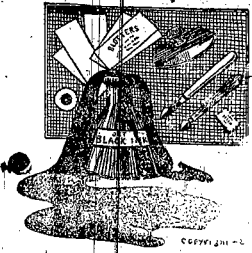


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The RACKET

Letter From Rev. Lodge.

Editor Nebraska Democrat:—Desiring to write to all my old friends and some new ones, I can do it once for all by getting the favor of a space in one of your columns. Leaving Wayne in the heavy rain of Nov. 23d, and meeting nine degrees below zero at Miford Iowa the 30th. I left Omaha Dec. 6th for Southern California, by the Rock Island and El Paso route. I had made the overland trip by various other routes, and was not anxious for mountain scenery, yet curious to go by a new way. This El Paso Short Line runs through Western Kansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Texas and Arizona, and enters California at Yuma, on the extreme South, one end of the railway bridge is in California and the other in Arizona, on the opposite sides of the Colorado river. The scenery was mostly boundless prairie, and as boundless desert, with some low mountains on our right and left, but no elevation of more than about 4000 feet.

We crossed the Salton sea, a large body of water about 17 x 24 miles in extent, formed last summer by the overflow of the Colorado river into the desert. It is rising several inches daily in spite of all that has been done to check it. Between Colton and Los Angeles we encountered a sand storm which covered the track and brought our train to a stand still several times until a construction car with its shovelers came to our relief. I have seen a dust storm in Iowa as wild and dirtier. Of all the places I have seen in California in my several visits, Long Beach is my choice as a place to live. It is located on a long sandy beach, 22 miles south of Los Angeles, has several streets, two miles a beautiful driveway extending fully one third of a mile over the ocean. It has grown in ten years to a population of 10,000, and is likely to add 10,000 more within the next two years. Seven miles to the south west is the great San Pedro harbor the terminus of the new Salt Lake and San Pedro railway. Electric motors run to and from Los Angeles every fifteen minutes from early in the morning until midnight. This beautiful city by the sea will grow as does Los Angeles, and no human power can stop its growth as long as there is room for it to spread. As to the climate and other attractions here I would simply say: "come and see." The days are now as warm and beautiful as the most perfect summer days in the prairie states, yet not a sultry heat, the nights are cool, but not as cold as a frosty night in Nebraska or Iowa.

I have decided to make a home here for my daughter and hence wish to sell my west farm with its superb building site in front of grove and orchard, and overlooking Wayne and its beautiful valley. If any of my friends or near Wayne want that farm they may deal with me by correspondence. Otherwise I shall soon put it in the hands of agents. I should like to have it in possession of some one who will appreciate it as I have and will be as loath to part with it as I am. To young men, and men in the prime life, who have a business and are doing well I would say stay on the splendid farms of Nebraska and stick to your business until age or disease may render you unfit to contend with the changeable weather and vigorous winters of the west, then come here if there yet be room; for California is somewhat limited by mountains and sea.

G. M. LODGE.

Dr. and Mrs. Williams ate Christmas dinner with the doctor's brother at Randolph.

C. L. Cleyberg and wife were visitors from Nacon for Christmas at the home of Mrs. Cleyberg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nies.

Commissioner Ed Cullen came down from Winside Christmas morning and N. B. home with him for a turkey fill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Walden were visitors from Carroll over Christmas.

F. M. Skeen and wife and Frank Skeen, wife and baby Christmased at Ponca with Mr. and Mrs. Davey.

Bert Johnson is home on parole from the hospital at Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Way spent Christmas at Stanton.

Miss Julia Kelly spent the past week with her mother and sister at Sioux City.

Mrs. E. A. Slater went to Centerville, Iowa, Wednesday where she will spend the winter with her daughter.

J. B. Neely came home from Ames, Io., last week to spend the holidays with his folks. Mr. Neely has gotten along magnificently at Ames college, being now an assistant teacher at \$65 per month.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoopnagle went to Sioux City Sunday and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Thurston. Mr. Thurston has gone on the road for Tolerton & Stetson.

Henry Schorer was in Norfolk Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Turnbull of Norfolk were in Wayne several days this week visiting at the Shorten home.

Don Cunningham is home from Ames for a month's vacation.

FOUND—Fur coat, south of town. Call at this office.

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Our clothing department still presents some choice selections in Men's and Boy's attire. You can buy clothing cheaper here than any place in Northeast Nebraska, for we are closing out the biggest stocks at wholesale prices.

If You Want It

Call early and buy a first-class winter suit cheaper than you can afford to go without. A few dollars goes a long ways in clothing here, in fact we are almost giving it away because we do not want to handle it.

Come in before Jan. 1st and see about and overcoat, suit or odd coat or pants.

Furchner, Duerig & Co. The German Store.

Big Auction Sale.

At my farm 1 1/2 miles east and 2 1/2 south of Carroll and 7 miles west of Wayne, Jan. 2, 1906. Six head horses and mules, 65 head cattle, big lot of farm machinery, hay, and household goods.

Sale begins at 11 a. m. with free lunch at noon. E. Cunningham, Auct. Arthur L. Tucker, Clerk.

A. JORGENSEN.

J. S. Snyder will have a public sale Jan. 11th, preparatory to moving to his claim in North Dakota.

The Bressler family were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Wightman.

At an election of officers last Sunday the Presbyterian Sunday school made the following choice: F. H. Jones, superintendent, E. B. Cook, assistant, Miss Winnifred Northrop, secretary, Miss Mary Bayer, treasurer, Miss Mary Jones, organist, Dr. Gamble, chorister.

Harry Wilson from Red Oak, Io., is visiting his uncle, Hamer Wilson.

The Christmas entertainment at the Presbyterian church Saturday

Sheriff Mears attended a state meeting of sheriffs at Seward last Thursday and was honored with the office of vice-president of the association. Grant says they certainly had an elegant time, banquet by the Commercial club and county officers, etc. At Omaha Mr. Mears visited the notorious Pat Crowe and had a long talk with the kidnapper. Pat told our sheriff that he expected to be out in a day or two on bonds. He showed his numerous gun-shot wounds, having been winged several times. Of his last fight with the Omaha police Pat said he was eating a lunch at a wagon restaurant, had both hands full of grub, when he saw two coppers peeking at him around the corner. Had they nabbed him then it would have been easy, but the fellows were scared and sent for a detachment. When the force arrived Pat was boarding a street car and in the running fight that ensued Pat got away from the whole bunch. The sheriff also saw D. K. Hern who is piano man at Bennetts and doing well.

Will Niswemia to Ornt hitreon 30¢ his turkey, or more probably dear or duck.

Miss Emma Berry of the Sioux City schools spent the past week visiting here and at Carroll.

Atty Berry tried a case at Carroll Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Nangle and daughter Reba were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Nangle at Sioux City for Christmas.

Brown Palmer was up from Sioux City to eat turkey.

Clyde Winterburn returned to Sioux City yesterday, after several days visit with his folks and friends.

Chris Sodeman has moved from Carroll and occupies the Ramsey residence. He takes charge of the Nies saloon next Monday.

Not to be made a more prolonged New Year gift than a year's subscription to the DEMOCRAT.

Mrs. Grace Widney-Mabee cousin of Dr. Frank Gamble, is now in Paris with her husband, where she is finishing her musical studies while Mr. Mabee takes advanced study in dentistry. Mrs. Mabee is well known to many Wayne people.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson of Omaha are visiting at the W. O. Gamble home. Mr. Johnson will probably remain here this winter.

R. I. Elliott cleaned up his duties as county superintendent last week left Saturday for Norfolk, where he will go to the state university to complete his education.

well liked during his term in the office and the Dr. him come here.

Sam Reba returned to town last night.

Prof. ...

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Syrup of Tartar and cures coughs. 25, 50, 85c
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Six head of good horses.
108 high grade Herefords.
Registered Hereford bull at head of herd past 5 years.
50 head of Poland China hogs.
30 sows bred since Dec. 15th, 20 barrows, also one pedigree boar.
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Goods Department	
Saturday at	38c
Hand bags, \$1.00 line	55c
Hand bags, \$2.50 line	38c
Mufflers, \$1.00 line	40c
Mufflers, 75c line	55c
Mufflers, 50c line	80c
Men's neckwear, \$1.00 line	90c
Men's neckwear, 75c line	\$1.95
Men's neckwear, 50c line	75c
Slipper soles, per pair	38c
	17c

Grocery Department	
18 Pounds Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
Corn starch, per box	4c
Rice, per lb. 5c; 6 lb. for	25c
Macaroni	10c
1/2 lb. box cocoa	25c
6 cans corn	25c
Best canned corn	10c
Fresh crackers, by the box, per pound	7c

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To The Friends and Patrons of This Store

I extend sincere thanks for the generous business accorded me the past year. It is my earnest desire to make this store a Reliable Store, where none but Reliable goods are sold; where everybody receives the Same Treatment and the price is the Same To All. I feel that I can make this a desirable store to purchase from, and at all times aim to give the most and best for the money. If you have not as yet, traded here, I urge you to call and investigate this store. You will make money by it. Wishing you a Prosperous New Year,

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Opposite Post Office.

Wayne, Nebraska.

HOSKINS
From the Headlight.
Gas Schroeder shipped hogs to Omaha Tuesday.
Miss Richardson and Prof. Nies spent Xmas at their homes in Wayne.
Joe Overman spent Xmas with his mother at Lincoln, Nebr.
Mr. and Mrs. Chase Shaw spent Xmas at the Waddell home of this place.
The gun club had a shoot Xmas with Ray Gleason and Frank Phillips at the head.
Mr. and Mrs. John Drevesen and Artie Weatherbolt were passengers to Norfolk Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Kautz, Mr. and Mrs. Colbert, Carroll and Mandie ate Xmas dinner at Averill's.
Mrs. Kautz has been under the doctor's care for several days, but is now improving.
Mr. and Mrs. John Zienter returned from Oklahoma Sunday evening and will move there before long.
Henry Anderson left for his home in Schaller, Iowa, to spend Xmas, expecting to return Wednesday or Thursday.
Miss Grace Houser and sister arrived in Hoskins Monday evening to spend a few days with relatives and friends.
Dr. Langrill reports the arrival of a ten-pound boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wagner. Bote the mother and the little one are doing well.
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rhokore and children of Meadow Grove, Nebr., spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zentgraf Hoskins.
About one hundred guests attended the silver wedding anniversary of Herman Bass Tuesday evening. All report a good time.
Miss Jennie Waddell was a passenger on the afternoon train Saturday, to W. St. Louis, returning Sunday evening. Miss L. and sister accompanied her to spend Xmas at the Waddell home.
Oto Swanson, who is working for Bleckiron Bros. at Magnet arrived in Hoskins Saturday morning and in company with his father Sunday went to Wakenia to spend Xmas. He will spend about four days of vacation here.

The play entitled "Too Much of a Good Thing," which was given here Friday night was a success. The drill given by thirty small children was exceptionally good. Miss Eva Nies favored the audience with a recitation well spoken.
Garfield items.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eastburn were visiting relatives in Wayne last week.
Those who drove to Norfolk Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sweigard, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Drevesen, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bruce.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dobbin, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mieskey were doing their Xmas shopping in Norfolk last Wednesday.
Mrs. John Boje is on the sick list this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Amos Bennett are visiting her aunt and uncle during the holidays.
Herma Miller has returned to his home in Effingham, Ill.
Since corn shucking is over the farmers have a new job shelling corn.
Mrs. Jensen drove to Norfolk Friday.
Sanford Dodge's appearance at the Opera House on Jan. 8th as Marco Antony in Shakespeare's sublime tragedy, Julius Caesar, will be a rare opportunity to enjoy a new revelation of this great artist's illumination genius. His conception of the role, his creation, his production, his company, and the play itself stand, perhaps, for the most popular conception of entertainment allied with fine art. It is a matter of congratulation that the first presentation in this city of the grandest of all tragedies is to be entrusted to as clever an actor as Mr. Dodge.

See Great Caesar's ghost at the opera house, January 8th.
Miss Ethel Gantt is coming up from Sioux City tomorrow to visit her aunt, Mrs. M. S. Davies. Miss Gantt is a teacher in the Sioux City schools.
J. G. Mines was in Norfolk Wednesday night.
Mrs. Emil Weber was a passenger to Omaha yesterday.
Miss Bell Temple returned from Norfolk Wednesday where she spent Christmas.
Great Caesar! Great Caesar!! Great Caesar!!! At the opera house, January 8th.
Sam Temple is enjoying a visit from his wife and son of Lincoln.
The Coleridge Blade says: "Cards have not yet been issued for the marriage of W. E. Miller, county superintendent, but the signs are favorable! And with such possibilities to 'visit' before him! How can he do it!" Perhaps he has to or break an engagement. Even a Wayne girl would be foolish to take such chances as that on a newly elected county superintendent.
I. W. Alter went to Grand Island on Tuesday.
Don't fail to hear "Marc Antony's Oration," at the opera house, January 8th.
J. M. Bannon and John Bresnan were in town from Emerson Wednesday and took home some race horses that they had had in training at the Strahan stables.
Mr. and Mrs. O. Bryce of Emerson, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Trumbauer.
Rev. Hughes of Pender, was in town Monday on his way to Bloomfield to eat 25 cent turkey with his wife's relations. Mr. Hughes said he had not whipped the Pender editors as yet, although they both needed it very badly.
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Strahan entertained a very large party of relatives at a Christmas dinner, some thirty in number.
Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is simply liquid electricity. It goes to every part of your body, bringing new blood, strength and new vigor. It makes you well and keeps you well. 35 cents. Raymond's Drug Store.
Hide Famine—See ad of Strange Bros., Sioux City.

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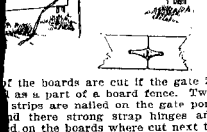
PRICES 50, 35, 25c

The announcement that Sanford Dodge supported by Miss Rose Curry and a clever company of players will appear at the Opera House on Jan. 8th, in the greatest of Shakespeare's tragedies, Julius Caesar, should be hailed with delight by all the patrons of the best dramatic offerings at the local play house. This production of Julius Caesar is the first to make the smaller cities, and that Mr. Dodge offers it is sufficient guarantee that the great play, will have a creditable presentation. The attraction is worthy of the very best patronage and should be accorded a crowded house.
See advertisement in this paper for hides wanted by Strange Bros., Sioux City, Iowa. 12c for No. 2 hides.

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seed for next year...
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ON DIVISION FENCES.

The farm is divided into a number of sections... it is often somewhat of a laborious task to pass from one field to another especially when animals are to be moved from one section to another of the farm.



of the boards are cut if the gate is as a part of a board fence. Two strips are nailed to the gate and two strong strap hinges are fastened to the other end of the gate.

LECTING THE MANURE.

One question concerning the disposal of the stable manure comes to the mind of the farmer as he begins to assume his duties. By far the best way of taking it is to spread on the ground and let it rot.

PURE MILK MEANS.

It is an increased price that the same dairyman can get for his milk when it is pure. In order to produce the milk inspection must be made.

TAKES IN TREATING ROTATION CROPS.

It is granted by every intelligent farmer that it is necessary to properly preserve soil fertility. There are many differences of opinion as to the best method to be followed.

HEATING FOR LARGER FLOCKS.

Many farmers have gone into winter quarters greatly discouraged that they are unable to keep their flocks.

for example, one has a farm that is quite sandy and generally of poor soil. Manure is not made on the farm and quantities of good poultry crops and contents of the pocketbook will not permit the purchase of commercial fertilizers.

COUNTING THE COST OF FARMING.

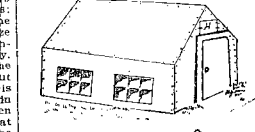
The farmer is ever and foremost in a position to know pretty well if the operations of the past year have been profitable. In some sections crops have been so good that prices are exceedingly low.

FEEDING THE IDLE HORSE.

The farm horse who has practically nothing to do during the months of winter is a costly proposition. Feed if he must be kept on the regulation ration.

PIANO BOX POULTRY HOUSES.

New lumber is very high in price and likely to be higher so that poultry houses are being built of more durable materials.



alooping roof is built over the entire structure and the entire building is covered with water proof paper.

THERMOMETERS IN STABLES.

A veterinarian once said that the thermometer is one of the most useful instruments in a stable.



How Jimmie Kept His Resolutions

From the Chicago Record.

On the first day of January Jimmie Wilson's mother said, "Well, my son, what are your New Year's resolutions this year?"

It was evening and Jimmie was working on a problem in interest at the time, for say as much as they might about his not being neat in his dress or his unpleasant habit of nodding his head when he meant "yes."

He paused a moment, but his mother knew that he was worrying to his breakfast. From the London Chronicle.

NEW YEAR'S BREAKFAST.

In Japan it is a Religious Rite and a Serious Matter. From the London Chronicle.

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high collar. "I want to die," he said, "I want to die."

But Saturday brought no change in Jimmie's attitude, and still no one dared rebuke his mother's order.

She asked this question and he shook his head three times, from right to left, then he broke into a hearty laugh.

NEW YEAR'S BREAKFAST.

From the London Chronicle. To a happy feast and till the New Year's day is a religious rite rather than a vulgar satisfaction of the appetite.

New Year's in France.

New Year's in France is celebrated with a grand festival until the 1st of January. The custom of New Year's gifts is so popular in this country.

BY DAD.

You can commence practicing on that 6.

And Baxter wouldn't resign; had to be jarred loose, like a dog being kicked away from a bone. Edgar Howard had him neatly described as an "egotistic upstart."

The DEMOCRAT, by dad, fared well, you bet. Mrs. John Hoag presented a fat duck for Sunday's dinner, and on Monday the best mother-in-law I ever had made it turkey, plum pudding, ice cream and a thousand other things, until the legs—not table legs—groaned in holding up the load. God bless the mother-in-laws.

That local or pie item of 1st page is a very hard roast on Billy Nies, but unavoidable, being a jab from the "devil" after the proof-reader thought he had the old cuss driven off.

Better get your mouth puckered up so you can say it next Monday.

There are scads of nice things left in the Wayne stores for New Years gifts, but the merchants forgot to tell you about it this week or don't care to part with them.

The DEMOCRAT is only \$1 a year, and yet there are probably hundreds of people who read it and never pay a cent. They have neighbors who pay for it, and we know of two or three of the wealthiest men in town who borrow it just as regularly as it is printed. Not long ago one of these actually had the nerve to suppress an item of news, that was already in type, because he didn't want his family to learn of it. This is an opportune opportunity for some of these "bogs" to reach the mourners' bench. I have as much or even more respect for the man who does not like the style of the DEMOCRAT, neither buys it nor reads it, as the people who hanker for such "cheap" literature as the "by dads," but he who steals my trash, steals my purse, and should be ashamed to look an honest man in the face.

Sam Davies is figuring on starting a mush wagon in our beautiful little city. There are about 400 families in Wayne, each of which would be glad to purchase a couple of quarts of mush every day—one quart for supper every day—one quart for breakfast, and another to fry for breakfast, or vice versa. Sam can figure that there are 32 quarts of meal in a bushel and that 50 bushels of meal makes 3,000 quarts of mush; that 50 bushels of meal can be bought for \$25, and that he can sell 800 quarts of mush at 5 cents a quart, which would give him \$40 a day for his work and expense of delivering, and as mush could be used half the year he could make between \$5,000 and \$8,000 in the business. All Sam needs is capital to buy a bushel of meal to start on. It is a great business opportunity and an infant industry which our progressive citizens could well afford to push to success.

—Here, all you girls, who want to have and to chance. Out at Met. The Gray Bull club. Unique task—last large...

A Serial Story of the Philippines.

Written for The DEMOCRAT by CHAS. H. BRIGHT.

GAPAN, N. E., P. I., Nov. 20, 1905. Dr. David P. Barrows of California, is the general superintendent of schools here and Frank R. White formerly of Lyons, Nebraska, is first assistant superintendent. We reported for duty on the afternoon of our arrival and they were undecided where to send us, but I suppose they had a "revelation" during the night for when we returned the next morning they at once assigned us to the Central school at Gapan. Gapan is on a new branch of the railroad, about fifty miles north of Manila, in the province of Nueva Ecija. There are two trains a day from Manila so we have mail every day. We are three miles from San Isidro, the capital of the province. There are several Americans at the capital, among them Mr. and Mrs. Shell of Hastings, Nebraska. Mr. Shell is principal of the new high school there Mr. and Mrs. Belknap of Nebraska, were in this province when we came but have recently been transferred to Pasig where Mr. Belknap is principal of the high school. Mr. Belknap was formerly principal of schools at Clear Water, Nebraska. Our division superintendent lives at San Isidro. He is a "Hoosier" right from Posey county and is proud of it. Being a "Hoosier" by birth and a Nebraskan by adoption, I feel to use the words of Chaplain Malley that I feel "cheer-plunk" in to the bosom of my friends.

Gapan Central school has ten teachers, seven Philipinos and three Americans, and between eight and nine hundred pupils. Americans teach the advanced classes. The school is terribly crowded, frequently four pupils sitting in seats intended for two. Three of us have over two hundred pupils. Part of the time Mrs. Bright and I have them as Mr. Hitchcock, the superintendent, does not teach all the time, but visits the other schools. His position corresponds to city superintendent and mine to high school principal. Our work is conducted on the assembly room plan like our high schools. A list of my classes recite in the assembly room. It is fierce sometimes, but since some of the ringleaders and myself have come into "closer touch" with each other things are running smoother. We teach from eight until eleven in the forenoon and from two-thirty until four-thirty in the afternoon. Notwithstanding the crowded conditions and other disadvantages, we are satisfied.

A new high school building is now being constructed and people are satisfied to see who went to the states and returned to their native land.

Every town of any size here has a band. There were carts drawn by the ever present carabao. The carts were gaily decorated with palms, bamboo and other tropical foliage and were filled with women and children. Hundreds of people were walking after the carts, some of them carrying banners or some kind of decorations. Following these were about seventy-five men and boys riding carabos. This was the most interesting sight of all. The animals would crowd together and it was amusing to see each man try to crowd his neighbor over or beat back the fellow who was crowding too closely behind him. They guide them by means of a rope around the horns or through the nose, and a stick which they carry. Many of the riders kept their feet up on the backs of the animals to avoid having them crushed between the animals or bruised by their horns. Altogether, it was quite a conglomeration of dust, hair, horns, hands, feet and heads. Everybody was good natured and seemed to enjoy it immensely.

The decorations in and about the building were tastefully arranged under the direction of the American teachers. It consisted mostly of tropical foliage, bunting and flags. At each of the two entrances of the grounds were very pretty arches made entirely of bamboo. It reminded one of the old Roman triumphal arches.

In the evening specialties were made in English, Spanish and Tagalog by Dr. Barrows, Mr. Santos, governor of the province, and Judge Lorente of the Court of First Instance. The ceremony closed with a very pretty scarlet drill by thirteen young Filipino ladies. This was followed by a grand ball. It seems that everything ends with a grand ball in this country. One boy told me that the Philipinos want to become civilized and want to do everything that the Americans do, and so they are anxious to learn to dance. This form of amusement seems to have been introduced by Americans among other "forms".

We are much more favorably located than many who have been here longer. We landed exactly at the right time as this new high school was opened the next Monday after our arrival. We took the place of the teachers here who were assigned to the high school. Promotions are not so frequent as for those who went to the states and returned to their native land.

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Investigate To-day. Even Heat Day and Night. Fire Never Out.



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It is the most economical stove made for soft coal, slack or lignite coal, because it burns the gas half of this fuel wasted up the chimney with all other stoves. Cuts the fuel bill by two.

It is the most economical hard coal stove made, and the best wood stove. 1st, because it has twice the positive radiating surface of any hard coal stove. 2d, because it is air-tight, thus giving perfect control over a hard coal or wood fire and insuring a slow, economical combustion. You get all the heat in your room. AVOID IMITATIONS.

We have told you much about Cole's Original Hot Blast. Please read the following letters telling what others think of it.

FOR SOFT COAL AGENCY, IOWA, November 24, 1905.

COLE MANUFACTURING Co., Chicago, Ill. Gentlemen—Your stove is very satisfactory. I used a Round Oak for a number of years and noted the quantity of coal used. I find your Hot Blast will do the same service with at least one-half the coal. One year ago I used an imitation Hot Blast which was not satisfactory, as it was not air-tight, and could not be made out here, would not hold fire over night or keep a steady fire by day. Cole's Hot Blast is tight, and has kept fire for two nights and a day without attention, and blazed up on opening up on opening up the drafts without a fresh supply of fuel. The heat is given off regularly as you want it, and it is possible to maintain the temperature desired in the room. Very truly yours, C. F. GOLTRY, MONTROSE, COLO.

COLE MANUFACTURING Co., Chicago, Ill. I think so highly of Cole's Hot Blast Stove that if I were without a heater I would not accept any other kind as a gift if a Cole's heater could be purchased. The good points in favor of Cole's Hot Blast are first, the great economy of fuel, and second, the ease and perfection with which the heat can be regulated. J. HOLMON, J. HOLMON, MONTROSE, COLO.

What Three Ministers at Evansville Say of the Stove for Soft Coal

H. I. SIMMONS, Agent for Cole's Hot Blast, Evansville, Ind. Dear Sir—Regarding the Cole's Hot Blast Stove purchased of you for our class room, I regard it as a remarkable stove. We have burned it two winters and find it will do all you claim, and more. It holds fire three days and nights several times to my knowledge without attention, and is a great saver of fuel, easily regulated, giving a uniform heat day and night. Yours truly, A. L. BENNETT, Pastor M. E. Church.

H. I. SIMMONS, Agent for Cole's Hot Blast, Evansville, Ind. Dear Sir—We are greatly pleased with our Cole's Hot Blast Stove. We burned it last winter in a very large room in the passage, and with the exception of once or twice the fire was made out the entire winter. The Hot Blast draft works perfectly, consumes gas and smoke and uses less coal than any stove I ever saw. I can recommend Cole's Hot Blast to any of my friends. Yours truly, REV. F. RELLER, Pastor St. Paul's Church, 12th Ave. and Michigan St.

H. I. SIMMONS, Agent, Cole's Hot Blast, Evansville, Ind. Dear Sir—The two 12-inch Cole's Hot Blast Heaters I purchased for the Howell M. E. Church have been very satisfactory. They hold fire 36 hours, giving a uniform heat with the least possible amount of fuel. Very truly yours, REV. A. D. BACHELOR, Pastor Howell M. E. Church.

MESSES. ROSENBERG & WOLF, Agents for Cole's Hot Blast, Beloit, Wis. BELOIT, WIS., November 24, 1905. Gentlemen—I want to say a few words of praise for Cole's Original Hot Blast Stove purchased of you several weeks ago. I noted the broad and liberal guarantee on same by the makers for burning soft coal, and their claims that it would do better work with hard coal than any other stove manufactured. Upon that and your own recommendation I placed one in my home. I am burning hard coal, and to say the stove is satisfactory is not enough. It is simply a surprise. I am saving one-half in fuel over the stove I formerly used to heat the same space, and getting a greater amount of heat. It is the greatest stove I ever saw, and gives greater satisfaction and more heat with hard coal than a large base burner I am using in another part of the house. I cheerfully recommend Cole's Hot Blast as the most economical and best heating stove for hard coal I ever saw. Yours truly, BURTON A. EDWARDS, 361 E. Grand Ave.

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1905 AT THE 1905 The Fair Store 1906

The Fair Store takes this opportunity to sincerely thank its friends and patrons of the past year. We hope our gain has in no instance been your loss, and if it is possible that any patron is at the present time in any small way dissatisfied with the treatment received in our store, we will be very thankful to have them come and get satisfaction. We not only give our patrons bargains in all lines, but desire them to appreciate their trading at this store. We Wish You All A Happy New Year. BE IN OUR STORE SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1905 For we are going to "cut" and "slash" and make "business for everybody" on THE LAST DAY OF THE OLD YEAR. BUTTER IS AT A PREMIUM, EGGS GOOD AS GOLD, AT THE FAIR STORE

Real Estate Transfers. Report of Real estate transfers for weeks ending Dec. 13, 1905, reported by Geo. R. Wilbur, Compiler of Abstracts, Wayne, Neb. Citizens Bank of Wayne to F. Duncan, se 25-1-1... \$3 000 Nelson to Mary Nelson, sw 1/4 nw 1/4 of sw 33-26-4... 350 Eda Merrill to Jenny D Cunningham, 1-6 lot in n 1/4 ne 5-26-150 R Morris to Newton Morris sw 1/4 sw 28-27-1... 7 Schrader to August Holmbeck, pt w 1/2 sw 11-25-1... 2 430 Fred Normal College to Fred Thompson, lots 7, 8, blk 4 College Hill add to Wayne... 70 R Henry to Minnie J Hanlon, nw of ne 12-26-2... 1 000 Maude Thayer to Christ Hanson sw of sw 7-26-3... 1 360 Mary Kersting to E W Perlich, lot 18 blk 6 Shoes... 2 400 Dr. and Mrs Heckert and the children are at Mission Valley, Io. Herbert Theobald left for Madison, Wis., yesterday. Judge and Mrs. Behtol, of Holdrege, are guests of their daughters, Fredames Kate and Hufford, this week. Chas Baggart is having his holiday in Missouri. The aged father of Asher Hulbert, Mr Hulbert, died at his home in Carroll yesterday of cancer.

New Year's Clothes. This is a very seasonable time of the year to get a new suit, tailor made and fashionable fit. I have some very choice pieces of goods and a swell line of samples. Guarantee you a good fit and price easy as many ready-made suits will cost you. Come upstairs over the State bank and let me tell you how good a suit you can get for about twenty or thirty dollars. HENRY SCHORER. The Highlanders' masquerade at the Altona hall next Monday will be about the proper thing. Prof. John Saunty of the college is in South Dakota visiting relatives. The Christmas entertainment at the Presbyterian church Saturday evening was exceptionally good, and a very enjoyable affair for the elders as well as the little folks. Special Holiday Rates. For Christmas and New Year Holiday excursion tickets will be sold Dec. 22, 23, 24, 25, 31 and Jan. 1st, good returning until Jan. 4th. Minimum selling rate fifty cents. Children half rate. An old style house hold sewing machine for sale enquire of Mrs. OSCAR LEWIS.

New Years -AT- J. P. Gaertner's We want to thank you all for the liberal holiday patronage, and wish you a Happy New Year. If you want to make others happy call and see our special line of New Years' presents in High Class Furniture.. It is much cheaper than Christmas Gifts. Affectionately yours, J. P. Gaertner.

DR. M. ERSLER Optician Will again be at Wayne, Neb. from Saturday, December 29 until January 3. He especially invites those who have been improperly fitted elsewhere, or who have been unable to be fitted at all by oculists or opticians to take advantage of his Free Examinations and Consultations. He guarantees satisfaction in every case he undertakes. OFFICE AT THE UNION HOTEL. Dr. Cosner, dentist, over First National Bank. FOR RENT—Store room next State bank and furnished room at residence Mrs. JAS. BRITTON.