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JONES' CHRISTMAS SALE

Having an Enormous Line of HOLIDAY GOODS we are making a Reduction Sale

We have a complete line—not a side line—with us. We have the **Christmas Store** complete in every department. Everything from a penny doll to a \$500 piano

TOYS TOYS

We have a whole room devoted to TOYS, a downstairs department—a fairy land of Toys. Do not fail to visit it before buying. The finest line of CHINA—From 20 to 50 per cent discount

A Great REDUCTION IN BOOKS

Copyrights at \$1.10—City Department Store Prices.
A great line of 25, 35 and 50 cent Books closing out at 10 cents.
Bibles at nearly wholesale.

A fine line of PICTURES—the best we have shown for years
TALKING MACHINES. The complete line of Records.

The place to select your Xmas line, JONES' CHRISTMAS STORE

We have the useful presents for your

Xmas Shopping

See our Silk Waists, Silk Petticoats

BELTS, FANCY COMBS,

MEN'S and LADIES' SLIPPERS

All Kinds of FINE SHOES for the whole Family

Buy your wife a Fine Suit or Coat for Xmas.

Yours for Nice Presents,

HIGHEST PRICE FOR CHICKENS **Jeffries Shoe Co.**

LOCAL NEWS.

Get a tag, Dec 19th.

The Misses Sophia Flugge and Martha Knecht, and Henry Dickmire, from Arlington, returned home Tuesday after a visit in Cedar County and with Wm. Luetow of Wilbur precinct. John Meister went to West Point Monday returning today.

Robert Jones and family got away Monday for Salem, Oregon, where they expect to find a climate more congenial to Mr. Jones' health. Wayne county people, who have known this estimable family for nearly a quarter of a century, will wish them happiness and prosperity in their new home.

Theodore Mildner moved his household goods to Carroll Monday.

Atty. O. M. Cunningham was a passenger from Omaha to Bloomfield Saturday for a day's visit with his father and brother.

Fred French writes that he has moved from Olathe, Col., to San Diego, Cal., probably just for the winter.

Bill Myers, a former Wayne horseman, was in Wayne over Sunday, going to Omaha first of the week. Messrs G. S. French, A. L. and W. E. Tucker were Sunday visitors in the city.

E. E. Olds was down from near Winside Saturday. Mr. Olds is going to have a sale Feb. 11th, and then move to Omaha.

Jacob Hopp, who had a sale Wednesday, leaves the first of the week for the eastern-central part of New Mexico where the family expects to reside in the future.

A. N. Matheny returned Saturday night from a trip to Walthill, which town he says is growing like a weed.

Elmer Noakes made a fierce drive on Main street Tuesday morning to catch the eight o'clock train, for his wife's cousin, Miss Cora Gleason, who was on her way to Omaha. The train was at the water tank when Elmer passed the M. E. church, but we won't give the official time the famous, horse-thief stolen team made.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Downey, Dec 7th.

Link Davis was down from Carroll Tuesday. Link was looking for a buzz saw—at Herman Mildner's—when we saw him, and all that he didn't find there was the buzz, which may have showed up later.

Sim Richards was over from Allen Tuesday, calling on old friends. Sim is farming and says he did mighty well at it the past year, making money enough to flag a freight train.

John Good and John Connelly went to Cherokee, Mo., Tuesday.

J. H. Porter of Carroll was in Omaha Tuesday, accompanying his son James that far on the latter's way to the Pacific coast where he will visit a brother for the winter.

A. J. Honey of Carroll was a passenger to Omaha Tuesday.

C. A. Berry and Henry Giese were passengers to Canyon City, Texas, Tuesday morning. P. H. Kohl is now at that point but is expected home about Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Wagener was in Wakefield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tucker of Carroll, were Monday passengers to Omaha.

Charley Maxwell was a Monday visitor from Randolph.

Geo. Bingold was a Monday passenger to Omaha.

A big crowd of Wayne people were passengers to Sioux City Tuesday morning, among them being Mesdames Britton, Goodyear, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Philleo, Mrs. Geo. Rader, Mrs. John Harder, 'Gene Leahy' Joe Meister and Henry Kellogg.

Miss Winifred Pauleski was a Sioux City visitor between trains Saturday.

Miss Pauline Braunger, who is teaching a school near Winside, was a Wayne visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Asher Hurlbert was called down from Sholes Saturday, owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Sundahl.

Mrs. G. H. Harlan and daughter, Miss Estelle, of Etna Green, Ind., were arrivals last Thursday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Ott, they having spent the past two months with friends and relatives in Iowa. This is their first meeting in ten years.

H. H. Tangeman says he got several

hundred dollars more at his sale than he expected. His black team of mares sold at \$425. Yearlings coming two sold from \$112 to \$135. Out at the Merriman sale a seven months colt brought \$105. The farmers have simply got money to burn—for horseflesh. Still going like hot cakes—Whalep's fine sandwiches and hot drinks.

The Christmas Present You Want Is Sure to be Found at FELBER'S

<p>Candy</p> <p>Christmas wouldn't be Christmas if it wasn't for Candy. We have the finest selection of candies in Wayne.</p>	<p>Razors</p> <p>Unless you are superstitious you will buy your husband a Razor for Christmas. In case you are superstitious buy him a SAFETY RAZOR.</p>
<p>Cigars</p> <p>A box of Good Cigars is at home is in most any man's stocking Xmas morning. Any man who gets a box from our stock will certainly be at home.</p>	<p>Photo Albums</p> <p>No Xmas present expresses quite so much as an Album. It gathers together the treasured photos of the family and the giver is always remembered first.</p>
<p>Perfumes</p> <p>This is an item any Gentleman can give to any Lady. That's what makes it so popular for presents. See our Stock.</p>	<p>Purses and Hand Bags</p> <p>Always welcome and exceedingly tasteful is a Christmas Purse. No line is our store receives more attention or is better assorted.</p>
<p>Brushes</p> <p>Unless a man is bald-headed he will thank the giver 365 days in the year for a pair of our <i>Military Brushes</i>.</p>	<p>Collar Bags</p> <p>These are for your men friends, and they certainly will be appreciated. Give something like this and you are remembered as long as your present lasts.</p>
<p>Combs</p> <p>A woman always takes delight in dressing her hair if she has a good comb. We have the kind that she likes.</p>	<p>Travelers' Cases</p> <p>A neat leather case fitted with a complete outfit for traveling. Also the rubber lined kind, sponge bag, etc.</p>
<p>Photo Frames</p> <p>Many beautiful new patterns to give with your photo for Xmas. Wood, Metal, Leather, Brass, etc.</p>	<p>Dolls</p> <p>Every little girl likes a nice doll. If yours is an exception give her a Teddy Bear.</p>
<p>Manicure Sets</p> <p>Nine out of ten ladies now use manicure tools as regularly as a comb or tooth brush. A selection from our stock wouldn't go amiss.</p>	<p>Sleds</p> <p>Give your boy one of our steel sleds and it will last him as long as he will want one. We want to predict lots of sledding for this winter.</p>
<p>Music Rolls</p> <p>For a young girl studying music, one of these rolls will be useful. We handle good qualities only.</p>	<p>The above items are only a few of our immense stock. We will be glad to have you call and look over our display.</p>

Can you Guess the Name of the Large Doll in ur South Window?

Felber's Pharmacy

"The Drug Store Of Quality." Wayne, Nebraska.

City Council Doings.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the City Council of Wayne held December 14, 1908. Meeting was called to order by the Mayor with the following members present, Mayor Ley, Councilmen Strahan, Craven, Stringer, Claus and Neely; absent, Councilman Jones. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved. The following bills were then allowed:

Chas. Thompson, hay	\$ 5 50
George Heady, labor	24 00
Standard Oil Co., oil	10 20
Philleo & Son, supplies	12 75
W. H. Hogewood, drayage	9 25
Henry Foltz, labor	6 25
Henry Bush, labor	3 10
A. Felber, labor	9 25
Neely & Craven, supplies	46 90
Vincent Kinney	14 46
A. B. Jeffrey, meter	17 00
H. W. Barnett, drayage	50
H. S. Ringland, freight	312 93
Baptist church, rebate on water	4 95
C. B. Havens, Co., coal	217 30

Motion made to adjourn. Motion carried.

Your choice of my thoroughbred Duroc Jersey Boars for \$15.00. Sired by 1 Am Advance, 1st Prize Senior Boar Pig at Iowa State Fair, 1907. Dam by Brighton Wonder.

Farms For Sale.

Ten good improved farms, 60-100 acres each and up. Prices from \$55 per acre up, all in Northeast Nebraska. A. B. CLARK, Owner.

Big Sale at Carroll.

The Carroll Pavillion Co., will have a big joint stock sale Jan. 9th. All parties having any kind of stock, to dispose of should notify Frank Francis, Carroll, Neb.

Farmers' Notice.

Meeting will be held at Wayne at the fire house at 2:00 o'clock, to elect delegates and proxies to the Farmers' Mutual Insurance meeting, December 19, 1908. H. W. LESSMAN, Agent.

Sholes News

Mrs. Asher Hurlbert and son Donald were Wayne visitors last Saturday.

Sam Miller and family of Wayne visited at the home of Jas. Lucky over Sunday.

Miss Sara Burson and Miss Mary Papleski spent Sunday at the Asher Hurlbert home.

But Burban sold his farm last week to an Iowa man for \$75-00 per acre. He expects to move to Tripp county, S. D., in the spring and improve the claim he drew.

One of Sholes' enterprising and up-to-date young men is out with a subscription paper trying to raise the necessary cash to build a dance hall in Sholes. In our opinion Sholes needs a dance hall just about as bad as it does a saloon.

Aster Hurlbert has the largest pile of corn that we ever saw on the ground. There is at present over 5,000 bushels in the pile and perhaps near 3,000 bushels more in the field yet that will be put in this same pile. It is over 20 feet high he unloads the wagons with an Eclipse Elevator.

Prof. Otto Voget Returns.

Otto A. Voget, who left Wayne about six months ago on a European trip for a New York City violin importing house, has returned to the states and will visit his parents here during the holidays, being expected next Sunday. While here he will have with him a collection of old violins that he secured in Europe and will have them on exhibition at the Voget hardware. He invites old friends or all lovers of good, old violins to call and see them, and will sell a number of the instruments. They will be on exhibition about December 21st. Otto is probably the best opinion on violins in the country, having the necessary education and travel to make him a connoisseur on the subject.

THE DEMOCRAT is always pleased to fill your orders for job work.

ONLY SIX MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

It is undoubtedly true that the greatest degree of satisfaction with the purchase of your Christmas gifts will be secured where variety and value assert themselves most strongly--conditions which certainly prevail in the big Holiday stocks here. Most unusual opportunities are presented for making gratifying selections from the enormous stock shown here.

Christmas Furs

Our stock of Furs was never more complete than it is today, and we are showing values which have never been offered before in Wayne. SCARFS, \$1.50 to \$20.00

Xmas Candy and Nuts

Biggest variety of Candies ever shown can be found in our Candy department, and at prices which appeal to the careful buyer.

*Shipment of CHRISTMAS TREES just received.



Special for Friday and Saturday Only

LADIES' \$15.00 COATS

We find on looking over our stock we have twelve of these priced Coats left, and for these days only are going to make a special price for **\$9.00**

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

Nothing like them ever shown, and at such LOW prices. We have everything--Drums, Dolls, Doll Furniture, Doll Carts, Wagons, Mechanical Toys, Games of all kinds, Doll Houses, Ships, in fact you can find anything you want here.



Xmas Handkerchiefs

Biggest display ever shown in Wayne. All the newest patterns. We have a lot of Fancy Handkerchiefs put up in fancy boxes for Men, Women and Children, just the thing for Christmas.

SHOES! SHOES!

Just the Christmas present for father, mother or the children.

White House Shoes for Men
White House Shoes for Women
Buster Brown Shoes for Children
Just received big shipment of Suit Cases for Xmas.

Store for Everybody

Public School Gymnasium.

We believe that our splendid community fully realizes the fact that this is PUBLIC SCHOOL YEAR in the largest sense of the word. We note with such satisfaction that what we have so long hoped and longed for is being realized in the erection of a beautiful, commodious and modern public school building. We cannot hope to have all the departments opened at once, but with the hearty co-operation of the citizens of Wayne--which we believe we shall have--splendid things may be accomplished. There are two movements on foot, one for the furnishing of the Kindergarten room, the other of the gymnasium. As regards the latter, we feel that with the better physical training and development of the body comes the better equipment of the mind. The ladies of the Monday club have undertaken to raise all the money possible to be applied on the furnishing of the gymnasium. They have decided to open a public subscription list. What is given will be something built into the permanent machinery of our public school system which we can make what we will. And let us not forget that our children will reap the benefits of this department. Pledges on this list need not be redeemed before August 1st. Following is list to date:

Monday Club	\$150.00
Donald Wightman	5.00
Mrs. W. C. Wightman	5.00
Total	160.00

Mrs. W. C. Wightman, Pres. Monday Club.

Winside.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cullen were passengers for Omaha Wednesday morning. Tom Lound was in Wayne Monday morning between trains. The Owl Time Club met Saturday night at the E. W. Cullen home. Mrs. Dr. McIntyre and L. S. Needham were the lucky ones and Mr. A. H. Carter and Joe Cullen took last night's train. Tonight the third number of our lecture course will be presented. The LaDell-Fox Concert Company comes very highly recommended and ought to be well patronized. Yesterday the Woman's Club received a consignment of about one hundred new books for the library. Our library now ranks with those of towns several times the size of Winside, due entirely to the efforts of the ladies of the club. Yesterday morning at 3 o'clock, Mrs. Bayes, who has been an invalid for a number of years, passed away. Besides the entire community, she leaves to mourn her death a large family of sons and daughters, William and Gertrude Bayes, Mrs. Frank Perrin of Winside, Mrs. William Schrumpp of Laurel, Wis., Bayes of Sioux City, and a son in Omaha and two daughters in Ohio. The funeral was held at 1:30 o'clock today, at the house and interment at the Winside cemetery. Monday evening, the Owl Time Club perpetrated a surprise party on Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rue, living three miles southeast of town. Most of the party found transportation to the scene of the fuss in a hay rack provided for the occasion. After spending the evening at cards a big oyster supper was served. The general good time which the club always has had on this occasion and all voted Mr. and Mrs. Rue royal entertainers on short notice. Kate's Christmas present is just what you have been looking for. Saturday night, Mrs. A. T. Chapin will entertain the Woman's Club and the husbands of its members. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bright of Wayne will be the guests of honor, each of whom will talk about their experiences and observations while in the Philippines. To make the event more realistic and to lend inspiration to the speakers, those in attendance will dress in Filipino customs. It has not yet been determined what each will wear but it is known that Dr. McIntyre and A. H. Carter will represent ten year old Filipino boys in the northeast corner of Chastley Bright's Manila yard at three o'clock in the afternoon and will wear the customs appropriate to the occasion. Ed. Cullen will represent a Moro chief and will wear a ring in his nose. Len Needham will represent a Filipino belle taking her afternoon siesta and will wear the regalia appropriate to that degree. Dr. Cherry will represent Manila bay with the American war ships in the harbor; I. O. Brown will represent Manila 200 year before the Christian era, and will appear in full dress; and Will Templeton will represent Filipino boys gathering coconuts 9 miles northeast of Bright's school. Dan Cavanaugh will represent a water buffalo on his way to a native home; Joe Cullen will first represent Godiva, after which Judge Norris passing the death sentence on a chicken thief. Lew Jones and A. T. Chapin will appear in a combination suit and will represent Filipino girls exchanging chewing gum, and will also dress appropriately. H. E. Sman and George Lewis will represent the Filipino after being civilized and capable of self government, and the remainder of the bunch will represent the seven millions paid by the United States to Spain. Rev. W. M. Kearn went to Sioux City Saturday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Maher of Carroll were in the City Saturday. Have you seen the offer that Kate is making? See the ad. A prominent young couple of Wayne are having a good deal of domestic trouble, according to "talk of the town," the wife having left for her home in Lincoln, and a divorce now pending, so the DEMOCRAT is told. Cruelty is the charge, as this paper understands it. John Lieneman returned today from South Dakota. Mrs. Pearl Walling and children of Winside are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Harmon. Will Crossland, who is attending law school at the State University, in his sophomore year, won the State oratorical contest, all his competitors being seniors. The prize was only \$25, but the honor was very creditable. His subject was "National Reform," Geo. W. Berge being one of the judges.

COMMISSIONER PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Neb., Dec. 11th, 1908.
Board met as per adjournment. All members present. The following claims were on motion audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn:

Adam Grier, road work	\$ 4.00
Andrew Sorenson, tiling	35.28
Fred Soderberg, road work	18.00
Alexander Scott, grader work	92.00
D W Legan,	72.00
Alexander Scott,	66.00
Pio Anderson, ditching	31.39
Geo Berres, road work	91.00
Fred Hansen,	8.25
Edward Hageman,	6.75
Henry Daum,	3.70
Elbert Chichester,	4.50
Chas Pflueger,	9.50
Frank Pflueger,	3.75
Fred Pflueger,	12.50
R H Skiles,	21.00
John Berguson,	3.00
W A K Neely,	18.00
Frank Sederstrom,	30.50
M L Lower,	3.00
Henry Baker,	7.50
W H Gilderleeve,	4.50
John Newman,	15.00
John Grier,	6.00
H Frevet,	6.00
A E Gilderleeve,	5.62
L Greenwald,	6.00
Fred Pflueger,	107.75
G Cordes,	4.50
F Warnemunde,	3.00
Otto Kaman,	3.00
W M Bell,	3.00
Sam Jenkins,	3.00
Sam Jones,	3.00
Wm Noerenberg,	3.00
E F Stamm,	3.00
Levi Diltz,	22.50
Milton Pullen,	3.00
Silas Dillon,	6.00
Andrew Ring,	6.00
Malcolm McCorkindale, road work	21.00
Herman Lahr, road work	4.50
Fred Westerhold,	6.00
Gerhard Claussen,	7.50
H Heimann,	4.50
Fritz Meine,	3.00
John Leuck,	4.50
M D Coleman,	3.75
S Livinghouse,	9.00
Daniel Baier,	3.00
Martin Holst,	6.00
Wm Witte,	21.00
Hens Anderson,	6.00
Henry Muhs,	3.00
Wm Schulz,	4.50
Thos Downey,	3.00
Jacob Longnecker,	35.00
Geo W Sweigard,	118.00
Victor Olsen,	3.00
A A Bell,	3.00
Fred Bruse,	3.00
Henry Tiedje,	3.00
Hans Gottsch,	3.00
Jenk Davis,	1.50
A Noerenberg,	3.00
Dan Legan,	6.00
Herman Winter,	3.75
E Harrigfeldt,	8.10
F M Hostetter,	4.50
W B Gamble,	4.50
C Livinghouse,	7.85
L G Ziegler,	22.00
L G Winsor,	9.00
Frank Schulte,	4.50
Louis Ulrich,	1.50
L D Dyssart,	1.50
H O Fahlkamp,	4.50
Otto Fleer,	6.00
Carl Mittlestadt,	5.25
Frank Miller,	19.50
Henry Zechin,	16.50
W G Ellis,	10.50
Christ Voss,	9.00
Otto Voss,	9.00
F Scherman,	3.00
P Scherman,	3.00
Paul Utecht,	6.90
Frel Muehlmeier,	9.00
Oscar Jonson,	7.00
Ed Marotz,	16.00
Robert Olds,	10.50
Wm Brugsman,	3.00
John Kersting,	4.50
And R Lundquist,	4.50
Ray Brown,	6.00
L W Brown,	20.00
Martin Muth,	3.00
D H Surber,	64.75
A J Wood,	6.00
Otis Stringer,	3.00
Wm Eckert,	33.00

Wm Eckert	45.00
Herman Ave	10.50
Wm Ave	21.00
F Scherman	3.00
Fritz Voss	3.00
Nels Johnson	3.00
R R Smith	3.00
Chas Brockman	3.00
Jorgen Nielson	3.00
P J Church	103.50
Wilber Vanfossen	3.00
Tom Dunn	12.00
David Jones	16.50
John A Heeren	3.00
Jas E Hancock	70.00
Ben Cox	60.00
W A Yaryan	18.75
Ed Behmer	9.00
Martin Haase	19.00
J G Foster	27.00
A J Weatherholt	3.00
Honey Bros	40.88
O W Edwards	14.25
Ellis Kenrick	9.00
W C Bruse	1.50
John L Davis	74.50
Geo F Drevesen	3.00
Evan Jenkins	8.25
C A Beaton	3.00
R R Miller	55.00
M Pritzon	7.00
J C Meink	7.00
Herman Rehms	17.25
Ludwig Rehms	7.40
A Herscheid	8.25
Willard Fletcher	5.25
H Ulrich	7.00
G A Lewis	7.00
Ward Williams	7.00
J H Brugger	1.75
John A Heeren	2.20
R R Smith	13.28
John Beebe	108.75
G Garwood	1.50
G W Yaryan	4.50
Louis Bredemeyer	4.50
W R Olmstead	4.00
D H Surber	4.00
Jas Baird	4.00
P W Oman	4.00
F E Moses	4.00
J S Gamble	4.00
Clyde Oman	4.00
C W Weeces	4.00
M H Lewis	4.00
Wilo Krenke	4.00
True Prescott	4.00
John Harder	4.00
Adm H Watson	4.00
Adam Grier	4.00
Thos Brockman	4.00
Ned Lloyds	4.00
Geo Berres	4.00
Aug Thies	4.00
Henry Frevert	4.00
Jacob A Gasper	4.00
Geo F Thies	4.00
H H Taylor	4.00
O S Gamble	4.00
Henry Stumpf	4.00
W L Cunningham	4.00
W A K Neely	4.00
C A Killian	4.00
J J Chilcott	4.00
Herman Longe	4.00
A Goreham	4.00
G Henry Albers	4.00
J H Mitchell	4.00
Geo B Aistrophe	4.00
Chas E Heikes	4.00
Fred Diltz	4.00
Henry Brittain	4.00
J L Root	4.00
H E Griggs	4.00
Pat Dixon	4.00
J R Rundell	4.00
C A Chace	4.00
O J Buffington	4.00
Jas Bush	4.00
H Kellogg	4.00
Henry Merriman	4.00
Wm M Goodyear	4.00
J E Harmon	4.00
M E Root	4.00

Costs of November election of delivering ballot boxes to polls, 1.00
W I Porter Garfield precinct, 1.00
Robt Fenske, Hancock, 1.00
Geo W Yaryan, Deer Creek, 1.00
Jas Baird, Brenna, 1.00
True Prescott, Strahan, 1.00
Adam Grier, Wilbur, 1.00
J A Gasper, Plum Creek, 1.00
Oliver Gamble, Hunter, 1.00
C A Killian, Leslie, 1.00
Fees as Judges and Clerks of election, Hoskins, 1.00
Wm A Mass, Judge, 4.00
Ed Behmer, 4.00
Martin Haase, 4.00
J G Foster, clerk, 4.00
A J Weatherholt, 4.00
Garfield, 4.00
W I Porter, judge, 4.00
Ellis Kenrick, 4.00
W C Bruse, 4.00
John L Davis, clerk, 4.00
Geo F Drevesen, 4.00
Sherman, 4.00
Evan Jenkins, judge, 4.00
C A Beaton, 4.00
R R Miller, 4.00
M Pritzon, clerk, 4.00
J C Meink, 4.00
Hancock, 4.00
Herman Rehms, judge, 4.00
Ludwig Rehms, 4.00
A Herscheid, 4.00
Willard Fletcher, clerk, 4.00
H Ulrich, 4.00
Chapin, 4.00
G A Lewis, judge, 4.00
Ward Williams, 4.00
J H Brugger, 4.00
John A Heeren, clerk, 4.00
R R Smith, 4.00
Deer Creek, 4.00
John Beebe, judge, 4.00
G Garwood, 4.00
G W Yaryan, 4.00
Louis Bredemeyer, clerk, 4.00
W R Olmstead, 4.00
Brenna, 4.00
D H Surber, judge, 4.00
Jas Baird, 4.00
P W Oman, clerk, 4.00
F E Moses, 4.00
J S Gamble, 4.00
Strahan, 4.00
Clyde Oman, judge, 4.00
C W Weeces, 4.00
M H Lewis, 4.00
Wilo Krenke, clerk, 4.00
True Prescott, 4.00
Wilbur, 4.00
John Harder, judge, 4.00
Adm H Watson, 4.00
Adam Grier, 4.00
Thos Brockman, clerk, 4.00
Ned Lloyds, 4.00
Plum Creek, 4.00
Geo Berres, judge, 4.00
Aug Thies, 4.00
Henry Frevert, 4.00
Jacob A Gasper, clerk, 4.00
Geo F Thies, 4.00
Hunter, 4.00
H H Taylor, judge, 4.00
O S Gamble, 4.00
Henry Stumpf, 4.00
W L Cunningham, clerk, 4.00
W A K Neely, 4.00
Leslie, 4.00
C A Killian, judge, 4.00
J J Chilcott, 4.00
Herman Longe, clerk, 4.00
A Goreham, 4.00
G Henry Albers, 4.00
Logan, 4.00
J H Mitchell, judge, 4.00
Geo B Aistrophe, 4.00
Chas E Heikes, 4.00
Fred Diltz, clerk, 4.00
Henry Brittain, 4.00
Wayne 1st ward, 4.00
J L Root, judge, 4.00
H E Griggs, 4.00
Pat Dixon, 4.00
J R Rundell, clerk, 4.00
C A Chace, 4.00
Wayne 2nd ward, 4.00
O J Buffington, judge, 4.00
Jas Bush, 4.00
H Kellogg, 4.00
Henry Merriman, clerk, 4.00
Wm M Goodyear, 4.00
Waynd 3rd ward, 4.00
J E Harmon, judge, 4.00
M E Root, 4.00

Pat Coker, 4.00
Martin L. Ringer, clerk, 4.00
A E Bruster, 4.00
Winside, 4.00
Tom Lound, judge, 4.00
W G Ames, 4.00
Alfred Chandler, 4.00
Henry Troutman, clerk, 4.00
J H Prescott, 4.00
Returning ballot boxes to county clerk, 4.00
Ed Behmer, Hoskins, 4.00
W I Porter, Garfield, 4.00
E R Miller, Sherman, 4.00
A Herscheid, Hancock, 4.00
R R Smith, Chapin, 4.00
G W Yaryan, Deer Creek, 4.00
Jas Baird, Brenna, 4.00
C W Weeces, Strahan, 4.00
Adam Grier, Wilbur, 4.00
J A Gasper, Plum Creek, 4.00
O S Gamble, Hunter, 4.00
C A Killian, Leslie, 4.00
C E Hooks, Logan, 4.00
Tom Lound, Winside, 4.00
Ray Pridgen, content waived heretofore allowed at \$183.00, on July 20th, 1908, warrant ordered for \$182.00, and on Nov 17th, 1908, warrant ordered for \$150.00 and at this date warrant ordered for balance of 150.00
Comes now E. F. Feather, Clerk of the District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, and appoints Mary M. Feather, deputy of the district court, which appointment is confirmed by a bond approved. Board hereby orders county treasurer to transfer the amounts now in the several funds as follows: Alvin L. Schmitt, to the county general fund, \$100.00
Sinking fund, to the county general fund, \$100.00
Jail fund, to the county general fund, \$100.00
Insurance fund, to the county general fund, \$100.00
Comes now John and James Shannon, and says to this Board that for the year 1908 they were assessed on a valuation of \$1575 for the village of Carroll, when they should have been assessed on this amount for Deer Creek precinct, thereby escaping the city tax of 10 mills on the dollar, and they now ask for a refund of said tax which is paid under protest amounting to the sum of \$17.75.
Board after due consideration orders treasurer to refund to said John Shannon and James Shannon the village tax of \$17.75 so paid under protest for the year 1908, she der protest for which they are not liable.
Comes now the Merchants State Bank of Winside, Nebraska, by G. E. Frevert, its president, and objects to the assessment placed on it for the year 1908 amounting to the sum of \$625, when it had made its taxes \$350.00, and it now asks for a refund to the sum of \$275 which would leave to said bank for assessment and taxation, which would make the tax \$350.75; that they have paid the tax under protest and ask that the sum of \$17.75 be refunded to them.
Board after due consideration orders the sum to be refunded the tax of \$17.75 and orders treasurer to refund the same.
Comes now Wm. Reid, Clerk, and shows to this Board that for the year 1908 he was assessed on a valuation of \$2240, but through an oversight the same was not done. That this amount represented what he had paid out prior to the 1st day of April, but that the same was not shown on his schedule as it should have been. He therefore asks for a refund of tax on \$2240 actual valuation which amounts to the sum of \$29.68.
The Board after due consideration rejects said application for a refund of said tax of \$29.68, so paid under protest and orders treasurer to distribute the funds.
Whereupon Board adjourns to Dec. 22nd, 1908.
Chas. W. Reynolds, Clerk.

Edwards & Bradford Lbr. Co.	132.92
lumber and hardware	47.40
Childs & Johnson, lumber	323.38
J J Melick & Son, lumber	273.06
J J Melick & Son, lumber	271.29
J J Melick & Son,	161.04
John Harrington,	335.24
A J Colson Lbr. Co.,	34.10
A Woodrake, lumber, audited and allowed at \$851.36 on Nov. 17, 1908 and warrant ordered for \$451.36 and on this date warrant ordered for balance of 400.00	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$678.96, no warrant ordered.	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$713.20, no warrant ordered.	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$1011.55, no warrant ordered.	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$898.98, no warrant ordered.	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$1919.52, no warrant ordered.	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$1310.44, no warrant ordered.	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$887.80, no warrant ordered.	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$2000.68, no warrant ordered.	
Robt Z Drake, bridge work, audited and allowed at \$149.04, no warrant ordered.	
Comes now W. K. Heister, and shows to the Board that for the year 1908, he was assessed on 10 shares of stock in the Nebraska State Building & Loan association at \$100.00 per share, that he has paid said tax under protest amounting to the sum of \$11.00 as shown by receipt No. 350, that being the amount of tax he asks to have refunded, after deducting the tax on \$170.00 actual valuation, this amount representing just what amount had been paid into the Nebraska Building & Loan Association, to which this affiant raises no objection. Board after due consideration rejects said application for a refund of said tax, amounting to the sum of \$11.00 so paid under protest and orders treasurer to distribute the fund. Comes now Clara B. Ellis, by her agent C. H. Fisher and shows to the board that for the year 1908, she der protest for which they are not liable. Comes now C. F. Carpenter, and shows to this Board that for the year 1908, he was assessed on \$1200 representing cash and notes held by him; that there should have been a deduction of \$2240, but through an oversight the same was not done. That this amount represented what he had paid out prior to the 1st day of April, but that the same was not shown on his schedule as it should have been. He therefore asks for a refund of tax on \$2240 actual valuation which amounts to the sum of \$29.68. The Board after due consideration rejects said application for a refund of said tax of \$29.68, so paid under protest and orders treasurer to distribute the funds. Whereupon Board adjourns to Dec. 22nd, 1908. Chas. W. Reynolds, Clerk.	

The Guaranteed Watch FREE

To all boys under 16 years of age, with every \$5 worth of Boys Wearing Apparel for Christmas.

Dan Harrington

For \$25 worth of hardware, purchased at Otto Voegt's, you can get a talking machine free, providing you buy 25 records.

House for Rent.

Price no object, want it occupied apply W. B. VAIL, OPTICIAN

Married.

At the beautiful country home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Weeces, Dec. 16th, at 6 o'clock, in the presence of the immediate family and a few friends, Miss Alta E. Weeces and Leo M. Rodgers, Rev. Parker Smith, pastor of the First Baptist church, performing the ceremony. The young people have a wide circle of friends and are held in the highest esteem by all who know them, and everywhere we hear good words and the best wishes for them in their married life. May health and prosperity attend them all along the journey of life.

Lost.

One brown spring mare colt. Return to or inform GEO. LUSH.



Our Deposits Grow

Because the people of Wayne county realize that we are giving excellent service in our manner of handling the banking business.

The Reason is Plain.

As it is due to courteous treatment to all and liberal accommodation combined with safety.

We especially solicit YOUR business.

State Bank of Wayne

CAPITAL, \$60,000 No. 9244
CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK
WAYNE, NEB.
A. L. Tucker, Pres. D. C. Main, Cash.
H. C. Henney, V. Pres.
H. B. Jones, Asst. Cashier.
We do all kinds of good banking.

USEFUL HOLIDAY GIFTS

Come in and see our choice selection of valuable articles suitable for Holiday Presents. We cannot mention but a few of them:

Hardware Department
 Universal Ranges
 Community Silverware
 Rochester Nickel Ware
 Guns and Rifles
 Eldridge Sewing Machines
 Pocket Knives
 Carving Sets
 Skates of all kinds
 Shamrock Enamel Ware

Music Department
 Pianos
 Talking Machines & Records
 Violins and Supplies
 Accordions, Harmonicas
 Guitars and Mandolins
 Clarinets and Music Racks
 Music Satchels

Sale of Popular Up-to-date Sheet Music from December 10th to 24th, at 15c a copy.

Voget's Hardware and Music Store

Christmas Presents

AT

BARRETT & DALLY'S

- Chafing Dishes at \$4.50 to \$8.50
- Serving Dishes at 1.50 to 3.50
- Pocket Knives at .10 to 1.25
- Safety Razors at .25 to 7.50
- Air Guns at 1.00 to 1.50
- Shot Guns at 5.00 to 22.50
- Skates at .75 to 1.25

Community Silverware

An eight-day Clock to be given away
 Guess the time it will stop
 Pts free

BARRETT & DALLY

PHONE 144

College Notes

Persons wishing roomers or boarders for the winter would do well to advise the college officers soon to that effect.

John Cunningham was called home Friday evening by the serious illness of his sister. He expects to return next term and go on with the course.

Prof. Sauntry gave the last Saturday lecture for the term to a Chapel full of students on the 12th. His subject was "The Man Who Knows."

Regular term examinations will be held Thursday of this week and the papers returned on Friday so that the students may leave on Saturday morning for their vacation.

Rev. Sharp addressed the Young Men's Christian Association last Sunday on the subject of "The Characteristics of a Christian." A large number of young men enjoyed this address.

George McEachen enrolled this week in order to get his books in the Actual Business department in good shape for office work at the beginning of the new term.

The musical entertainment Saturday was a splendid success in every way. Each number showed much preparation. A social in the gymnasium, in charge of the literary societies followed the musical.

The graduating classes elected the following officers for next term: President, Pat Sauntry, Platte, S. D.; vice-president, Myra Flaherty, Pender; secretary, Alta Elwood, Creighton; treasurer, Robert Moore, Decatur.

We neglected last week to mention the bazaar held by the Y. W. C. A., in the Association rooms on the first Saturday of the month. Christmas gifts, pennants and candy were on sale and nearly \$30 cleared for the treasury.

The office is having a great many calls for teachers to go to teaching after the holidays. A large number of these calls we have been unable to fill, as all those who wish schools have secured good ones.

James H. Pile has just finished a complete outline for agriculture which will be used in the classes in that department. A number of young men and some young women are taking this work and all are enjoying it. Next term a special Agriculture Club will be organized to meet once a week.

The basket ball team in charge of Prof. Hunter went to Bancroft Friday afternoon where they played the Bancroft team. The College team won the game by a score of 29 to 12. The young men all speak very highly of the good treatment received at the hands of the Bancroft people. A return game will be played here sometime next term.

Miss Kingsbury will spend vacation at her home in Defiance, Ohio; the Misses Bellows will visit relatives at Winnebago, Minn.; Miss Hewins will be with home folks in Norfolk; Prof. Sauntry and Prof. Hunter will be at their homes in South Dakota; Prof. Herrell will go to St. Joseph, Mo. Miss Van Conett will visit home folks in Holt county and Prof. Puffer and family will go to Randolph.

LOCAL NEWS.

J. T. Bressler and family returned from Omaha on Monday evening, where they had been in attendance at the corn show.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellor and daughter Eva, were over Sunday visitors at Omaha taking in the corn show.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Philleo went to Omaha on Tuesday morning where they will visit the corn exposition and look over some plans for the new residence.

Mrs. J. H. Kate was a Monday visitor in Sioux City.

A. B. Clark, accompanied by his niece was in Sioux City Monday to see his doctor.

C. E. West, south of town, says he cribbed 1375 bushels of corn for Gamble & Fox to shell, and it weighed out from the sheller 1540 bushels of nice, clean grain. It must have been mighty good corn to over-run or else it was due to an extra effort on the part of the shellers.

Postmaster Tracy was a Tuesday visitor from Winside.

Atty. Paul was up from Wakefield Tuesday.

John Alger is home from his Iowa trip and resumed his job at Rundell's.

Perry Hughes and I. W. Alter returned home Tuesday from Omaha.

GAERTNERS!

Headquarters for Useful, Desirable, Durable and Sensible HOLIDAY GIFTS

Largest stock of the kind North of Omaha. Every branch is now complete for your inspection. Hundreds of Bargains for everybody; we are overstocked. Take advantage of the season; give something useful.

Rockers

We have about 400 rockers to select from. Staple and Fads. Colonial solid mahogany, Mission Weathered or Early English; Sewing and Bed Room rockers in Bird's Eye Maple, Mahogany, Tuna Mahogany, Circasion Walnut and many finishes in **\$1.50 to \$8.00**
 Oak, from **\$1.98 to 25.00**
 Large Arm Rockers from

Pictures

Our Picture Stock always has been our pride and is now larger than ever before. Every Picture a Special.

Pastels, Water Colors, Hard Colored Plates, Steel Engravings and Etchings.

A 16x20, Deep, Florentine Gold frame fitted with fruits and landscapes, sells anywhere from \$4.00 to \$5.00:

Special at \$1.98

Pianos and Organs

Rugs and Draperies

\$2,500 stock of Rugs, consisting of all makes and sizes. Every one a Special Oriental, several kinds of Wilton, Velvets Colonial Velvets, Brussels, Body Brussels Seamless Tapestries.

9x12, nine wire, at **\$11.00**

8³x10⁶ Saxony Axminster **\$20.00**

9x12 " **\$22.50**

These are but a few prices. Every Rug is CUT IN PRICE.

COUCHES

We carry the Famous Acme Hygiene Couches, GUARANTEED for 5 Years.

The best Verona Couches **\$10**
 You Ever Saw

White and Free
 Sewing Machines!

Bed Room Furniture:

Latest Louis IX design in Oak Napoleon Oak, Mahogany, Tuna Mahogany, Colonial designs in Oak. Golden Suits from \$20 up. Suits all Finished. All Specials at bargain prices.

Every Thing

for dining room. Full Suits in Mission, Colonial and Golden Oak, Odo. Prices in China Closets from \$17.00 to \$40.00. Buffets from \$17.00 to \$50.00. famous Hanson or Solid Pedestal Extension Tables from \$15.00 to \$35.00.

Chairs from 98c to \$6.50 each. 98c chair, solid oak, high back, cane or imitation leather seat.

We have to discontinue use of one of our large storage rooms, and need more room in store, so will make a big reduction on every article we have in stock.

This will afford an unusual opportunity to give sensible and muchly appreciated Holiday Gifts.

J. P. GAERTNER

Please Bring 'Em Back.

The party who borrowed a pair of crutches from Tom Farrand several months ago is requested to bring them back at once as they are now needed.

A dainty lunch—hot coffee and homemade sandwich—at Whalen's, is what a faint stomach needs.

Messrs Benschhof and Priest were in Wakefield yesterday drumming up more recruits for the big class that joins the M. W. A., tomorrow night.

FARM FOR RENT—Address Mrs. Bertha Wiedenfeld, Wayne, Neb.

Roy Jeffery has leased the Boyd barber shop and invites all his old patrons and new ones to "come back" and patronize him

Mike Healy, who drew a claim and moved to the Rosebud country four years ago, yesterday sold his half section near Burke to Chris Weible of Winside for \$40 per acre, making M. T. a small fortune in a very short time. The Healeys want to move to where there are better school facilities. Relatives here think it unlikely they will come back to Wayne.

Lou Winsor will have his sale on Jan. 6th. A lot of good horses, mules, cattle, machinery and household goods will be sold.

Wm. Mears and Jack Liveringhouse were in Sioux City yesterday.

There was another change in the barbers trade Monday. Roy Jeffery taking the Boyd shop and Clarence Mitchell taking a hike back to Carroll, evidently a muchly disappointed young man.

Delays are dangerous in treating the eyes when glasses are needed. DO IT TODAY! Go to Optician Vail, get a free examination and properly fitted spectacles.

If your furnace is not giving satisfaction see Barrett & Dally they have an expert furnace man.

For a Farmers' Elevator.

The Wayne Commercial club is now taking steps to have a Farmers' elevator put in at Wayne, or at least investigating the proposition. The DEMOCRAT understands from Secretary Sweet that about all the farmers east of town are marketing their grain at Wakefield at the Farmers' elevator which pays a much better price than the private or corporation managed institutions. The business men of Wayne could well afford to get together and put in a lumber yard, coal yard and grain elevator—for the mutual benefit of the whole town.

Winside Tribune: One of those accidents that makes a person sick to think of happened Saturday and a young man, Herman Glaser, was the victim. As we hear it, Mr. Glaser bought a corn sheller and the second time he used it undertook to tighten a bur near a cog wheel. He had on one of the mittens that has two thumbs and in reaching over one of the thumbs was caught in the cogs, instantly pulling his hand in and severing every finger and even the thumb leaving but the stump of his left hand. Mr. Glaser is a young man with little property, having just started out for himself and this accident is particularly bad for that reason. We understand he is getting along as well as could be expected.

STOLEN—A black and white bird dog. Any information leading to his recovery will be rewarded.

REV. PARKER SMITH, Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cullen and John Prince and son of Winside were visitors to Omaha yesterday to see the corn display.

F. E. Strahan, Hamer Wilson and Henry Klipping were among corn show visitors to Omaha yesterday morning.

They feed the people at Whalen's and the people like it.

A choice sandwich and cup of hot chocolate or coffee at Whalen's is better than a whole meal found in some places.

The DEMOCRAT prints the sale bills—the large, easily read kind—for the least money.

The DEMOCRAT is in receipt of a letter from Pete Wagoner, Canton, S. D., enclosing a subscription for 1909, so Peter must be doing well in his new home.

John Meister takes charge of the hotel Boyd today. The implement business will be conducted as heretofore by Meister & Bluechel only more directly under the management of Mr. Bluechel. Mr. Meister is an old hotel man, and having plenty of help in his own family will no doubt be successful in the business.

Whalen is still dishing out those elegant drinks at a nickel per—

A Personal Appeal

If we could talk to you personally about the great merit of Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs colds and lung trouble, you never could be induced to experiment with unknown preparations that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of forty years of cures. Raymond's Drug Store.

Damrosch says there would be fewer divorces if classical music was brought into the homes. No doubt. Too many people chew ragtime.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, as it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Raymond's Drug Store.

If the Panama canal is all straight, why it may not be such a big job for Uncle Sam to dig it.

THE HABIT OF SAVING



The Love of Accumulating a Competence Grows on People

At first they don't think much about it, but with time comes the reluctance to draw out even a penny of their little store.

To Make Saving Easier

We are giving out a Beautiful Pocket Savings Bank

so you can save when the inclination seizes you. Call today and get one.

First National Bank
 Oldest Bank in Wayne County
 Wayne, Nebraska

Took the Premiums.

At the great International Stock show at Chicago the past month the Angus cattle took first premiums over all the other breeds. We have some choice thoroughbreds for sale, all ages.

FRANZ MOSES & SON.

Nearly everybody knows DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills made. They are small, pleasant, sure Little Liver pills. Sold by J. T. Leahy.

The Poor Man's Place

John H. Rehder

And we respectfully request all old patrons of Herman Mildner and Carl Thomsen to call and see us, and all others who wish the best of wines and liquors at the lowest prices. All kinds of case beer, California wines, brandies and whiskies, and cigars

John H. Rehder, Proprietor

A Story for Sporty Boys.

(Edgar Howard in Columbus Telegram.)
 The boy was rolling a cigarette when the other boy asked him to join the Y. M. C. A. Bizarrely the victim of the cigarette replied: "Not any of your Sunday school business for me. That's good enough for me, and for Mamma boys." Wait a minute, my boy, while I tell you a story about a "mamma" boy. He was about fourteen years old and his name was Lew. He was a natural home boy spending much of his spare time with his mother and sisters seldom taking part in the rough sports of neighbor boys of his age. He had a brother two years younger. The younger lad was full of sporting blood. In those old days the village Sunday school was held in the afternoon, instead of at the present morning hour. After a big Sunday dinner the younger brother and his companions appealed to Lew to join them in a trip down by the creek where they might find something in the nature of fun. Lew said he had promised to attend Sunday school with his sisters, and could not go. The other boys laughed at his allegiance to his sisters and some of them intimated that a boy could never be much of a man as long as he paid so much attention to girls and Sunday school. But Lew was true to his promise, and the neighbor boys made the trip without him. The younger brother did not return home at the hour of the usual meal, and mother was uneasy. Lew was not a tattletale, and so he did not tell mother where the boys had gone, but he did offer to try to find them. Directing his steps to the old swimming hole in Keg creek, he arrived in time to see men and boys running wildly along the bank, and uttering cries for help. He soon saw the reason for the commotion. It was caused by his younger brother, who had slipped off a log into deep water. The boy could not swim, and was drowning because the very eyes of his boy companions and several men. No one was brave enough to go to the rescue. It was a gloomy evening. Great elm trees overhung the dark waters at the old swimming hole and a superstitious fear made every boy and man afraid to leap into the water in an effort to save the drowning boy. This fear was greatly increased by the fact that only a few days before a grown man had been drowned near the place where the boy was struggling for his life. Lew couldn't swim a lick. He pleaded with some of the larger boys and men to jump in and save his brother. But fear had numbed everyone of them, and not a move would they make. Finding all efforts vain what do you suppose that "mamma" boy did? Do you think he sat down and cried? No, not much. He just jumped boldly into the water, grabbed his drowning brother and tried to save him. He did not succeed, but he tried. The drowning boy clung wildly to his rescuer, and escape would have been impossible, even if Lew had known how to swim. Desperately the two boys struggled and struggled, but it was a losing fight, and at last the waters closed over them, and they sank to the bottom, locked in each other's arms. Just then Fred and Ed Bobyshele, proprietors of the village dry goods store, appeared. The boys on the bank pointed to the spot where the two boys had gone down. Without waiting to take off their clothes the two men dived into the water and came up with the unfortunates. The younger boy had been in the water longest, and to all appearances he was dead. Lew had not been in so long,

spent his first words were an inquiry about his younger brother, with not a word about himself. I tell his story just to show my boy friends in Columbus that it is possible for a "mamma" boy to have real stuff in him when put to the test, and also to show that other boys who laugh at the "mamma" boy may be sure cowards in the face of danger. Lew did not live to become a strong man, but he lived long enough to convince his mates that a "Sunday school boy" is not necessarily a weakling. This is a true story, boys. It was there. That noble boy, Lew, was my brother, and it was for me he willingly risked his life when the sporty element in our crowd was too cowardly to offer a hand of help. Stay out of the Y. M. C. A., and the Sunday school if you want to boys, but don't blow cigarette smoke in my face and tell me that you are made of any better stuff than the "mamma" boy who goes to such places, and who spends more time with mother and sisters than with the sports. I have seen the Sunday school boy play the part of a real hero and I have seen those who laughed at him play the part of cowards.

Ganderbone's Dec. Forcast.

Save, brothers, save with care,
 A nickel here and a nickel there—
 A two-bit piece will fill the tum
 Of some small celebrant with gum
 Nigger-toes, peanuts, bum-bum,
 Apples, raisins, lemon drops,
 Popcorn, suckers, caramels,
 Fiberts, taffy, butterscoch,
 Walnuts, figs and angel cake—
 Save for the Christmas belly-ache.
 Save, brothers, save your dough,
 Save for the stockings in a row—
 A four-bit piece will buy a sled,
 A pair of boots unpoistered red,
 A doll with skull grass on her head,
 A teddy bear, a horn, a drum,
 An airgun, jack-knife pair of skates,
 Magic lantern, doll-house, game,
 A box of soldiers made of tin—
 Save for the Christmas morning din.
 Save, brothers, save for keeps,
 Save for the night nobody sleeps—
 A six-bit piece will buy a book,
 A piece of cat fur for the nook,
 A picture for the empty nook,
 A box of holiday cigars,
 A hatpin, slippers, pair of mitts,
 A dozen handkerchiefs, a shirt,
 A piece of neckwear new and strange,
 Save for the annual exchange.
 December was the tenth month in the old Roman year, and gets its name from the Latin decem (10). But what with forest fires in the middle of autumn, the Roman Fire Department had no time to put out Christmas trees, and when Numa's own palace burned he re-arranged the calendar and moved Christmas along to a time when the fireman had nothing else on.
 The frisky calf will sniff the morn and merrily cavort, and the frost will nip him where his scant upholstery is short. The boys will hook to Sunday school with fine religious fire, the hired man will bang around unworthy of his hire, the warning goose will hurry south on frantic wings a-rattle, with winter urging him along, where Cora wore the bundle.
 The melancholy days will come, and Boreas will roar; the wolf will thrust his muzzle through the key hole in

ONLY SIX MORE DAYS

AFTER today there will be left only **SIX** more days in which to do your Christmas buying. We have made extra preparations to have on hand what you want to make shopping easy for you and to give, as always, the very best values. Call at our store and see if we cannot offer many valuable suggestions. The prices on everything are in plain figures, and you can look through the store and decide at your leisure upon purchases you wish to make.

- Merry Xmas for HIM**
- Men's Fine Linen Handkerchiefs, priced very low, 10c to 50c
 - Men's and Boys' Fancy Ties in all the new creations, 25c to \$1
 - Men's Hose, in cotton or worsted, in the topsy or shawnit, 15c to 50c
 - Men's and Boys' Fancy Suspenders in Xmas packages, 25c to \$1
 - Men's Armlets, in nice packages, for gifts, 25c
 - Men's Flexo Hose Supporters, fancy, 25c
 - Men's and Boys' Mufflers, in all the popular colors, 50c to \$1
 - Men's Gloves, for dress or service, 75 to \$1.50
 - Men's and Boy's Winter Mittens, almost every kind, 25c to \$2
 - Suit Cases, in any quality—nothing better for a gift \$1 to \$8
 - Men's and Boys' Shirts, in almost every kind—dress shirts, serviceable shirts, warm shirts, 50c to 2.25
 - Men's Sweater Coats, all small sizes, the larger sizes having been sold out, \$1.25 to 2.50

- SUITS AND COATS**
- Down they go. It is necessary on account of our large stock to reduce prices on Cloaks and Suits.
 - All 25.00 Suits \$19.00
 - All 22.50 Suits 16.50
 - All other Suits accordingly.
 - All 25.00 Coats, 19.00
 - All 22.50 Coats, 16.50
 - All 18.00 Coats, 15.00
 - All other Coats accordingly.

- Merry Xmas for HER**
- Women's Linen Handkerchiefs, 5c to \$1.00
 - Back Combs, 25c to 2.25
 - Collars and Neckwear, 25c to 1.75
 - Belts, 25c to 2.00
 - Hand Bags, 50c to 5.00
 - Silk Scarfs, 1.25 to 1.75
 - Knit Scarfs, long, 1.00
 - All Table Linen, 1.00 to 2.25
 - Napkins to match, up to 5.00
 - Fine Rugs, 54x27 3.00
 - Gloves, Golf, Kid or Mocha, 25 to 1.75
 - Silk Waist Patterns, 3.50 to 4.50
 - Plain Silks, all colors, 50c to 1.00
 - Worsted Dress Patterns, per yd. 50c to 1.50
 - Furs—large range from which to choose, priced all the way from 1.00 to 15.00
 - Muffs—a very good lot, 4.00 to 10.00
 - Dress Skirts, 5.00 to 12.00
 - Silk Petticoats, 6.00 and 8.00
 - Nearsilk and Heatherbloom Skirts, 1.00 to 2.75
 - Waists, in a very nice assortment, up to 7.00
 - Mercerized Waist Patterns, 1.45
- Sofa pillows, drawn work doilies, dresser scarfs and many kinds of fancy work.

- Everything for the Xmas Feast**
- Best California Peaches, 25c
 - Best California Apricots, 15c
 - Best California Pears, 25c
 - Standard Canned Peaches, 15c
 - Standard Apricots, 15c
 - Hominy, per can, 10c
 - Saur-Kraut, per can, 10c
 - Pumpkin, per can, 15c
 - Sweet Potatoes, 15c
 - Navel Oranges, per dozen, 35c
 - Baldwin Apples, per bbl., 4.50
 - Cranberries, per qt. 15c
 - Nuts, all kinds, per lb. 20c
 - Xmas Candy, all kinds, 10c to 18c
 - Best Mince Meat, per pkg. 10c
 - Best Apple Butter, 20c to 35c
 - Salad Dressing, 10c

Where it is possible everything that we sell from now until the holidays will be put up in neat Christmas boxes. It will be our aim to see that every person calling at our store be promptly waited upon.

Orr & Morris Co. Wayne, Nebraska

Good for \$2.50 CASH
 With every Suit or Overcoat from \$17.50 to \$25.00.
 Void after December 25, 1908.

..CASH..
XMAS PRESENTS
 For Everybody!

Good for \$2.00 CASH
 With every Suit or Overcoat from \$10.00 to \$15.00.
 Void after December 24, 1908.

THE people of this community have been very kind to us during the past year, and our trade has greatly increased over previous years, therefore we feel that we want to make it possible for every one to receive a present from us. It is not possible for us to have a suitable present for all our customers, but the cash will enable you to buy something you want. To receive this present you will have to present these coupons after you have made your purchase, and you will be paid in cash. No coupon will be received after December 24th, 1908, and no one will be paid unless the coupon is presented the same day you purchase a suit. Cut out these coupons and bring them to us and get the cash and buy something that will please you and you will be happy and so will we.

Our stock was never so complete as it is now, and everything is marked in plain figures, so that every one will pay alike and only those having coupons will receive a cash present.

We would like to describe the many things we have suitable for Christmas presents, but our space will not permit such description. We will have arranged for your convenience everything in sight, and you can't afford to not take a look at these beautiful things before you buy your presents. We hope to see you before Christmas evening, and trust you will present some coupons and get the cash present.

Good for \$1.50 CASH
 With every Suit or Overcoat from \$6.00 to \$9.00.
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J.H. Kate
One Price Clothier

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and they thought they might revive him. Some boys ran for the village doctor, and the other boys helped the rescuers roll the water out of the drowned boys, and finally both showed signs of life, and in the end were fully restored. When the rollers got enough water out of Lew so that he could

the door. He'll sniff the scent of bacon, bought at 30 cents a pound, and plain potatoes by the box with tattie wrapped around; and every time we chase him off and bid him to get his den, the brats will pump his stomach out and sic him on again.

The water pipes will all explode, And give the house a jar; The plumber's chaffeur will get out The throbbing roaring car, But while relief is on the way To plug the gushing spout, The car will have a hemorrhage And blow its innards out.

The unemancipated wife will quit her cozy bed and build the fire that while her lord pretends that he is dead. She'll wrap herself up in her hair and silver in the dawn, and chop the kindling, hustle coal and turn the damper on; and while she

freezes till she turns the hue of a per simmon, the scientists will wonder why the men outlive the women. Milady's winter suit will cost A fifty dollar note, But man will face the blitzard in The same old overcoat. The cook will gasoline the fire, And the choir, in sweet accord, Will sing on Sunday at the house, "O, I am coming, Lord!" On the 21st, the sun will enter Capricorn, and the winter solstice will occur. This will cause trusts to spawn, and the yule tide will come in. Solstice is from sol (the sun) and sistere (to stand). Thus, having touched its turning point south of the equator, the sun temporarily stands still. This was where Joshua held it up, from which we have our word josh. Anybody can do it. At any rate, the 21st will be the shortest day of the year, and we shall pass under the influence of Capricorn, the goat. This is the tenth sign of the zodiac. It was represented on the ancient monuments as an old man with the body of a goat, which signifies that during the Christmas season father is the goat. The Christmas shoppers' Marathon Will happen as of yore, And the little savings bank will chase The presents round the store. The unashed dollar will pursue The frightened Teddy Bear, The crowd will trample on the clerks And pull each other's hair; The young and old will pull and push, And mill around and butt, And Santa Claus in terror will Take to the tail uncut. And then the fateful Christmas Eve will come with wintry weather, and Morgan will hang up his shirt with both tails pinned together; and anything by way of luck that manages to miss its yawning neck we're welcome to, O joy, and double bliss! The happy kids will rise at morn With rapture at the bat, And get down twenty-seven steps With turn in nothing flat. The tickled heart of youth will dance And sing its wondrous luck, The cautious boy will climb the flue To see if any stuck, The house will oscillate with joy, The breakfast will be late, And old John D. will get the earth For thirty winters straight. Mr. Roosevelt will give a big game dinner at the White House Christmas day. All the big lion hunters of the world will attend, and there will be a roaring contest, with favors. The pass word for this month is supplied by the Kaiser William. Mum is the

word. The moon will be full on the 7th, and there will be bad weather around 26 Broadway every day but Sunday. The mistletoe will tempt the maid Beneath the chandelier. The loving swain will halt and start Betwixt his love and fear, And then dash in with beating heart And chew her pushing ear. The birthstone for December is the onyx. This is because children are onyxpected at a time when the stork has to make his deliveries in a fireless cooker. Then Leap Year will have run its course With little to its merit, And the spinster who has missed her chance Will have to buy a parrot. **"Raymond Stone" Released.** Yesterday's World-Herald said. Raymond Stone, a convict against whom complaint was made that he alienated a wife's affections while on parole, has had his original pardon revoked and will be paroled again to another farmer in the same vicinity in which he worked before. This is in Wayne county. His uncle is his present guardian. (Raymond Stone will be better known to a Wayne audience as E. Roy Surber.) You can't help being tagged, Saturday, Dec. 19. Special discount of 10 per cent on all cloth over coats will be given till Christmas. DAN HARRINGTON. John Lempke, up in Wilbur precinct has 12 fine heifers in calf, and about 17 heifers and steers that he will sell at bargain prices. Call early if you want some good ones. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hudson, Wyoming, last Monday, and of course Col. E. Cunningham can't be held responsible for what he says at the sales these days. Peter Nygren got home from Chicago last night, and is much better. FOR SALE—Eight room house, a bargain. Inquire Leahy Drug Store. Two north Nebraska men have secured the appointment of substitute railway mail clerks to work under the jurisdiction of the Sioux City office. The new men, who will probably get a chance to work very soon on account of the holiday rush, are George S. Wright of Wayne, and Harry Allen of Wisner. —Norfolk News. NOTICE—All parties having books from the Wayne Public Library, please return them Saturday, December 19th, as the library will be closed during the

holidays. Opened Jan. 9th. J. H. Brugger of Chapin precinct was in the city Tuesday. Rev. Father Devan and brother of Dixon, were in town the first of the week, guests of Rev. W. M. Kearns.



For Christmas Baking
 You can have no finer flour than ours. Your pies will be flakier, your cakes lighter and your bread more appetizing if you try a sack of **SUPERLATIVE FLOUR**. It's economical, too. You'll be surprised how much less it takes than of ordinary flour. Christmas is the one time of the year when the best is none too good for you. The best flour is ours.

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There is no one thing that does more for the good of a community or the upbuilding of the country than good reading. We have a very complete stock of books of all kinds, Dainty Gift Books both for young and old. We have the latest fiction and a good assortment of the popular copyrights, and as fine a line of Juvenile books as you will find in Wayne, and also a good assortment of Bibles. We ask your inspection of our books and prices of same.



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Are always appropriate gifts for the members of your family or for friends. It is a money saver to know of an article that is acceptable to all kinds of people. You can buy these pens at all prices, suiting all purses and all tastes. We have them from \$1.50 to \$6.00

Toilet and Manicure Sets

We have the largest and best selected stock of Toilet Sets and Manicure Sets in Wayne. We can suit you whether it is the cheap set you want or the very finest there is on the market and the prices are lower than elsewhere. Those wanting Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Shaving Sets, Smoker's Sets, Handkerchief or Glove Boxes need look no farther when you see our line.

girl, and I am going to marry her when I grow up, because her dad's rich."

Kate says he never saw a man who was not happy who wore Staley Underwear. Try it for the blues.

Society Notes.

The guild of St Mary's church met at the home of Mrs. W. L. Richardson Wednesday afternoon.

The Bible Circle will meet next Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 23, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. E. B. Young. Miss Lizzie Glenn of Chechi Japan, sister of Miss Agnes Glenn, who was here last year from the same place, will give an address upon their work in Japan. Every lady in Wayne and vicinity is most cordially invited to be present and enjoy this rare treat.

Christmas will be observed in the usual way at the several churches. There will be a double play of Santa and unusually good music at the Presbyterian church.

The big event of the afternoon, the debate, "Resolved that the Guaranty System of Banking is the best," was won by the affirmative represented by Rich Forbes and William Sharpe, both having left no stone unturned that would give evidence for their side of the question, and showing that much thought and study had been used in preparation. John Kingsbury made a splendid beginning, proving that he can and will do great things, but his plea was too brief. Herbert Welch, also on the negative, was the pride of the whole room as he gave his address in such a happy, eloquent, clear-cut manner that, well his father will have to watch out, or he will one day be rivaled by Judge Welch, Jr.

The sacred concert under the direction of Mr. Davies, at the Baptist church last Sunday evening, was well attended. The program consisted of solos by Shirley Sprague, Herbert Welch, Charley Nichols and Axel Vernerberg, Mr. Parry sang the great Welsh hymn, "Here's a Saviour for the Lost Ones," the male voices joining in the chorus. A number of requests have already been made to repeat this program, and we hope it will be done. The music was well rendered and is worthy of repetition.

Do you want to see your husband smile? Try him with a Suit of Staley Underwear for a Christmas present.

Prof. and Mrs. Wilson entertained his class of boys for the Presbyterian Sunday school last Friday evening. It was a gay, lively party, fun reigning supreme during the whole evening.

The 8th grade of the high school, who are doing splendid work work under Miss Potts, give a program tomorrow afternoon.

There were a number of visitors in the High school rooms on Friday afternoon, who were much impressed with the fine condition of things generally. Perfect order prevailed, seemingly not the enforced kind, but that born of interest in the work being done. A number of the pupils gave an interesting program each selection being good. Bessie Marsteller in her recitation "Jennie McNeal" was quaint and pretty enough to have been the heroine herself. A quartet by Freda Ellis, Edna Space, Jamie Britton and Herbert Welch called forth so much applause that the singers had to come back and give another selection.

If you don't get a Christmas present it is not Kate's fault. See Ad.

The following special number will be given at a song service at Presbyterian church next Sunday evening Dec 20th, at 7:30 o'clock:

Anthem—Ten Thousand Times, Ten Thousand Praise.
Duet—I Thought That My Redeemer Lived, Mrs. Morris, Miss Gamble Mendellsohn.

Coronet Solo—Mr. Ruroker Selected Anthem—All Hail The King, George B. Nevin.

Quintet—Calm Out The Night, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Miller, Miss Nangle, Messrs Philleo and Gamble, J. A. Parks.

Anthem—In The Fields With Their Flocks Abiding Brackett.
Mr. and Mrs M. S. Davies were in Sioux City yesterday.

Program of the First Annual Meeting of the Wayne County Teachers' Association to be held in the Court Room at Wayne, December 19, 1908.
9:30 A. M.—Music, Selected.

Teachers Relation to the Community, Prin. E. J. Hucklebury, Hazel Perrin; "Is our Discipline up to Standard?"—Prin. C. O. Oline, Kate Engler; Address—"The Dream of Two Great Lovers"—Prof. C. H. Bright.
1:30 P. M.—Music, Selected.

Reading and how to teach it—Edith Stocking; "Preparation and Assignment of Lesson"—Elizabeth Brown, Francis Leslie; Address—"The Weakness of Mathematical Teaching"—Pres. J. M. Pile. Question Box.

All subjects will be open for general discussion and it is to be hoped that teachers will come prepared to take part. Let us be on time at the sessions.
JENNIE VENNBERG, Pres.

Of course if you want rheumatism don't wear Staley Underwear.

Wear. Dan Legan Dies.

Mrs. Dan Legan, after a few days illness with pneumonia, passed away early Tuesday morning. The funeral will be held this afternoon at two o'clock from the Baptist church, Rev. Parker Smith conducting the service. Mrs. Will Gauden, a daughter, did not arrive until yesterday, from Missouri Valley, and was prostrated to learn of her mother's death.

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CHICKERING BROS. PIANOS

J. E. Hufford

EDISON PHONOGRAPHS

Holiday Announcement

Our Holiday preparations have been completed. Our store is filled with rich new goods adapted for Holiday Gifts. Everyone knows our store, the high quality of our goods, our reliability, this together with the extensive variety of Christmas gifts on display will make your Christmas shopping easy.

Watches The largest and best assortment in the city. Note a few especially good bargains: Ladies Gold-Filled case guaranteed 20 years, Elgin or Waltham movement, \$12.00 up Gents Gold-Filled case guaranteed 20 years, Elgin movement, \$12.00 up	Cut Glass Hawke's celebrated, American cut. Finest in America. Big assortment to select from. Special: 8 in bowl \$5.00. We are making special prices on other makes. A few of many: Bon Bon Dish \$1.50 9 inch Bowl 6.00 Salt and Pepper Bottles 1.25 Cologne Bottle 1.50	Sterling Silver We have always lead in our stock of Table ware. You make no mistake when you purchase your Sterling ware here, all the leading makes and prices lower than anywhere else.
Rings We carry them in solid gold and can please you whether it be a Diamond ring or a Baby ring. Genuine stones mounted in hand-made settings. Some Diamond Solitaire bargains at \$12.50, 16.00, 25.00 and 40.00.	Fountain Pens We handle the Genuine Waterman Ideal Fountain Pen, standard writing instrument of the world. We have them from \$2.50 up. We have Moore's non-leakables and other makes if you prefer from \$1.00 up	Bracelets This is a Bracelet year. We have prepared for it by having the biggest stock of Bracelets that can be found in a town of this size. The latest styles can be found in our stock.
Hand Painted China Our assortment of Hand-painted china has many new pieces of artistic and dainty designs. We are making extremely low prices, some pieces marked at 1/2 their value, come make your selection early, as they cannot last at these prices.	Silver Plated Ware We keep only the best, our variety is large, our prices the lowest, we sell nothing but what we can give our personal guarantee to you that it is the best that you can buy at the price.	Jewel Boxes Gold and Silver plated Jewel boxes at especially low prices, they make nice gifts. Ask to see the latest style; fitted with a Yale style lock and key.
Ebony Goods A nice gift for the man will be found in our line of Military brushes Sterling trimmings. Hat Brushes, Hair Brushes, Mirrors, Combs, Etc.	Umbrellas Umbrellas make a choice and appropriate gift. We have a nice line in fancy handles, ranging from modest priced to most elaborate finished.	Chains Over 300 chains in various styles and quality. The latest and most popular styles found in our stock. Ask to see our Fobs.

The greatest stock is here. Great assortment too. Prices are lower than elsewhere. Your interests say BUY HERE.

MINES, LEADING JEWELER

BY DAD

There will be a big Sunday school attendance next Sunday.

Probably one of the biggest and thinnest grafts, if we may call it, ever worked in several states, was the Sioux City Journal's "great piano contest." Why the postal authorities allow a lottery or game of chance of this nature is more of a conundrum than that the Journal should employ such questionable methods to boom its subscription list.

A Norfolk man got up in the night time to get some lotion to rub on his wife's back, and next morning found he had used the piano varnish. That ought to hold her for a while, by dad.

It is estimated that the president's big African hunt will cost \$30,000. That's a modest sum, but then, thank goodness there won't be as many peanuts in it as in the price of the Panama canal.

An exchange says our Christmas trees will be about the same style as last year. And there is also the customary increase in the attendance at Sabbath school.

The average man is now wondering what fool thing his wife will buy him for Christmas with his money.

The Sioux City News has discovered a coal trust in that city. Hard coal sells there for \$11 per ton by all dealers but one who dropped out of the "combine." The price in Wayne is \$10 and it is generally presumed that we have the same kind of a trust here.

A Chicago professor thinks that eat-

ing clean cooked dog is better than eating raw oysters. He's right, providing the bark is taken off.

The Hartington Herald says some women look well on account of their hats. "We know some that do not look well on account to the men.

Little Faith Philleo says she likes the moving picture show better than the other prayer meeting.

The Democrat is bound to be a church organ whether it wants to or not. At Christian Endeavor last Sunday evening when they were all called upon to tell what they had been reading lately, one young man said he did not find time to do much, but he always read the Nebraska Democrat.

John Kate tells a good one on his X-Ray factory. An inquisitive Kansas woman was told to write anywhere for information on the incubator. It just happened that the lady wrote to Ponca, a next-door neighbor to Fortets, belligerent ex-owners of the X-ray patent. Mr. Kate says he thinks Porter must have written the "testimonial," it was such a warm article.

A certain Wayne business man, asks, when he calls a party up on the phone, "Is this you?" Of course when he calls up a "goat" he always has the wrong number.

Where does Mayor Dahlan come in at the Omaha corn show? It used to be said that Dahlan was a good judge of corn.

Sac City, Iowa, a rock-ribbed prohibition city, sends three patients at a clip to the inebriate asylum. Of course the Anti-saloon leaguers are not looking for "news" of this sort.

Well, we thought it would get to that point before Teddy got off the

throne—the whole World a liar!

Of course those statements made prior to Nov. 3d, that President Roosevelt had promised Daniel J. Keefe, the office of commissioner general of immigration, were all made by "liars" but Keefe landed the job in due time just the same.

It's a good thing that all the wives are anti-booze fighters. Just imagine having to take Christmas forty-rod same as we do our holiday cigars.

The Philadelphia, North American, great "Taft" and "Cannon" paper before election, now frankly admits that "tariff revision" by the next congress will be mere "hodge-podge," a "freak and a changeling." But then, it was to avoid a panic and hard times, that Taft was elected. Where is the Taft supporter who cared anything about the tariff—aside from the men who make their millions by a "revision" upwards?

This new drink—or rather meat for the drinkers—a tabloid of solid forty-rod that you can slyly slip from vest pocket to mouth, is going to be the thing for those anti-saloon agitators.

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HOLIDAY HEADQUARTERS AT

The Racket

When in quest of Christmas Presents, Remember that useful things are most appreciated. We are loaded down with this kind.

A new shipment of Silk waist patterns, the very latest obtainable, at \$4.50

Ladies Kid Gloves at \$1.00 to \$1.50

Ladies Crepe-de-Chene neck scarfs \$1.00 to \$2.00

All the new neckwear at 35c and 50c

A handsome assortment of Japanese, Hand-Drawn work, Doilies and

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The new, Maderia hand Embroidered doilies, 25c to \$5.00

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Don't overlook the fact that we are selling our ENTIRE STOCK of COATS both LADIES' and CHILDREN'S at absolute cost. We have too many and will not carry them, so now, (right in the middle of the season) we cut them to cost. ALL NEW PALMER COATS.

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Stocks Complete.

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THE RACKET

Local News

SHOT GUNS—At very low prices for the best quality, at Otto Voget's hardware.

Second-hand organ for sale cheap, Johnson Furniture Co.

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Mrs. Fred Sebald on Monday filed a complaint against her husband, charging him with insanity. Officials a few years ago threatened to have her up before the board of insanity if she didn't quit boring them about Fred's ornariness. It is likely some action will be taken by the court in regard to both of them.

Clerk of Courts B. F. Feather was in Lincoln Monday having a specialist examine his stomach which has been giving him a great deal of grief lately. The doctor found the squire in a somewhat serious condition.

Mrs. Ringland leaves Saturday and Mr. Ringland next Wednesday for Dexter, Iowa, where they will visit with relatives until the first of the year.

W. B. McCabe went to Sioux City this morning.

The restaurant man in the Lewis building is in a serious condition, being no better from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Roy Surber arrived home from Lincoln yesterday, his uncle, "Doc" Surber, going after him.

Geo. Jones is spending a week or two at Winside tending store for Frank Tracy.

John Massie was a business visitor in Winside today.

Miss Sybil Dixon was a passenger to Winside this morning.

Mrs. Axel Borg and children of Aberdeen, S. D., who have been visiting relatives in Wakefield the past week, was an arrival in the city today to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Taylor.

Mr. Geo. C. Drevsen and Miss Bertha Wetzlich, both of Hoskins, were married this morning by Judge Hunter.

Mrs. Wallace Brown was a passenger to Carroll this morning.

Mr. John Nelson, of Holyoke, Colo., a cousin of Mrs. Elming, was an arrival in town last night, returning again today. This was their first meeting in twenty years.

Geo. Martin of Carroll went to Gregory, S. D., this morning to spend the winter.

T. J. Murrill left this morning for Knox county to visit his son.

Madames Raymond and Chas. Culler went to Sioux City this morning.

John Dimmel of Winside and J. V. Frances, were passengers to Omaha this morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Omaha, Wednesday. Grandpa W. O. Gamble went down this morning to see the little one and its ma.

The county surveyor from Pierce county has been surveying the Perry and Clark farms north of town the past

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Everything goes at

ACTUAL COST

There are plenty of opportunities to secure valuable articles for little money. We are too busy to enumerate items. Come and see for yourself and bring your friends. It's a

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To persons whom we supply with Xmas Candies and Nuts we will give FREE a 3 to 5 foot Xmas Tree.

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two or three days, under direction of Judge Welch, the survey, as to surface of land, to be used in the Perry-Clark lawsuit over a matter of tiling.

Miss Goldie Brookings of Tekamah has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Weber, the past week.

Harry Armstrong says his father is not doing well at all in Kansas City, and although expected to come home this week has had to continue his stay there indefinitely.

Frank Hodgson was an arrival yesterday for a few days visit.

Jake Winkert was at Carroll Sunday.

Miss Anna Pryor was in Winside the latter part of the week.

Miss Olive McGinty spent Saturday and Sunday under the parental roof.

Mrs. Hickenstram.

Miss Loretta Cullen of Winside was shopping in the city between trains Saturday.

Mrs. McDonald and daughters of Sholes, were doing Christmas shopping in town Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Dan Shannon of Carroll is in the city visiting at the Tom Shannon home.

Miss Agnes Leahy came home the latter part of the week from Grand Junction where she has spent some time visiting her sister, Miss Ella who teaches school there.

Advertised Letters: J. P. Ader, A. B. Call, Miss Clara Fry, Miss Gemma Hanson; cards, Oscar Anderson, Ernest Blover, Fred Botter, Alice C. Davis, G. W. Gates, Oscar Glaze, Miss Matie Kruser, Miss Vivian McComb, Dec. 16, 1908, W. H. McNeal, P. M.

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USEFUL And every appropriate Holiday Gifts, such as:
Perfumes (Fancy Boxes Back) Toilet Articles
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And lastly we would like to call your attention to our beautiful line of (Fancy) XMAS CANDIES (boxed), all of which are daintily decorated, all shapes.
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inch rubber rulers.
One dozen 8-oz. Sanford's paste.
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Bids must be addressed to "County Clerk" and marked "Proposals Books, Office supplies, Blanks and Stationery."
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Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 1st day of December 1908.
CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, Clerk.

Bonham Gets His.

Jamesburg, N. D., Nov. 30th, 1908.
By Dad—As I've nothing else to do I'll try to "bug another bubble" for you. It began snowing last night (Sunday) and turned "colder than blazes" and today blew like the (put in what you please) and plenty of snow with it until about now. A real North Dakota blizzard it was, while it lasted, for at times I could not see the well from the house. Have to say "I" for am here alone. The wife and I had a few words and she went up to her sister's to do some sewing. She said "good-bye" so did I. It snowed and blowed some (?) last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, it let up Wednesday night. Nice weather the rest of the week which I improved by laying sod for a stable, hauled another load of coal—got all my coal for \$1.00, dug and hauled it myself. Have about 7 tons now and 2 or 3 loads of wood, 10 bushels of potatoes, 1 bu. of "toot-toot", "punkin'" and if I only had about 5 or 6 tons of hay would be fixed for the winter in elegant shape. Have a good cow and calf, a fair sized pony and 1/2 horse, they make a good team for my spring wagon. Hauled quite a load out from Mandan when I came home Nov. 1st.
Raised some corn, got 2 premiums on it at the Morton county fair, 5 varieties of potatoes and only 1 1/2 acres broke yet. Got it fenced with 3 wires and will fence about 10 acres this spring for a pasture. Want to fix up a dam on line fence and will give me water enough for all summer. Have no fault to find with the country at all its the "phools" that are in it. You can't tell one day what the next will be from now until April next.
Yesterday was a fine day, drove over after the mail, got back at one o'clock, read till 4, then did my chores, and this morning! "Oh, yes, poor democrats!" I put on my thickest shirt, overalls, vest, sweater over that and cost too, got in 5 boxes of coal, 4 pairs of water, all the box lids I could find for kindling, tea everything, and then got back fast—just ten o'clock. I thought

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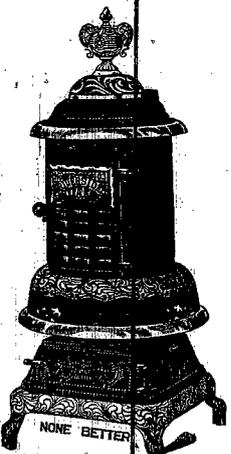
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Bids to be made for so much for the year.
The Board of Commissioners have the right to reject any and all bids.
Bids to be filed on or before the 1st day of January, 1909.
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 1st day of December, 1908.
CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, County Clerk.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Wayne county, for the following supplies for the year 1909, bids to be filed on or before January 1st, 1909.
BOOKS.
Six record books (two printed, 4 plain) 8 quarto patent flat opener, Byron & Weston 40 lbs. leather bound, with canvas jackets.
3,500 personal property schedules punched and folded.
4,400 tax receipts printed and bound, same as now in use.

One dozen chattel mortgage files, gummed stubs and numbered, 100 tabs for each file.
Seventeen covers for persona property schedules with precinct and year on back same as now in use.
Twenty-eight name tabs, 13 township tabs, one set alphabet tabs, all leather for tax list.
200 reversible envelopes, printed and used as court wrappers.
100 figuring pads, 8x13, one side ruled, per pound.
Poll books for 1909 (bid per book)
Ballot sacks (bid per dozen)
STATIONERY.
Envelopes 6 1/2 high cut, white wove XX quality, with return card per 1,000.
Envelope No. 10 high cut Manilla XXXX best quality, with return card per 1,000.
Envelopes No. 10 high cut Manilla and white with return card per 1000
Statements per 1,000.
Letter heads per 1,000.
Circulars 8x10 print paper, per 100 each additional 100.
Note heads per 1,000.
Printed postal cards per 100, each additional 100.
1,000 blotters, cut 4x12, very best
8,000 ballots, official and sample, one-half of each for general election.
8,000 official ballots for primary election. Bid on precinct changes.
75 Primary Notices.
75 Election Notices.
25 candidates names for primary.
OFFICIAL SUPPLIES
Ten dozen quarts of Ar-mold's.
Carter red ink per quart.
Pens—Spencerian, Aron's or vanadium, per gross.
Pencils—Dixon Hex, No. 2 and No. 3 or cracker jack with white rubber tips, per gross.
Hardmouth copying No. 77, Faber No. 5, per gross.
One gross election pencils.
2-3 1/2 inch rubber rulers, 6-1x12

sometime the wind would take me off my feet—they are not too small either—and it did snow too! I expected it to be bad to get out this evening, but it cleared off, got colder, if anything, and the sun set clear—a promise of a fine dry tomorrow. Sun dogs tonight that's a good sign of cold tomorrow. Can't tell you of all I've done this summer for you might not believe it. Worked in Mandan 12 weeks at two different times—said stone along driveway from road up to house, hauled wood on my sled for I did not have only the old horse then and say! you should have seen the people I met on the road when I first went to Mandan, grin at me! I had a sled 2 1/2 x 4 feet and a crack-er box for a seat, my valise in the box, ride across my "neese" and was plodding towards work and the Almighty dollars. I traded my rifle for an old platform spring wagon, got a pair of shafts for it, started home and one of the wheels broke down coming up a big hill this side of town about 1 1/2 miles out, glad now it was no further—backed wagon into the ditch by roadside with my load on it, mounted "Rosinante" rode back to town, got there about 12 o'clock. I had started home at 10 at night, bright moonlight, expecting to get home the next evening and surprise the "Boss." Alas! "the best laid plans of ev'." Hired a dray next morning, got wagon fixed Monday morning and left town at 2:30, got home within 3 miles of it—the next night—couldn't cross the creek, unhitched, left load again, rode on. Got home at 10 o'clock that night and had to go back after load next morning. O, Hades! It's not all "peaches and Jersey skim milk" to live on a claim in North Dakota! Went back in September, stayed 5 weeks, got a pony for keeping it this winter, put a "twig" in wagon and got home all O. K. Had a load, "not a jag," this time. Got tangled up in the fence when I came home to vote at primary, was driving all night that time too, trying to get through on time. Well, nothing worse than a suit of clothes ruined, my overcoat torn and about 1-inch scar on left ear. If wire had cut up instead of across, it would have cut my ear near off. But am still alive, trying to fix up a home. Got a claim worth 1500.00 of any man's money. Say, I can put anyone next to 5 different claims that can be contested, 2 or 3 that can buy the relinquishment of, from 150 to 300 dollars. Several good ones too. They are Russiansky's and we'd like to see "whitemen" with families get them Crops good here, oats from 25 to 35, corn same, flax to 12 etc. Hail caught some of the Wayneites near Carson, so it hurt 'em some. Everybody getting along fine. Mrs. J. H. Emch and Mrs. Laire both teaching school this winter. Eli Jones as thin as ever, "Ed, Beeswax"—Honey, I mean, is papa now, "Nicholas," J. H., Frank, Roy, Ora Emch and "Billy" Kawash all getting along nicely from what I hear, been too busy to see 'em. For fear this finds the waste basket, stove or "ell box," I'll close my mouth. Hope the election didn't leave a "bad taste in your mouth." By Dad
Regards to Wayne friends.
W. C. BONHAM.

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As I am going to leave Wayne county I must sell some 27 good cows and heifers, some of which are fresh now and some fresh in the near future. Call me up by phone or come to my farm, eight miles northwest of Wayne.
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