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Saturday, January 8

7 Head of Horses

Pair of matched black Fallerton gelding 4 and 6 years old, fine ones; gray horse 7 years old, weight 1600; gray horse 10 years old, sound and good; gray horse 3 years old, weight 1200, broken to work, a good one; Union Medium Jr., filly, coming 2 years old, black horse, 15 years old.

20 Head of High Grade Shorthorns

5 extra good milk cows, one will be fresh by time of sale, others bred to calve in spring; 4 steer calves coming year old; 1 two year old steer; 1 pure bred Shorthorn bull, 2 years old, balance cows, heifers and calves.

45 Head of Hogs

45 head of full blood Poland China hogs consisting of 30 head of fine young sows bred to pure bred boar for last of March and April farrow. These hogs have had 17 crosses of pure blood and are a fine lot, 15 barrows.

Farm Machinery 4 lumber wagons, Deering binder with new tongue trucks, Deering corn binder, Dano hay stacker, Dano hay sweep, hay rake, Standard mower, John Deere Edge drop corn planter nearly new 160 rods wire, Moline corn planter, 3 walking cultivators two of them new, riding cultivator, disc cultivator, 8-ft tongueless disc, 7-ft Moline disc, Goodenough gang plow, 16-in Goodenough riding plow, Dempster grain drill, bob sled with box, 2 hay rack, 3 set work harness 3 sets of fly nets, some good horse hay, 25 fine young barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, 3 dozen hens.

TERMS—11 months time on secured notes at 8 per cent interest. Sums of \$10 and under cash.
Rollie W. Ley, Clerk. P. W. Oman, Auctioneer.

CLYDE OMAN

Bargain

Every farmer in this and surrounding counties owes it to himself and his family to make his land produce a maximum yield each and every year, and to secure the greatest possible revenue from every branch of his work whether he may be doing grain farming, raising pure-bred live stock, or poultry, growing fruit, or feeding. Would you not like to profit by the experiences of 50,000 other farmers in this and surrounding states, and to be in touch with a corps of capable breeders and farmers who every week contribute articles to one of the greatest live stock and agricultural journals in the United States? If so we suggest that you subscribe to

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This publication is absolutely reliable editorially. Its editors are practical and successful farmers and breeders. They are familiar with farming conditions in this section of the state. Farmer's Tribune is therefore of special value to farmers in this locality. Farmer's Tribune not only excels from an editorial standpoint but it is very attractive in appearance. It is printed on No. 1 book paper and is profusely illustrated. It contains from 16 to 36 pages every week.

THE DEMOCRAT wants its subscribers to renew promptly, and it wants every farmer within a radius of 50 miles of Wayne who is not a subscriber to become one. We are therefore making for a short time the following very attractive offer:

Farmer's Tribune \$1.00 per year	BOTH PAPERS for only \$1.50 per year
Democrat \$1.50 per year	

We have made arrangements with Farmer's Tribune for a limited number of subscriptions at terms which enables us to make this very attractive offer, and therefore urge our subscribers to take advantage of the offer immediately. Call at this office when in town or send your subscription by mail through this office.

To Hear Prof. Cummings' Lecture

During the visit of Prof. Byron Cummings to Wayne some time this month, it would be a compliment to a man of such large intellectual gifts and so prominent in educational and scientific work, to come in touch with some of the scholarly men of our state of Nebraska. With this end in view, letters have been sent to various educational centers inviting prominent educators and scientific men to visit Wayne at that time, assuring them that the hospitable people of Wayne would take pleasure in giving entertainment to all who could come. Prof. Gregg writes of his sincere wish to hear the lecture, and would be here were it possible. Another writes: "If I can possibly get away, I shall be in Wayne to hear Prof. Cummings' lecture. It is a treat I cannot afford to miss."

Prof. E. H. Barbour, Curator of Museum, University of Nebraska, and State Geologist, desires very much to come, and if he can leave his work will certainly do so. He writes: "I spent the summer I have taken in eighteen years, and am making a vigorous effort to catch up with my work. I have done very little Geological work in North-eastern Nebraska, and would like very much to visit Wayne when Mr. Cummings gives his lecture. In fact I am planning if it is possible to do so, to devote a little time next summer to your region." It is to be hoped that at some future time we may be able to arrange for one of Prof. Barbour's excellent lectures in Wayne.

As to the lecture by Prof. Cummings on "Cliff Dwellers of the San Juan Country," it will probably be given about the middle of January. A letter just received from Mrs. Cummings at Salt Lake City stated that Prof. Cummings was still in Southern Utah, but word had come that he had sent to Ogata, the trading post of the Wetherells, for the ponies on which the exploring party ride to Moab, thence by stage over thirty-five miles of desert to Thompson's Springs, then by rail to Salt Lake. The exact date of lecture can doubtless be given next week.

School Notes

Education must bring the child into a harmonious relation with God, man and nature. — Froebel.

A number of pupils are absent because of the measles.

Edith Killinger, of Hecla, S. D., is a newly enrolled pupil in our high school.

We are sorry to announce that the boys' manual training work at the college had to be discontinued because Prof. Hunter's plans will take him away from Wayne for some time. We feel that Mr. Hunter has accomplished much with the boys during the twelve weeks he had them in manual training and hope he will be back to give them more of this work. Our brief experience has taught us that manual training merits a place in our course of study.

The girls' domestic science will not only continue as before the holidays, but in addition it will be given to the girls of grades ten, eleven and twelve.

Our gymnasium apparatus has finally arrived and will soon be ready for use. Gymnasium work will then be substituted for manual training.

We will soon have basket ball teams in training that will win from the neighboring high schools.

Do you ever stop to think what the patriotic, noble-hearted, civic-spirited women of our beautiful little city are doing? They made possible both the kindergarten and the gymnasium.

Two changes in the teaching force have taken place. Miss Mabel Lewis has the Latin department in the high school and Miss May Gibbs is kindergarten director.

Pleasant Valley News

Miss Edna Moler of Wayne spent a few days with Leona Hansen.

Paul Killion and wife of Bonesteel, S. D., and wife of Battle Creek, spent the holidays at the home of C. A. Killion.

Mrs. J. Chilcott entertained a few young people Sunday in honor of Herman Chilcott, who is spending his vacation at home.

The five-year-old son of J. P. Clausen died Sunday after a few days illness. The remains were laid to rest in Pleasant Valley cemetery beside the little sister who died two weeks ago.

The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their double affliction.

Jas. Grier and family and John Roland and family visited at the H. Hansen home on New Years day.

School was closed this week in Dist. 25 on account of infectious sickness in the Clausen home.

A few farmers in the Valley have resumed corn husking this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Arp and Mrs. Fisher returned from Iowa Monday where they attended the funeral of his father.

Sholes News

Marvin Root was in Carroll Saturday afternoon.

Ben Robinson and Jim Stevens were business visitors to Randolph Friday.

A nephew of A. E. McDowell came in New Years night and will visit for a week here.

The Sholes schools opened Monday af-

ter a week's vacation, there being two new pupils in the Intermediate room.

Sholes is certainly on the map as a grain market. Both elevators are constantly busy.

Gust Lundberg is suffering from a badly lacerated hand as the result of an accident while killing a beef for E. W. Clisson.

Ralph Clark came up from Wayne the first of the week for a short visit at the home of his mother east of town.

An old time literary society will be organized here next Friday night. Everybody come out and let us have interesting and instructive entertainments for the winter.

Hoskins News

From our correspondent:

Frank Hart returned from Merville, Mo., Tuesday evening.

Carl Lenses and wife of Jerome, Idaho visited at the Rohrke home over Sunday.

The Modern Woodman Camp will give a dance and oyster supper Wednesday evening Jan. 5.

Frank Phillips of Omaha spent New Years at home.

Mrs. Aron and daughter are spending the week at Carroll, Mo.

R. Rohrke is spending a few days at home.

D. S. Lord left Saturday for Diamond where he has taken a position in the lumber yard.

Misses Bernice and Maudie Kern of Des Moines, Mo., are visiting at the Weatherholt home.

Stella Weatherholt of Norfolk visited friends here New Years.

Mrs. Cullon and daughter Loretta of Winslow visited at the Averill home the past week.

Elsie Dobbins visited Dora Green Sunday.

The pony raffled off Saturday night went to Fred Fenske.

Ernest Sasse of Norfolk is our new marshal.

Luella Paul of Norfolk visited at the Deck home Sunday.

Rev. Gruber returned Wednesday evening from his visit in Indiana.

Contract Is Signed

The state normal board last week signed up the contract buying the Wayne school, and the end of this week the holders of college bonds may be surprised to get their money. It has been a long hunt but as the Bible says all things of the earth must come to an end.

Sons of Hermann Ball

The Sons of Hermann will give their annual masquerade ball Tuesday evening, Jan. 25, 1910, at the Wayne opera house. Firstclass music, prizes for best costumes. Costumes for rent at the Union hotel. Tickets \$1.00, gallery seats 15 cents for children and 25 cents for adults.

Local News.

Sioux City Tribune: The members of the Acme club, of Wayne, Neb., including Messrs. and Mesdames Dr. E. S. Blair, M. S. Davies, J. G. Mines, A. N. Jacobs, H. A. Wilson, J. T. Bressler and T. Duerig, enjoyed a 6 o'clock dinner together at the West hotel last evening, followed by a theater party at "The Merry Widow." Others from Wayne who were present were Mrs. Craven, C. M. Craven and Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bussby.

Atty. A. R. Davis and F. A. Berry were in Norfolk Monday.

R. A. McEachon accompanied his daughter to Omaha this morning where she is attending school at Brownell Hall.

The Messrs. Mellor and Gamble returned to school this morning.

Mrs. Liffy Gildersleeve was called to Fullerton yesterday owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Ed. Reynolds.

O. C. Lewis will have his sale Jan. 17th.

Geo. Suhr drove down from Carroll yesterday and about found it cold enough for a north pole search.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Suhr are home from a visit with his brother at Walnut, Mo.

Miss Francis Weber went to Sioux City Monday.

Miss Emily Killion is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Will Richardson at Battle Creek.

Mrs. T. Collins of Carroll visited her father, P. Coleman last week.

Rev. Kearns was called to Battle Creek to assist at a funeral Thursday.

Mr. Kelley who has been visiting at the Pryor home left for her home at Waterloo, Mo., the last of the week.

Wendell Baker is up looking after his interest in Boyd county.

The commercial club held a business session Tuesday evening and discussed several matters of interest, especially corn shows and what would be done for next year's bigger and better attraction.

The public is assured that there will be a big opportunity next fall to win some good prizes and now is the time to get good seed for your next year's prize packages. The club discussed the Omaha Power Co.'s proposition to cover the state from the Loup river, etc.

The biggest ever pulled off—L. M. Owen's sale Feb. 9th.

E. A. Surber had a car load of sheep

A necessary clearance

YOU can easily understand that in a business like our's its quite impossible to tell before hand exactly how many overcoats we shall sell; if we could do it, we would buy more than enough; a clothing store without any clothes in it, sold out clean, would be a funny store.

We always have a surplus; must have; and we always, about this time of the winter, try to dispose of this unsold surplus by quoting special low prices on it. It's bad policy in such business as this to carry winter goods over till next fall; we don't do it.

Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

We're going to sell what we have left of Hart Schaffner & Marx overcoats and the other good winter things to wear, at prices that are very seriously less than their real value. Some of these overcoats are what we call "broken lots" that is, we had all sizes of each pattern at the beginning, we've sold in the regular way all but a few sizes, here and there; "broken lots."

Among them are all sizes, but probably not all sizes in any one pattern or style. But that's your advantage; you'll find some remarkable values now in Hart Schaffner & Marx overcoats; marked down to a real inducement-to-buy figure.

For example: Here are winter overcoats that have been \$20.00, \$22.50, and \$25.00, now to be sold at \$16.90.

Those that have been \$15, \$16, \$17 and \$18, your choice at \$11.90.

Those that have been \$10, \$12.50 and \$13.50 at \$7.90

20 per cent discount on all Boys' overcoats.

A few choice Fur coats at 15 per cent discount

You can not only well afford to buy any of these; you can't afford not to; they're real bargains, not merely in name but in fact.

This store is the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes.

Dan Harrington

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C. A. CHACE, VICE PRESIDENT,
ROLLIE W. LEY, CASHIER,
HERMAN LUNDBERG, ASS'T. CASH.

This Bank respectfully solicits your account and offers superior facilities for transacting your business.

We sell Drafts on all the principal cities of Europe and other countries.

Steamship tickets for all foreign countries.

on the Omaha market last week that brought a lot of money. Mutton is money now days.

O. D. Franks came up from Sioux City last Friday and hustled up a party to go to Alamosa, Col.

D. H. Sullivan of Alamosa, Col., formerly a Wayne grocer, was in Wayne last Friday telling his old friends what a good proposition there was in the western state. Parties going to Alamosa will find that D. H. isn't exaggerating the state of prosperity out there in the least.

Sheriff Meers, Wat Williams and W.

Chilblains

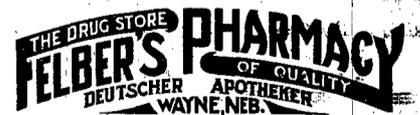
If you have CHILBLAINS there is no mistake about knowing it by the redness and intense irritation of the skin.

You are foolish to suffer when you are told of an UNFAILING REMEDY.

25c Felber's Chilblain Cone. 25c

A few rubs will relieve the intense irritation; a few more rubs at intervals of a few hours will stop the malady in a day or so.

Made and Sold Only at



H. Gildersleeve attended the Anti-Horse Thief Association meeting in Norfolk last Thursday night.

Frank Hooper was down from Randolph last Friday, his first visit to Wayne in 18 months. Mr. Hooper has been raising lots bigger crops near Randolph than he did in Wayne county, his corn averaging near 80 bushels per acre the past year and oats being extra good. He is not looking for any change, renting in good old Nebraska being good enough for him.

L. R. Tharp is the proudest man in town these days, all on account of an elegant gold-headed cane presented to him on his 50th wedding anniversary by Casey Post G. A. R. It is an expensive and beautiful piece of work and we hope Uncle Tharp will be able to wear it out.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington left

last Friday for California where they will spend the winter and may locate permanently.

Squire Feather was in Wakefield last Friday.

John Coleman received a couple of elegant brood sows last week from a leading Poland China breeder of Kansas. The new pigs weigh about 850 pounds each and have already farrowed over fifty off spring, and John figures they will soon repay him for his several hundred dollars outlay.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Strahan of Malvern, Iowa, were guests of Wayne relatives last week, returning home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Weber went to Laurel Saturday morning to spend New Year's with their children.

Anchor Grain Co. for all kinds of hard and soft coal.

Special Coat Sale
Saturday, January 8th
 You Can't Afford To Miss It
Jeffries Shoe Co.

Public Sale

3 miles west and 4 miles south of Wayne, 1 mile south and 5 east of Winside. Free lunch at noon. Sale commences at 1 o'clock, sharp, on

Monday, Jan. 17

6 Head of Horses

Team of grays 4 and 5 yrs. well broke, wt. 2800; gelding, coming 4 yrs. wt. 1400; high grade Percheron stallion coming 4 yrs. wt. 1500; bay horse coming 3 yrs. wt. 1250; brown yearling mare colt.

43 Head of Cattle

8 milk cows all fresh, 1 5 year old registered bull, 26 yearling steers, have been on full feed 60 days, 8 young calves

40 Head of Hogs

Consisting of Sows and shoats, 10 Sows

6 Dozen Barred Plymouth Rock Chickens.

Farm Machinery

Mower, 2 Goodenough riding plows, new Eagle cider mill, cultivators, drags, 200-egg Eclipse incubator, some household goods.

TERMS—10 months time on secured notes at 8 per cent interest. Sums of \$10 and under, cash.
 H. B. Jones, Clerk E. & D. H. CUNNINGHAM, Auctioneers.

O. C. LEWIS

PUBLIC SALE

At my place 7 miles west and 1 mile north of Wayne, 2 miles south and 2 miles east of Carroll, 1 mile east and 4 1/2 miles north of Winside. Free lunch at noon. Sale starts 1 o'clock, on

Friday, January 21

Sale to include all the following property as I am quitting farming.

6 Head of Horses

Gray mare 5 yrs. wt. 1900; bay mare 5 yrs. in foal, wt. 1300; bay mare 12 yrs. wt. 1300; bay horse 3 yrs. wt. 1400; bay horse 10 yrs. wt. 1100; gray horse 10 yrs. wt. 900.

13 Head of Cattle

4 good milk cows, 12 yrs. old Shorthorn bull, 3 yearling steers, 2 yearling heifers, 4 calves.

24 Head of Hogs

16 brood sows all bred, 8 barrows.

Farm Machinery

Lumber wagon, hay wagon, spring wagon, Deering 6-ft binder, Plano mower 5-ft cut, 11-ft seeder, 8-section barrow, Goodenough 16-in plow, John Deere walking plow, 14-in Avery corn planter 80 rods wire, triangle and Moline lister, Bradley disc cultivator, Moline riding cultivator, Avery walking cultivator, Sandwich feed grinder, hand corn sheller, bicycle grindstone, wheelbarrow, blacksmith vise and drill, 2 sets of work harness, single harness, extra good saddle, flynets and other articles to numerous too mention 80 tons of good wild hay.

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Rollie W. Ley, Clerk. E. & D. H. Cunningham, Auctioneers.

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Ask neighbors about. Tell friends about it. Weaken a few drops for drinking. Used right and persistently, cures most stomach, bowel, kidney and blood disorders, and related diseases. VERY BENEFICIAL FOR WOMEN. Full strength for cuts, bruises, burn and sores. Prevents swelling, pus and soreness. PREVENTS BLOOD POISON IMPOSSIBLE. MUDLETHE: Better and goes further than any other antipholgistic Med. ALWAYS AT LEAHY'S DRUG STORE.

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DENTIST
 Office Over State Bank. Phone 51

Dr. A. Naffziger

Office in Mellor Block. Lady in attendance. Hospital accommodations. Deutscher Arzt. Phone No. 65.

Society Items, Etc.

There was a big wedding at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilderleeve, at noon yesterday, their daughter May being united in marriage to Mr. Young of Craig. Rev. Osborne performed the ceremony and an abundance of remembrances were left for the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Young will live on a ranch in the west.

The party given by Mrs. Ley on New Years Eve proved to be one of the most enjoyable and elaborate events of the season. About twenty couples were present and enjoyed the new game "The Royal 400" which was played with much zest and excitement. Miss Florence Welch and Mr. Gilkerson were the most successful players and each received a beautiful bouquet of carnations, making them the champion bouquet gatherers of the evening. Miss Ella Morrison who has lately been studying music in Germany gave several instrumental selections which were heartily applauded. Mrs. Ley was assisted in serving delicious refreshments by Mrs. White, Mrs. Hammond and Miss Mary Jones and Goldie Chace.

The Monday Club meets next week with Mrs. Cunningham with the following program:
 Roll Call—A. S. O. of interest in Science
 Music—Leader, Mrs. Kate
 American Explorers and Geologists—
 Mrs. Epler

Aerial Navigation—Mrs. Heckert
 Wireless Telegraphy—Mrs. Huntington
 The Woodman of the World will have a big blow-out Jan. 28 and installation of officers.

The Bible Circle meets with Mrs. J. E. Marsteller next Wednesday afternoon.

Normal Notes

Miss Kingsbury spent her vacation with her parents in Ohio, returning on Tuesday morning.

Floyd Jeffrey and bride of Martinsburg made the College one of their stopping places while on their wedding tour.

The commercial and manual training departments have a large enrollment this term. A number in the manual training department are preparing to teach.

Credits made at the Wayne Normal will be accepted when the school comes under the control of the state of Nebraska.

The new term opened up on Jan. 3 with a large enrollment. Among the number are a great many young people who spent some time with us last winter.

Miss Lottie Robertson returned to Wayne Monday from the convention in Rochester, N. Y. While there she was the guest of Helen Pile-Newton, who she says is beautifully located, well and happy.

The Scientific class has had several additions this term, as well as has the Professional class. Many are old students who are here to complete this work while under the present management.

Winside News

From our Correspondent.
 Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rew were at Emerson Monday.

Mrs. E. W. Cullen and J. H. Prescott were in Sioux City Monday.

J. H. Prescott was an Emerson visitor Sunday.

The Democrat man and Oscar Franks were Winside visitors between trains New Years day.

J. H. Prescott and H. C. McClusky were morning passengers for Sioux City Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Clifford and son Francis, of San Francisco are the guests of Mrs. H. E. Siman.

New Years eve Mrs. L. W. Jones entertained a few friends at cards and an elegant spread.

C. H. Figh of Omaha arrived Monday evening, a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Needham.

Mrs. H. E. Siman and son Paul were passengers for Sioux City Sunday, returning Monday evening.

Judge Clyde Becker returned Sunday from Pender where he had been on journey for a few days.

Monday morning most of the patrons of city water found it necessary to call in the plumber. A direct pressure on the mains after the stand pipe had frozen caused considerable damage to fixtures.

At the regular meeting Tuesday night the K. P. lodge installed the following officers for the ensuing year: Matt Boyle, C. C.; F. L. McNoun, V. C.; C. E. Shaw, F. F.; E. Bright, M. of W.; Lloyd Holcomb, K. of P. and S.; I. M. Hill, M. at A.; Harry Tidrick, J. G.; Jerry Jorgensen, O. G.; and George Motson, Trustee.

Dr. Lutgen, Physician and Surgeon. City and country calls promptly answered.

New Elevator at Wayne

We are now buying all grades of wheat, paying 2 cents above market for same. Have dump and scale of latest pattern. The driveway approach is easy. No noise from engine, cars, etc. We want your wheat.
WEBER BROS.

Deadly Disease in the County

The spinal disease that has terrified communities farther west in the state has reached Wayne county. Peter Clausen who lives seventeen miles southeast of town, has lost three of his children the past week, and the district school there has been closed due to the infectious nature of the malady. The patients die in a few hours or in a day when taken ill, and there appears to be no remedy so far discovered that can contend with the ailment, every case of it being fatal and it evidently being very contagious. Dr. J. J. Williams, coroner, put the Clausen home under quarantine.

Want a load of cobs. Call at Democrat office.

The Democrat is told that there are about 45 cases of measles in Wayne and about two of smallpox and scarlet fever. People are bound to keep a having something all the time.

Harry Fisher says a "Merry Widow" in Sioux City was the most gorgeous and entertaining production he ever saw. Seven carloads of scenery and more "Merry Widows" than there are in Wayne.

O. H. Stephens, formerly of near Carroll, was in Wayne today on his way home to Creighton. Mr. Stephens took occasion to again join the Democrat family after several years absence.

W. H. Belford was down from Carroll today and bought a bird of a rooster from Frank Whitney's prize henry.

Lost—A horse blanket between my place near Carroll and Wayne, on New Years day. Finder please leave at the Democrat office or notify John Gettman, Carroll, Neb.

Commissioners' Proceedings.

Wayne, Neb., Jan. 5, 1910. Board met as per adjournment. All members present.

The following official bonds were on motion duly approved: James Britton, as County Judge. Grant S. Mears, County Sheriff. Chas. W. Reynolds, County Clerk. Elsie Litsell, County Superintendent. Chas. S. Beebe, County Treasurer. I. W. Alter, Justice of the Peace for Wayne. James Baker, Justice of the Peace for Deer Creek precinct. Cyril Templin, Justice of the Peace for Hoskins precinct. Wm. McKinney, Constable for Winside. John L. Soules, Constable for Wayne. Frank Utech, overseer of road district No. 8. J. J. Chilcott, overseer of road district No. 9. John Reichert, overseer of road district No. 12.

...Gaertner & Beckenhauer...

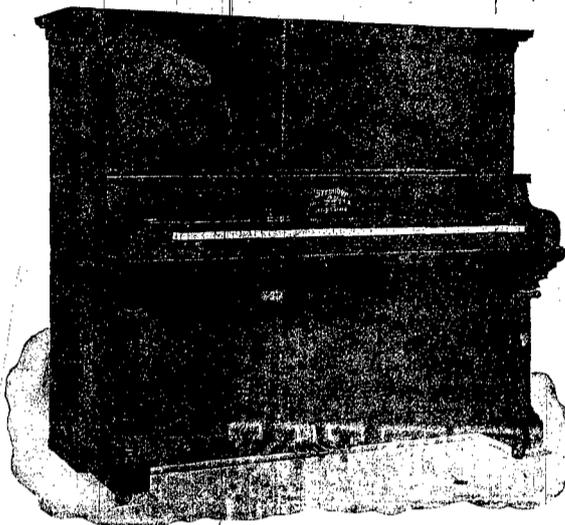
Have on sale at Wayne, Neb., a car of high grade

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And will Save you from \$100 to \$150 on Each Instrument

These Pianos have been bought direct from the factory, at the lowest possible cash figure, consequently the prices we are making you are absolutely the lowest that a high grade Piano can be bought for.

We also have with us an expert piano tuner, direct from the factory who is assisting us during this sale.



We are making a specialty of the **Strohber and Schubert Pianos**

The Strohber piano is an instrument recommended by all leading colleges in the United States and guaranteed to stand in tune under more hard usage than any piano made. The famous steel back Schubert piano is recommended by all musical artists in this and foreign countries.

We also have 26 other makes of Pianos

Come and see us or write. We pay car fare to purchasers and put the piano in your home without any extra charges to you.

Comes now Chas. W. Reynolds, County Clerk, and appoints Elsie Merriman as deputy county clerk for the ensuing term. Board approves said appointment, and approves her bond as presented.

Bond of Standard Bridge Company for the building and repairing of bridges for the year 1910 is hereby approved. The following depository bonds were on motion duly approved: Merchants State Bank of Winside. First National Bank of Carroll. First National Bank of Wayne. State Bank of Wayne. Hoskins State Bank of Hoskins.

Whereas, Section 18, Chapter 18, Article 3 of the compiled statutes of Nebraska make it mandatory upon the county Boards to designate a certain bank or banks, as depositories of county funds, and whereas the banks heretofore named have qualified according to law as such depositories of county funds.

Therefore be it resolved by the chairman and Board of County Commissioners of Wayne county, Nebraska, that the Merchants State Bank of Winside, Nebraska; the First National Bank of Carroll, Nebraska; the First National Bank of Wayne, Nebraska; the State Bank of Wayne, Nebraska; and the Hoskins State Bank of Hoskins, Nebraska, are and the same are hereby selected and declared to be legal depositories of the county funds of Wayne county, Nebraska.

Board proceeded to the opening of the bids for the furnishing of books, stationery, blanks, office supplies, county Physician and Overseer of Poor.

Action on bids continued by adjournment.

Whereupon board adjourned to Jan. 6, 1910.

CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, Clerk.

Order the best coal from the Ancho Grain Company.

Real Estate Transfers

Reported by F. A. Berry, bonded abstractor, for the week ending Jan. 5, 1910. Jas. Blaine Skeen and wife to I. E. Ellis 1/4 bk 22 Wayne \$1500. Winford A. Deen and wife to Moses Baldwin 1/4 3 & 4 bk 10 Winside \$750. John Liveringhouse and wife to Martin Holst net 18 25 4 \$13600.

House and Lot for Sale

The 5-room cottage south of Walter Weber's residence and the vacant lot south of cottage for sale. A. B. CLARK.

Of General Interest

The writer had the pleasure of attending the National corn show at

Omaha this week.

The almost perfect ear of corn which was raised by Fred C. Pain of New Town, Indiana, is 10 1/4 inches long, 7 1/2 inches in circumference at the butt, and a half inch from the tip it is 7 1/4 inches. The kernels are 5/8 of an inch in length. The prize for this entry was given by the Kellogg Toasted Corn Flake Company. Another interesting exhibit was the "Evolution of Corn" from the earliest known variety with each kernel enclosed in husks down to the present day corn. There was one ear—the largest ear in existence—17 1/2 inches long, in this collection.

The prize for the best ten ears of corn also goes to Indiana.

In attempting to explain a certain matter to a school officer, we opened the school laws and attempted to read therefrom, but was met with this argument—that he had no time to read the school laws. We wonder

that he has time to serve on the school board.

Reading Circle note books will be returned before Christmas.

All teachers who owe for Reading Circle books or for The Wayne County Teacher should settle before the first of January. We feel that the Wayne County Teacher is a benefit to the schools of the county and if we are to continue the paper, it will be necessary to have your help.

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King Solomon Making Good

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Another strong true discovery has been added to the King Solomon mine. Coming as it did, on the eve of Christmas it was joyfully welcomed as a present by the many stockholders of Wayland vicinity. Cut at the deep, many depth of a mile from the surface and three quarters of a mile from the portal it is hard to estimate the millions that it holds in wealth.

The mine superintendent, Davidson, considers it the best yet met in the mine, and those who have seen him say he knows what he is talking about. He has spent a few days on a preliminary survey, and he says that the mine is at least a mile long and a mile wide. He says that the mine is at least a mile long and a mile wide. He says that the mine is at least a mile long and a mile wide.

The leading mining journals of the West, such as the Mining Investor and the Daily Mining Record speak in high terms not only of the King Solomon mine but of its management. An article appearing in the current number of the Mining Investor says: "The King Solomon, one of Colorado's big enterprises, is pushing development on its old property with a vigor and energy that is making rapid progress and several new fields are being opened up in the future."

At present enterprises had to have a beginning. The failures of the large manufacturing concerns, and the large mines which a few years ago were turning out only twelve millions a year, are now turning out only a few hundred and fifty millions per annum. It is not the failures of the large manufacturing concerns, and the large mines which a few years ago were turning out only twelve millions a year, are now turning out only a few hundred and fifty millions per annum.

Chas. Siefen's Auction
January 20th is the date of Chas. Siefen's big sale near Waynes. Mr. Siefen has a bunch of the best horses in the county, 35 head of good cutting, 50 fine hogs and will also sell all his farm machinery and household goods, etc., as he is quitting farming.

Changed the Sale Date
Owing to other sales in the vicinity of Wayne, the big sale of Chas. Siefen's big sale near Waynes, will be held on Saturday, January 21st, as advertised last week.

Jeffries-Gotch
Next to a prize fight the biggest proposition in athletic circles in this part of the country will be Jeffries and Gotch at Sioux City next Saturday night at the Auditorium. The two champions will wrestle; Jeffries will spar for points with Sam Berger and Gotch will wrestle with Dr. Koller, the latter being a top-notch in the game. Aside from these exhibits the aggregation carries a "regular show" that will be put on. Seats are worth from 75c to \$2.50 and if you wish you can see a plan of the seats and prices at this office or write Manager Barnes, Auditorium, Sioux City.

ARRAIGNMENT OF PROHIBITION

(Portland Oregonian, Oct. 30, 1909.)
The Oregonian stands for strict regulation of the liquor trade, and for strict enforcement of the regulations. It opposes prohibition because it does not consider prohibition reasonable or just; because it authorizes and provides unnecessary restrictions upon personal conduct and private rights; because it forces a secret trade that is more injurious than the open trade under regulation; because it strikes a blow at many useful and important industries; because its enactment by any state is a sign of narrow provincialism, and Oregon ought to be kept out of this class of states. To enter it would be hurtful in many ways to her reputation for sanity, and in many ways hurtful to her business and industry. A prohibition state is a small, warring community. Washington and California will not be prohibition states. Should we adopt prohibition it would be one of many other proofs that we were falling behind in the race of progress; that the "dry rot" had not only struck us, but had sunk deep. No pun intended in the phrase about "dry rot."

On this subject, now a year in advance of the time when the vote on state prohibition is to be taken, the Oregonian uses the opportunity to declare its position. It frankly states the subject, and it cannot shut its eyes. It knows, moreover, that its readers who consider this subject from a reasonable point of view will consider the subject from the standpoint of their opposition to a trade that in irresponsible hands becomes an instrument of abuse and must be subjected to correction of law, statutory and moral, will not agree with it. The appeal is to the larger and wider judgment. The appeal is to those who understand the expression of the moral post of two thousand years ago, who exclaimed, "What can laws avail when the customs of the people, their social conditions and wants, the various requirements of their business and industry, do not call for the legal enactments?" In such cases laws are not only vain, empty, that is to say, but in many ways may be positively harmful. Morality is not based on law, but law on morality. They who desire to prohibit in their own localities have the opportunity now in local option.

Dry Only in Name.
(Portland Daily Argus.)
That an increase in "dry" territory, so-called, does not indicate a corresponding advance in temperance, has been demonstrated again and again. Missouri furnishes the latest illustration of this fact. In that state this year more than half the counties are without licensed saloons, but according to a report just filed with Governor Hadley by the state beer inspector, the collections under the beer stamp law are nearly \$19,000 greater this year than last, when the area of "wet" territory was much larger. This report covers a period of ten months, including October and the increased sales indicated by it, as the Boston Transcript points out, must have been of beer consumed in the state, because that made for sale outside of it is not subject to the tax.

Infringes a Sacred Right.
(Press Dispatch.)
Mobile, Ala., Sept. 21.—In the infernal court this morning in the trial of alleged violators of the Fuller prohibition law, Judge Jules Alford bound the defendants over to the city court, declaring that the law was unconstitutional in that it denied the right of trial by jury. This afternoon County Solicitor Stallworth filed with Judge O. J. Semmes of the city court a petition for the issuance of a mandamus to compel Judge Alford to try the cases.

Juvenile Crime in Kansas.
Pittsburg Kansas.
The reign of lawlessness among boys seems to be fairly inaugurated. Petty thieving and holdups by boys is an everyday occurrence and Pittsburg has more than a fair share of these young offenders.
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CONDITION IN STATE OF MAINE

The prohibitionists argue upon the license advocates argue upon lessons of the practical effect of prohibition. Anti-prohibitionists contend that conditions in Nebraska under the license system are far and away better than conditions in Maine under the prohibition system. The only way that such argument can be proved is to present facts about conditions in prohibition states.
Many Maine newspapers are now condemning prohibition in pursuance of a campaign for the resubmission of a constitutional amendment for the repeal of prohibition in that state. These newspapers do not hesitate to condemn prohibition in the strongest terms. Their recent utterances would in more than fill a newspaper page. In this connection is given only a brief editorial paragraph from The Portland Daily Argus of October 29, 1909. The Argus' comment was predicated upon like comment in the Lawrence Telegram and in the Haverhill Record. The Portland Argus is the chief daily newspaper of the state of Maine. The quotation is as follows:
"Maine police officials are beginning to send liquor dealers to jail for illegal selling. If they are not careful they will spoil the business down there."—Lawrence Telegram. "No danger. Maine people will have their rum, laws or no laws."—Haverhill Record.
"Maine people will have their rum, laws or no laws. Well, that comes pretty near being the basic facts of the Maine situation. It is a fact demonstrated by fifty years of farcical prohibition failure in the home state of prohibition. Out of all the humbug and pretense and hypocrisy of Maine prohibition the truth sticks out that the people of Maine are very like people elsewhere; that about the same percentage of them—and it is a very large percentage—use liquor in its various forms or abuse it, have done so all through the prohibition regime and will do so as long as it lasts. The demand for liquor is so large and so insistent that, apart from the legitimate sources of supply, it can and does maintain a great illicit trade, a trade that has never been stopped for a single day throughout the half century of Maine prohibition, notwithstanding all the pains and penalties piled up in the statute book. Maine is in favor of prohibition in party platforms and stump speeches, but again its enforcement, or in favor of enforcement only against the other fellow."

Utter Failure.
(Portland Daily Argus, Nov. 20, 1909.)
"The utter failure of prohibition to prohibit is only one of the counts in the indictments of the system. Its positive evils are even more demoralizing than its negative evils. What it does is worse than what it does not do. The crop is abundant. Law violation leading to general disrespect of all law; the debauching of politics, the promotion of bribery and perjury; the hypocrisy and humbug encumbered by it; the swarming cant on the one hand and the sneaking methods on the other that are fostered by prohibition—these and many more evils are what follow the futile attempt to compel abstinence by law. On the single matter of perjury Chief of Police Harmon of Biddeford, this week, gave damning testimony that is worth nothing, accompanied as it was by a vigorous denunciation of the prohibitory law. Chief Harmon has headed the Biddeford police force for many years, and no one will question that he is an expert witness. In the course of the trial of a liquor case in the municipal court Chief Harmon declared that the Maine prohibitory law had made more liars and perjurers than all the other laws on the statutes combined. He denounced the law as being wrong in principle and in its workings, and even went so far as emphatically to declare his belief that a man arrested for violating the prohibitory law was justified in going into court and committing perjury in order to clear himself. This is the view of an official who has been chief of police in Biddeford for sixteen years—ample experience for a thorough knowledge of the prohibitory law, its operation and its results. And the conclusions of Chief Harmon are the conclusions of about every sheriff and police chief in the state, if they would express their honest convictions as to the results of their experience."

Internal Revenue Increased.
(Associated Press Dispatch.)
Washington, Nov. 1.—Surpassing the most sanguine expectations of the treasury officials, the internal revenue reports are bounding upward. For October the figures show \$23,694,434, an increase of \$1,616,735 over the corresponding month last year and that there will be some additions to the receipts credited to last month's account.
So far this fiscal year, up to October 30, the internal revenue receipts have run \$475,99 ahead of the same period last year, the total since July 1 being \$89,783,037.

Distinctly Different.
(Portland Argus.)
General Fred Grant insists that he is still in favor of restoring the army canteens. It appears that General Grant is a temperance man in general, a prohibitionist, as has been reported.—Haverhill Gazette.
A difference with a distinction which prohibitionists wholly ignore.
bell. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harrigell, Arthur Campbell and Mrs. Mary Nightingale of Fort Collins, Colo. Oscar Edwards returned Christmas day from a short visit to his home in Nebraska. He says he is very glad to get back to Idaho and says there is no place like Ashton and vicinity, furthermore that Idaho has much talk going on about her at his old home and that thirteen families from there will locate at Arco in the spring. He also says there a good many

WOULD NULLIFY LEGAL VOTES

For the first time in the history of the campaign for state-wide prohibition, a prohibition paper has just admitted that so-called county option is county prohibition. This admission was made in a late number of the Nebraska Issue, which is the organ of the Nebraska Anti-Saloon League. An editorial under the caption of "Our County Option Bill" undertakes to explain the terms of the county option bill the league will present to the next legislature for action. We quote from the editorial the following sentences:
"The proposition is so phrased as to submit the question of county prohibition to the vote of the people at a legal election." * * * "The strength of the bill is in the unique phrasing of the proposition to be voted on; it is this, 'Shall this county become anti-saloon territory?' the vote being 'yes' or 'no.' If a majority vote 'yes' thereafter no licenses are to be granted within the county." * * * "If by any chance a county fails to become anti-saloon territory it doesn't vote 'wet.' It simply does not vote 'dry.' All laws remain as before and all 'dry' territory within the county remains 'dry.' * * * This is not another liquor law. It is distinctively a temperance (prohibition) measure."
The reader will note that this bill is styled a county option bill by the prohibitionists and yet, the language used by the organ of the Anti-Saloon League makes it clear and self-evident that it is impossible for the man who casts a ballot for the wet policy to have his will registered in an election as contemplated by the bill. In view of this fact why is the voter to be given a ballot enabling him to vote "No?" For no other purpose than to deceive! All votes cast for the dry policy will have the full force and effect that every legal ballot ought to have in any state, but the votes cast for the wet policy are to be shorn of full force and effect. This means that all the voters who may wish to favor the license policy are to be disfranchised. In many counties a majority of the voters would cast ballots for the wet policy under the proposed law.

County Prohibition.
(Omaha World Herald, October 25.)
Thanks are due the ladies of the W. C. T. U. for plainly and unmistakably defining the liquor issue as it will be presented in Nebraska next year. Those who are for prohibition and those who are against it, and those who are for county option and those who are against it, are alike and equally interested in knowing exactly what it is they are fighting about. Nobody wants to win by taking an unfair advantage, and no victory would be permanent that was won by befogging the issue and deceiving the people.
Mrs. Frances B. Heald, the president of the state organization, in pleading with the national organization to endorse the stand in favor of county option which the Nebraska W. C. T. U. has taken, made this frank statement:
"The Anti-Saloon League county option bill was submitted to the executive committee of the state W. C. T. U. and found to be county prohibition and nothing else. The officers of the Anti-Saloon League have pledged us their word that they will join with us in working for state-wide prohibition the minute this county prohibition bill is passed.
This makes the issue so plain that he who runs may read.
County option is desired first, not because it is county prohibition," but because it is "county prohibition."
As soon as county prohibition is obtained the advantage this won is to be used immediately to advance the campaign for state prohibition, which, if successful, will wipe county option out of existence.
The one is to be merely the stepping stone to the other. Without county prohibition the prohibition forces believe it would be extremely difficult to secure state prohibition. But with county prohibition they are confident it will be impossible to defeat state prohibition."

Right of Trial by Jury.
(Louisville Courier-Journal.)
The state of Alabama, which has been in a condition of aberration for some time, now proposes to withdraw right of trial by jury in an effort to enforce the Fuller law providing for the abolition of liberty in the interest of an anti-liquor crusade. While the right of trial by jury is customarily spoken of as inalienable, it is so only when a state of sanity in the body politic is presumed. The federal constitution protects the right against violation by congress and the federal judiciary, but except as they are restrained by their own constitutions, states may abolish the jury system. The extremism expressed in the Fuller law made it plain when the bill was passed that the forces behind it were slated for ultimate defeat. The next exploit of the fanatics was to inaugurate a movement to amend the Alabama constitution in the interest of the Fuller law. Now comes as a logical development an effort to gain the desired end by denying the accused liquor sellers the right to be tried under a system that has stood for some seven centuries in the most highly civilized countries, despite its admitted defects. Anti-prohibitionists in Alabama should halt this latest development joyously. It will hasten the overthrow of the opposing forces.

Crime Epidemic in Alabama.
(Portland Argus.)
The report of the attorney-general of Alabama furnishes authoritative evidence of the sort of progress this southern state is making under its new prohibition regime. It is not of the sort to encourage belief that the state's new departure will usher in the millennium. Contrarywise. There is a marked increase in criminal offenses for the two years covered by the report over the previous, or any other like period of time, for which the attorney-general is unable to offer a satisfactory explanation. A marked increase in criminal offenses—this is the cold fact in Alabama's short prohibition experience—but waves of hysterical sentiment are not stopped by cold facts, for a time, at least.
has been done heretofore at that place and the name will be changed to the Ashton Lumber Co. We expect to see the gentleman do a good business as he claims he will rearrange and enlarge his stock especially in the lumber trade which has been so hard to get here for the past year or two.
Miss Meeker visited her sister, Mrs. Senter over Saturday, going to Laurel Monday.
The Democrat is in receipt of an interesting letter from John Koefoed

ATTITUDE OF MR. ROOSEVELT

Harper's Weekly of July 17, 1909, contains an article under the caption, "The Truth About Prohibition in Maine. Mr. Holman Day Versus Certain Fanatics." The article is important because it quotes an interview with Mr. Day, who is a prominent editor of Maine, in which he gives the particulars of an interview had with Mr. Roosevelt, the latter having called Mr. Day to Washington for a conference. This interview shows clearly the attitude of Theodore Roosevelt toward statutory prohibition as illustrated by the experience of Maine. The article is well worth reading and is as follows:
"The grand jury of Cook county, Illinois, in session at Chicago, has found an indictment for criminal libel against William P. Ferguson, editor and publisher of the National Prohibitionist, published in Chicago. The complainant is Holman Day of Maine, whose articles on prohibition, recently published in Harper's Weekly, elicited the libel for which Ferguson has been indicted. The Harper articles attracted much attention throughout the country and were widely copied and commented on. The facts presented by Mr. Day have not been imputed. Ferguson, in an editorial utterance, stated that the conditions as pictured in the articles existed in Maine, since Mr. Day was in a position to know whereof he spoke; and then the editor of the National Prohibitionist proceeded to make a wanton attack upon the moral character of Mr. Day, imputing to him offenses so ridiculously and shamefully false that the state of Maine, of which Mr. Day has been a widely known and honorable resident all his life, is indignant on his behalf. Among the 'friends' of Mr. Day who wrote from all parts of the country to urge him to take steps to punish such reckless vilifications was Colonel Henry Watterson of Kentucky, whose name appeared in the libelous editorial as one who felt that Mr. Day needed the endorsement that Colonel Watterson had given him in the Courier-Journal. At the suggestion of Colonel Watterson Mr. Day engaged H. H. Huffaker, Esq., of Louisville, an able attorney and a personal friend of Colonel Watterson's, and with him proceeded to Chicago armed with complete refutation of the charges contained in the organ of the prohibitionists.
The indictment followed promptly and the case has been marked for trial in the early fall of 1909. 'In taking this step,' says Mr. Day, 'I am not actuated by any mere spirit of revenge. I am not conducting a campaign against prohibition, and as a cause, nor do I hold any brief in defense of the whiskey interests. I was asked by reputable publishers, anxious to put facts before their readers, to describe conditions in Maine after nearly sixty years' experience in attempting to enforce the prohibitory law. On the appearance of my first article President Roosevelt summoned me to Washington and, in interviews, continuing parts of two days, commended my manner of presenting real evidence before a grand jury composed of the thinking people of the United States. He urged me to continue the presentation of the case, in view of the great interest of all the states in the question, and said that he had been recommending my articles as the best exposition of the evils of politically nursed prohibition. When I expressed my unwillingness to subject myself to any more of the abuse that the radicals and fanatics had begun to pour upon me, he urged me still more strongly to go straight on and not mind them. In their fallure to find arguments to meet my pitiless facts the bigots who are making a profession out of prohibition have been slinging their mud at me. I have picked out the most heinous offender, a man whose attack is the climax of slanderous invention, and propose to find if there is law enough in the land to protect a writer who asks only the privilege of free discussion of an open question.
'I have more to say upon the subject in a novel that is to be issued later by Harper & Brothers, and by clearing the atmosphere with this suit for criminal libel I would like to assure myself that enterprising fanatics will not begin accusing me of murder or treason when my book appears. Having in my discussions carefully refrained from all personalities, though sorely tempted by striking examples of prohibition malfeasance, I am invoking the criminal law to assure me like respect—a respect that a more just and courteous and less desperate antagonist would grant without being choked into such a condition of grace.'"
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North Dakota Blind Pigs.
The Grand Forks correspondent of the Fargo Forum informs us, says the Bismarck Palladium, that there are at the present time 1,791 blind pigs in North Dakota—assuming doubtless that the possession of a government tax receipt for the retail sale of intoxicating liquor is prima facie evidence that such liquor is being sold, is correct. Manufacturers carry on a cash business with their North Dakota customers and there is no complaint heard from these outside houses that there is any falling off in their trade. On the contrary, North Dakota accounts are the very best that many a Minnesota and Illinois wholesale house has on its books. And so the farce goes merrily on and is made the medium for personal and political exploitation by cowardly politicians, who are often themselves hopeless victims of the drink habit, and who care nothing about the moral aspect of the question, so that they can continue themselves in the limelight of personal notoriety.

Liquor Cannot Be Seized.
(Press Dispatch.)
Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 5.—Judge Cotter in the United States district court here reaffirmed his decision that state officials cannot interfere with interstate commerce shipments, thus restraining the state officers from seizing shipments of liquor before they have been delivered to the consignees.
Favors License Policy.
(Plattsburgh Journal.)
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who now lives at Alberta, Canada. John says he has 1500 acres of land and wants more and that crops and climate suit him first rate. He also takes a hard fall out of Ashton, Idaho, his last trying out place. John sends a happy New Year greeting to his old Wayne county friends.
A letter from Manager Barnes of the Sioux City Auditorium states that there has been an immense sale of seats for the Jeffries-Gotch vaudeville attraction for next Saturday night

KANSAS' SAMPLE OF PROHIBITION

J. T. Allenworth, a lawyer of Lincoln, said:
"While attending the United States circuit court for the district of Kansas at Leavenworth for three or four days this week I learned considerable regarding the enforcement or rather non-enforcement of the prohibitory liquor law of that state. Leavenworth is now in the second year of her experience under the commission form of government, and the city appears to be prosperous, and in the matter of public improvements is in apparently a better condition than at any time during the last twenty-five years, for which period I have been acquainted with its history. In the matter of the enforcement of the law against the sale of intoxicating liquors, the condition is deplorable and seems the more so possibly because of the impression that the people elsewhere generally have that the law is being strictly enforced in that state.
"Within two blocks of the business center of the city I saw four 'joints,' as such places are called in that state where intoxicating liquors were being sold without any attempt whatever at concealment except that the room in which such sales were being made was in the rear of another room which fronted on the street and which apparently was a cigar store.
"Tuesday of the present week was the soldiers' pay day and the city in the evening and night of that day, in the vicinity of the 'joints' referred to, was the scene of more drinking and drunkenness than Leavenworth could have rivalled in her palmy days of antebellum days. Between the hours of 5 o'clock on Tuesday evening and 3 o'clock on Wednesday morning the 'joints' in question were filled with men of all grades and descriptions and a constant stream of them was flowing in and out of these places in a fashion that resembled a bargain sale. On Tuesday night before the hour of 10 o'clock I saw not less than twenty drunken men upon the street, some of them so drunk that they could not avoid colliding with people whom they met.
"During the forepart of the night the police of the city attempted to arrest a drunken soldier because of some altercation between him and a private citizen. About one hundred soldiers from the regular army attempted to prevent it and did prevent the arrest until a special call was sent to the headquarters of the army at Fort Leavenworth and a detachment of armed soldiers came to the city and put down the riot.
"I was informed by one who knew whereof he spoke that no less than two hundred 'joints' were being operated in the city of Leavenworth, and there is absolutely no attempt whatever to prevent the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors. To say that the 'lid is on tight' in Leavenworth is an untruth.
"I am a prohibition republican and believe that Kansas has ideal law upon the subject of intoxicating liquors, but I do not approve of misrepresenting the facts relative to its enforcement simply to relieve public officers who fall to do their duty from the censure which they deserve."

Effects of No-License Boozes.
(Worcester Post.)
"It is easy enough for me to see the effects of no-license," said a druggist to Saunterer this morning. "Every morning there is a line of men at my soda fountain waiting for their bromo, a drink that is supposed to take down the head of the morning after, and they come in here in an awful condition. Their hands sometimes shake so that they can't lift the bromo to their mouth without using both hands. This no-license booze is certainly the stuff that kills. And the most pitiful thing about it is the number of young fellows that have gone to the bad this year. I don't believe there were ever so many before. They come in here every morning with their faces pale and their hands shaking, after some drug that will straighten them out. It certainly is a shame." With that he turned to the soda fountain to mix a bromo for a man waiting there.

Thirty-Four Murders.
Discussing the subject of crime in prohibition states, the Chicago Record-Herald, in an editorial, makes this statement: "In Jefferson county, Alabama, the county that includes Birmingham, there were thirty-four murders in the first twenty days of April."
Cannot Understand.
(Alma Record.)
Considerable agitation is heard regarding one of the two big political parties adopting the county option plank, but the writer fails to understand just why either the republican or democrat party should wish to steal the prohibition party's thunder.
from all adjoining states. Better send in your coin at once of you contemplate seeing the affair. A plat and prices for any part of the auditorium may be seen at this office.
A Democrat reader from Winslow in Wayne Saturday asked us what he could do to get a neighbor of his to subscribe for this sheet instead of borrowing his paper every week. That's easy, by dad. Just give the borrower a glassy stare and he'll quit.
Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Franks were Sunday passengers to Sioux City.

GOVERNOR NOT FOR COUNTY OPTION

(Omaha Daily News, November 14.)
County option will not be written into the platform of the Nebraska democracy next year, regardless of the position of W. J. Bryan, if Governor Shallenberger can prevent it. "County option means prohibition," declared the governor on his arrival in Omaha this morning, "and Mr. Bryan is illogical in his statements that he is a county optionist, but not a prohibitionist."
"Mr. Bryan has intimated in numerous conferences that he is an optionist, but not a prohibitionist, but the very principle of county option is prohibition. The liquor problem will be one of the main issues of the campaign," said the governor, "and I do not deem it advisable for the democratic party to adopt a county option plank."
"The liquor laws, with the daylight saloon act passed by a democratic legislature, are being more rigidly enforced than ever before and I believe that a rigid enforcement of liquor statutes is to be preferred to county option.
"It is too early to draft a platform and I believe that we should wait until the situation develops."
Attitude of Democratic Press.
(Columbus Telegram.)
The Telegram prefers the method of law rather than the method of the bootleg. And when we say we prefer the method of the law it is with the understanding that all laws governing the sale of liquor shall be enforced to the letter.
We favor obedience to the law for two reasons:
1. Because it is right.
2. Because only by strict enforcement of the present Nebraska liquor laws can Nebraska escape prohibition. We are glad to be able now to state that this is the view of the great majority of the country democratic press in Nebraska and the Telegram always feels safe when traveling the path which the majority of the democratic editors are pointing out as the right path.

Bishop Scannell's Admonition.
Rt. Rev. Richard Scannell, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Omaha, delivered a notable sermon at St. Cecilia church in Omaha Sunday, November 14. The bishop admonished the women to eschew politics. He criticized the activities of the woman temperance crusaders. On this point he said:
"Instead of these women striving for total abstinence they should be working in the cause of temperance," said Bishop Scannell. "Men have a practical judgment in this matter and do not look for the ideally perfect. Therefore, I see no advantage to be derived from the women being admitted into the political arena."
Figures That Burn.
(Worcester Post.)
The prohibitory brethren should not be discouraged because the number of arrests for drunkenness tallied only 2,340 for the year ending with the first of last month. Lewiston and its neighboring Auburn in Maine with about a third of Worcester's population had 1,600 of them last year, according to the Lewiston Journal. This is fully twice our rate in proportion to population. But these cities have had nearly sixty years' training in "prohibition" and our rate of progress to the bad is such that we can overtake them if the farce continues for another year. The Journal says the great part of the men arrested there were dispensances appearing over and over again. This is also the usual result of "prohibition" and the stuff that flows under it and the way it is swilled down in bulk purchases and in secret and irresponsible dives.

Chas. Siefen's Auction
January 20th is the date of Chas. Siefen's big sale near Waynes. Mr. Siefen has a bunch of the best horses in the county, 35 head of good cutting, 50 fine hogs and will also sell all his farm machinery and household goods, etc., as he is quitting farming.
Changed the Sale Date
Owing to other sales in the vicinity of Wayne, the big sale of Chas. Siefen's big sale near Waynes, will be held on Saturday, January 21st, as advertised last week.
Jeffries-Gotch
Next to a prize fight the biggest proposition in athletic circles in this part of the country will be Jeffries and Gotch at Sioux City next Saturday night at the Auditorium. The two champions will wrestle; Jeffries will spar for points with Sam Berger and Gotch will wrestle with Dr. Koller, the latter being a top-notch in the game. Aside from these exhibits the aggregation carries a "regular show" that will be put on. Seats are worth from 75c to \$2.50 and if you wish you can see a plan of the seats and prices at this office or write Manager Barnes, Auditorium, Sioux City.
Ashton (Idaho) Enterprise: At their hospitable country home south of town, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owen were host and hostess to a few friends at an elegant dinner Christmas day. The rooms were beautifully decorated with holly and evergreens, the centerpiece for the dining table being a large Christmas bell. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harrigell, Arthur Campbell and Mrs. Mary Nightingale of Fort Collins, Colo. Oscar Edwards returned Christmas day from a short visit to his home in Nebraska. He says he is very glad to get back to Idaho and says there is no place like Ashton and vicinity, furthermore that Idaho has much talk going on about her at his old home and that thirteen families from there will locate at Arco in the spring. He also says there a good many

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W. H. Billeter's

Dispersion Sale of

Polled Durhams

To be held at

Carroll Sale Pavilion

January 14

I will sell my entire herd of Polled Durhams consisting of

41 Head, 8 Bulls, 33 Cows and Heifers

All guaranteed breeders, all in good shape and the best herd of Polled Durhams that was ever offered in the state. They are of the Scotch families,

Orange Blossom and Mild Eyes Orange Marshal Nos. 5160-26231 At head of herd, one of the greatest sires of the breed. He sired calves good enough to win first premium at the Iowa State fair and Nebraska State fair, his sire and his sisters won first at same fairs. Orange Marshal was never showed, he never had any chance to show what he could do but we can show you his calves, at this sale and you will say that they can't be beaten anywhere. They are big lusty fellows, the kind that keeps fat with little care and with the cows we will show you as good a string of cows as you can find any place, don't care where you go to find them. If you want to see one of the best strings of Polled Durhams you ever saw in your life come to Carroll, January 14.

I will also include 2 Percheron Stallions coming 2 years old in this sale, one grade and one registered. The registered colt is a dinger, he is hard to beat, has good life, good action, good disposition and good bone, in fact this colt is right in every way. Anybody looking for a good colt, either registered or grade will miss it in not attending this sale. Catalogues now ready.

Also Ten Duroc Jersey bred Sows from Cherry Lawn Herd, and I can assure you that they have individually and breeding back of them, as you know that I always buy the best, and they are mated with one of the best boars I ever saw, because he could not be otherwise, as he is a grandson of undefeated Frankfort K., and grandson of undefeated Advancer, and grandson of Carroll Beauty. I wish if you can tell me where you can beat him in breeding and quality. Also it will be seven gilts as fine as silk from a branch of Cherry Lawn Herd which belong to Henry Willman. Five of these gilts are half sisters to the above boar, and they are mated with grandson of undefeated Ohio Chief, which we think will make the cross just right. Our brothers, farmers and friends, do not rest easy until you get one of these sows home with you. For particulars, breeding, list and pedigrees, write Robert Pritchard.

Sale commence sharp at one o'clock p. m.

Duroc Sows to be sold first.

R. Pritchard & H. Willman

Big Stock Sale

At the Stageman farm a mile and a half west of Randolph, Mo.

Wednesday, Jan. 12th

At 10 o'clock Free Lunch at Noon

27 Draft Horses 27

Span brown geldings coming 4, weight 3200; span registered Suffolk mares 4 and 5 yrs., wt. 3200; gray horse 5 yrs., wt. 1650; bay horse 4 yrs., wt. 1550; gray horse 4 yrs., wt. 1500; gray horse 4 yrs., wt. 1400; brown team 3 yrs., wt. 3000; black horse 4 yrs., wt. 1500; span geldings 3 and 5 yrs., wt. 3200; bay horse 3 yrs., wt. 1550; horse colt 2 yrs., wt. 1300; mare 5 yrs., in foal, wt. 1800; roan mare 5 yrs., in foal, wt. 1300; mare 4 yrs., wt. 1200; yearling horse colt wt. 1200; yearling filly wt. 1200; span 4 yr old bay colts wt. 2700 black colt 3 yrs., wt. 1350; gray colt 3 yrs wt. 1200; brown horse 3 yrs. wt. 1300; 2 young colts; 1 male 9 yrs., wt. 1250 and 1 Missouri Jack 4 yrs. old.

80 Herford Steers 80

These are all high grade Herford yearlings

35 Bred Ewes and 1 Buck 35

About 4 dozen Chickens

50 Duroc Brood Sows and 50 Stock Hogs

Machinery 2 wagons, top buggy, McCormick binder and mower, Deere corn planter with wire, 4-section drag, 2 discs, weeder, 10-in sulky plow, corn crusher, manure spreader, Dain hay stacker and two sweeps, 4 cultivators, seeder with grass attachment, 4 sets of harness and many other articles.

Terms—On sums over \$10, Ten months at ten per cent.

KLOPPING BROS.

Col. Mosher, Auct. F. S. Stegge, Clerk

The Kiss of Shame

One day in the train of Alexander the Great there was a young officer who had committed a military blunder. Upon report of the blunder Alexander ordered the immediate execution of the unfortunate young man in response to the decree the boy read upon his knees, seized the hand of the emperor and caressed it, as a friendly dog caresses the hand of his master.

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It is the kiss of words. In the older days a herald cried above the fact that the wrath of Alexander had been appeased by the kiss of the one he had condemned to death; in these Nebraska days the Omaha Bee, as herald to our highest court, gives cry that all of dignity has been restored to the supreme tribunal by the kiss of words from the tongue of Duun. It was a glorious victory for the court, as announced by the Bee as official herald, but in the view of all who love the right and the law, it must be held a victory (admean) no less, not more—Columbus Telegram.

Don't Miss It

Clyde Oman's public sale on Saturday Jan. 8. Go to town the day before. Good horses, cattle, hogs, Plymouth Rock chickens and a big lot of farm machinery.

PROGRAM

for the Wayne County Teachers' Association

to be held—

January 15, 1910.

In the Assembly Room of the High School building at Wayne.

Forenoon Session 10 o'clock.

Chorus.....Wayne High School Lesson 11—Salisbury's "Theory of Teaching," chapters 15-19..... Led by Helen Tollé

Paper—Plays and Games..... Madge White

Afternoon Session 1:30 p. m.

Duet.....Misses Edna and Bernice Moler Lesson 11—Salisbury's "Theory of Teaching," chapters 20-23..... Led by Prof. F. L. McNow

Chorus.....Carroll High School Address.....C. H. Bright

Question Box.

Local News.

Chas. Kate was a passenger to Sioux City Monday.

Geo. Rohrer was a visitor from Carroll Monday. George says he is running a "rest room" for the farmers now and likes the job first rate with the exception of when his patrons come home from Wayne and want to tarry with him too long.

The Tom Berry and Fred Berry families and Miss Emma Berry were guests guests at the F. A. Berry home New Years day.

Remember the date of Clyde Oman's sale Saturday Jan. 8. If you want some good horses, cattle or the best Poland China sows that it is possible to get, don't fail to attend this sale. Where necessary, stock purchased at this sale may be left on place over Sunday and they will be cared for.

Keep your eye open for L. M. Owen's sale Feb. 9th.

Do it today! Have Optician Vail look at and test your eyes and fit you out with glasses before it is too late.

The Crystal picture parlor has been a very popular resort the past week or two. The house is getting films from the best company in the world today and the vaudeville stunts are much better than anything put on by theatrical people in this part of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher were passengers to Sioux City Monday morning to see the "Merry Widow."

Ed Merrill went to Jefferson, S. D., Monday to see his brother. Herman Milder had a severe attack of nervous trouble last Monday forenoon and was compelled to go home in a carriage, and rest up. A nervous contraction of his right limb took all the nerve Herman had to stand the excruciating pain it produced.

Messrs Franks and Jones took a party out to Alamosa, Colo., Tuesday.

The few days old babe of Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Emerson died last Saturday, at the family home in Emerson. Interment was at Wayne Monday morning.

"Red" Henyan left Monday for Clinton, Iowa, where he expects to remain permanently. L. M. Owen has just cleaned up what is probably the biggest crop of corn ever raised by a single farmer in this county. His crop totals 14640 bushels, and it ran 60, 65 and 70 bushels per acre. At 50c a bushel Lou figures he can quit work for a year at least and so will have a big sale Feb. 14th.

W. O. Gamble has not been so well of late and grows weaker instead of stronger, so Dr. Gamble, informs the Democrat.

The National Stock Co., the biggest aggregation of barnstormers that ever hit the town, slipped quietly away yesterday morning without paying their bills. The outfit went to Emerson from here, but won't get far away unless they walk.

Prof. Hunter leaves next Sunday for Menomine, Wisconsin to finish his course in Manual training. He expects to return the 1st of June to remain at the college through the summer. The boys hate to have him leave even for a short period as they are very much in-

DR. REA & CO. Specialists

Diseases of Men, Diseases of Women. Nervous Diseases, Chronic Diseases. Will forfeit fifty dollars for any diseases that they fail to locate.

—Will be at—

The Boyd Hotel Wayne, Nebr.

Friday, February 18, 1910

From 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Returning every four weeks.



Eminently Successful in

Ear, Nose and Throat Diseases, deafness, partial deafness, catarrhal deafness, roaring ringing noises in the head. Cases that have been improperly treated can be cured.

Eye Diseases, cataract, granulated lids, weak and watery eyes, inflamed eyes and the fitting of glasses, treated with the most modern methods.

Catarrhal Diseases, bronchial catarrh, catarrh of the lungs, nasal catarrh, forced breathing and obstructed breathing in the nostrils in most cases completely cured.

Diseases of the Lungs, early consumption, pleurisy, asthma, shortness of the breath treated with the latest tubercular treatment.

Liver, Stomach and Bowel Troubles, dyspepsia, sick headache, appendicitis, gall stones, constipation, diseases of the liver, and indigestion, sour stomach, etc.

Kidney and Bladder Trouble, diabetes, bright's disease, stone in the kidneys, enlargement of the kidneys, pain in back, stiffness of the back, passing urine too often and burning urine.

Nervous diseases, Neuralgia, sciatica, nervous prostration, nervous indigestion, paralysis and brain diseases.

Blood and Skin Diseases, heart diseases, dropsy, swelling of the limbs, sores, pains in the bones, rheumatism, enlarged veins, eczema, itch, pimples and bad circulation.

Deformities and Club Feet, curvature of the spine, interrupted nutrition, slow growth in children and wasting diseases in adults.

Cancer, Tumor, Goiter, Fistula, Piles, tubercular glands, rupture, varicose veins, enlarged glands, cold limbs and all external growths, treated by hypodermic injection method without the knife and loss of blood.

Diseases of Men, failing memory, lack of energy, forgetfulness, falling of the hair, sore throat, palsy, weakness in old and young.

Diseases of Women, headache, pains, in the back chronic diseases, deep seated diseases treated scientifically as adopted by America's most eminent specialists. Consultation \$1.00.

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interested in the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lessman were passengers to Sioux City yesterday.

W. W. Kingsbury was in Norfolk on Tuesday night.

Henry Koch of the Chace lumber yard has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. Hammond was over from York last week to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Witter.

Miss Blanche Hickins of Sioux City was a New Years guest at the John Kate home.

Don Cunningham and Paul Harrington were over Sunday visitors at Omaha.

Miss Mary McMahon of New Jersey has been a pleasant visitor at the home of her cousin, Mrs. T. Moran the past week.

The regular session of O. E. S. will be held at Masonic Hall next Monday evening.

A. B. Clark left for California last Friday morning and Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington left in the afternoon.

The Democrat has been told that Miss Everett who taught in the Wayne public schools last year and whose home is near Sioux City died under an operation for appendicitis last week.

Miss Edna Neely left for LeMars, Ia., Monday morning where she visited with Miss Hazel Brower and then went on to Drake University at Des Moines.

The National Stock Co., played to poor business in Wayne the past three nights, not enough paid admissions to pay for the fuel. It is said the milk trust stock is heavily watered.

PUBLIC SALE

2 1/2 miles south and 1/2 mile west of Wayne. Free lunch at noon. Sale will commence at 1 o'clock sharp, on

Tuesday, January 11

2 Head of Horses

Gray mare 8 years old, weight 1350. Black gelding, wt. 1400.

28 Head of Cattle

8 heifers coming 2 years old, 5 seers coming 2 years old, 1 bull coming 2 years old, 9 heifers coming 3 years old, 2 good milk cows, 3 spring calves.

80 Head of Thoroughbred Duroc Jersey Hogs 15 bred gilts, 65 fall pigs and stockers.

Farm Machinery Mower, hay rake, stock cutter, 2 harrow, disc, Lister, riding plow, 2 sets harness, new Economy chief cream separator, 4 dozen chickens, 40 bushels of potato toes and other articles to numerous too mention. 3 stacks of hay.

TERMS—11 months time on secured notes at 8 per cent interest. Sums of \$10 and under, cash.

H. B. Jones, Clerk. E. & D. H. Cunningham, Aucts.

H. M. & J. B. Stallsmith

Public Sale

2 miles west and 1 mile south of Wayne. Free lunch at noon. Sale commences at one o'clock, on

Friday, January 14

8 Head of Horses

Bay horse weight 1400, gray mare weight 1300, 4 mules 3 years old, 2 sucking colts.

14 Head of Cattle

6 milk cows, 1 yearling heifer, 6 spring calves, 1 Polled Durham bull.

34 Hogs O. J. C.

15 brood sows, 18 barrows, 1 thoroughbred O. I. C. boar.

5 dozen Barred and White Rock chickens

Farm Machinery

4 wagons, spring wagon, hay stacker, 2 hay rakes, 2 hay sweeps, mower, weeder, walking cultivator, riding cultivator, disc, disc cultivator, walking stirring plow, wagon, box manure spreader, nearly new, feed grinder with power, Endgate seeder, heating stove, stack of wild hay.

TERMS—10 months time on secured notes at 8 per cent interest. Sums of \$10 and under, cash.

H. B. JONES, Clerk. E. & D. H. CUNNINGHAM, Auct.

G. W. LUSH

Public Sale

On the Wm. Benshoof farm, 3 miles west and 1/2 miles south of Wayne, 5 miles east and 3 miles south of Winslow. Free lunch at noon. Sale commences at 12 sharp, on

Monday, Jan. 10

12 Head of Horses

3 black horses, 2, 3 and 4 years old; 2 bay horses, 4 and 6 years old; 2 gray horses, 4 and 7 years old; 2 gray mares, 3 and 4 years old; black mare, 15 years old; sorrel mare, 14 years old; bay mare colt, 1 year old.

15 Head of Cattle

1 Shorthorn cow, 4 years old, registered; 1 Shorthorn cow, with calf, 3 years old, registered; 5 good milk cows will all be fresh in May and June, are milking now; 6 heifer calves, 2 steer calves.

Farm Machinery

2 lumber wagons, nearly new, new grass mower, new corn planter, new spring wagon, top buggy, hay rake, hay sweep, hay stacker, drag, gang plow, plow, hayrack, U. S. cream separator, new 5 horse evener, Avery cultivators, Sterling seeder, 3 sets of work harness, single driving harness.

6 Dozen Chickens 6

TERMS—11 months time on secured notes at 8 per cent interest. Sums of \$10 and under, cash. Rollie W. Ley, Clerk. E. & D. H. CUNNINGHAM, Aucts.

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KATE'S

ONE PRICE OUTFITTERS FOR MEN AND BOYS

We Are Going to Do a Few Stunts in In Price Making That Will Surprise You

If you're a man who cares to save a dollar you'll read this ad, every word of it, from top to bottom, you'll do more than that, you'll come in and have a look at these goods at least. You can't really afford to pass an opportunity of this kind.

As usual at this season of the year we have some goods on hand that we want to dispose of before the season advances any further. This season circumstances are such that we want to move them faster than we have previous years and we are making prices now such as we have never offered before.

It's your opportunity, we're not going to use a lot of sensational talk or try in any way to misrepresent. You'll find every thing here just as we advertise them.

<h3>Overcoats</h3> <p>Lot 1—5 Men's overcoats, regular price up to \$7.50 now \$3.75 Lot 2—10 Men's overcoats, regular price up to \$12.50 now 7.25 Lot 3—15 Men's overcoats, regular price up to \$17.50 now 11.00 Lot 4—11 Men's overcoats, regular price up to \$22.50 now 14.00 Lot 5—15 Young Men's overcoats, regular price up to \$15.00 now 8.00 Lot 6—20 Boy's overcoats, age 10 to 15, regular price up to \$7.00 now 4.00 Lot 7—10 Boy's overcoats, age 7 to 10, regular price up to \$6.00 now 3.00 Lot 8—10 Child's overcoats, age 3 to 6, regular price up to \$4.00 now 2.00 Lot 9—15 Child's overcoats, 3 to 8, regular price up to \$7.00 now 3.50</p>	<h3>Men's Plush Lined Fine Kersey Overcoats with Fur Collars and Facing</h3> <p>These coats are all silk plush lined and are the very best in quality</p> <p>\$17.50 Coats now \$14.50 20.00 Coats now 16.00 25.00 Coats now 20.00 27.00 Coats now 23.00</p>	<h3>SUITS--Everything Included in these Big Lots</h3> <p>Lot 1—50 Young Men's long pant suits, all kinds, Up to \$7.50 values now \$3.00 Lot 2—50 Young Men's suits, long pants, all kinds, Up to \$12.50 values now \$5.00 Lot 3—20 Men's and Young Men's suits, Up to \$15.00 values at 1/2 price Lot 4—50 Men's and Young Men's suits, Up to \$20.00 values at 33 1/3 % discount Lot 5—75 Men's and Young Men's suits, Up to \$27.50 values at 20% discount Lot 6—10 Boy's suits, knee pants, Sizes 3, 4, 5, 14, 15, 16, only, \$150</p>
<p>15 per cent discount on all sheep lined Duck and Corduroy work coats</p>	<p>100 Pairs of Boys shoes up to size 3 at One-half price.</p>	<p>1-3 Off on all Boys Underwear</p>
<h3>Men's Odd Trousers</h3> <p>Two big lots to select from. Lot 1—All kinds of Men's trousers some patterns that are a little out. Good goods for every day wear. One-Half Price Lot 2—A big lot of good patterns. Trousers in this lot suitable for any kind of wear. 1-3 Off Regular Price</p>	<h3>Look</h3> <p>Did we ever before offer Staley Underwear at a sacrifice? Never before. This season we have a few, only a few garments that are no longer in the line. The sizes are somewhat broken so we will close them out at a price. Your selection from this lot at One Half Price</p>	<h3>Winter Caps</h3> <p>Mens 50c winter caps now 35c. Mens 75c winter caps now 55 cents Some good \$1 and \$1.25 caps at 75c. each. Every hat in the house on sale at 20% discount, Stetson's excepted. Men's Dress Shirts Two big lots of dress shirts all good makes such as Cluett, Monarch, Inter Ocean and Elgin. \$1 and \$1.25 shirts at 75c each. \$1.50 shirts at 1.10</p>

This Is Not All--There Will Be Many Other Bargains In All Lines

We have some good prices to make to you in furs, shoes, shirts, underwear, sweaters and furnishings goods.

Come in and look at this stuff. It will pay you to make an extra effort to do so. You will not have another such opportunity for another year.

Here's a store you know selling goods that you know, guaranteeing everything that goes out the door, and making prices such as the above.

What better opportunity could you ask for.

We will begin the sale Saturday morning and continue for the following ten days. January 8th to 18th inclusive.

KATE'S ONE PRICE OUTFITTERS FOR MEN AND BOYS

Remember

KATE'S ONE PRICE OUTFITTERS FOR MEN AND BOYS

BY DAD

The wearing of a light anklet of gold is the latest woman's fad in London. The Jacksonville Courier says that it impatiently awaits the time when it may be worn in this country.

A young American girl named Tree has made a big hit with her voice over in London. Let us congratulate ourselves that it was not with her limbs, says the Mason Democrat. It may come to that before she "leaves," says the Cherokee Democrat. Not if you people keep "blazing the bark" off in this shameless manner.

Denison Bulletin: A young father in Denison roped one night off the reel in a Denison store the other day. He was talking with a storekeeper about some Christmas stuff and as the storekeeper explained things, the doting young father would say, "I see. Yes I see."

"You say I. C. all the time," said the merchant. "Why don't you say C. & N. W. or C. B. & Q.?"

"Well, because when I'm at home it's always C. R. I. & P."

About twenty-five years behind the bar or bars—no matter which and one is as bad as the other—will put the fixings on the best man ever born.

There was a young lady named Fitch Who heard a loud snoring at which She took off her hat And found that her rat Had fallen to sleep at the switch.

—Wm. Horner.
 A thoughtful contemporary takes exception to the rule of judging college life by clothing manufacturers' pictures. It declares that many young men really learn something at college.

What do you think of a sedate Presbyterian crowd, the Acme club, for instance going to Sioux City to see "A Merry Widow"? The Jeffries-

Gotch attraction next Saturday night will be as refined as a "merry widow."

Well, there is nothing like having one's mind completely relieved on that State Normal school matter.

"Pinchot for president! Better pinch it before it fades away."

You have been reading a good deal of late about how and why President Taft was delayed a couple of weeks on his message to congress touching on railroad matters. Our resident, it appears, had to see a lot of railroad presidents first as to what would be best along these lines for the public that he, Taft, represents—not by a jugful, but for the railroad presidents.

Mrs. Julia Clark Hallam of Sioux City is appealing to the wives of laboring men to work for the ballot for women. She won't get much help there. Wives of laborers, as a rule, prefer to take care of their babies and make their homes happy and cheerful, rather than be gallivanting around trying to get in the limelight.

A barber in a small town back east secured a monkey for a pet and conceived the idea that if he taught the monkey to do the lathering for him it would be quite an attraction and greatly increase the patronage. The monkey soon learned the trick and became quite proficient. A new Irishman came to town and the barber and some of his friends thought they would have some fun with the Irishman. They persuaded him to come to the shop and get shaved. Pat came in and got in the chair and the monkey tucked the towels in around his neck, grabbed the mug and brush, lathered Pat's face good and then began to rub it in. Pat says: "Howdy, monkey." Of course the monkey gave no reply, but finished his job intelligently, and then jumped over and grabbed a razor and started to shave him, whereupon Pat raised up in his chair and said:

"Hold on, monkey, yez kin lather me and rub it in, but I want yure father to shave me."

"How do you come to make Pete Brummels out an Irishman?" asks Charley Pfeil. "Why he's pure Dutch, from Holland," continued Charley. Well, he has to be an "Irishman" to get on the jury all the time, doesn't he? And Mr. Pfeil also wanted to know how they did it: get on the jury almost every term of court; that he had lived in Wayne county twenty-six years and had never been called to act in that capacity.

We'll sing no ode to the weather man this winter. There is already too much owed to the coal man.

Bernard H. Ball, an eastern railroad president, raised the salaries of his employees, and it made such a sensation that Bernard was taken before the board of insanity and found to be unsound in mind.

It is a good thing for you to figure out carefully just how your money goes and then to consider how it will grow when once you begin saving systematically and deposit it in the First National Bank of Wayne.

Foreman Young of the sewer construction left for his home at Harlan, Iowa, this morning. The system has been tested by the city council and will no doubt be accepted at the council session to be held next Monday night, and then it will be up to property owners to use it and pay for it, at least the latter.

F. A. Berry, bonded abstractor and attorney at law.

Verne Tower returned home to Laurel this morning.

Having taken the agency of Fahrney's Medicines, formerly handled by Rudolph Hefti, you can get these medicines by calling at my house or phoning 212.

LEONARD LEINDECKER.

W. E. Johnson of Scotts Bluff, who has been visiting his father-in-law, W. O. Gamble, left for his home today.

High grade Pennsylvania oil at 20c per gallon at Rundell's.

LOST—Pair of nose glasses with a chain. Finder please leave at Democrat office.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stringer were Saturday morning passengers to Omaha to visit his father.

DR. GAMBLE, OSTEOPATH Rheumatism and Chronic diseases a specialty.

A. B. Clark, niece and nephew left last week for California where they will spend the rest of the winter.

TO LET—80 or 90 acres farm land, one-third rent. Batching room, barn room for four horses. Two miles south of Carroll. W. B. McDONALD.

Jack Liverhouse came home last week, having got a hyoff for sixty days from the Burlington, for which road he is now employed.

Please! Please! Please! return my carpenter's drag and bits borrowed from the John Harrington lumber office.

(Coughs and colds have killed more people than were ever killed on battlefields. COFOLA is guaranteed to cure any cough.—Fellner's Pharmacy.

You will never know just how much more thorough WORMOLA is for worms in children, than anything else, until you try.—Fellner's Pharmacy.

FOR RENT a five room house. Inquire of T. H. Farrand.

A \$225 gas engine, good for ordinary work, to trade for a cow or cows. See the Democrat.

The School Library
 From Wayne County Teacher:

Subdivision 18, Section 11, of the School Laws of Nebraska reads as follows:

"The school board or school trustees of every school district within this state shall, and it is hereby made their duty to set aside annually from the general funds collected for the use of the district the sum of ten cents per pupil as shown by the total number of pupils within the school district at the last annual school census. Said amount so set aside shall be known as the district library funds, and shall be by the school board or school trustees of such district annually invested in books other than the regular text books, which books so provided shall be suitable for the district school library."

The state superintendent has authorized county superintendents to withhold the state apportionment of public school moneys from school districts where the reports do not show a compliance with this statute.

There are a number of districts in Wayne county which have not yet invested the necessary amount and should by all means do so this winter, in order that the next annual report may show the proper amount expended for library books. School boards should not wait until the teachers ask for this money. The duty is placed upon the school board to see that it is invested in suitable library books. No doubt the teacher will be glad to help select the books, or, if she is not the right kind of teacher, this office will be only

too ready to give what help it can in the selection.

The Reading Lesson Assignment

Too much time is spent in stumbling through reading lessons that have not been properly prepared and in many cases lessons which the pupils are entirely unable to prepare. At least one-third of the recitation period should be devoted to the assignment of the next lesson—pointing out new words and making such explanations as will help the pupil to understand the lesson.

In one reading lesson observed this fall, a boy of perhaps 12 years was reading the lesson about the Rugby football game. He read the whole lesson without one question from the teacher and in the strained voice of one who is endeavoring to pronounce clearly, a list of words. He did well so far as pronunciation went and was excused to go to his seat, when we asked to talk to him. A few minutes conversation developed the fact that he had never seen a football game and of course did not know a "punt," "kick-off," "touch-down," or any of the terms necessary to describe the game. That pupil could not prepare that lesson, and the teacher was grossly negligent in assigning it. Another teacher, a month before she wanted to assign this lesson, bought a 15-cent rule book of the game, and, with an improvised football, that answered her purpose as well as the real article, made her boys somewhat familiar with the game.

Then they were in shape to prepare the lesson when the assigned it.

The teacher who will assign a reading lesson or any other lesson in the old-fashioned manner, "Take the next lesson," ought to improve her methods or resign her position.

This is the time of year and the kind of weather that tax a teacher's strength and patience to the limit, but if a teacher feels that she is not equal to the task she should immediately "get out" and let someone take her place who is. Teachers should be at the school house by 8:30 in the mornings in order that the school house may be comfortable by 9:00 o'clock. Teachers who teach in the rural schools agree to do the janitor work and we are a firm believer in doing well, anything we agree to do.

C. H. Churchill, a former county superintendent and for many years a school man of note in this state, has taken the school in Dist. No. 7. We are glad to have such an addition to our corps of teachers.

The next set of quarterly eighth grade examination questions will be mailed about the middle of January. The grades made by the 7th and 8th graders on this list are to be reported to the office.

There were over 250 exhibits at the Wayne county corn show. Eighty-eight of which were Domestic "science" entries. Although the weather and roads were unfavorable there was a splendid attendance. Get your school in line for work of this sort next year.

VANDERBILT HAS ONE HANDED HIM BY HIS PORTER

Decisive Newspaper Reporter and Is Exposed by Servant in Traveling Car.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 4.—Twice in one week Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt has passed through Omaha en route from New York to Cheyenne, and each time he has proved himself a veritable "fish."

Mr. Vanderbilt does not care to be interviewed, and an athletic looking individual who was lurking lazily around the questions of the observation compartment when the reporters entered. "He does not want to be disturbed."

LOSES PRESTIGE AS HOME FOR RACERS

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 4.—For the first time in nearly half a century no thoroughbred race horses are passing the winter in Memphis or vicinity.

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WIFE'S NEGRO BLOOD CAUSE OF A DIVORCE

New York Man Declares She Concealed Fact From Him Before Marriage.

CONVICT GOES BLIND AS RESULT OF A DRUNK

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 1.—Simeon Hudson, a convict, stole a pint of alcohol in the Nebraska prison broom factory, drank it and is now suffering from paralyzed optic nerves.

MONEY FOR METHODISTS

Washington, Jan. 4.—From the central west has come a notice of a gift of \$50,000, which a philanthropist purposed to give to the American university.

CHICAGO BOWLER ROLLS A THREE HUNDRED SCORE

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Barney Hill rolled a 300 score in a special match game with Jess Stach of the Northwest Bowling league recently.

LEAVENWORTH, KAN.—ARMED GUARDS FROM THE KANSAS STATE PRISON AT LANING ARE SEARCHING FOR THOMAS COOK AND FRANK C. MOORE, CONVICTS WHO ESCAPED YESTERDAY.

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Premont, Neb., Jan. 1.—John Nicholson, a well to do stockman of Nicholson, learned today his wife would elope during his absence with Peter Larson, a farmhand.

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SECOND HIGHWAYMAN CONVICTED OF CRIME

Pender, Neb., Jan. 1.—Fred Kelso was convicted yesterday of robbing W. M. Beeken in robbing Sidney Graves, a farmer living near Neora, last March.

NO CHANGE APPARENT IN MICKIE'S CONDITION

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 1.—The condition of the child, Mickie, who is critically ill at his home at Osceola, Neb., is reported this morning as showing no decided change.

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STEAMER GIVEN UP

Hamburg, Dec. 30.—The German freight steamer Capua, with crew of 23, has been given up for lost.

DRIVEN TO SUICIDE BY POLICE DOGGING

St. Joseph Woman, Shamed by Accusation, Takes Poison and Dies.

TEACHER DIDN'T KISS AND HUG BOY PUPIL

Stirling, Ill., Jan. 1.—Miss Amelia Barth, a school teacher residing in Milledgeville, north of this city, received a \$2,000 verdict from a jury in the Carroll county circuit court.

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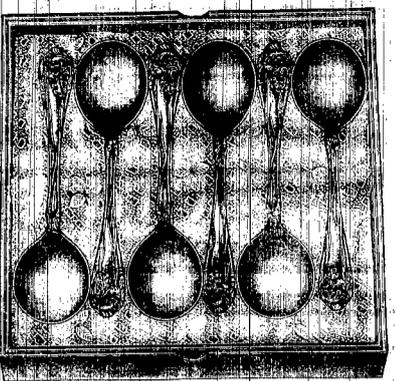
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Ganderbone's January Forecast

John, John, the piper's son, Stole a pig, and away he run, But where he had the time before Been hotly followed through the door And down the street with cries of "Thi-!"

And in the windup come to grief, He was amazed this time to hear Them say, "There goes a financier!" At which the Sheriff by the way Applauded where another day He had put after him, and men Who had with exclamations then Dashed after him, an angry crowd, Made way for him, and smiled and bowed

With all the homage rendered self, Till John just had to pinch himself

He reached the calaboose at last, And when the jailer's daughter cast A dozen roses in his path And asked him for his photograph, And all the thieves began to shout Appeals to him to get them out, Suspicion had become so strong That John knew there was something wrong.

And so there was, as they with mirth Explained to him: The pig was worth Two-bits a pound, and stealing it Was not mere thieving, but a bit Of high finance, for which there is No penalty. The pig was his, And not the butcher's like the time When pork was selling at a dime.

January gets its name from Janus Bifrons, a famous Roman explorer. Two-faced Janus, as he is known, claimed to have reached the North Pole as early as 23 B. C., but he could not Copenhagen with the wisdom of that learned city, and they put the dem mark on him.

March was at that time the beginning of the year. This month was named for the great war god of the Romans, but Numa said that in as much as liars were first at the pole and everywhere else they might as well be first in the calendar, too, and January was made the first month. Subsequently Caesar increased the number of days in it from 29 to 31. He was to retire from the imperatorship the last of the month, and wanted to squeeze five pay days into it. The water wagon will resume

With Carrie Nation chaunting And megaphones announcing room

For anybody looting, The happy group will tool along With prohibition pouter And now and then hit up a song Of loyalty to water.

The wary publican, about to be reduced to squalor, will set a glass, and bottle out and blow upon the caller. The whiff display and dulcet sound will set old ballads ringing, and on the second time around not many will be singing.

At which the publican will send A wireless Tom and Jerry With earthenware hit and end to end And whistle on a cherry.

And when the car comes round again Someone, the truth confiding To Carry gently, will explain That no one else is riding.

The wolf will wear a groove around the poor man's habitation, and even prunes will go to twice their present valuation. The thrifty populace will sift the ashes for its fuel, and the plutocrat will wear a piece of bacon for a jewel.

The wind will smite the house with its refrigerated drizzle, and Boreas will work around the windows with a chisel. The plumber will run in and put at 50 cents a minute, and the moving van will come around with seven bellifs in it.

It is a cheerful time of year, there is no doubt about it, and Winter's such a hit with us we could not do without it. The shaggy calf backed in the stack with straw around his plumbing would bawl his heart out if he thought the gentle Spring was coming.

He'd hate to see the grass grow green and hear the birds warble, or greet the passing tambigug back-pedaling his marble. He wouldn't give a whoop outdoors to gambol on the clover and dance the raz-pa taz until exhaustion bows him over.

He loves the way his ribs stick out and rattle in the blizzard, and dotes upon the piece of ice he's using for a gizzard. The tempest and the paucity of sustenance delight him, and he dearly loves to wonder where the Arctic pex will bite him.

The sign of the zodiac for January will be Halley's comet, which is now bearing down upon us at the rate of about 1200 miles a minute. The coming of this comet has been awaited with a great deal of satisfaction by people who believe that Providence cares for its own. It is a very strange and terrifying sight, and upon former occasions it has frightened the wicked out of their boots. Halley, y'all, which is the first repentant exclamation of a sinner originated in this way, and there is tremendous curiosity to see if people like Mr. Rockefeller, Mr. Morgan and Hellandam Cannon will say halley-y'all when they say it. Halley's comet was last visible in 1835, which was known as the year of repentance. All the frisks voluntarily busted themselves that year, people who had been grasping gave great sums of money back, and everybody was enthusiastic about the golden rule.

The comet is a kind of star with a nebulous beard. It is going to be a great factor in our lives for a while. It has no regular orbit, but is a kind of providential policeman-at-large.

Wherever there is an inclination upon the part of a few inhabitants of a planet to make the rest of the inhabitants get off, the comet bobs up and makes a demonstration such as we shall see here for a few months. This generally puts the fear that ought to be in everybody's heart there or thereabouts. In May, which ends the fiscal year of the Standard Oil Co., the United States Steel Corporation and some others, the comet will approach as close as 5,000,000 miles.

The National Geographical Society will meet on the 20th and decide what reparation shall be made to Peary. It is thought that the agreement will be to make Cook write his confession, compel everybody who was for Cook to buy a copy of the book and give Peary the proceeds. Then February will return Upon its merry round, And the groundhog will emerge to tell

What's going underground.

Clyde Oman's Big Sale Jan. 12. Clyde Oman, 2 miles south west of Wayne, will have a big auction, to quit farming, Jan. 12. Lot of good horses, Poland China hogs, cattle and machinery. Everything goes.

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Probate Notice to Creditors In the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska. In the matter of the Estate of Carl Albert, deceased. Notice is hereby given, That the creditors of the said deceased will meet the Executor of said estate, before me, County Judge of Wayne County, Nebraska, at the County Court Room in said county, on the 15th day of January, 1910 and on the 15th day of July, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims and one year for the Executor to settle said estate from the 15th day of January, 1910. This notice will be published in the Nebraska Democrat for three weeks immediately prior to the 15th day of January 1910. Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 16th day of December A. D. 1909. JAMES BRITTON, County Judge.

20 Horses for Sale All young mares, from 4 to 7 years old, and heavy in foal. These animals will weigh from 1250 to 1400 pounds and can be bought cheap as I have too many and need the money. Call on or address me at Sholes, Neb. ASHER HURLBERT.

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