disease has not spread widely. In the Camarines the epidemic seems to have been stamped out, but in Laguna and Batangas and adjacent parts of the provinces of Tayabas cholera has spread in virulent epidemic form, many cases having occurred without report.

Outside of Manila a total of 5,967 cases have been reported, with 4,290 deaths. In the city there have been 1,850 cases, with 1,100 deaths. Colonel Harvey says that the additional demand upon medical officers has been met in the most satisfactory manner. The report says the people in the small towns are very ignorant. They consider cholera a visitation of providence and cannot be induced to take proper precautionary measures.

During the month covered by the report the total sick was 2,265, being 7 per cent of the command present, 31,050, and during the same period, there were seventy-nine deaths, including thirty-seven cholera and one killed in action.

NOT YET READY FOR THE PUBLIC.

London, (Special.)—Replying to the house of commons today to a request of Lord Charles Bessford for assurance that no binding agreement would be concluded between the government and the shipping combination without the agreement being approved by parliament, the premier, A. J. Balfour, said: "I do not think it possible to negotiate on this or any other subject if the proposed terms are to be publicly disclosed before the government has agreed to them. The government, however, is most anxious to take the house into its confidence at the earliest possible moment."

Mr. Balfour's reply has particular interest, as Belfast dispatches announce that the government accepted J. P. Morgan's offer to give the admiralty claim on all the combine's ships. As evidence of the acceptance, it is stated that the government has chartered the Cornithic, the first ship built for the combine, which has just been completed in the Harland ship yards.

Inquiries made by a press representative show that belief is general that J. Pierpont Morgan's offer practically has been accepted by the government. The Belfast dispatch may slightly anticipate the technicalities required to close the agreement or may not allow such changes inserted since the offer was originally made but there appears to be little doubt that the spirit of the scheme is acceptable to the cabinet. J. P. Morgan & Co., when asked concerning the reported agreement, adopted the same noncommittal attitude as Premier Balfour.

EXPLOSION IN A COLORADO MINE.

Pueblo, Colo., (Special.)—A special report from Trinidad says: "A disastrous explosion at No. 3 mine at Bosworth, a small camp three miles north of this place, has occurred. Thirteen lives are known to have been lost. The exact number of men working on the night shift and in the mine at the time is unknown. The mine is worked by the Union Coal company of Denver and is a slope mine, situated on the mountain side and about 400 yards from the tipple below. The explosion occurred about 300 feet from the mouth of the slope and was caused by fire damp."

Immediately after the night shift had started into the slope a startling explosion occurred, entirely filling the mouth of the slope and shaking buildings and breaking windows a mile distant.

Owing to the mouth of the slope being filled the rescuers were delayed for some time, but succeeded in reaching parts of the men through an old slope and eight dead bodies were quickly brought to the surface.

Frial Lands Sold Before.

Rome, (Special.)—According to information received by the Vatican almost all the real estate belonging to Spanish friars in the Philippines was sold before American occupation to syndicates and corporations duly registered and legally recognized, headed by Americans living in New York. It is alleged by the same authority that although the friars hold some shares in these corporations, they do not own controlling interests. The Vatican is surprised at this information.

Goff Renders His Decision.

Clarksburg, W. Va.—Judge Goff, in a lengthy opinion, has decided the habeas corpus case against the miners and agitators and remanded them to the custody of the marshal and sheriff and they will be removed to Parkersburg to serve the balance of their sentences. The judge said the only question was as to the justification and that the Guarantee Trust company of New York was entitled to a standing in court and it was not absolutely necessary for the fuel company to be made a party to the suit.

THE RATE ON LIVESTOCK IS CUT.

Chicago, Ill., (Special.)—The western freight rate situation developed into a state of open war when the Santa Fe gave notice that that company would carry livestock between Chicago and Kansas City for 12 cents per 100 lbs. This is a cut of 1 1/2 cents, and is the lowest rate given on livestock since 1895, when there was a situation similar to the one now existing and when the livestock rate between the river and Chicago went to 10 cents. Officials of the Santa Fe took no action regarding packing house products and dressed meats. The full purpose of the Santa Fe is not disclosed, but it is presumed, however, that the main purpose is to take livestock away from Kansas City and bring it to Chicago. Other Chicago-Kansas City roads will be compelled to follow the rate, and it is hard to see how the Great Western can avoid doing so.

Chicago-Omaha lines have not come to a decision regarding action necessary to offset the Great Western move. So far none of those roads have seen fit to place Omaha on a parity with Kansas City. They now have the problem of what to do with livestock rates, added to their grist of puzzles.

The Santa Fe livestock rate will affect the tariff from points far east of Kansas City to Chicago, as the rates from all interior points will be no more than the through rates to Chicago. Other lines from Kansas City to Chicago will be compelled to follow the rate, and it is hard to see how the Great Western can avoid doing so.

FLOWERS AT PAUL KRUGER'S FEET.

The Hague, (Special.)—Former President Kruger of the Transvaal republic, accompanied by a number of Boer leaders, visited the pro-Boer exhibition. He seated himself opposite the portraits of the Dutch and French combatants who fell during the war and as he sat there young girls strewed flowers at his feet. Replying to a question made by the president of the exhibition Mr. Kruger paid a tribute to the "brave men who sacrificed their lives in a disinterested struggle for justice."

He thanked artists of all nations for their unselfish aid in contributing to the exhibition.

SENATE PASSES THE LOAN BILL.

Havana, Aug. 6.—The senate passed the bill which had already been discussed and approved in part to empower the executive to raise a loan of \$4,000,000 at the minimum price of 90 and at the maximum rate of 5 per cent, payable in thirty years, to assist the sugar cane growers of the island. This bill includes authorization to raise within six months another loan of \$35,000,000 to include the first \$2,000,000 loan to be used to pay the Cuban revolutionary army and the debts of the revolution referred to in the constitution.

Daring Clamber Is Killed.

Philadelphia, Pa., (Special.)—Daniel Barry, a daring climber known as "Sleepie Jack," fell ninety-eight feet while working in the city hall tower and was instantly killed. Barry placed the electric lights around the brim of the statue of William Penn, which caps the city hall tower, 550 feet above the city pavement, and occasionally would lower himself over the edge of that and hang in midair by his hands. When he met death he was engaged in the prosaic occupation of painting the interior of the dome.

Sleeping after eating is condemned.

Sleeping after eating is condemned by a German physician, who has shown experimentally that stomach movements are lessened and acidity



# Big Street Carnival

## At Wayne, Last Week of Sept.

### Collins Carnival Co. of Seventy People Engaged at a cost of \$650.

The matter of securing subscriptions for the Wayne Street Fair and Carnival was commenced yesterday and the committee met with such flattering success that by last evening over \$700 of the necessary \$1000 was raised. The Collins Carnival Co. will have charge of the amusements or principal one. The company carries 7 carloads of carnival fixtures and 70 people.

Get ready for a warm time!

Drink ale and porter at Mildner's. W. A. Ivory, dentist, over-1st Nat. Bank. Seven five cent smokes for 25 cents at the DEMOCRAT office.

You always get the best there is at the Brookings grocery.

Excellent imported Spanish port. Give your order to Herman Mildner.

WANTED—good carpenter for inside finishing work. Enquire at Smith & Harrington's lumberyard.

The wet weather cuts no figure at the Mildner saloon. That popular sample room always draws the dry people.

Ed Jones is in town from Omaha with two cars of beifers for sale. Mr. Jones looks well and reports his family in good health.

The Jackson Criterion has been sold and changed to be a republican paper. Think of it, a g. o. p. sheet in Jackson—a paper without a party.

Makes the fires of life burn with a steady glow. Renews the golden, happy days of youth. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. Raymond's Pharmacy.

D. A. Danielson is loth to believe that any of his countrymen would steal watches, and speaking about the recent theft from his store explains that "them two Swedes are Danes!"

Winside people purchased over 7000 acres of land in North Dakota, last week, according to Ed. Stevens who was one of the party. Crops are fine in that country this year, particularly flax, oats and wheat.

Editor Gibson says: "He who mixes 'forty-rod' whiskey and warm beer with his good time will some day wish that life had been one long continuous work day." Is that why Bro. Gibson works so hard? Just imagine a fellow taking whiskey and warm beer!

You never can tell what a fellow will do when he gets away from home where his conscience has full sway to do right and shun evil. The past month, while up in Dakota, Eph Cunningham has been contributing to the populist state or county campaign fund.

Here's an item from the Winside Tribune, that will interest Guy Wilbur: "It may have been merely a coincidence, probably was but it is singular that the only time Atty. Sman ever rode in any car except the smoker, was last Tuesday when the ladies car contained a buxom colored woman."

Mrs. Dr. Wightman will entertain the young people this evening complimentary to her sister, Miss Sprague, at a Silhouette party. Those invited being Misses Philleo, Armstrong, Ella, Jennie and Midge Bayer, Olmsted, Mettina, Jones, Benshoof, and Messrs Philleo, Wilbur, Fisher, French, Vaughn, Craven, King, A. R. Davis, F. O. Davis.

Continual complaints come to the DEMOCRAT about the non arrival of copies to subscribers. This is a matter that cannot be remedied so long as we have a contemporary newspaper man in the postoffice, and when you subscribe for the DEMOCRAT in preference to the Herald the chances are you will get the worst of it, and you might just as well accept it good naturedly. Recently a gentleman discontinued the Herald, paid for this paper and had his postoffice box number put on, and he says he didn't get a copy for three weeks although his name and box number were printed on each copy. The postmaster explained the matter by saying that somebody else must have called for it, and that might have been the case, but it's a bit curious that he had never missed a copy of the Herald. Last Friday a number of our readers called for their paper, at this office, at 6 o'clock p. m., when the city mail had all been delivered at the post office between 4:15 and 4:40 p. m. Upon investigating the matter we found that a large proportion of the town papers were piled on the shelf awaiting distribution, the postmaster being away at the Laurel picnic. Townspeople have noticed that when the Herald goes to press the postmaster is always "Johnny on the spot"; the Herald is rushed through the postoffice to an eager public; if the paper is very late the postoffice is kept open half an hour later than the regulation closing time so that everybody who takes the Herald can sleep on it. This little item is not printed in a spirit of complaint, but rather of explanation. The DEMOCRAT, like probably every business institution in town, has always looked for the worst of it from Bro. McNeal and we have never been disappointed, like the fellow doomed to be hung, we "might just as well make the best of it."

Charley Noble, an ex-cattle buyer of Wayne, now in the horse business at Manchester, Io., was in town last night, being on his way to Bloomfield.

Residents on upper Main street are having considerable sport over what they call the "DEMOCRAT'S house." No body seems to have tumbled to the fact that this new construction is the Tammany Hall of Wayne county's democracy.

The Pierce County Call man who also edits the Pierce post office gloomily says, "A vote for Robinson is for stagnation and ruin in business." By George, we had no idea it was that bad. Robinson has been congressman for several years without producing a panic or ruining anybody, and we supposed the country would continue to move in its usual channel, no matter who represented the Third district. —Winside Tribune.

### Omaha Markets

Three days of this week bring 14,000 cattle. Steers are keeping strong, with increasing demand for best killers and feeders. Common stuff is weaker. Grass beef reached \$6.35 Monday. It was a manipulated sale, however, and can only be justified from the fact that other markets make their top in the same way. Choice corned beef, nearly out of the market. Choice range beef \$5.50 to \$7.25; feeders and killers \$4.75 to \$5.50; fair \$4.25 to \$4.75; stockers \$3.50 to \$4; common \$2.50 to \$3.25; fat cows \$3 to \$4; stock calves \$2.50 to \$4; veal \$4.50 to \$5.50. Hogs were still on the break Monday and Tuesday but are steady again today. Range \$6.70 to \$7.

Receipt of sheep more liberal. Strong demand for both sheep and lambs and the latter advanced to 15c Monday but are weaker today. Fat yearlings \$3.60 to \$4.20; feeder \$3.20 to \$3.40; fat wethers \$3.40 to \$4; feeder \$2.75 to \$3.20; fat ewes \$3.10 to \$3.50; feeder \$1 to \$2.25; fat lambs \$5.25 to \$5.50; feeder \$3.75 to \$4. Look for heavier receipts.

### Real Estate Transfers

- Frank Weible to Chas Nelson lot 10 blk 7 B & Ps 2d add Winside \$ 37
- J C Bender to I O Brown lot 12 blk 2 Winside 1000
- J T Bressler to J C Bender lot 13 outlot 1 B & Ps add Winside 25
- J T Bressler to J C Bender lot 6 outlot 2 B & Ps add Winside 22
- E W Gillen to J C Bender lot 5 blk 3 B & Ps 1st add Winside 20
- A H Carter to J C Bender lots 7, 8, 9 blk 1 B & Ps 1st add Winside 60
- A B Clark to J C Bender lot 12 blk 3 Aug Desk to J C Bender lot 1 outlot 2 B & Ps add Winside 20
- J A Elliott to J C Bender lot 6 outlot 1 B & Ps add Winside 25
- Rora N Fletcher to J C Bender lot 7 blk 3 B & Ps add Winside 25
- Geo Gaebler to J C Bender lot 2 outlot 2 B & Ps add Winside 12
- G H Glaser to J C Bender lot 8 blk 3 B & Ps add Winside 25
- Wm House to J C Bender lot 9 blk 3 B & Ps add Winside 25
- W H McClusky to J C Bender lot 3 blk 3 B & Ps add Winside 15
- L S Needham to J C Bender lot 10 blk 3 B & Ps add Winside 15
- I O Woolston to J C Bender lot 10 blk 3 B & Ps add Winside 20
- Emma E Woolston to J C Bender lot 9 blk 1 B & Ps 1st add Winside 20
- T Bell to Jennie Porter n 1/2 lot 1 blk 7 B & Bs add Wayne 1100
- Turner & Brenner to Anchor Grain Co lot 1 blk 15 Winside 1
- Turner & Brenner to Anchor Grain Co lot 5 and w 100ft lots 4 5 blk 14 Wayne 1
- Turner & Brenner to Anchor Grain Co pt nw 34-26 2 n of R R Edw & Bradford's lbr Co to Lound & McElrath lot blk 6 Winside State of Neb. to Gustaf Tarnow e 1/2 se 36-24 560
- Clara K Moore to E Cunningham tr ne 32-27 3 6200
- Wayne Town Hall Ass'n to H E Rossa lots 11, 12 blk 12 n add Wayne 950
- Perrin Long to John F Crosby lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 blk 10 Hoskins 800

### GOOD ADVICE

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water-brash, Gravel, the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Disagreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming up of Food after Eating, Low Spirits etc. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Special Almanac.

### CARROLL NEWS

(From the Index.) Frank Owen left yesterday morning on a business trip to points in Colorado. Miss Mamie Hughes of Wayne is visiting friends in the Welsh neighborhood. Frank Owen's oats threshed out a little over 50 bushels to the acre machine measure. Al Sherbahn was up from Wayne Monday and went with Ike Walden to Randolph to look after the latter's bird dog, which has been missing for some time. Sam Barley writes from Sioux City that he has completely lost the sight of his injured eye, and that the sight of the other is very much impaired. Fortunately, while he was here last spring, he had taken out an accident policy in the M. B. A. Lodge here, from which source he will receive about \$250.

### Winside News.

Mrs. John Mundy is visiting in Illinois and John is doing a stult at house keeping. Mrs. Cavanaugh is visiting in Albion this week. Mrs. Cavanaugh enjoys the distinction of being the only handsome milliner whom heart-breaker Porter was unable to work.

The Misses Price are visiting at Plattsmouth.

Mr. Carter and wife are going to Kirksville Mo., next week where Mrs. Carter will take osteopathy treatment. Mr. Carter will probably take what all good Missourians are accustomed to taking before breakfast.

Walt Gaebler is home from his trip to the hardware convention at Lincoln. "Opening a keg of Nails" was Walt's speech at the banquet.

Winside kid ball nine will interest the Wayne babies tomorrow, Friday.

Winside people were shocked to learn of Ed Morgan's death, in the Philippine Islands, of that dreaded disease cholera. Mr. Morgan only lived a day after contracting the sickness. He enlisted from Winside three years ago.

Tom Lound now has things moving nicely at his lumber yard. Winside people were delighted to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Woodard back from Madison.

### HOSKINS

Roasting the dirt on the saloon window sounds about as near the point as grumbling at thunder when lightning has plowed it in track of destruction through our homes. We really believe that window is the whitest part of the business and will never by any chance ruin our boys.

A dance this evening at the new building on Main street.

Mr and Mrs H J Candor entertained a brother and wife from Randolph last Sunday. M J Dendenger, Frank Phillips, Bert Temwin and Ralph Burbank drove to Norfolk last Sunday to witness the game of ball between that town and Wausa, which resulted in a victory for Norfolk.

Born, Tuesday, Aug 12, to Mr and Mrs Otto Kruger, a son.

Anna Nelson, who has been at Wega with friends several days, returned home Wednesday.

Mr Nelson, Rev Grubber and Fred Ziemer were Norfolk visitors Monday.

Mrs Bocklin has been seriously ill this week.

Wm Zutz and wife left Wednesday for New York City where they will visit a daughter for a couple of weeks.

Mr and Mrs Skeen were down from Wayne last Sunday looking over business at the hill-side farm and visiting friends. They returned home Monday.

If Wausa could play ball as well as one or two of our girls down here think they can they would be the whole cheese in the league.

Annie Nelson and Miss Lundquist went to Wayne Thursday morning to attend commencement exercises at the college.

Mrs K Templin went to Abian last Saturday to visit her parents.

Mr and Mrs Roy Gleason and son returned to their home in Norfolk after a few days visit with relatives near Hoskins.

Al Houser came down from Wayne Wednesday and went out west of town to superintend the threshing on the Tucker land west of town.

Louie Ziemer is home after a few weeks wrestling with a machine agency.

We believe Hoskins at last has an alright doctor, office over the drug store. He has already had a sample of all sorts of cases and given first class satisfaction.

The barber stood out in the rain Thursday talking to the girls so long that he only walked a block south till he got a chill, had one too, but he may recover.

Conversation overheard between a crowd of girls: 1st girl "Oh say, have you seen the new doctor? Isn't he fine?" 2d girl "yes."

3d girl "Oh, I don't know, I know of a fellow out in Wyoming I like better." 4th girl "I like soldiers better than doctors." 5th girl "I don't like his name. 'Pete, now, sounds sweeter to me."

6th girl "He's not so bad. I wonder if he can play ball and dance." Then they all took a look in the mirror and mentally sized up their chances.

The blacksmith shop at this place has been purchased by Wayne parties and Ernest Wilbur, an experienced blacksmith will begin work in the near future. This arrangement will likely bring another family to our burg, which strikes us favorable. New blood is what this old burg has needed and has been getting pretty freely the past year.

Half past two in the morning is rather late to sell cigars wasn't it barber? and one of your customers was what they call a short stop in a ball nine. Not a very appropriate name, it strikes us.

That's right, Winside correspondent, if ladies will go to a Sunday ball game, roast 'em. It's alright.

### For Sale

A 160 or 200 acre farm near Altona, with good buildings, pasture, and meadow. Also, some good town property in Altona. Enquire of W. F. ASSENHEIMER, Altona.

# ..The Wayne Drug Co..

## J. T. LEAHY, CHEMIST. IN THE BOYD ANNEX

"The New Drug Store" is now open for business and respectfully solicits a share of the drug business. In starting the third business house of this kind in the enterprising city of Wayne it is not my intention to make this feature of the business world a "drug on the market," but to boom the drug trade in so far as my ability will permit. Like some other lines of trade the druggist "lives" off the misfortunes of other people, to some extent, but when you get sick it's a nice thing to be able to make you well with fresh, wholesome medicines, carefully compounded by a registered pharmacist. We sell everything found in the modern drug store and our stock is all new. Will muchly appreciate a visit from the people whether on business or a social call.

Respectfully yours,  
**J. T. LEAHY**

Oh, Mildner runs the better place to buy your beer or booze; he's got the oldest whiskies and they drive away the blues; his beers, by case or caskot, are a cooling thing to quaff and it only takes one "schooner" to make you dance and laugh. All through this 'ere hot weather it's a joy unto my soul, to "line up" down at Herman's and partake the flowing bowl; you are always treated kindly with courtesy galore, and it only takes about a dime to say "do it some more." And when I go from this world hence, rid of my cares and woes, all that I ask of friends I've left, is whiten up my nose; for I know that Herman will "be there" to greet me with more "paint," to put on becoming colors to a democratic saint.

Now, when you read this 'ere adlet don't think it's done for fun for it's printed for the sole purpose of making Herman "man," and not only that but 'tis a fact that can't be rubbed away, Herman keeps the best of liquors that you'll find in many a day. So if you are a prohib or hard-shell Baptist tight, afraid to take a drink until nature brings on the night, just telephone to 55 and get a case of pints, of the stuff that made Milwaukee, 'twill fix you up all right.

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Very amusing are the struggles on German friends have with the English vocabulary. A gentleman I met on the smokers platform. "We have a religious revival in our neighborhood, and Annie, our German housemaid decided to become a church member. It was a sect of a liberal creed, some of whose members favored baptism by immersion, some by sprinkling. "We did not know which Annie preferred although the question was a nice one with my wife, she did not think it best to urge or advise in the matter. The ceremony was performed one evening and the morning thereafter Annie presented herself with smiling face. "Well, Annie," said my wife, you were baptized, were you? "Yes, yes, said Annie, a lecture. "We subsequently learned that her lecture baptism was a sprinkling. "We never learned why she chose the legal instead of the big." A pious lady of Portsmouth had a husband who was a seaman. He was about to start on a protracted voyage, and as his wife was anxious as to her husband's welfare, she sent the following notice to the village preacher: "Mr. Blank, who is going to sea, his wife desires the prayers of the congregation." As the old lady was quite illiterate, the minister read the following to the congregation from the slip handed him: "Mr. Blank, who is going to see his wife, desires the prayers of the congregation."—London Tit-Bits.

Archbishop Ryan recently visited a small parish in the mining district of Schuylkill county, Pa. for the purpose of administering the sacrament of confirmation. In examining a class he asked one poor, nervous, frightened little girl what matrimony was, and she answered that it was "a state of terrible torment which those who enter it are compelled to undergo for a time to prepare them for a brighter and better world."

"No, no," remonstrated the pastor, "that isn't matrimony; that's the definition for purgatory." "Leave her alone," said the archbishop with a twinkle in his eye "maybe she's right. What do you or I know about it?"

Magistrate Ed Megley's office was the scene of the death of a country romance yesterday afternoon. A tall gaunt countryman and a blushing girl entered the magistrate's office about 3 o'clock. Both were bashful, and the magistrate, guessing their mission at the first glance. The couple sat down near the stove. The man's trousers reached half way down to his boot tops, and the boots were shined for the occasion. The girl wore a new dress made of blue gingham. For a long time there was silence. The magistrate did not look up, and it was several minutes before the countryman spoke.

"Squire, we wants to get married," he finally blurted out. The girl giggled. "Ignessed as much," answered the magistrate. "Do you want the ceremony performed at once?" "Well squire, that depends. How much is it going to cost?" The magistrate said that his price was \$2, and that he did no cut-rate business.

The countryman rubbed his chin and said nothing. Finally he turned to the girl, "What do you think of it?" he queried. The girl's anger had been steadily rising. "Why pay it of course," she said; "ain't I worth it?" "Not to me," was the countryman's answer and again his hand sought his chin, and he stood looking at the girl.

"Well, there is them that thinks I'm worth that much," she said, and there was not the sign of a quiver about her lip. A minute later she left the magistrate's office.

"I've never had to pay for her before," was the mother's reply. "Five years." "Why, mamma, I'm six!" protested the child. "She's—she's nearly six," hurriedly explained the mother. "That is, she's just going on six."

The conductor looked at the mother for a second, and then, as he turned away, said: "Well, madam, if I were you, I'd buy a ticket for her on the return trip. She's likely to be all of six by then."

The Kansas City Journal says: A story is going the rounds of the legations and embassies concerning a conversation Herr Von Hollenben, dean of the diplomatic corps, recently had with a society leader of Washington.

"It has often puzzled me," the lady said, "to understand just how the German men manage to maintain such superb dominion over their wives without destroying the latter's sense of freedom or minimizing their happiness and content." "It is very simple, indeed," replied the ambassador. "merely a question of conjugal diplomacy."

"But supposing the wife ventures to set up her judgement against that of her liege lord?" "In that case," said the diplomatist, "the German husband meets the issue by saying to his wife something like this: 'My dear, you know that my judgment is above criticism, for I had the inspired wisdom to select you from among the many; but you, on the other hand, cannot place absolute reliance upon your judgment if, after accepting me, you find yourself wavering as to your confidence in my ability to direct your ways.' 'You will readily see,' added Herr Von Hollenben, "that a wife, in wisdom cannot protest against such a diplomatic assertion of domestic leadership."

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