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TRAINS COLLIDE—29 INJURED

Northwestern Passenger in Wreck Near High Bridge—Crashes into Light Engine. Injured are Rushed to Sioux City Hospitals

Twenty-nine persons were injured, several of them seriously, yesterday when passenger train No. 11, on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha line, collided head-on with a locomotive on the approach of the high bridge over the Missouri river in the eastern part of the city.

The following are among the injured:

Pauline Bailey, Emerson, Neb., 2 years old, head severely bruised by fall against a seat. Taken to Samaritan hospital. She may lose the sight of her left eye.

D. Bailey, father of Pauline Bailey. Taken to Samaritan hospital. Back severely wrenched.

Patrick Hodgkin, fireman on locomotive. Shoulders hurt and chest cut; serious.

Joseph Mathewson, Coleridge, Neb., neck wrenched; may be injured internally.

C. A. West, Hot Springs, S. D., traveling salesman for the Johnson Biscuit company.

Those slightly injured known here are:

Mrs. J. P. Larson, Wayne, Mrs. Levi Kimball Wakefield, H. B. Beatty, Hartington, Mrs. Hanson, Hubbard, Mrs. John Wensorpider, Wakefield, W. F. Barnes, Coleridge, W. R. Johnson and wife, Randolph, Joseph Jones, Bloomfield, M. O'Brien, Norfolk, Ed Walton, Bloomfield.

Democratic Committee Organized

At a recent meeting of the Wayne county democratic central committee, J. H. Massie was elected chairman and Chas. W. Reynolds clerk. With the committee thus organized we can make a great showing in this county this fall with an excellent ticket from tail to top—if each and every democratic voter will put a hand to push the cause along. Don't expect the candidates and committee to do it all. If there is anything to democracy, and we believe that there is, each and every citizen is interested in advancing the cause, and the committee and its officers should have the hearty co-operation of all. Aid with your advice, your time and your money—just a little of the last named.

Fine job printing—the Democrat

McDonald—Jenkins

On Wednesday, September 4, 1912, Mr. Jesse W. Jenkins of Carroll and Miss Alice McDonald of Sholes were united in marriage. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDonald, Rev. George Sloan of the Presbyterian church of Randolph officiating.

The color scheme being yellow and white, the rooms were beautifully decorated with festoons of yellow and white crepe paper and golden rods.

Miss Baldwin Jones of Carroll played the wedding march, while the happy young couple took their places under a beautifully decorated arch.

The bride was dressed in a handsome gown of white embroidery trimmed with baby Irish lace and carried a bouquet of bridal roses and ferns. The groom wore a suit of navy blue serge.

After the congratulations an elegant wedding dinner was served by the bride's mother, assisted by her daughters and the Misses Elizabeth Williams and Georgie Bush. About fifty relatives and friends of both parties were present. Many useful and valuable presents were received.

The bride has taught school in Wayne county the past six years and is one of our most enthusiastic teachers. She will be missed in school circles. The groom is one of Wayne county's most successful farmers and is liked by all who know him. They left on Wednesday afternoon on a two-weeks trip to Red Oak and other points in Iowa, after which they will return to their home six miles south of Sholes.

We extend our congratulations and best wishes to this worthy couple.

Wayne Team Puts 'Em All Out

Yesterday, at Madison, the Wayne ball team played the last game scheduled for the season, winning by a score of 5 to 0. This was the eighth game they had won without a loss, winning from Carroll, Wakefield, Madison, Laurel. Two games were won from several of these teams. Of fifty-two games played this season Wayne won forty-two. We had hoped to have the official record for the season, but failed to find the man who carried the figures.

The boys have played nice, clean ball this season, and made friends wherever they played, and they have, we think, the best record of any team in this corner of Nebraska. They deserved better attendance than was given, but base ball attendance has been light in all parts this year, we are told.

To Visit Father in Germany

Carl Nuss, of the Variety store left here Sunday to visit his father in Germany, and will today sail from New York for his native land which he has not visited since coming to America 20 years ago. He goes now with a brother residing in Pennsylvania that they may see their father again before he is called to the great beyond. Word came that his father, who is 85 years of age, is in failing health, and he arranged as soon as possible to start to visit him before it is too late. The store will be in charge of Miss Herdt, who formerly worked for Mr. Nuss and who is familiar with the stock and known to the patrons. There is an announcement elsewhere.

This Tells it All

Riverside, Cal. Aug. 29, 1912. The Nebraska Democrat,

Gentlemen:—Will you send the Democrat to Winside as we expect to be there in a few days to make our home. People out here think Nebraska is a bad place to live with its storms and cold weather but I would rather freeze to death than burn up here, so I am pulling back to good old Nebraska.

Respectfully,
C. E. BENSHOOF.

Fall Millinery Opening—Saturday,

September 14.

The decided changes in styles make millinery most interesting this fall. Shapes and shades of the most appropriate styles, suitable for everybody. Come and see.

Mrs. Laura Ball.

The Democrat for job printing.

Some Farm Notes

The citizen of Wayne does not have to go far to see a sight worth going much greater distance to view. From Main street about two blocks south from the railroad track you may look out over 100 acres of corn the tops of which appear almost as level as a floor. It is a pretty sight of waving green. Cross the Logan and pass out into the field and you can then see the valuable part of the waving field. An uncounted army of sturdy corn stalks averaging fully ten feet in height, each bearing one if not two ears of corn—the big, well-filled ears that bend out and down from where they shoot out from the parent stalk, indicating that they are not mere nubbins. One half of the fields one can see so well from the street is one of the best fields of corn we have ever seen, not excepting corn in the famous corn bottom lands of northwestern Missouri or southwestern Iowa. There does not appear to be a hill missing, and a little counting shows that there is an average of about 14 ears for each four hills. Figure this out and see if it means less than 75 to 80 bushels of corn to the acre, and taking the size of the field into consideration it means a remarkable yield. The corn perhaps is a little too thick a stand to be really at its best, but it is good enough. The field belongs to Ted Perry, one of the farmers who is getting results from all of his farming enterprises, and he has a number of them. He replanted this field of corn to get a perfect stand, and it is therefore of rather late plant. The south part was not replanted, and is a trifle more advanced, but not more than about four-fifths of a stand. Last year this ground returned more than 65 bushels per acre, and this is the third year it has been in corn. Mr. Perry has a small field of pure Reed's Yellow Dent corn that is excellent. It does not appear as good as the other fields which are of the ordinary yellow corn grown generally in this country, but getting into the field and examining the ears shows the superiority of the pure bred corn, ear for ear. They have a smaller cob and deeper kernel. Weighing two ears, one of each variety shows in favor of the yellow dent corn. If you enjoy seeing corn take a look at this field.

Last spring the editor read some popcorn stories about that crop in Iowa, and suggested that in all probability Wayne county would grow as good popcorn as Dallas county in our neighboring state. We don't know that what was written last spring had any bearing on the case, but we learn that Madison Bressler, not far east of Wayne has a field of fine popcorn, and not only that, but the crop is sold as soon as it is ready to harvest and deliver, the price reported being 6c per pound. The prospect of profit is so good that it is reported that Mr. Bressler will increase his popcorn crop to 40 acres, claiming that a field of that size will bring \$2,000 for the corn crop.

Homer Wheaton put in a little patch of corn here in Wayne last spring, and has tended it carefully, for it was not on the best of ground. He gathered an ear from it this week that weighed a pound and a quarter, and that when dry will no doubt weigh a pound or more. He has carefully computed the yield by counting the number of ears on a row of the corn, and if this patch does not yield at the rate of more than 100 bushels per acre, he will be very much disappointed.

Gun Club Score

After taking a prolonged rest, Mr. Miner succeeded in making high score at long range. Wind was blowing a gale and rocks were hard to break. It is nearing the season for the big annual shoot, and the boys are planning for a good time.

Following is Tuesday's score:
Fisher 20
Wiley 15
Miner 24
Lowry 18
Dally 9
Moratz 9

The Cradle.

GAERTNER Sunday, September 1, 1912; to Frank Gaertner and wife, a son.

Social Notes

One of the pleasant social events of the week occurred at the comfortable home of E. C. Tweed and wife when members and friends of Rev. Blessing of the St. Paul Lutheran church met in his honor to wish him well upon the eve of his departure for Atchison, Kansas, where he has gone to finish his theological studies. The guests numbered about seventy, and a most happy evening was passed. In behalf of those present Victor Carlson presented their pastor with a substantial purse, expressing their appreciation of his work during his short stay here, to which Mr. Blessing responded in a happy manner. His summer work here is most highly praised by members of his congregation and they are hoping great upbuilding when he returns next May after having finished his course at school.

The Bible Study circle had a fine opening meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. E. B. Young, led by Mrs. H. O. Ward. After thorough discussion of the lesson, light refreshments were served by the hostess. There was a beautiful warmth and cordial spirit in this coming together after the vacation period which was enjoyed by all present. Mr. Jas. Lyon of Roerker, Indiana, will be in Wayne next week and it is hoped he will arrive in time for the Wednesday meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. A. P. Gossard. All the women are cordially invited to these Bible Circle meetings.

Mrs. L. A. Fansie entertained a number of young ladies informally at her home for her guest, Miss Marjori Wells of Sioux City. Those present were the Misses Margurite Heckert, Alma Craven, Marjori Kohl, Goldie Chace, Mattie Lane, Marjori Ford of Sioux City and Mollie Piepenstock. A most delightful afternoon was enjoyed.

The ladies of the Helping Hand club pleasantly surprised Mrs. J. J. Williams on Wednesday, it being the occasion of her birthday. The happy hours were passed playing royalty and in social conversation. Ice cream and cake were served at an appropriate hour and the ladies departed with hearty good wishes to her for many returns of the day.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sloan of Sioux City, who formerly resided at Wayne, will regret to learn of the serious illness of their son, Harold, who is confined in a hospital at Denver with tuberculosis of the spine. Sincere sympathy is extended them.

Among the pre-nuptial affairs given for Miss Kate Gamble will be a bridge breakfast to be given by the Misses Monte Theobald and Reba Nangle, Friday, September 6, at 9 o'clock.

Miss Zoe Mellor entertained at a four course dinner party last Saturday evening, complimenting her friend, Miss Katherine Huffman of Neligh. Covers were laid for eight.

A number of young men entertained at a dancing party at the opera house last Monday evening. A nice crowd was present, an orchestra from Sheldon, Iowa, furnishing them excellent music.

Mrs. Neligh and daughter, Edna, gave a miscellaneous shower last evening for Miss Katherine Gamble in honor of her approaching marriage.

The Ladies Aid society of the St. Paul Lutheran church is meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Hansen.

Chautauqua Meeting

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Wayne Chautauqua organization at the office of Davis & Kipilinger tomorrow (Friday) evening for the election of an executive committee and directors for next year. All interested in the enterprise, whether share holders or not are welcome.

When Thieves Fall Out

Senator Penrose and the Third Termer have a violent quarrel. And while they are snarling and hurling epithets at each other the public learns that the Standard Oil trust contributed \$125,000 to the Third Termer's former campaign fund.

School Notes

The Wayne public schools opened on Monday morning with the following enrollment: Kindergarten 42; First Grade 30; Second Grade 30; Third Grade 42; Fourth Grade 30; Fifth Grade 42; Sixth Grade 31; Seventh Grade 30; Eighth Grade 28; High School 105. These figures indicate that the grade rooms with two exceptions are not at all crowded and that excellent work and gratifying results may be anticipated. 65 pupils have made applications for admission to the model schools at the State Normal to attend school until the model schools open on September 16th. The above figures show that the third and fifth grades are slightly crowded and an effort will be made to transfer about 6 or 8 from each of these rooms to the model school.

Miss Beechel teaches drawing and art every afternoon, giving each grade from two to five lessons a week.

Miss Murfree teaches music on Mondays and Thursdays, giving each grade from two to four lessons a week. On Tuesdays she goes to Winside, on Wednesday to Wakefield and on Fridays to Emerson.

In the High School a half point credit will be given for drawing and a half point for music.

Football practice has begun with Mr. Leavins as coach and soon our team will be competing with other high school teams for honors in this interesting game.

The girls and teachers are enthusiastic over volley ball and already games are being played every evening after school. A good court has been provided for this game on the north side of the school grounds and necessitates providing another court. Mrs. Littell presented a volley ball and net to the schools and pupils and teachers are all grateful to her for same.

What To Look for in a Good Kindergarten.

- 1.—The spirit of the Kindergarten.
- 2.—The training of the children in natural ways in obedience in fair play without partiality.
- 3.—Concern for hygienic conditions.
- 4.—Guidance rather than restraint of activities.
 - a—Greater freedom for the younger children.
 - b—More definite occupation for the older ones.
- 5.—Association with nature.
- 6.—Simple appreciation of the great family of workers with their fundamental relations.
- 7.—The use of typical subjects related to the children's daily experience.

A son was born at Kansas City this week to J. F. Lane and wife. Mr. Lane is local manager for the Nebraska Telephone Co., here.

Stock Shipments

Stock shipments have not been very heavy for the past week, and there is now nearly as much shipped in as out, as the feeders are getting ready to depart what promises to be an immense corn crop into prime beef. The outgoing shipment consisted of 13 car loads of hogs, but we cannot give the name of all shippers as the railway officials have ruled that the local men shall not give out the names of shippers—because they have had some trouble some where in regard to the matter.

Of the incoming shipments we learn that Ray Hurst received two cars of cows to fatten. Ted Perry has added another car of feeders to the bunch in his pastures. Mike Coleman has just brought in three loads for his place and Ray Robinson unloaded 90 head of feeders here this week.

Perry & Gilderleeve have sent out six cars of hogs during the past week and have two carloads to go out this evening, which they purchased of M. T. Munsinger. Strahan & Kingsberry sent out three cars of hogs the past week. Mike Coleman sent a car of hogs to South Omaha, and so did Nels Duellard. This last load sold 5c per hundred above anything else on the market the day they were there.

We hope that shippers will take a little pains to let The Democrat know of their shipments, for it is an item of interest to many, and shows well the resources of the county.

Dates of Choral Union Events

The Wayne Choral Union has arranged the following dates for their Artist's Recital Course for the coming season:

Cornelius Von Vleit, the Dutch Cellist who has been engaged as soloist with the Minneapolis orchestra will be here September 30. Gustave Holmquist, the great Swedish Basso will be here December 3.

Sadie Walker, a highly talented violinist will be here January 15th. Madame Dorothea North, to whom men in town have listened with very great pleasure, will be here March 7th.

Silvio Scionti, an Italian pianist, will conclude the series with a recital April 18th. Season tickets for the whole course sell for \$1.50.

Missionary Society

The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet on Thursday afternoon of next week, September 12 at the home of Mrs. Eph Beckenhauer. Arrangements will be made to convey the ladies of the church into the country, and after the program a basket picnic will be enjoyed. One of the topics to be discussed is "The Country Community," and an interesting discussion is expected.

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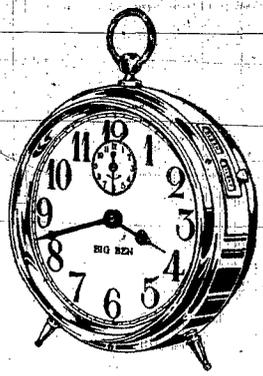
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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Miss Mary Pawelski was a visitor at Hoskins Friday.
E. W. Clisson of Sholes was in Wayne Saturday between trains.
Miss Lulu Ross was a Sioux City passenger Saturday afternoon.
James Shannon accompanied the ball team to Madison last Friday.
Mrs. Phillips of Carroll was a Wayne visitor between trains last Friday.

T. A. Craig and wife left Monday to visit a few days at Leigh and Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watson from near Sholes were Sioux City visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rouch and two sons went to Grand Island last Saturday morning.

Miss Harriet Mae Brady, registered nurse, answers calls day or night. Phone 162.

Choice cut flowers fresh every Saturday at Gaertner & Beckenhauer's furniture store.

The Crystal Theatre opened its doors to the public again on Saturday after being closed a week.

Miss Cora McClure returned Saturday morning from Neligh where she visited relatives and friends.

Chas. Culler arrived here last Friday and packed his goods preparatory to removing to Hartington.

Stanton Hitchcock was down from Hartington last week and went to Wakefield Saturday afternoon.

A large number of Wayneites attended the base ball game, carnival and dance at Wakefield Saturday.

Miss Eva Alter left Friday morning for Guide Rock, Nebraska, where she will teach in the high school the coming year.

Miss Dora Lewis left Friday morning for Plainview where she will resume her work in the public schools at that place.

Pharo Graves arrived here from the Pacific coast last Saturday afternoon. His many friends were delighted to see him.

Edward Coleman left last week to resume his school work at Valley Springs, South Dakota, where he is again principal at the schools.

Mrs. M. A. Spears and baby returned to their home at Emerson last Friday after spending the chautauqua week with friends at this place.

Miss Anna Meister returned the last of last week from Winnebago where she took in the Pow Wow and visited her friend, Mrs. Ernest Jensen.

Miss Florence Hoy came up from West Point Friday afternoon where she has been spending the summer vacation. She is one of the efficient teachers in the Bloomfield schools.

Mrs. James Cadwell left Saturday morning for her home in Fort Dodge, Iowa, after a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends at this place and in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Theobald left Friday morning for a vacation trip of several weeks which they will spend at Chicago, Madison, Wisconsin, and other points of interest in the east.

A crowd of Wayne young men drove to Wakefield Friday night to take in the carnival and dance at that place. Those going included Warren Shulthies, Leroy Ley, Forrest Hughes, Bill Jenkins, Paul Mildner, Lynn McClure and a number of others.

Among those who attended the carnival and dance at Wakefield from this place last Friday were the Misses Josie Ellis, Myra Bell, Florence Bungarden, Cora Panabaker, Florence Kingsbury, Hazel Whalen, Hester McNeal and Gertrude Stodden.

If there is an old soldier who is out of employment and knows how to solicit for subscriptions, he can easily make \$600.00 per year without leaving his home town. I have the greatest proposition ever made. Address James M. Pierce, Publisher Homestead, Des Moines, Iowa.

Erick Nelson and wife were here from Meadow Grove last week visiting the former homes of both in the country near Wayne. While here they acquired title to the land where the live, a 160 acre farm in which they had before only held an interest. His father, Nels Nelson, who had been visiting his son at their home a few days, returned home with them.

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Miss Belle Killion took the afternoon train to Wakefield Saturday.

Miss Etta Anderson returned from a visit with friends at Wakefield last Friday.

Judge Moses was a home passenger on the morning train from the west Saturday.

For bargains in real estate and cheap insurance see W. F. Assenheimer, Altona.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Reetz returned Friday from Hooper where they visited relatives a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott left Saturday morning for Grand Island, where they expect to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Lear and son, came up from Carroll Saturday and took the morning train to Sioux City.

Herbert Welch left Friday morning for Lincoln to resume his studies at the state university after a brief vacation.

Mrs. Ida Clark returned to her home at Sholes Friday morning, having remained over night with her friend, Mrs. Ed Johnson.

John Meister and wife left Monday for Minnesota, where they will attend the state fair at Minneapolis this week.

Miss Emma Brune went to Janzen Monday to visit for a short time at the home of her uncle, Wm. Whitier.

Miss Berdie Cross, who is engaged to teach at Wakefield this year was at that place last week on business in regard to the school work.

Miss Nell Hostetter has returned to her home at Morrison, Iowa, after a visit at the home of her cousin, F. M. Hostetter, three miles south of Wayne.

Miss Hannah Erickson returned to her home at Omaha Friday. She has been visiting at the home of her brother, Axel Erickson, five miles northwest of Wayne.

Miss Gertrude Stodden was the guest of Miss Minnie Miller at Wakefield several days last week. Miss Miller has entered upon her duties in the millinery department of the Predmetski store at that place.

Mrs. G. L. Tharp, Mrs. Sherbahn and Chas. Shirts and family are home from a visit of two or three weeks at the home of the ladies' parents at Lynch. They report a good time, and that the native plum crop is large there. They put up a lot of fruit while there and also brought two bushels home.

A 12-year old girl near Homer had a toe cut clear off last week by a horse stepping on the toe. The Star mentions as peculiar about the accident the fact that it was the fourth toe that was cut off, and that the toe on either side was not injured, which causes one to wonder how large they grow—feet on the girls about Homer.

A new Methodist church is being built at Randolph. We hope that they are planning for a room that can be open for the public in and out of season. The idea of putting perhaps \$10,000 to \$150,00 of good money into a public building and having it all closed to the public except Sunday and prayer meeting nights, leaving the young people to seek such places as are open for four fifths of their time is not nearly as beneficial to society as it might be. A lot of common sense applied to church affairs would be as beneficial to the church as to any other enterprise.

Wm. Thompson came up from Omaha Saturday evening, called here by the report that one of his horses which he left in pasture here was missing. They had found the animal, which he had left in a pasture here, and was returning it to the pasture. It had evidently been taken from the pasture and rode away, as it was coming toward home when taken, and cared for by a farmer eighteen or twenty miles north of here. The animal's hoofs were broken quite short, which would not have been apt to have happened had the animal simply strayed away. If some one could be caught at a trick of that kind and an example be made, it might not appear such a nice way to travel.

I. P. Lowrey

Factory repair man and piano tuner, at the G. & B. store. Phone 62.

Something Doing All The Time

There will be a big time in Sioux City during the week of the Interstate Fair, September 16-21. No other city in the northwest offers such an inducement for such a genuine, diversified good time. It will be the liveliest week Sioux City has ever seen, and it has seen some high old times.

All the theatres, headed by the Grand and Orpheum, will have strong bills. The bookings were made especially to please fair visitors. Those who don't take to theatres can go to the Western league base ball games which will be played in the afternoon. The big attraction of the week of course is the fair, which promises to be the greatest held in the northwest this year: Horse racing, and a chance to see a grand assemblage of blooded stock exhibits from all branches of the farm including machinery will be offered at the fair grounds. In addition to this, the management has obtained seven free acts, the best money could buy, which will be given twice every afternoon in front of the grandstand.

Down town in the evening will be the Sioux trail replete with good shows and a Midway. A floral automobile parade which will be the most elaborate ever held in the west will be a feature. The management has so arranged the week's program that there will not be a dull moment from sun up till sun down.

Seventy-One Bushels of Wheat To The Acre

Central City, Neb., Aug. 25.—Seventy-one and one-half bushels of wheat to the acre is the new record established by Merrick county. All estimates were surpassed yesterday when J. E. Plank threshed at Will McCullough's farm, three and one-half miles southwest of this city. Two acres of the very best stand in the field were reserved for the test, and from this tract were secured 143 bushels of wheat.

The continued wet weather, which came as a stimulant to the corn crop, has not acted without deteriorating effects. A number of complaints have come in from farmers, who had decided to thresh from the shock, for much of the wheat has begun to sprout. Previous to the rain the Farmer's elevator received 40,000 bushels of wheat in seventeen days, all of a fine quality.

Sugar Pumps

The ownership of one half interest in the Western Sugar Refining company netted the Havemeyer interests \$12,950,000 in 21 years. In one year, 1892, this concern paid the Havemeyers six hundred thousand dollars. When the company was organized the Havemeyers put in a million dollars capital, and the Spreckles people another million. Two years later this money was returned to the investors, so that all the profit they subsequently took out was "velvet." Thus the tariff on sugar is shown to be a good thing—for the millionaire owners of the sugar trust.

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Carnegie and Peace

Andrew Carnegie is raising a hullabaloo because somebody praised Pittsburgh's part in the manufacture of equipment for fighting ships. "Pittsburgh's triumphs are those of peace," writes Andrew. Strange he was not so wrapped up in peace in the years gone by when he was piling up millions out of the manufacture of steel for Uncle Sam's warships. Wasn't it Carnegie's hirelings who shot down the Homestead strikers in cold blood when they tried to organize a union at the steel mills? He wasn't so peaceful then.

Ever Hear About This?

We want everybody in Wayne to know about Meritol White Lintiment. It will do so much for pains of all kinds, rheumatism, sprains, etc. We have never sold a preparation that we could recommend more highly.

Meat Prices Here and Abroad

On Friday, August 24, prime sirloin of beef sold in London for 19½ cents per pound, and in New York for 28 cents per pound. Just at present meat prices are higher in this country than ever before, while the identical cuts that bring such high prices here are sold in London for about two thirds as much. This despite the water haul of 3,000 miles, and the two rail hauls, first from Chicago to the Atlantic sea board, and from Liverpool to London.

When School Days Arrive...



the Shoe Question becomes an important consideration for parents who desire to see their children well dressed. From an economical standpoint, it will pay you to look at our numerous styles of footwear especially selected for school wear, and note their low prices. From the standpoint of good and genteel appearance it will be to your interest to note also the extreme beauty and perfect style of this line of shoes.

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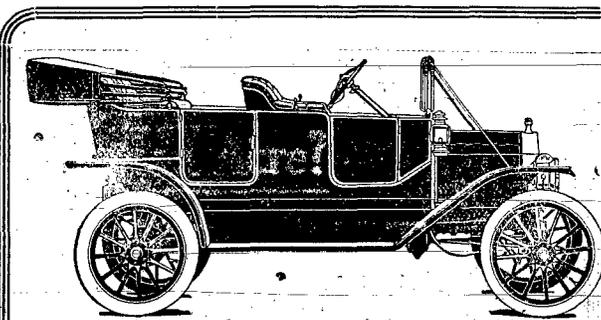
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Domestic Cotton Fabrics Sold
Americans as "Imported."

CHEATING THE CONSUMER.

Less Than 2 Per Cent Comes From
Abroad, but Americans Pay Ex-
orbitant Price For Home Goods Be-
cause of Deception and Prohibitive
Tariff.

By ROBERT KENNETH MACLEA,
[Formerly consulting expert of the tariff
board.]

New York, Aug. 1.—The prohibitive
tariff, revised upward by the Payne-
Aldrich law, permits and fosters
wholesale frauds upon the American
consumer of cotton goods.

Less than 2 per cent of the cotton
fabrics consumed in the United States
comes from abroad, because the pro-
tective duties have been made so high
that importation is unprofitable.

Yet fully one-third of the cotton
piece goods going over retail counters
is sold as "IMPORTED" or under
names implying a foreign origin.

This deception is generally perpet-
rated upon the consumer for the pur-
pose of obtaining exorbitant prices for
domestic goods.

The consumer, believing the goods
are imported and knowing that the
tariff adds excessively to their cost,
pays 50 to 100 per cent more than a
fair price and does not suspect that he
is being cheated.

Drains the Pocketbook.

Let us go straight to a specific ex-
ample of the operation of this fraud.
Take the tariff board's cloth sample
No. 56, described as a "printed dimity."
This is a medium priced cotton
fabric known to almost every Ameri-
can housewife. What woman or girl
hasn't possessed a dimity dress within
the last few years? And if she went
to the cotton goods counter and
bought the material by the yard she
no doubt saw such signs as:

IRISH DIMITY,
25c.

The World's tariff editor visited with
me a department store in a New Eng-
land city of 100,000 inhabitants and
found recently a counter piled with
these goods, placarded:

REAL IRISH DIMITY,
19c.

We procured samples of all of them.
There was not one piece of imported
goods in the lot. Investigation proved
that the store buyer had purchased
these "Irish" dimities from a Boston
jobber at 10 cents a yard and that they
were made in a New England mill.
Here was a supposed "bargain" in a
supposedly "imported" fabric, on
which the retailer was taking a profit
of 90 per cent!

This happens to be a fabric repre-
senting the highest efficiency in Ameri-
can manufacturing. It is a class of
goods in which we can compete ad-
vantageously with any country in the
world. The tariff board's investiga-
tions discovered on sample No. 56 an
American cost of production of 7 1/3
cents a yard. In all the mills inves-
tigated the board's representatives
found that the low and high costs of
manufacture of this fabric did not
vary half a cent a yard.

Who Gets the Profit?

The manufacturer of this American
dimity, that is sold as "imported" and
"Irish," does not get the excessive
profit. In some instances the manu-
facturer does, but here he sells to the
jobber at 8 cents, taking only a nomi-
nal manufacturing profit of two-thirds
cent a yard. The jobber sells to the
retailer at 10 cents, a 25 per cent mar-
gin for the jobber.

In Canada, with 25 per cent tariff, a
cotton fabric costing 10 cents a yard
would be sold to the consumer at 12 1/2

or sometimes at 15 cents if the pattern
happened to be in special demand. In
the United States, with its prohibitive
tariff, the retail price is always much
higher. The standard price retail is 15
cents for the fabric wholesale at 10.
But when the tariff is excessive—it is
54 per cent on this printed dimity—the
dishonest retailer can "get away with"
his deception and double or more than
double his normal profit by selling the
domestic article as "imported." The
retailer knows that he could not buy
a genuine imported dimity of this
quality from a foreign manufacturer's
agent in New York for less than 15 1/2
or 16 1/2 cents, and the trade would re-
tail this at 25. He compares the do-
mestic and foreign fabrics and finds
the American made is equal in every
respect to the fabric from abroad. So
he says to himself, "Why not sell it as
foreign goods at a price that will make
it attractive?"

Mill Man Pockets It.

In some cases the manufacturer
takes the tariff favor for his own
pocket. Tariff board sample No. 34
illustrates this. No. 34 is a fancy
white goods used for dress wear. Its
manufacturer encountered a fair de-
mand for this material during the past
season. Table No. 169 of the tariff
board's report shows a manufacturing
profit of 90 per cent. It costs to manu-
facture this cloth 12.16 cents a yard.
The mill refuses to sell to any one ex-
cepting the jobber, and through this
channel the cloth reaches the retailer
at 22 1/2 to 25 cents a yard. The retail-
er charges the consumer 35 to 39 cents,
according to location and local compe-
tition.

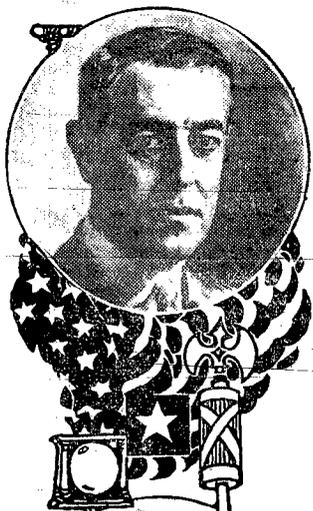
For comparison take the value of the
fabric on weight. At the manufactur-
ing cost of 12.16 cents a yard one
pound of this goods is worth \$1.23 as it
leaves the mill. When it reaches the
consumer (at 39 cents a yard) the
price has been boosted to \$4.20 a
pound.

The manufacturing cost of this cloth
in England is practically the same as
here, yet the English manufacturer
sells it for 15.44 cents a yard, the job-
ber at 17.20 cents and the retailer at 22
cents.

Bear in mind that the "difference in
cost of production at home and abroad"
in this class of fabric represented by
sample No. 34 amounts to nothing,
but the Payne-Aldrich tariff on it
equals 55.89 per cent, or 8 1/2 cents per
running yard.

Fancy goods of the type of sample
No. 34 are products of the Lippitt-Mc-
Coll class of mills. The Payne-Aldrich
bill raised the duty on this cloth from
35 to 55.89 per cent. Is it any wonder
that Senator Lippitt and Mr. McColl
were interested in amending the
Payne bill.—New York World.

WOODROW WILSON.



THOMAS RILEY MARSHALL.

KNOUT AND NAME

About All That Now Remain of
the Original Cossacks.

CODE OF THE FIRST TRIBES.

One Class Lived in the Villages, the
Other in a Sort of Monastery, and All
Were Free Warriors, Self Appointed
Guardians of the People.

Wherever Russia has a fight on hand
there bobs up promptly to do her bid-
ding the Cossack. This right arm of
the czar has not the best of reputa-
tions. Illustrated papers picture him a
savage scarecrow mounted on a wiry
looking animal, and his chief occupa-
tion is apparently the knifing and
knouting of harmless people. Yet he
comes of good stock.

Once upon a time there drifted into
southwest Russia a tribe of runaways
who called themselves "Kossaki,"
which is Tartar for free men, free
warriors or guardians. Seemingly
they lived up to the name. They pro-
tected from the Tartars the peoples in
the countries which they originally had
fled from and saved thousands of Rus-
sian women and children from slavery
in Turkey. Growing in numbers and
importance, these self appointed guard-
ian angels became everywhere feared
and respected. Their military services
especially were in request. Any nation
could command their help if its cause
appetted to the Kossaki code of honor.

The tribe had gradually resolved it-
self into two classes—the village Kos-
saki, who lived in their own settle-
ments all over southern Russia, and
the inhabitants of the "Setch beyond
the rapids." The former had the ad-
vantage over other country folk, as
neighboring governments were too
afraid to tax them. Between wars, to
which the call came from the Setch,
the village Kossaki tilled the land. Of
an altogether different character was
the organization of this Setch, a com-
munity of about 12,000 men with per-
manent headquarters in a movable
settlement (the exact location was
changed eight times in two centuries),
usually on an unapproachable island
on the lower course of the Dnieper.
The Turks once tried to rush the place,
but got caught in the maze of islands
like rats in a trap.

The Setch in one respect resembled a
monastery. No woman was allowed
inside it. A man might not even bring
his mother or his sister. If he did he
was hanged. Here, eager to lead the
tree and simple life among their
equals, came all sorts and conditions
of men. Indeed, owing to the law
enjoining celibacy, the colony depend-
ed for its numbers on newcomers, al-
though the village Kossaki contributed
recruits. Any one could join, as rank
and riches were despised, and all he
had to do was to submit to laws as
follows: Chastity, the orthodox creed,
allegiance to Russia and the south
Russian dialect. No reference or in-
convenient questions of his past were
asked of the intending Kossak. He
simply went to the elected chief and,
after a brief greeting, was shown to
his place in one of the "kuruni," the
big huts. "Here is thy home, three
paces long and two paces wide, and
when thou shalt die we will make it
smaller."

They had good times, though, in the
Setch. There were no maneuvers, no
organized training, no compulsory
drill. Men lay or slept in the leveled
spaces between huts, enjoying, gypsy
fashion, the freedom of the open air.
Drink was plentiful and also tobac-
co. Great songs were sung, and there
was much playing of stringed instru-
ments. Throughout the place a spirit
of good comradeship prevailed: A
popular pastime was dancing, no easy
task in cumbersome high boots. Cos-
tumes were of a picturesque variety.

The Kossak wore a mustache and on
the crown of his head a lonesome wisp
of hair, both being worn long to en-
able him to wind the three ends round
his ears. Each man went armed to
the teeth, and the majority carried
"nagajaks" (whips which are still
used).

In wartime things were different.
To drink was a crime. Food, always
plain, consisted of rations of uncooked
horseflesh. Military organization was
by election of leaders, one to every 100
men, with a colonel in command of a
regiment. These officers had absolute
power, but authority for only one cam-
paign. Such war spells were of fre-
quent occurrence, so much so that the
fighting business led to the extinction
of the tribe. Peter the Great had
waste the Setch. Mazepa made him-
self unpleasant. The Setch was again
bombarded and ruined when its in-
habitants became, some of them, pow-
men, while others were shipped to
the orient. True, there was a brief re-
appearance of the Setch, but under
different auspices and nothing like in
old times. Finally the Kossaki bands
were disbanded, and the tribe and its
institutions gave place to serfdom and
the creation of a new nobility. The
Cossack of today inherits little of the
old traditions but the name and the
whip.—Harper's Weekly.

Down the Rhine.

"Look at this beautiful castle."
"Don't bother me. How can I read
the guidebook if you keep pestering
me to look at rocks and castles?"—
Washington Herald

His Anxiety.

"She—You must see papa, dear, about
our marriage. But don't be anxious
about the outcome. He—What I'm anx-
ious about is the income.—Boston Tran-
script.

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Before James Britton, County
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C. L. Rudd will take notice that
on the 17th day of August, 1912,
James Britton, County Judge and
acting Justice of the Peace in and
for Wayne county, Nebraska, is-
sued an order of attachment for
the sum of \$120.00 in an action
pending before him, wherein Char-
les E. Jones was plaintiff and C. L.
Rudd defendant, and that prop-
erty of the said defendant consisting
of all the goods, wares and mer-
chandise and furniture and fixtures
and cash registers located and sit-
uated in the restaurant building
formerly occupied by said defend-
ant, situated on the south 24 feet
of lot 10, block 21 and the north
half of lot 9, block 21, all in the
original town, in the city of Wayne,
Nebraska, has been attached under
said order. Said cause was con-
tinued to the 3rd day of October,
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CHARLES E. JONES,
Plaintiff,

Dated this 27th day of August,
1912. 35-4

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In his speech of acceptance pres-
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occurred to Mr. Taft that the
greatest period of unrest in this
country since war days has been
brought about by the millionaire
trust owners who, while shouting
about popular government, have made
a farce of common, every day jus-
tice. The Payne-Aldrich tariff tax,
which Mr. Taft signed, did more
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OR 25?

A fancy wash fabric manufactured in New
England for 9 2/3 cents a yard is sold by the
manufacturer at 14 1/2 cents—a manufacturing
profit of 47 1/2 per cent, less selling expenses of
5 or, at most, 6 per cent. The jobber (whole-
sale distributor) adds 3 1/2 cents—a profit of 22 1/2
per cent, less selling expenses. The retailer
adds another 4 1/2 per cent, and the American
housewife gets the cloth at 25 cents—cloth that
in England can be bought at retail for 17 cents,
identical in weave and quality! WHY?

Cotton curtain scrim, found in millions of
homes, is made in America at a cost that gives
the manufacturer ample profit, selling it to the
print works at 6 cents a yard. The print works
sells to the jobber at 10 1/3 cents, although it
finishes the goods at a cost of 1 1/2 cents. The
jobber adds 20 per cent, laying down the cur-
tain scrim to the department store at 12 1/2 cents.
The retailer charges the American housewife 19
to 29 cents. More than likely he advertises it
as "IMPORTED" and sells it for the top price,
because the tariff is so high that the genuine
imported goods cannot be sold for less. It costs
just as much in England to make this curtain
material, yet the English retailer sells it for
15.22 cents (1 1/2 pence) a yard, against 19 to 29
cents under the American tariff! WHY?—From
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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

Following are the market prices quoted us up to the time of going to press, Thursday.

Table with market prices for Oats, Corn, Barley, Spring wheat, Wheat, Eggs, Butter, Hogs, and Fat Cattle.

The canning season must be drawing to a close. Sugar price fell 10c per 100 pounds Friday—perhaps it is a bid for republican votes.

The democratic committees are not asking or expecting large contributions, but many small ones from the great mass of citizens who believe in the reforms advocated by democracy.

A new factory has been suggested for Wayne. We hardly know what to call it, but its object would be to manufacture and direct enthusiasm for a larger and better Wayne.

Something binding one might say in speaking of the amount of twine required this year to bind the crop of small grain in Nebraska. In one string it would have reached more than 13 times around the earth, and so far as we know, not a pound of it made in the state.

When the Hearst papers went to the support of Teddy last week the "whale" sure got a Jonah in his stomach, and democracy heaved a "Jonah" over the rail for the progressives. The more of that kind of bait that Teddy's man Perkins, buys, the better for those running against him.

Mike Harrington wants the governor to call the legislature in special session to fix the election law so that the Roosevelt electors may have a place on the ballot under the "Moose" emblem, but Chester says no, Mike. Perhaps Aldrich is too busy just now trying to be re-elected to take Mike's advice.

There are a number of good things in the Nebraska state platform adopted at Grand Island, one of them says that "We deplore the needless delay in the disposition of controversies throughout the courts of the state, and especially that of the supreme court, and pledge our candidates to the legislatures, if elected, to support such measures and endeavor to crystallize in law an act of the legislature which will result in the speedier disposition of cases in the higher courts of the state and at the same time safeguard the rights of citizens."

According to democratic gains and republican splits and losses in Vermont, Governor Woodrow Wilson will be elected president of this country in November. Taft's party in this rock-ribbed republican stronghold polled but 22,366. The democratic nominee polled 17,540, a decided gain over previous elections. The progressive republicans turned out 13,360 votes, which shows that the republicans in that state are about two-fifths progressive. It also indicates that the democrats are voting together, and that means victory.

Now Senator Albert Cummins, of Iowa fame as a progressive republican, who has always given good service to aid such men as Uncle Joe Cannon and Congressman Mann to retain their seat in Congress, has declared for Teddy. This is the same man who once rode into office on democratic votes, and then declared that the worst republican was to be preferred to the best democrat. He is against the third party, but for Roosevelt because he does not think Taft is the choice of the republicans. Just so, yet Albert became governor of Iowa once when he was not the choice of his party. Democratic voters nominated and elected him, as can be proven by hundreds of "standpatters" in the Hawkeye state.

STORY OF COTTON IS A THRILLER

A Narrative That Concerns the Welfare of Millions.

SHOWS EVILS OF PROTECTION

Whole People Robbed by a Tariff That Rich Manufacturer May Benefit. Robert Kenneth MacLea, Consulting Expert of the Tariff Board, Shows That the American People Are Mulcted of \$88,000,000 a Year.

New York, Aug. —Did you ever hear the story of cotton? It is as thrilling as a narrative of adventure. It is as interesting as a novel—interesting particularly because it concerns the welfare of millions of people who wear cotton goods. It is interesting because it is the dress of the poor, the universal substitute for wool and silk. It is interesting, furthermore, because it is true.

The story of cotton is the story of a protective tariff for the benefit of rich manufacturers at the expense of the whole people who wear cotton goods.

It has been reasonably calculated that because the cotton tariff is fixed by the Payne-Aldrich law the American people are paying \$88,000,000 more every year than they should pay for their cotton goods and that a saving of this amount could be accomplished by a reasonable reduction in the present duties.

The story of cotton is told by an expert, Robert Kenneth MacLea, consulting expert of the tariff board, in a series of articles published in the New York World. Mr. MacLea's views are the views of a lifelong Republican, a friend of the protective policy of the Republican party, but at the same time an opponent of tariff graft and favoritism. To this work Mr. MacLea has brought a varied experience, covering more than twenty years, in the manufacture and marketing of textiles.

He first distinguished himself as an advocate of honest tariff legislation by finding the "jokers" of the Payne-Aldrich act, when the agents of a few New England mills were permitted to write their own rates to suit themselves. He was chairman of the tariff committee of the New York Dry Goods Merchants' association and in that capacity conducted a campaign which attracted the attention of the newly created tariff board. To accept the position of consulting expert to the board he gave up the management of the domestic business of the New York

firms of R. B. MacLea & Co. and Converse & Co.

The story of cotton is a companion piece to the story of Schedule K—the woolen schedule—declared by President Taft to be infamous and indefensible.

The findings of the tariff board with regard to the woolen schedule were analyzed by Chairman Enderwood of the ways and means committee and condemned as inaccurate, incomplete and worthless as an aid to legislation.

When the tariff board's findings on the cotton schedule were made public the World decided to make its own investigation concerning it, and Mr. MacLea was selected for that purpose. The World had the findings of the board on manufacturers of cotton dissected from the practical point of view of business, analyzed in their relation to the interest of the consumer and the facts translated into the language of the everyday man and woman.

One hundred cloth samples purchased in representative domestic markets were made the basis of the tariff board's findings on the cost of cotton cloth produced in this country. Mr. MacLea used the same cloth samples as concrete illustrations of the workings of the tariff and from these exposed the very generally perpetrated fraud of selling American made goods as "imported" and showed why the excessive tariff permits and fosters this imposition.

Recognizing that the tariff would be a vital issue of the campaign and that controversy would center about President Taft's "nonpartisan" tariff board and its work, the World undertook the investigation of cotton and sought answers to the following questions:

Has the work of the tariff board justified the delay in reducing the tariff and giving relief from the high cost of living?

What have the people gained in the three years under the Payne-Aldrich tariff IN RETURN FOR MORE THAN \$5,000,000,000 TAXED OUT OF THEIR POCKETS AND INTO THE POCKETS OF PROTECTED PRIVILEGE?

How honestly, impartially and thoroughly did the "nonpartisan" tariff board undertake its task?

Several months before the cotton report was completed Mr. MacLea declares that he discovered sinister influences in the tariff board's working to eliminate findings most damaging to the favored few in the cotton mill industry. Such suppressed information as Mr. MacLea considers to be of vital importance to the cotton industry and the public has been presented in the World. He has also explained what the mass of figures of the cotton report signifies and presented some of the most important of the conclusions to be drawn from that report, a work which the board saw fit not to attempt.

The story of cotton, as written by Mr. MacLea and published in the World from time to time, forms one of the most interesting and important features of the present campaign.

Facts Suppressed and Issues Evaded by Taft Tariff Board

By ROBERT KENNETH MACLEA, Formerly Consulting Expert of the Tariff Board.

Under the pressure of promise to fight chicanery and fraud in tariff legislation, I deem it a public duty not to withhold the facts in my possession relative to the investigation of the cotton-manufacturing industry. Regretful that my experience with the board warrants such conclusions, I am compelled to present the following indictment:

Grid of 12 boxes with labels: SUPPRESSION, INEXACT, UNFAIR, DISINGENIOUS, EVASION, PARTISAN, EMASCULATION, FAVORITISM, CONVICTING. Each box contains a numbered indictment against the tariff board.

The People's Campaign

There is a feeling, wide-spread and general, that to a greater extent than ever before the people are back of the democratic nominees for president and vice-president—that the people won a signal victory at Baltimore when they named their candidates not only without the aid of the great moneyed interests of the nation, but in spite of their united efforts to defeat one who would not accept money or aid from them in his pre-convention campaign, and thus feel obligated to do their bidding. If there has been a presidential candidate of the leading parties other than Bryan free from plutocratic rule in the past thirty years we fail to know who it was. President Hayes, who was placed in office by the interests refused to serve them as faithfully as they desired—and was not returned. Garfield made a stand against certain interests and paid the penalty, for though he was shot by a crank and fanatic, the clash of interests might be held responsible for creating a sentiment which led to his assassination.

This year the democratic nominees are not asking or receiving aid from these great interests. The people have nominated the candidate and are asked to elect them. With this end in view the national and state committees have asked the democratic newspapers to announce these facts and receive and acknowledge subscriptions from the people. In accord with that plan, there was a meeting of the democratic editors of the Third congressional district at Norfolk last week and the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, The democratic editors of the Third congressional district at a meeting held at Norfolk, August 30, 1912, heartily approve the plan of the Nebraska state central committee to raise funds for the democratic national and state campaigns from the public through the press, believing as we do that the success of Wilson and Marshall and principles they represent rest alone on the individual voter, who must be depended upon, not only to give his best personal efforts to advance the cause, but to finance the campaign as well by small contributions; therefore be it,

Resolved, That we agree to use our best efforts to raise such a campaign fund and ask the supporters of our national nominees to assist us in this undertaking.

In accordance with the above the Democrat will receive contributions for state and national funds. Where no wish is expressed, the contribution will be divided equally, but the wishes of the donor will guide in the matter if they designate for national, state, or county committee.

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We have been very busy unpacking and placing in stock our new fall goods bought while on our recent trip to market. We have made every effort to have on hand this fall just the kind of merchandise you want—

The Right Styles The Best Quality At Popular Prices

We have spared neither time or expense to secure a stock of goods that will please you. We have not time this week to name any special lines, but invite you to come and see for yourselves. We can supply your needs and wishes.

Our Fall Shoes are Here. We can supply your fall needs

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It is reported that the republican national committee is having a hard time to raise funds. The publicity of contributions now demanded makes it more difficult to raise large corruption funds, and as a result, the people will go to the polls free from purchase to a greater extent this fall than in past years. Give the democrats credit for bringing this condition to the voter.

There should be an organization of the people down in Massachusetts such as they had there once before in opposition to oppression. There are two judges there, Colt and Brown, who have issued orders that the investigation of the shoe machinery trust shall be held behind closed doors. The press shall not be allowed a representative. Is this Russia? Has our court become such a sacred institution that it may withdraw from public scrutiny and make its findings in secrecy? And this too in the state that stood first in list when the early move was made for American independence. Let's have another Boston Tea Party.

Mrs Ferguson had the misfortune to fall this morning and sprain an ankle quite severely.

A Crippled Mind

Many strong minds, giant intellects, are held down and starved out by crippled digestive power, dyspepsia and the poison absorbed as a result of chronic constipation. If your stomach lacks digestive power the natural and simplest thing to do is to put into it the agents it lacks. Above all things avoid strong drugs that paralyze and irritate the stomach and bowels. A sound, healthy stomach contains the same digestive agents Spruce Pepsin tablets contain.

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Shultheis' Pharmacy, Wayne, Nebraska

C. H. Hendrickson and wife returned Wednesday evening from their wedding trip. They spent a month in Minnesota and Iowa, visiting relatives and friends and places of interest.

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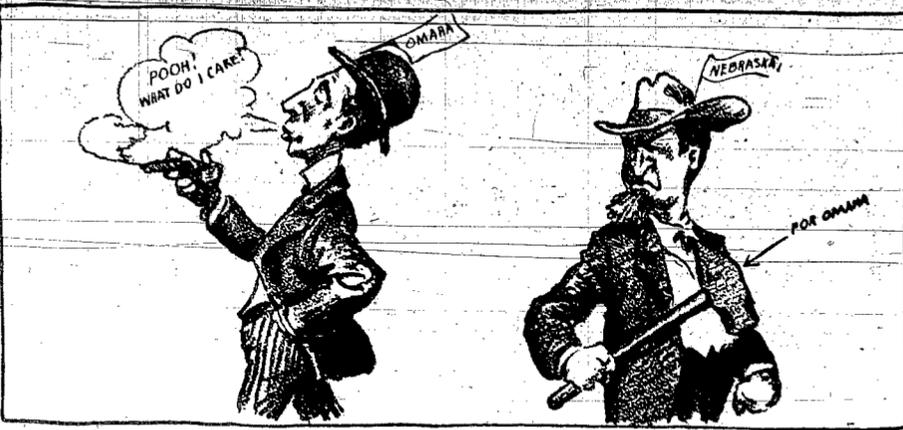
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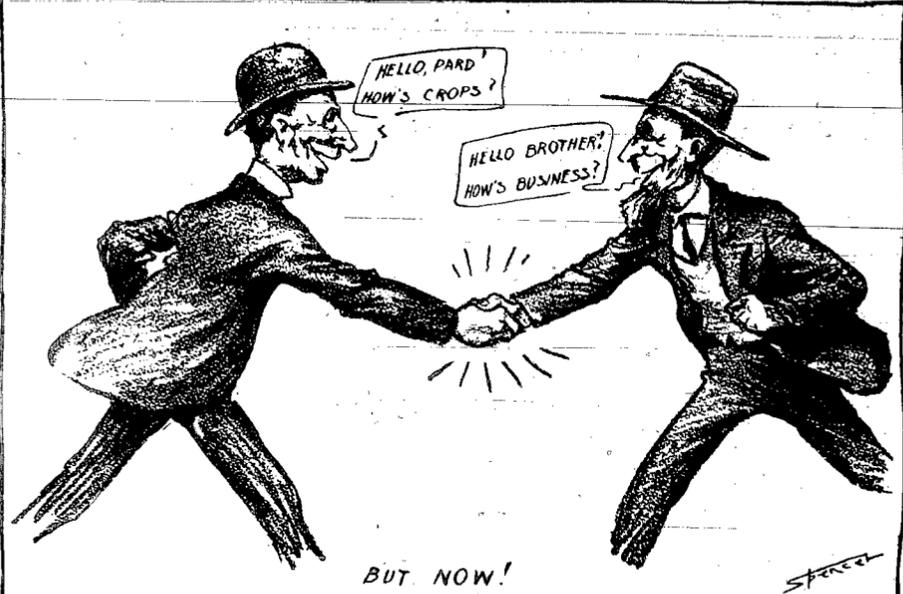
Omaha, Nebraska

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Old papers for sale at this office.
 P. L. Miller was a Wakefield visitor Tuesday.
 Dr. Taylor of Norfolk was a Wayne visitor Sunday.
 Chas. Swanson was a visitor from Randolph Tuesday night.
 F. O. Martin went to Bloomfield Monday for a short stay.
 Wm. VonSeggern is reported on the sick list, having a fever.
 Nels Oret returned home Tuesday evening from a visit at Sioux City.
 Miss Francis Weber went to Sioux City Monday for a visit of two weeks.
 Wm. Wischof and Theo. Duerig went to look at land near Marshall, Minnesota, Monday.
 Geo. Juhlin and wife were here from their home near Randolph Tuesday, visiting home folks.
 Mrs. L. C. Walling came from Bloomfield Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. L. E. Panabaker.
 August 19th was FREE DAY. Bring in your bills.
GAMBLE & SENTER.
 Claud Courtright went to Lincoln Wednesday to attend the fair, and he plans to remain there a week or two.
 Wendel and Carl Baker are looking after land near Neligh this week, starting for that place Monday evening.
 Benj. Holbrook and wife have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of their son who died at birth, August 29th.
 A. E. Laase is improving his place in the west part of the city, building a house for his automobile and for his chickens.
 Elmer Closson of Sholes was in town Tuesday morning and was heard to say that he was going to "Win her"—South Dakota.
 Miss Christina Anderson returned to her home at Wausa Monday, after a pleasant visit with Miss Mina Fleetwood at the Fleetwood home in the country near Wayne.
 August 19th was FREE DAY. Bring in your bill and get all the cash back you spent with us on August 19th.
GAMBLE & SENTER.
 O. Shannon, who has been here from Pawnee City for several months, taking the place of Mr. Vath at the Felber Pharmacy, left for that place Monday morning.



TIME WAS WHEN THIS CONDITION PREVAILED—



BUT NOW!

Wm. Brueckner and family were here from Hoskins the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary J. Griffen from Florence has been here visiting her brothers, the Weber Bros., and departed Monday to visit at the home of Emil Weber at Laurel.

Mrs. J. T. House and daughter, Mary, returned from Chicago Monday, and Mr. House will follow soon. They have been at Chicago for the past five weeks, where Mr. House has been taking a review work at the University.

A partial poll on the train between here and Sioux City taken by J. L. Soules last week elected Wilson by a safe majority. There were 30 Wilson men, 10 Roosevelt men and 3 for Taft. Probably the Taft men were mostly at home that day.

F. L. Wright, field manager of the Northwestern Mutual Life insurance for Nebraska was here Monday conferring with C. M. Christensen, the district manager for this part of Nebraska, and incidentally writing a little insurance.

Sunday was the 55th birthday of Nels Nelson, and the day was properly observed by the family, all of whom were present at the home southwest of Wayne that day. The occasion was greatly enjoyed—being a complete reunion of his family.

E. C. Biggins and wife came last week from Gregory, South Dakota, to visit at the home of the lady's parents, F. M. Griffith and wife north of Wayne. Mr. Biggins returned home Tuesday, but his wife remained for a longer visit. They report good crop prospects there this year, one of the best in the seven seasons they have lived in that country.

Mrs. J. M. Ross visited her daughter at Emerson Wednesday. She reports that Mr. Ross, who is yet at Hot Springs, South Dakota, is slowly improving, but that he had been having quite a bad time, the cancerous growth having proved to be much more deeply seated than was supposed. It is now thought that the last of the cancer has been eaten out.

E. N. Manley from Lyons was a Wayne visitor Tuesday, visiting with his old friend, E. L. Griffith while in the city. Mr. Manley is one of the pioneer Duroc-Jersey hog growers of Nebraska, and tells us that a number of the good herds in this vicinity started from his farm. He raised one sow that sold for more than \$1,200 so it is evident that he has made his mark as a breeder.

Mayor Kate left Monday for Chicago, where he is contracting for the advertising of the X-Ray Incubator company for the coming year's business. The company is planning to spend about \$40,000 in telling of the merits of the product of the factory here. Evidently they think that it pays to advertise. He will go to Bloomington, Illinois, and visit his son, Charles, before returning home.

Judge A. A. Welch went to Neligh this week where he is holding court.

Geo. Elson, who has been engaged with a construction company at Sioux City since last spring was here Saturday and Sunday for the closing days of his vacation. Before coming here he had been at Council Bluffs attending a camp meeting of the Re-organized Latter Day Saints, to which faith he adheres. He returned to his work Monday.

Miss E. Grace Soderberg, daughter of C. A. Soderberg, who lives about six miles northeast of Wayne, left here Monday afternoon for Chicago, where she will enter North Park College, a Swedish Mission Friend school, with the determination of fitting herself for mission work, and expects to enter the work in China after she has finished her preparatory work. Miss Grace is a most highly respected young lady, and will have the best wishes of all who know her in her worthy work.

Saturday last while at the home of D. S. McVicker to see about getting some ice, Nels Nelson, a farmer who lives a few miles in the country, was attacked by the McVicker dog and bitten on the hip. Fortunately, the animal grabbed just over the hip pocket which contained a handkerchief, so that but one tooth went through and cut the flesh but others made marks which were plainly visible. Mr. Nelson secured some medicine with which to dress the wound, and does not anticipate any serious trouble, but the wound was quite sore Sunday and Monday. We hope that nothing serious will result.

Fred Benschopf returned a few days ago from two weeks spent on and near his land in Florida. He was warned not to go there in summer, but went with some land seekers, who bought while there. He reports that it was no hotter there than here, the thermometer registering from 72 to 86 degrees in the shade. Says that flies and mosquitoes do not bother, that screens are not used there as here. Fruit growing is the chief industry, but that there is considerable gardening. Just now they are getting ready to plant garden to sell the product to northern people next winter when prices are high. After harvesting a crop of garden stuff in the winter they put in a crop of velvet beans that are plowed under at this season of the year as a fertilizer. Fred likes the summer there as well as the winter.

Real Estate Transfers
 For the week ending Sept. 3, 1912, as reported by I. W. Alter, bonded abstractor, Wayne, Neb.
 Anton Lerner to John Krie, lot 3 blk 10, north add to Wayne, \$2400.
 Mary J. Foust to Anton Lerner, lot 6 blk 7, north add to Wayne, \$950.
 Catherine Hayes to Katie Cullen et al, lots 7, 8, 9, blk 4, Winside \$1.
 John E. Davis to Marie Jaskowiak, lot 1, blk 3, E & P's add

Washington Political News

By C. H. Tavener

Washington, Sept. 4.—Governor Wilson has indicated in the speeches he has made thus far in the campaign that he attaches a great deal of importance to the question of the tariff as it affects farmers. The Democratic candidate put this whole question into a nut shell when he said "The farmer does not derive any benefits from the tariff when he goes to market to sell his products, but on everything the farmer buys there is an artificial high price, due to the tariff tax."

High protectionists in Congress have for many years deceived the farmers into believing that because the tariff is kept on wheat and corn the price is necessarily benefited thereby. That this is false logic is apparent to any student of American import and export statistics. This country produces more wheat and corn than the American people consume, which obviously makes it impossible for any foreign country to sell wheat or corn here. Europe, which is the great market for surplus American grain, uses all the grain produced there for home consumption, and in addition, the European countries have to send over here for more. If there were no tariff at all on grain, therefore, the American farmer would not be menaced by the possibility of foreign competition, for the reason that foreigners have no grain to sell.

But the situation is vastly different with the farmer when he comes to buy the tools, machinery, clothing, and other necessities of life. He finds every article that he uses in producing his crops taxed higher and higher, until, as Governor Wilson says, "it is getting to be next to impossible for the American farmer to make a legitimate profit." The farmer's implements, their smaller tools, wagons, household articles, lumber, and harvesting machinery has steadily risen in price.

That this rise has been due to artificial causes is proven by the fact that the identical articles used by the American farmer are sold abroad for from 5 to 40 per cent less. B. D. Townsend, in his report to President Roosevelt on the Harvester Trust, said that the same harvesting machines that were made by the trust in Chicago, and sold to the American farmer for \$125, are sold in Russia for \$80 and \$90. Nothing but the tariff enables the trust to thus rob the American farmer, because, if it were not for the tariff, the danger of competition from Canada would force the American trust to sell its machines for one price to all.

Governor Wilson has shown a deep grasp of the tariff question as it affects the farmer, and it is certain that before the campaign is much older he will have some illuminating things to say to the farmer on this vital subject.

to Winside, \$100.
 Henry Bargholz to Marie Jaskowiak, lot 2, blk 3, B & P's 1st add to Winside, \$112.

Announcement

Having been called to Germany by the illness of my father, I wish to announce to my many patrons and friends that the business of the Variety store has been left in competent hands, and that arrangements have been made for better weekly bargains than ever before, for the entire time I expect to be away, and whether advertised weekly or not, the Bargains will be there. Trusting that you will be well served in my absence, I am
 Respectfully yours,
 J. C. NUSS.

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Wayne Variety Store

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NEBRASKA NEWS

Dedication of Monument Takes Place on State House Plaza

BRYAN MAKES ADDRESS OF DAY

Governor Aldrich Presides at Exercises Which Mark Turning of Shaft Over to People of Nebraska—Crowd Listens in the Rain.

The unveiling of the statue of Abraham Lincoln on the state house grounds in Lincoln took place before a large crowd on the plaza at the north entrance to the state house.

The exercises were opened with a medley of patriotic airs by the Nebraska State band before a crowd of several thousand people, who waited patiently, while a drizzling rain was falling, for the speakers to take their part on the program.

William J. Bryan, the speaker of the day, came on the platform escorted by Governor Aldrich and was met with that hearty welcome always given Mr. Bryan by his neighbors.

Secretary of State Addison Watt, as presiding officer, made a few introductory remarks and presented Rev. D. J. F. Roach of St. Paul's church who delivered the invocation.

Acting Mayor Pratt delivered the address of welcome in behalf of the city of Lincoln, giving a short history of the location of the state capital at Lincoln.

Governor Aldrich, in behalf of the state of Nebraska, welcomed the people to the state house on such an important occasion. He spoke of Lincoln as the man whom every American could well take as an example. Though as tender and sympathetic as a child, yet when occasion demanded, firm and immovable as a rock. Few men, with the possible exception of Andrew Jackson, reared among such vicious surroundings as Abraham Lincoln, rise to be great leaders and successful men.

Mr. Bryan's Tribute.

As Mr. Bryan was introduced he was obliged to mount a table to make the large crowd hear. He paid tribute to Lincoln and referred to the words spoken by Governor Aldrich.

"If there ever was a man selected by Providence to do a great work surely it was Abraham Lincoln," said Mr. Bryan. "He was a great man and had that stability of character needed to carry out the great work he accomplished. Washington had a great task, but Lincoln had a greater one. The enemies of our country in Washington's time lived across the ocean, 8,000 miles away, but Lincoln had to meet his enemies all about him, and in winning the battle he accomplished a greater task than did the father of our country."

STATE TEACHERS' MEETING

Speakers Announced for Convention at Omaha Nov. 8.

President Rouse of the Nebraska Teachers' association, has announced the list of talent for the annual convention of the state teachers, which will be held in Omaha on Nov. 8, 7 and 8. A strong array of speakers has been secured, which includes Dr. P. P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education; Miss Patty Smith Hill, kindergarten director of Teachers' college, Columbia university; Dr. F. M. McMurray of Columbia university; Dean Eugene Davenport of Illinois university; James W. Crabtree of River Falls, Wis.; Dean Charles H. Judd of Chicago university, and W. J. Bryan of Lincoln.

Furnas County Case in Supreme Court

The collection of interest money, alleged to have been received by a former Furnas county treasurer from deposits of county funds, is sought by that county in an action brought to the state supreme court. C. M. Evans, who was elected to that official position in 1901, and his bondsmen were made defendants in the case, and won their contentions in the district court. The matter is appealed by the county which alleges, through its attorneys, that Evans failed to turn over \$1,296 of interest money which his deposits had earned while in different banks of the county.

Landseekers' Excursion a Hummer.

Word was received at the office of the state labor commission from Commissioner Guye that the homeseekers' excursion, which is to come to this state this week will be a huge success from present appearances. According to Mr. Guye's letter to the office, hundreds of Illinois and Iowa people are interested in the project.

Farmer Badly Injured.

Paul Wittulski, a farmer living near Beatrice, was probably fatally hurt when his team ran away with him. He was mowing hay and was thrown on the sickle bar, receiving bad cuts about the head and back.

Boy Drowned Near Wymore.

Arthur Johnson, 15-year-old son of Lewis Johnson of Wymore, was drowned while bathing in Indian creek near that city. His body was recovered by companions.

Injured Brakeman Dies.

Northwestern brakeman Charles Ryan died at Norfolk following injuries sustained at Meadow Grove, when he was crushed between two cars while making a coupling.

MANY HORSES ARE DYING

Peculiar Disease Ravaging Central Part of State.

Word of a disease which has suddenly struck the central part of the state and which has caused the death of horses to the value of several thousand dollars within the past week, has just been brought to the state veterinarian's department. The first complaint of the unknown disease came from Franklin and was followed in a short time by a similar complaint from Merna, Hastings, Central City and two or three other points.

It is thought by the Lincoln officials that it is a kind of fungus poisoning, caused by the eating of grasses and green stuff which has sprung up since the recent summer rains. The horses which have died thus far from the disease have taken sick suddenly and have had severe convulsions within twenty-four hours after being attacked by the disease. Death is preceded by a violent trembling of the limbs and severe pain. Animals which have been on dry feed a month or more are said not to have been subject to the disease.

OMAHA HAS POLICEMAN

Commissioner Appoints Officer's Widow as Masher "Cop."

Omaha, Sept. 2.—Commissioner Ryder named Mrs. Katherine F. Drummy as Omaha's first policewoman. Mrs. Drummy's first assignment will be that of protecting her sex against the "masher," against whom a campaign recently has been instituted by the police and city officials.

STATE FAIR OPENS GATES

Many Nebraskans Attend in Spite of Unfavorable Weather.

Lincoln, Sept. 3.—Though the state fair opened under unfavorable circumstances on account of the heavy rain which was falling, a goodly number of people braved the mud and tried to enjoy themselves at the grounds.

CORN CONDITIONS IMPROVE

Burlington Crop Report Shows Better Prospects Than a Week Ago.

Omaha, Sept. 3.—The crop, soil and weather reports of the railroads for the week indicate fully an average corn crop.

Along the Burlington conditions have improved from one week ago.

Early Selection of Seed Corn.

The early selection and proper care of seed corn in Nebraska has been given official recognition through a proclamation issued by the governor, setting aside Sept. 30 to Oct. 5 as "Seed Corn Selection Week." The early selection of seed corn will mean a big saving to the state in general and will obviate the necessity for sending for seed corn outside the state.

Staplehurst Dam Wrecked.

The new dam constructed across the Blue river at Staplehurst to give that town electric lights and whose advent was celebrated so largely, has been damaged beyond repair and the town is without lights. A large force of men have been at work to repair the damage, but the repair work can only be temporary, and to make it permanent would cost as much as a new dam.

Couple Nearly Lost Lives in Fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Koherstien of Hastings had a narrow escape from being burned to death when their property was almost entirely destroyed by fire. A neighbor managed, after considerable effort, to awaken Mr. and Mrs. Koherstien, who were sleeping in the north-west bedroom and were at that time almost overcome with smoke.

Boy Bitten by Rattlesnake.

Paul Stull aged 14, living between Fairbury and Diller, was attacked by a large prairie rattlesnake and bitten below the right knee. His companion, a dog, was also struck by the reptile. The boy ran to his home and a doctor was immediately summoned. The lad is now out of danger, although his leg is badly swollen. The dog may die.

Inspect Power Company.

The Nemaha Valley Light and Power company, which has notified the railway commission that they desire to incorporate, was paid a visit by Commissioner Hall and Messrs. Cates and Gerber of the physical valuation department, in order that the commission may know the facts in regard to the property owned by the company.

Big Ranch Changes Hands.

Gilboa, Neb., Sept. 3.—The Empire ranch, owned by Krewson & Wight, in the western part of Buffalo county, was sold to George H. Wenner of Minden for \$122,100. The ranch is one of the finest alfalfa ranches in the state, consisting of something over 2,000 acres, about one-third of which is in alfalfa.

Hoodlums Attack Socialist Candidate.

Clyde J. Wright, Socialist candidate for governor, who made an address at Emmet, was interrupted by hoodlums, who threw eggs at the speaker from a dark alley, one of the missiles striking Mr. Wright. Advocates of socialism have been having a bitter fight for a year in Holt county.

To Hold Rifle Camp.

A rifle camp will be held by the companies of the national guard stationed in Omaha some time during the present month. The camp will be under the instruction of Lieutenant Test of the regular army now instructor for the Nebraska guard.

CONDENSED NEWS

Mexico promises to protect foreigners.

The business portion of Maltone, a town in Fergus county, Montana, was destroyed by fire.

L. Webster was hanged at the Colorado penitentiary for the murder of Clifford Burrows of Denver.

Fred Yohe of Stillwater was killed and four young men were injured in an automobile accident near St. Paul.

Funds for circulating petitions for the recall of Governor Oswald West of Oregon are being sought in Portland.

John Wanamaker, Philadelphia merchant and former postmaster general, is reported ill at his son's home in Atlantic City.

Five coal miners were killed and another dangerously injured by falling down one of the shafts at Gelsenkirchen, Prussia.

The balloon Kansas City II, John Watts, pilot, won the balloon race for the Antlers trophy, which started from Colorado Springs.

The body of the late General William Booth was laid beside that of Catherine Booth, his wife, in Abney Park cemetery, London.

The explosion of a tar wagon at Chicago burned four boys so severely three of them may die. The boys ignited the tar while playing.

The United Garment Workers of America in their fourth biennial convention in Indianapolis, selected Nashville for the next meeting and elected officers.

Mrs. Henry H. Rogers, wife of the late vice president of the Standard Oil company, died suddenly in a dining car in the Grand Central station, New York.

George Creel, editorial writer on the Rocky Mountain News, and police commissioner of Denver, announced his engagement to Blanche Bates, the San Francisco actress.

Sixty thousand dollars a year are being stolen from the state of California by prominent shipping men around San Francisco bay, according to the finding of investigators.

America won the first motor boat race of the international series for the Harmsworth trophy on Huntington bay and established a world's record for a thirty-mile course.

Mrs. Emilio Debaro and six of her seven children, ranging from five months to twelve years of age, met death in a fire which destroyed their home at Rutherford, N. J.

Emil Seidel of Milwaukee, the nominee for vice president on the national ticket of the Social-Democratic party, made public his formal letter of acceptance of the nomination.

Major General Thomas H. Barry, who has served two years as superintendent of the United States military academy, sailed down the Hudson for his new station at Governor's Island.

To prepare for the opening of the Panama canal, the coast survey has made a thorough examination of the Pacific entrance to the waterway and the charting of the harbor will be undertaken at once.

Announcement was made by Postmaster General Hitchcock that the postoffice department would be in readiness on Jan. 1, 1913, to put into general operation the recently authorized parcels post system.

A profound sensation was caused by the arrest of two prominent leaders of Roman society with five accomplices, on a charge of alleged trafficking in counterfeit bank notes and government stock certificates.

Arthur Wood, president of the Builders' Supply company of Brooklyn, was instantly killed and five other persons were injured when an automobile in which they were touring the state turned turtle at Glen Lock, Pa.

J. F. Miller, chairman of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers of the Pennsylvania system, announced that he had heard from a majority of the 2,600 men and that all who had returned their strike ballots favor a strike.

J. R. Ballinger, an official of the Stromberg Motor Car company, was killed near Addison, Ill., while motor-ing from Chicago to Elgin to attend the races. Ballinger's car was overturned while being driven rapidly.

Judge R. W. Archibald of the commerce court, whose trial under impeachment proceedings is impending before the senate, has asked Chief Justice White of the supreme court to temporarily relieve him from duty.

That the United States will not oppose the action of Great Britain in forwarding a note to the Chinese government, demanding that the British government be consulted in regard to any action contemplated in Tibet became known.

Harry Rappelye, a model prisoner at the Elmira reformatory, stepped from the line at exhibition drill before Governor Dix a free man at the governor's command. A telegram announced the sudden death of Rappelye's father at Oswego.

Emphatic demands upon the Panama government to control the Panama police and put an end to the gross brutality with which Americans, soldiers, sailors and civilians, have been treated, have been issued by the American state department.

There will be a 20 per cent reduction in the wages of operatives in the glass bottle factories of the country, as the result of a decision reached at the close of a ten days' conference between representatives of the Glass Blowers' association and the National Association of Glass Manufacturers.

LIVE STOCK PRICES AT SOUTH OMAHA

Cattle Trade Slow and Mostly Dime Lower.

BULK OF HOGS NICKEL LOWER

Sheep and Lambs in Large Supply. Prices Generally Steady—Owing to Wet Fleeces Little Trade Was Done in Feeders.

Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, Sept. 3.—Cattle receipts today were the heaviest so far this season, nearly 9,200 head. There were only a few bunches of corn fed cattle here and the market was about steady. The outlet for cows and heifers was hardly as good as on Monday and, while prices were in pretty much the same notches, it was harder to get buyers to take hold of the fair to medium grades. Canners and cutters are going at the usual spread, \$3.00@4.00. Veal calves were notably firm, and there was a very good outlet and a steady market for bulls, stags, etc. Good light and medium weight feeders sold at steady to strong figures, but heavy cattle were hard to sell. Bids were fully a dime lower than Monday and the bulk of trading was on this basis. Today's rather liberal supply of rangers was made up largely of rough beef steers and feeders, with a rather limited supply of desirable beefs and butcher cattle. As far as desirable beefs were concerned the demand was very good, but competition for the plain and rough horned steers was very slack and the decline was fully a dime on an average.

Cattle quotations: Choice to prime beefs, \$9.25@10.25; good to choice beefs, \$8.25@9.00; fair to good beefs, \$7.50@8.00; common to fair beefs, \$6.00@7.25; good to choice heifers, \$6.25@6.75; good to choice cows, \$5.25@6.00; fair to good grades, \$4.25@5.25; canners and cutters, \$3.00@4.00; veal calves, \$4.50@8.50; bulls, stags, etc., \$4.00@5.50; choice to prime feeders, \$6.75@7.50; good to choice feeders, \$6.00@6.75; fair to good feeders, \$5.25@5.75; common to fair feeders, \$4.50@5.00; stock cows and heifers, \$4.25@5.50; choice to prime fat beefs, \$7.75@8.75; good to choice grass beefs, \$7.00@7.75; fair to good grass beefs, \$6.25@7.00; poor to fair grass beefs, \$5.00@6.00.

About 6,400 hogs arrived today. Prices were generally weak to a nickel lower than Monday. A few light hogs sold at steady prices. One load of fancy light hogs brought \$8.55, 5c above Monday's best price.

A large supply of sheep and lambs were received today, nearly 25,250 head. There seemed to be a very good demand for killers and big bulk of the large supply of fat stuff was pretty well picked over before noon. It was a good active market, with prices on both sheep and lambs generally steady with Monday. Owing to wet fleeces little trade was done in feeders.

Sheep and lamb quotations: Lamb—good to choice, \$5.50@6.85; lambs, fair to good, \$6.25@6.50; lambs, feeders, \$5.90@6.40; yearlings, good to choice light, \$4.65@5.10; yearlings, good to choice heavy, \$4.60@4.90; yearlings, feeders, \$4.50@5.25; wethers, good to choice, \$4.00@4.40; wethers, fair to good, \$3.80@4.00; wethers, feeders, \$3.50@4.00; ewes, good to choice, \$3.50@4.00; ewes, feeders, \$3.00@3.50; ewes, yearling breeders, \$4.50@5.00; ewes, aged, \$3.50@4.00; cull sheep and bucks, \$2.00@3.00.

Speakers for State Teachers

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 3.—E. L. Rouse of Peru, president of the Nebraska State Teachers Association, has announced the list of talent for the annual convention of the State Teachers, which will be held in Omaha on November 7 and 8. A strong array of speakers has been secured, which includes Dr. P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education, Miss Patty Smith Hill, Kindergarten Director of Teachers College, Columbia University; Dr. F. M. McMurray of Columbia University; Dean Eugene Davenport of Illinois University; Dean Charles H. Judd of Chicago University; James W. Crabtree of River Falls, Wis., and W. J. Bryan of Lincoln.

What Might Have Been

Majority Leader Underwood, chairman of the Ways and Means committee of the House of Representatives, estimates that the American people would have saved just \$650,000,000 next year, and each succeeding year had the Senate and the President approved the tariff revision bills sent up to them by the Democratic House.

Charles A. Green Dead

A telegram was received at Hoskins Tuesday from Excelsior Springs, Mo., announcing the sudden death of Charles A. Green, one of the pioneer residents of Hoskins.

He left home last Saturday in apparently good health. His son, Glen, left for Excelsior Springs to bring back the remains to Hoskins.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Old papers for sale at this office. John A. Lewis is at Hoskins Tuesday.

Rev. Kearns autoed to Carroll on business Tuesday.

French Auto Oil, 45 cents a gallon. Von Seggern Auto Co.

Father Kearns returned from Battle Creek Saturday afternoon.

See those new fall tailored, ready-to-wear hats at Miss Temple's.

Judge James Britton left Sunday to visit his daughter at Minneapolis.

David Cunningham and W. L. Gildersleeve were Sioux City visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. C. A. Chace and daughter, Marguerite, were visitors at Sioux City Wednesday.

Mrs. Kelley who spent Sunday at the P. Pryor home, went to Winside for a visit.

New fall tailored and ready to wear hats now in at Miss Temple's millinery department.

Miss Nettie Nelson of Oakland came Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Elming, at this place.

G. Louis and wife from Fairview, S. D., have been here visiting at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Dixon.

Miss Fay Britton left Sunday to resume her school work at North Platte, where she has taught several years most successfully.

Henry Cozad and L. L. Way were visitors at Omaha Wednesday, returning in a new E. M. F. car which Mr. Cozad purchased.

There will be a regular meeting of the Eastern Star next Monday evening, September 9. All members requested to be present.

August 9th was FREE DAY. Bring in your cash tickets of that date and get your money back. Leahy's Drug Store.

E. H. Whitney and wife from Hartington, returned home Wednesday after a visit at the home of his nephew at this place. Frank Whitney.

Wm. House went to Foster the first of the week to visit his daughters and look after some land he has in that vicinity. He will return this week.

Mrs. C. L. Woodruff from Laurel has been here visiting at several of the Gildersleeve homes, to whom she is related. She returned Wednesday.

"Star Brand Shoes are Better." Soft and good work shoes are going higher October 1st. Get yours this month and save money. GAMBLE & SENTER.

M. C. Jordan and wife and two little sons of Chapin precinct were in town Monday, doing some shopping and visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pryor.

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Mrs. E. Fernell is home from an eight-week vacation trip.

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Herald Blair went to Sioux City this morning to visit relatives.

F. S. Berry was at Tekamah Wednesday on a business mission.

Phil H. Kohl is looking after business in the Dakotas this week.

Henry Gardner and wife are visiting relatives at Emerson today.

Be safe by using the Zigler neckyoke center. E. C. Perkins is agent.

Miss Effie Wallace went to Omaha this morning for a visit of a few days.

Mrs. Henry Ley arrived home Tuesday from a visit at and near Minneapolis.

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K. G. Johnson, who was here for six weeks with the Auto Washer, has gone to Leon, Iowa.

The Zigler neckyoke center is a safeguard in case of accident. See E. C. Perkins about them at his blacksmith shop.

M. F. Jones and wife have gone to Page to visit the home of George Cerr and wife for a week or so, parents of the lady.

J. R. Mulloy is now here from Fremont assisting the work at the Blair & Mulloy clothing store in which he is interested.

O. P. Depew went to Omaha the first of the week, accompanying his daughter, Miss Adury, who goes there to attend school.

Leslie Crockett returned to Lincoln Sunday to complete his course in business college, after visiting home folks here for three weeks.

C. S. Peters and wife, who were here part of Chautauqua week visiting at the home of the lady's brother, Dr. Blair, returned home Saturday.

Miss Edna Edmondson of Bedford, Iowa, returned to her home last week, after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Thompson near Wayne.

Miss Dora Lewis has returned to her school work at Plainview where she has been teaching, after spending the summer vacation with home folks here.

Miss Mildred Gow was here from Norfolk Wednesday visiting her grandfather, S. Temple, and making a few needed purchases from Wayne merchants.

C. A. Chace & Co., will hereafter carry a complete line of cement blocks. If in need of this material for any line of work don't fail to get their prices.

Henry Kropp, democratic nominee for representative from Cedar county made brief call last Thursday while attending chautauqua at Wayne. His home is near Hartington.

Mrs. C. D. Briggs from Atchison, Kansas, who has been here visiting at the home of her brother, Dr. Zoll, left this morning for her home. Mrs. Zoll accompanied her as far as Sioux City.

W. B. Vail, wife and brother and wife, the latter from Norfolk, are spending this week in Iowa and Minnesota where they went by car to visit relatives and look after the doctor's farm in Minnesota.

Messrs. Blair & Mulloy are busily engaged in remodeling their store room within, and have a new modern front here ready to install. Their enterprise will make a decided improvement in the place.

Forrest Hughes, clerk of the county court, has gone east for a vacation. He admitted before starting that he would go as far as Emerson, beyond that limit he would not commit himself, but spoke vaguely of Iowa.

Elmer Rogers is visiting relatives at Inman for a few days.

Miss Maude Campbell returned to her home at Ames last week.

Miss Florence Welch is teaching in the Wakefield schools this year.

New fall tailored and ready to wear hats now in at Miss Temple's millinery department.

Mrs. C. W. Shannon, who has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Kemp, returned this morning to her home at Pawnee City.

Harry Lessman, Jas. Grier, John Rosacker, Fred Otte and Harry Sanders went to McIntosh county, North Dakota, Monday, where they have land, to see how things are coming on with their possessions.

The Crystal Theatre will start at 7:30 commencing Saturday evening. Matinee every Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30. A good chance for the farmers and children to see the program. I. E. Ellis, Prop.

Clyde Oman and wife and J. J. Ahern and wife from this place are enjoying an outing at Lake Okoboji this week. They went over by automobile, and were met there by John Ahern and wife of Chicago, who are with them for the week.

Mrs. H. Worth from northeast of Wayne, who was at a Sioux City hospital last spring for an operation for a tumorous growth, returned Tuesday for further treatment. She will be at the Samaritan. Numerous friends hope that she returns permanently cured.

Alfred Hess and family, accompanied by Mrs. Louie Hess, all from Ida Grove, Iowa, came last week to visit at the home of his father-in-law, R. H. Hansen. Mr. Hess and his sister-in-law returned this week, but his wife and children will remain for a two-weeks visit with her parents. They came by automobile.

O. T. McKay, who has been engaged at the Boyd barber shop during the summer, left with his family Tuesday for Luverne, Minnesota, where he has been engaged to take charge of a 3-chair shop. He is a good workman and will please in his new place, as he has here. His chair at the Wayne shop will be taken by Clarence Mitchell from Carroll.

Miss Mabel A. Dayton, who has been spending the summer with her parents at Wayne, left the first of the week to resume work at Tulara, California, where she has been engaged as teacher for several seasons. She planned to stop at Lincoln and visit relatives and attend the unveiling of the Lincoln monument at that place, then visit a short time at Los Angeles before her school work begins.

Aug. Wittler has purchased through the Johnson & Duerig agency the 80-acre farm of B. J. DeLaney near Wayne for \$125 per acre. This land has advanced in price quite rapidly, and will no doubt go higher, for the value of this good land about Wayne is only beginning to be discovered. Elsewhere we give a few farm notes of a local nature which tell what is expected from Wayne county farms this season.

In attempting to report the business session of the old settler's association last week we unintentionally omitted to name the president, A. J. Ferguson, having been elected to that office, and the vice president has had the glory of seeming to be president for the period of one week. Mr. Ferguson kindly forgave us and we are glad to place the title where it belongs. We wish also to state that the new officers are already beginning to arrange for a rousing meeting of the old settlers next year. In fact, they are considering the idea of a vacation. He admitted before "home-coming" week, with the old settler day for the star attraction. The old settlers should plan a big day and the younger settlers will all be boosters.

Wm. Von Seggern is very ill at his home with typhoid fever, a nurse being in charge.

G. G. Porter was here from Bloomfield Wednesday looking after his property on upper Main street.

Ed Curray, who has been here in the employ of the telephone company for the past year or more, has moved with his wife to Pueblo, Colorado.

Mrs. Johnson came Wednesday evening from Oakland to visit her husband, who is telegraph operator here, and look for a house so that they may move here.

J. B. Gossard went to Sioux City Sunday, and Monday underwent a successful operation for appendicitis. His father, A. P. Gossard, went down Monday and was with him a day or two and went on to visit in Minnesota. The young man is doing well according to last reports.

Geo. Harrfeldt has been here a few days from Ashton, Idaho. He formerly lived here, and was once one of the county commissioners of this county. He and his brother are now farming extensively in their new home, having a ranch of 3,000 acres, mostly in wheat.

A hunting party composed of Rollie Ley, Geo. Lamberson and Geo. Stringer left the first of the week on a trip west, and it is their purpose to officially notify the prairie chickens that they are not just now under the protection of law. We hope they bag plenty of the birds.

Dr. F. M. Thomas, who practiced so many years here, writes from Salisbury, North Carolina, asking that the Democrat be sent to him at that place. He has been at Augusta, Georgia, since leaving here until now. He reports good business in his new home, and that they like it very well there.

U. S. Conn, wife and daughter and W. D. Redmond went to Lincoln the first of the week to attend the state fair. President Conn also attended the regular meeting of the Board of Education. Prof. E. E. Lackey went to Lincoln Sunday to spend a few days at the fair. He returned Wednesday evening, accompanied by Mrs. Lackey who had been away for a vacation.

Among The Churches of Wayne

Presbyterian Church
(Rev. Alexander Corkey, Pastor)

"Seventy Five Years Old" will be the theme of the sermon at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning. In the prelude the pastor will discuss the harm and the good of "That Printer of Udell's." In the evening the second sermon in the series on Bible Portraits will be given. The subject will be "Mrs. Zebedee and Her Ambition." The Chautauqua Vesper Service Leaflet will be used.

The young people of the church will hold an important meeting next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Bernice Moler will give a report of her week at the Summer School at Storm Lake, Iowa, and steps will be taken to re-organize the work of the young people of the church.

The Sunday school of the church begins at 10 a. m., the three departments of the school meeting separately. The morning preaching service begins at 11 o'clock, and the evening service at 8 o'clock.

The Presbytery of Niobrara meets at O'Neill on Tuesday, September 17th. Mr. F. G. Philleo has been elected as delegate to represent the local church along with the pastor. Sabbath, September 29th, has been designated as Rally Day for the church and Sunday school. Special exercises and a roll call of the membership will mark the observance of the day.

Baptist Church
(Rev. B. P. Richardson, Pastor)

The Association held at Norfolk last week was an unusually good one. Fine interest was shown in all departments of church work. The reports from the churches were encouraging. The work at Pilger has been revived and has a hopeful future. Our Bro. Alter was re-elected moderator, and Carroll chosen as the next place of meeting. Our church was represented by twelve delegates.

Sunday morning the pastor will preach at 10:45 on the theme "The Goodness and the Severity of God." The evening sermon will be short as it is our purpose to make the song service very prominent during these evenings.

A large crowd of young people

attended the meeting last Sunday. We are hopeful of splendid work in this department.

On next Wednesday evening the deferred annual election of church officers will be held. This will be therefore, a most important meeting. It means much for our work. The committee to arrange for our state convention have been appointed as follows:

Reception—Mr. Henney.
Registration—Mr. I. W. Alter.
Assignment—S. R. Theobald.
Music—Prof. Davies.

These are each assisted by some active helpers. We cordially invite any strangers to make their church home with us.

Methodist Church
(Rev. Wm. Gorst, Pastor)

"Where we get the membership of the church" will be the topic discussed at the morning service next Sunday.

In the evening the pastor will discuss "A Bible Type of Deafness" but for the most part prefers to speak to such as can hear.

The doors of the church will be open for the reception of members on Sunday morning, September 15th, and people will be received both by certificate and on profession of Faith.

Two more Sundays bring us again to the annual conference. Let everybody get in with their "Budget" and benevolent contributions. Ours is an honorable and honored church and its honor is now in the balance along with every other church of the conference in the critical days preceding the annual session. We will keep our record good.

C. W. Salsberry and wife returned the fore part of the week from their wedding trip and will reside for a time in the Cunningham house, and later move to the place now occupied by Chas. Craven and wife, when they move to their new home.

J. H. Wright has just completed the difficult task of moving the Catholic church at Dixon down one hill and up another, a half mile distance. The building is 30x80 feet, and it was no small undertaking to place in its new position in good condition. The church and school at that place are now together.

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The Renting of Farms
J. W. Froley of the U. S. Department of Agriculture writes to Hoard's Dairyman as follows:
"The interesting article on 'The Renting of Farms' on page 654, issue of May 24th, contains valuable suggestions. An analysis of the subject outlined discloses defects in the haphazard plan of tenant farmers in America that are fundamental. When an owner of a farm in this country rents his farm out he usually places it in the hands of a tenant without restriction as to its use, method of treatment or care, the only stipulation being that a specified share or cash rent shall be paid. This plan of a farm owner placing his holdings in the hands of another party differs only in degree from the money lenders who would lend, without security, a large sum of money to the miscellaneous borrower for use for a specified time for a specified rate of interest. In the ordinary course of events, the farm owner and the money lender both stand to lose in a large percentage of cases.

Nor does the plan of renting followed out in this country, whereby certain restrictions are placed on the tenant as to cropping systems, methods of fertilization, and the handling of manure, etc., differ only in degree from the plan where no restrictions are so placed. These precautions only tend to put off the evil day of the depletion of soil fertility. Nor again is the length of the term of tenancy going to bring relief to the situation, unless the term be made permanent. In certain European countries the evils of tenant farming were attributed to the one year system for renting. When a 21-year system, it was found that tenants would gradually build the farm up for the first 17 or 18 years and run it down the last 3 or 4 years, leaving it in a state of exhaustion at the end of the term of tenancy, no matter what the length of that term might be. If there is no difference, the long term lease is the more undesirable inasmuch as it permits an unscrupulous tenant to exhaust the resources of the farm designedly, effectively and at his leisure. The Office of Farm Management of the Department of Agriculture is studying the tenant problem with especial reference to the contract between the owner and renter. A large amount of data has been collected from tenant farms where no special system of renting is in vogue and this data is being analyzed to discover the percentages of the proceeds of the farm that go to labor, to working capital, and to capital invested in real estate. It is then proposed to compare the results obtained where systems of renting are followed out by owners of large farm estates where it is incumbent on the owner to make such a contract with his tenants as will insure practically permanent tenure. In these latter cases it is found that tenants do not hesitate to make any sort of farm improvements all the way from soil fertility to the erection of the most permanent farm buildings.

Tenants on farms throughout the country maintain and even increase the fertility of the soil where they are given to understand that their contracts are practically permanent. The farms of a large estate of 200,000 acres in Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska are operated on the tenant basis, the tenants in practically all cases furnishing their own fences and farm buildings including even the dwelling houses. It has been found that the owners of large farm estates which are tenanted out under a good system of tenantry usually receive from 3 to 4 per cent interest on the investment value of the estate. This would ordinarily be about the rate of interest their money would bring invested in securities as safe as that in their lands.

In Great Britain, where nearly all farm operations are conducted by tenants, the soil has attained a high degree of fertility. This condition of affairs has been brought about under the law known as the Agricultural Holdings Act whereby every tenant is entitled, at the termination of his lease, to collect from the landlord the value of all unexhausted improvements he has made on the farm, under certain restrictions. In the case of fertilizer, it has been determined just what value remains unexhausted at the end of a series of years after the fertilizer is applied. A means of determining the values of unharvested crops of clover, etc., has been determined. By applying a predetermined rate of depreciation the value of a building constructed by the tenant can be ascertained. The landlord may reimburse himself from his incoming tenant for what he has paid to his outgoing tenant. Under this English law, if the tenant leaves the farm in a poorer condition than it was at the beginning of his tenancy, the landlord is entitled to col-

lect from him to the extent of the damage.
The results of experience in this and in European countries teaches us that there are only two alternatives in tenant farming that prove to be satisfactory in the long run, namely:
1. Properly safeguard the system of farming and make the tenure permanent, or,
2. Make an agreement with the tenant to pay him at the termination of his lease for any unexhausted improvements he may have made during the term of his tenancy.
It would not be practical in this country for the tenure to be made permanent except in rare instances and hence the second alternative is the only feasible plan. To establish such a system uniformly would require legislation by the states; for the protection of the farms, their owners, the tenants, and the consumers at large, such legislation is desirable."

Druggist Deserves Praise
Shulthies' Pharmacy deserves praise from Wayne people for introducing here the simple buckthorn bark and glycerine mixture, known as Andler-i-ka. This simple German remedy first became famous by curing appendicitis and it has now been discovered that A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY.

How a Farmers Wife made Money
Herbert Quick, editor of Farm and Fireside, publishes the following letter from a Missouri woman, in the current issue of his periodical:
"As there are so many today who, like myself, need to make some money in addition to what their husbands can give them, I shall relate my experience, hoping to help someone else solve the money-making problem.
'I bought a sow from an old colored man for three dollars. She was not much but skin and bones, but she was of good stock and soon developed into a nice-looking hog. I had her bred, and in due time she brought nine little pigs. Up to this time I had just fed her on slop, potato-parings, etc. As we kept a cow, sometimes I had a little milk to pour in the slop. After the little pigs came, I began adding a little shipstuff to the slop.
'I raised all the pigs, and then they were old enough to wean, sold seven of them for twenty-one dollars. The two remaining pigs were kept and also the old sow, which continued to feed on slop with just a little shipstuff added, and when fall came, had three fine hogs.
'My husband became interested in the hog-raising scheme and told me he would finish the fattening process with corn, feeding the three for one of them. One must feed corn in finishing the fattening process to have good, solid, fat hogs.
'I accepted my husband's offer, and at killing-time he bought the other young hog, paying me the market price for it, which was ten dollars. I sold the old sow for twelve dollars, which made a total of forty-three dollars in ten and a half months. My expenses were three dollars for the sow and two dollars spent for shipstuff, leaving me a clear profit of thirty-eight dollars. Besides, we had plenty of fresh meat during the winter months and lard enough to last almost a year. The hams we saved for summer, and so our meat-bill was comparatively small during these months.
'Then I became very ill, my illness culminating in an operation from which I am now slowly recovering. With returning health comes the old desire to make "money", so I am starting again with two sow pigs. Could I have remained well and continued my hog-raising, just think what I might have made during the past two years when hogs were selling at such high prices!"

The Tuberculin Test
There are some curious people among those who oppose a regularly organized system and effective law, for the tuberculin testing of cattle. You will hear them declaring in confident tones, that the tuberculin test is being discredited everywhere, and is going out of use. All this in face of the fact that every state in the Union, except Rhode Island, West Virginia, Nevada, Ohio, Illinois and Florida compels a satisfactory test with tuberculin, before cattle can come into their jurisdiction. The railroads and express companies doing an interstate commerce business will not transport cattle from one state to another without a certificate of successful testings. That does not look very much as if the test was going out of use generally. Just why the opponents of the test would seem to wish to deceive themselves as well as others on this question by refusing to look the facts squarely in the face is a puzzle.—Hoard's Dairyman.

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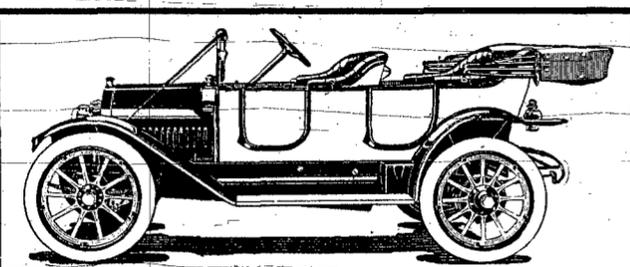


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The Cowards of Peace
For the Public
Patriot: "How many of your boys, Mr. College President, would enlist in the Army if we got into a war with Germany about the Monroe Doctrine?"
College President: "About 80 per cent. of them."
Patriot: "Would they be willing to do that if they knew that it really meant some sacrifice? Suppose they knew that they were all going to give up two years of their time, and that one-fifth of them would never get home again. Do you think they would do just the same?"
College President: "I am sure they would. Our young men in college and out of it are fine fellows, a brave and patriotic lot, and you will find them ready to make sacrifices for their country in time of need."
Patriot: "Now, Mr. President, you know much of history. Tell me, what is it that has most often caused the downfall of nations. Is it foreign armies pounding at their boundaries, or is it graft, injustice, greed and oppression within?"
College President: "Much reading of history has convinced me that a nation sound within is in about as much danger from foreign enemies as a healthy man is from the microbes that meet him every hour. Undermine the man's health, and he catches every disease that comes. Fix a nation within so that the plain two-headed man has not a fair show, and you pave the way for the conqueror from without. It is not bayonets that overthrow nations, but graft, injustice, greed and oppression—inequality of opportunity among the people."
Patriot: "Will our young men sacrifice as much to drive out inequality of opportunity which is here as they would to beat the Germans who are not here?"
College President: "Sir, that is a very direct question. We preach to our young men a great deal; they mean well, they are fine fellows, but most of them will soon be getting salaries and dividends out of Special Privileges—Tories, I fear; and if the truth must be told, they will not fight for the command within as they would fight the Germans without."
Patriot: "Then these are the Cowards of Peace."
J. RUSSELL SMITH.

Ignorant Dairy Farmers
We mean the farmer who is ignorant of the production of his cows. Do you know that there is a great host of such farmers? Every one of our agents who take the cow censuses will tell you that the farmers they visited were in ignorance of the yield per cow of their herds until the agent worked it out from the creamery books. Then, in many cases, they were greatly astonished at the low figures. They supposed really that the earnings were more says Hoard's Dairyman.
How can farmers rest content in such ignorance? It is the cause of all their lack of good profit.
One old farmer said to one of our cow census agents the other day:
"Do you know that that report you made of my herd first made me mad but when I went to the creamery books I found you were right. I felt pretty foolish over such a condition of things. You won't catch me in that way again. I am going to have a good dairy herd."
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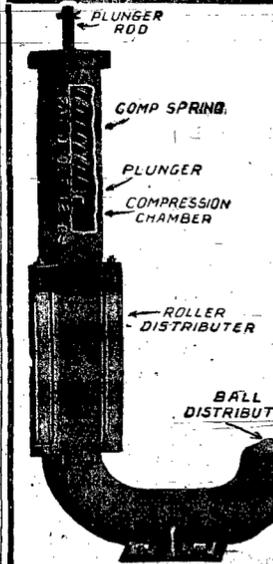
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SELECTING SEED CORN

Matter of Great Importance to the Farmer

Field Selection of Seed Corn is the Keynote to Successful Corn Breeding—Select the Ears in the Field (Reply to Jacob H. Marshburn, Catherine Lake, North Carolina.)

We are delighted to know that you are interested in the breeding of good seed corn. Next to the better and more thorough preparation of the soil, the proper selection and production of seed corn is the work most needed in the south. The variety tests at the Experiment Stations show that of twelve of the leading varieties of corn tested, the difference between the highest and lowest yield per acre on the same kind of soil with identical fertilization and cultivation was 15.2 bu. We fully believe that the average yield of corn in the south can be increased more than twenty-five per cent by planting prolific seed instead of seed that has run out. "Like produces like."

It will probably be best for you to buy the best seed from some reputable breeder in your section and then learn the best scientific methods to further improve the seed. The buying of the best seed from some reputable breeder in your section will save you several years of labor and expense in breeding up the seed. However, you can, by following instructions, rapidly breed up your own corn.

First, select stalks that bear the ears at a moderate height on the stalks for the reasons that it is difficult to gather ears too high and the stalk is apt to be top heavy and easily blown down by winds.

Second, select stalks of medium size, gradually tapering from base to tassel.

Third, with large eared varieties, no stalks that have more than two ears should be selected, and an effort should be made to select some stalks that have two ears and some that have one.

Fourth, the leaves should be broad and strong, from twelve to sixteen in number, and well distributed on the stalk.

Fifth, the stalks should be well anchored by numerous strong base roots from one to two joints above the ground to enable to withstand winds. Stalks free from suckers should be selected as far as possible.

Sixth, detassel all weak stalks and stalks growing only nubbins or no ears at all just before the silks begin to show in good number. This will prevent fertilization by inferior stalks.

Seventh, the ear should be cylindrical or nearly so. It should be full and strong in the middle portion and the circumference should be approximately three-quarters of its length. The shuck should be heavy and well extended over the end of the ear and closely gathered about the silk. The shank that bears the ear should be long enough to permit the ear to droop at maturity.

Eighth, from ten to thirty times as many ears should be selected as will be necessary to plant next year's crops.

Ninth, it is best to select and pick the seed corn in the field before the first frost. The seed ears should be placed where they will be kept dry, and where they will be protected from damage by weevils, rats, etc.

Tenth, during the winter remove the shucks from the ears of corn and select the necessary number of the best ears to plant in the spring. The rows of kernels should be straight, and not less than sixteen nor more than twenty-two in number. The ear should be from eight to ten and a half inches long. The color of grain should be true to variety. White corn should have white cobs and yellow corn red cobs. The tip should not be too tapered. It should be well covered with straight rows of regular kernels of uniform size and shape. The rows of kernels should extend in regular order over the butt end of the cob, leaving a depression where the shank is removed. The tips of the kernels should be full and strong, leaving no space between them near the cob. The kernels should be about five-sixteenths of an inch wide by five-eighths of an inch long, and about six to the inch in the row.

It is a good plan to have a special seed patch and plant say twenty-five of the best ears in this patch. Each ear should be planted in a row without mixing with any other ear. Twenty-five rows planted in this way will be sufficient for the average farmer. At maturity, harvest each row separately and weigh the yields. Select the ears for next year's seed patch from the rows that give the highest yields, and the remaining portion of the rows of highest yield are used for planting the field crop. And so the work should be continued from year to year.

Yours very truly,
I. H. C. SERVICE BUREAU.
The Democrat for job printing.

DISK HARROW; BERMUDA GRASS

The Disk Harrow is Indispensable and Should Be on Every Southern Farm (Reply to F. L. Webb, Lee Hall, Va.)

You can not invest the same amount of money to better advantage than by purchasing a good disk harrow.

The difference in the working of a cutaway and a solid disk is that the cutaway penetrates the ground much deeper and throws it up in a much coarser condition than the solid disk. The solid disk pulverizes the soil much better.

The double disk harrow is desirable for farmers who wish to do two diskings at the same time. The front harrow can be set to out-throw and the rear harrow to in-throw. This will thoroughly pulverize the soil and leave the field level. The main advantage of the double disk harrow is that if you desire to use the regular disk, you can remove the rear attachment very quickly and easily.

This will depend on the nature of the soil, the angle given the disks, and the weight of the man on the harrow. As a rule, it is not advisable to purchase a disk harrow with more than eight 16-inch disks for use on a three-horse farm.

Bermuda grass will probably make a good pasture on your land. The Rhode Island bent (Agrostis Canina), creeping bent (Agrostis Stolonifera), and common reedtop (Agrostis Vulgaris), form one of the most dense sods known. The chief value of these grasses is for pasture. They are especially valuable for making pastures in sandy, moist places. The following mixtures are frequently used in your section of the country:

- (1) Timothy, 16 pounds; reedtop, 16 pounds; red clover, 4 pounds—per acre.
- (2) Reedtop, 13 pounds; orchard grass, 18 pounds; meadow fescue, 9 pounds; and red clover, 4 pounds—per acre.
- (3) Tall oat grass, 28 pounds; and red clover, 8 pounds—per acre.

The arsenical solution is used by the United States Department of Agriculture and is probably the best solution to use. Write Dr. A. J. Kiernan, Federal Building, Nashville, Tenn., for bulletins on the eradication of the cattle tick, the extermination of fleas, lice, etc.

The mangels should be pulled before heavy frosts, the leaves cut off to within an inch of the crowns and the roots stored in a cool cellar or in pits in the ground, and covered over with straw and earth deep enough to prevent freezing. It is not advisable to feed your stock on frozen mangels.
I. H. C. SERVICE BUREAU.

SQUARE SILOS.

Ira Wampler, Carthage, Missouri, writes as follows: "I wish to build a square silo in one corner of my barn, but do not know the best way to proceed. Any information you can give will be appreciated."

The square silo is fast going out of use, because of the difficulty in constructing same in such a way as to make it profitable. Several years ago, or in other words, when silo building was in its infancy, a good many square silos were constructed, but they were soon abandoned for several reasons, mainly because it was impossible to prevent leaking at the sides, and second, the silage spoiled in the corners. The next step of advancement was to board up the corners, which made the silo more of a round structure, and the latest development has been the round silo, which is considered far superior to the square type of construction.

We are sending you under separate cover our farm barn plans, and you will note that there is a plan for a silo. This is a concrete silo, which is similar to many that are being built in various sections of the corn belt. When properly constructed, the concrete silo is more permanent than the wooden silos, and preserves the silage equally as well as the other types. The first cost may be a little bit more, but the permanency offsets this objection. There is another type of silo which is being built very extensively throughout Iowa, which is known as the Iowa silo, and is built of hollow tile or hollow building blocks. For further information on this silo, we suggest that you write to Professor M. L. King, Ames, Iowa.

SEVEN COMMANDMENTS OF ALFALFA GROWING.

- Thou shalt not sow alfalfa seed on wet or undrained land.
- Thou shalt not sow alfalfa seed on acid or sour land, but shalt apply calcium in the form of lime, or ground limestone rock.
- Thou shalt supply alfalfa land with an abundance of stable manure.
- Thou shalt thoroughly prepare the alfalfa seed bed.
- Thou shalt sow only good alfalfa seed, free from noxious weeds.
- Thou shalt inoculate the soil if thou wouldst reap the best benefits from the alfalfa crop.
- Thou shalt not sow in late fall, if thou wouldst obtain a creditable stand.

LIME FOR SOILS

Crop Growth Indicative of Condition of the Soil—Lime is Important for Growing Leguminous Crops—Manure Spreader May Be Used for Applying Lime

Mr. O. C. Rostel, Marble, Washington, writes as follows: "Please let me know if our mountains of lime rock here in Stevens county could be utilized for commercial fertilizer by grinding it fine without first burning."

Unburned but finely ground limestone is best for correcting soil acidity. The use of lime on soils is beneficial in places where calcium is deficient. Some crops require more calcium than others. This is especially true of clovers, alfalfa, and other leguminous crops.

Whether the soil requires calcium depends upon its condition, and this can be determined by one of two methods—either by a close examination of the plant growth or by the use of litmus paper. If you find horse sorrel present in large quantities it indicates that your soil requires calcium; also, if clovers do not grow well that is an indication that calcium is lacking.

By the use of litmus papers, which may be purchased at almost any drug store, you will be able to determine whether your soil is acid. Take a small quantity of moist soil and press it around the paper for ten or fifteen minutes. If the blue paper is turned to a pinkish or reddish color, it will indicate that your soil is acid and an application of lime will be beneficial.

There are several (at least ten) forms of commercial lime on the market. The best form to use is finely ground limestone. First, because it is cheapest, and, second, the effect on the humus is not so serious as with other forms of lime—especially caustic or quick lime. The action of finely ground limestone in its attack on the vegetable matter is less noticeable than with other forms of lime. The amounts to apply depend on how badly your soil requires calcium, and also upon the available supply of limestone. We have known of instances where as high as eight tons have been applied to the acre with good results, and as low as a ton or a ton and a half has been used very satisfactorily. The usual amount varies from three to six tons to the acre. This material should be supplied to the surface after the seed bed is prepared, and harrowed in by the use of a peg-tooth or disk harrow. It may be scattered by the use of a manure spreader; in fact, this is the usual machine for applying finely ground limestone.

DESTROYING GRASSHOPPERS

Reply to Jacob Mathiason, Walnut Grove, Minn. "Please send me by mail directions for killing grasshoppers."

Before attempting to give a remedy for the grasshopper plague, a few words in regard to its early stages of growth will not be out of place. In order for the grasshopper to multiply to any extent, the soil in which the eggs are laid must be undisturbed and there must be an abundance of food available. The most favorable condition for grasshopper development seems to be found in the alfalfa sections of the west. Where it is possible, one of the best preventive measures is to cultivate the ground. The soil need not be disturbed below the first two inches of surface, for most of the eggs are deposited very shallow. We fully realize that in many cases this cannot be done so as to completely destroy the grasshopper, but where it is possible to plow and cultivate in the fall, the number can be greatly decreased.

There are two ways of destroying the adult or grown grasshopper. One is by the use of the hopper dozer. Various forms are in use, but one that has given very good satisfaction can be built of sheet iron, ten or twelve feet long, and about twenty-six inches wide, with a board across the back, against which the grasshoppers will fly and then fall into the bottom of the hopper dozer. The bottom of the hopper dozer should be made water tight, so that a quantity of water may be poured into it, also a small quantity of kerosene. The hopper dozer should be mounted on low skids or small wheels and drawn by one or more horses. The grasshoppers will be collected in the hopper dozer and killed by coming in contact with the kerosene. This whole structure is rather inexpensive, and has proved a very good method of destroying the grasshopper.

The bureau of entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture has recommended a poisoned bait, which is known as the "criddle mixture," and has given very good results in some sections. The mixture is made as follows:

One-half barrel fresh horse droppings, in which is mixed one pound each of salt and paris green. If the droppings are not fresh, the salt is dissolved in water and mixed with the manure and poison.

Then this mixture is scattered freely about where the grasshoppers are abundant. Dr. Fletcher, entomologist for the Dominion of Canada, cites an instance where this poison mixture was scattered around a portion of the field, with the result that this portion stayed green while the grasshoppers seriously injured other parts of the same field. The criddle mixture has been preferred to other brands of poison because its effect on other forms of animal life is not so serious.

Before the frost is the time to prepare for next year's crop by selecting seed corn in the field.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Board of equalization met as per adjournment. All members present. The total assessed valuation of the county is found to be \$5,570,612.10. The following levies have been reported by the state department:

General fund 4 mills
University fund 1 mill
State aid bridge fund 1.5 mill

Total 5 1.5 mills

The cities and villages reported levies as follows:

Wayne:
General fund 10 mills
To maintain and improve electric light system 5 mills
To maintain parks 1 1-2 mills
To maintain library 2 1-2 mills

For interest on city hall bonds 2 mills
For interest on refunding water bonds 2 mills
To maintain and repair sewer 2 mills

Total 25 mills

Winside:
General fund 8 mills
Water fund 12 mills
Light fund 4 mills
Library fund 2 mills

Total 26 mills

Carroll:
General fund 10 mills
Interest on water bonds 12 1-2 mills
Library fund 1 1-2 mills
Maintenance of water works system 5 mills

Total 29 mills

Hoskins:
General fund 10 mills

Total 10 mills

County board proceeded to the making of county levies for county purposes which are as follows:

General fund 5 mills
Bridge fund 3 1-2 mills
Bond fund 1-2 mill
Road fund 2 mills
Emergency bridge fund 4 1-2 mills

Total 11 4-5 mills

A levy of one mill is hereby placed upon the taxable property of Garfield precinct for the benefit of the road districts of that precinct.

A levy of one mill is hereby placed upon the taxable property of Hoskins precinct for the benefit of the road districts of that precinct.

Board proceeded to the making of the school district levies which are as follows:

No.	General	Bond	High School
1	8 1-4		1 1-2
2	14		
3	11 1-2		
4	11 1-2		
5	5 1-2		
6	9		
7	7 1-2		
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37	8 1-4		
38	16 1-2		1 1-2
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Winside Notes

NINA B. ECKER

Edits the Winside Letter, and will appreciate any aid extended in gathering the news for this department. She is authorized to accept and receipt for subscriptions—new or renewals or contract advertising.

Herb Lound returned from Colorado Tuesday.
Earl Doughty was a Winside visitor Saturday.

L. S. Needham was over from Norfolk Saturday.
Mrs. Thomas Moran was over from Wayne Monday.

Rudolph Shultz was a business visitor at Norfolk Thursday.

J. H. Prescott and family autoed to Wayne Thursday afternoon.

Perry Benschhof was sight seeing up in Bennett county last week.

A. H. Carter took in most of the ball games at Wayne last week.

Fred Ulrich visited Wayne Saturday to get dental work done.

Charlie Kieffer returned to Winside Saturday night from Arkansas.

Messrs. G. E. French and F. S. Tracy autoed to Norfolk Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ulrich visited Wayne between trains Tuesday.

Robert Olds and wife attended the Stanton county fair last Friday.

A. T. Waddell has secured a position in an elevator at Hoskins.

Miss Cora Weible returned from an extended visit in Missouri last Friday.

Mrs. Amos Fetzer and daughter, Ruth, were in Wayne Saturday afternoon.

Will Olmstead of Carroll paid our little village a visit Saturday afternoon.

Herman Bronzinski and wife visited friends at Norfolk over the Sabbath.

Harry Rehlow was here from Hoskins Saturday night to attend the dance.

Miss Blanche Miller visited her aunt, Mrs. Shaw, at Norfolk Friday night.

Bert Brown was looking after his farming interests near Winside last Friday.

H. C. Bartels and Jas. Stanton of Wayne were Winside visitors last Friday.

Frank Mattia was a business visitor at Rosalie, Neb., the first of the week.

Mrs. Dora McCabe was in Wayne two or three days this week visiting relatives.

Phil Kohl and family of Wayne were guests at the F. S. Tracy home Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Clayton and friend, Mrs. Walter Bell, visited Wayne last Thursday.

H. G. Smith left for Alamosa, Colo., Sunday with some prospective land buyers.

Mrs. Roy Fisher left for Lincoln Tuesday to join her husband at the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery have returned from California. They will live at Pilger.

Mrs. Peterson and daughter, Mrs. Christenson visited in Wayne Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Needham and daughter, Ruth, were Winside visitors at Wayne Thursday.

Louis Schnieder of Marshalltown, Iowa, was a guest at the G. A. Bleich home Monday.

Mrs. Max of Norfolk visited several days at the Herman Bronzinski home last week.

Mrs. F. S. Tracy visited Wayne relatives Thursday afternoon and attended the chautauqua.

George Sweiggard and wife returned Monday from a visit in Omaha and Council Bluffs.

Mrs. H. G. Smith went to Wakefield last Saturday and visited relatives over the Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ulrich went to Ainsworth the latter part of last week for a few days' visit.

Mesdames Henderson and McMakin attended the chautauqua at Wayne Thursday afternoon.

Hazel Lyons left yesterday for O'Neill to take up her studies in a sister school at that place.

The dance Saturday night was attended by over thirty couples and a splendid time is reported.

Miss Anna Martiny left for Newcastle Sunday to take up her duties in the Newcastle schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bronzinski left for Hay Springs, Neb., Sunday to look after business interests.

Mrs. M. Martiny and daughter, Anna, went to Hoskins Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Green.

Mrs. Chris Rushman has gone to Wessington, S. D., to visit her son, Hans. Mr. Rushman accompanied her to Sioux City.

Harr Tidrick and family and A. H. Carter were among the Winside "fans" at the Wayne-Carroll ball game.

Mrs. A. T. Chapin and Miss Tom Chapin, her daughter, went to Sioux City Friday, returning the same day.

Bert Templin of this place and Otto Grubber of Hoskins left for Alamosa, Cal., the latter part of last week.

E. E. Olds of Omaha visited his son, Robert, and family last week and then went on to Lincoln to attend the fair.

Mrs. Durkie and Mrs. Tom Johnson helped to swell the crowd that attended the Wayne chautauqua last Thursday.

Miss Agnes Allen of Russellville, Kentucky, was a visitor at the home of her cousin, F. S. Tracy, over the Sabbath.

The Stanton fair was pretty well patronized by Winside people last week. A large number were in attendance Friday.

Miss Val Ecker came over from Norfolk Saturday afternoon and visited her parents and sister until Sunday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Reise and daughter came over from Wayne Friday to visit at the home of Mrs. Reise's mother, Mrs. Peterson.

Mrs. E. Mettlen, who has been visiting at the home of her son, Frank Mettlen, for some time, left for Laurel last Friday.

S. H. Rew visited his wife again at Omaha over Sunday. It is now thought that she will be able to return in about a week.

Mrs. Landruth, visited her nephews, Ed and Henry Lucas, of Winside last week. Mrs. Landruth resides at Belden, Neb.

Mrs. Cline and children of Omaha, left for their home Tuesday, after a two weeks visit at the home of Mrs. Cline's aunt, Mrs. E. W. Cullen.

Miss Marion Mannion has returned to Fairbanks, Iowa, to continue school work. She was accompanied as far as Sioux City by her parents.

Henry Hammond and sister, who have been guests at the John Boock home for the past two weeks, returned to their home at Manilla, Iowa, Tuesday.

Mrs. Louie Needham went to Emerson Saturday to visit home folks, accompanied by her little brother who has been living with her this summer.

W. M. Roberts returned Saturday evening from Savanna, Ill., where he was called on account of the illness of his father, whom he reports improving.

Frank Weible, Hans Mumm, John Boock, A. H. Carter and E. W. Cullen made up an auto load who attended the funeral of Chas. Green at Hoskins Friday.

Albert Press has succeeded Raymond Fetzer in the Lantz Drug store. Raymond has been the obliging and polite clerk all through vacation and only leaves the store to again attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner and children of Hanover, Kansas, visited at the home of Mrs. Warner's brother, Charlie Koles last week and left for their home Thursday.

Miss Truax, a trained nurse, is now taking care of Grandma Hayes, who we are pleased to report is recovering nicely from the accident which recently befell her.

Mrs. M. Kieffer and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Kieffer's parents in Arkansas for several weeks, returned to her home in Winside Saturday evening.

After a few weeks visit with relatives in this vicinity Mrs. Ed Delfs left for her home at Long Pine last Thursday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Jerry Jurgenson.

John Davis and wife and son, Walter, and wife, returned the first of last week from an auto trip to Fremont, where they visited relatives. They report a delightful time.

G. A. Bleich and family and Herman Fleer and family went to Laurel in Mr. Bleich's car last Sunday morning, returning in the evening after a pleasant visit with relatives at that place.

Two or three sheets of important items arrived after papers were printed last week, which made the Winside items in the Democrat look rather slim. We hope however, this will not happen again.

Will Reed, who was here visiting his sister, Mrs. I. O. Brown, left for his home at St. Joe, Illinois, last Saturday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Oscar Ramsey, his stepdaughter, who will visit relatives and old-time friends at that place for a week or ten days.

Frank Weible was an Emerson business visitor Monday.

Mrs. Weisgerber of Sioux City visited at the Herscheid home over the Sabbath.

G. A. Mittlestadt and Walter Gaebler attended a Masonic meeting at Norfolk Tuesday night.

Miss Olga Johnson teaches near Verdell, Neb., the coming season and left for that place last Friday.

Mrs. C. Damm of Burger, Mo., is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Weible and other relatives.

Irving Fisher of Red Oak, Iowa, was here a few days last week, a guest at the home of his brother, Roy Fisher.

Tom Pryor and Mark Swihart accompanied Iver Prince in his auto to Lincoln this week to attend the state fair.

John Prince, E. Heilman, Elmer Downey and W. A. Peterson left yesterday morning in the latter's car for the Lincoln state fair.

The writer is sorry to report that R. H. Morrow shows little improvement since last week. A trained nurse is taking care of him.

Mrs. B. M. McIntyre returned home Tuesday evening from an Omaha hospital. The writer is pleased to report her getting along nicely.

Curtis Benschhof and family arrived yesterday morning from California where they went last spring. Mr. Benschhof prefers Nebraska as a place to live.

Dr. Cherry, who recently sold his practice here in Winside, will retire from active duty in his profession for a couple of years and after settling up his business affairs will go to Arkansas and southern California to spend the winter.

People were reminded Tuesday that the prairie chicken season had opened, when I. O. Brown, W. C. Lowry and Walter Peterson donned hunting suits and with guns and a dog, started out with "anticipating" expressions. What the "realization" was we did not learn.

The ladies' country club had a most enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Pinnon just north of town yesterday afternoon. The delicious fried chicken along with the other good things served as lunch, only makes the writer wish that she was a member of this society.

Roy Fisher left on Friday for Lincoln and the state fair with a number of his famous thoroughbred Hampshire hogs. Mr. Fisher carried off some of the best prizes at the state fair last year and no doubt will again be as successful with his stock this year, for they are beauties.

Mrs. Durkee will leave today for her home at Philip, S. D. Mr. and Mrs. Durkee have spent the most of the summer in Winside while the former played ball for the Winside team. He will continue to assist other teams in this vicinity until the baseball season is over before he returns to South Dakota.

After deciding not to teach the coming year, Miss Blanche Miller was induced to reconsider her decision by Supt. Mrs. Littell and take the school in the Herman Rehms district. The teacher hired for this school failed to live up to her agreement, but Miss Miller will no doubt be a most excellent substitute.

The many friends of Miss Elsie Hornby will be sorry to hear of her continued illness. Miss Hornby was operated upon several months ago for an illness of long standing, and it was hoped she would be restored to health, but other complications have arisen, which perhaps will necessitate still more medical aid.

Henry Trautwein, Winside's meat market man, sustained quite a bad accident Monday evening. He was in the cooling room cutting meat and in some manner let the knife slip and nearly put it through his arm. An artery was cut and the hemorrhage was very severe until Dr. McIntyre dressed the wound. He is now carrying his arm in a sling but manages to get around and attend to business.

The public schools opened Monday with a good attendance and the prospects are bright for a successful school year. Prof. Gerald Cress is at the head of the school with Miss Anna Goodchild as assistant principal. Miss Josie Carter has the first and second grades, Miss Nel Bright third and fourth, Miss Gertrude Boyes fifth and sixth and Miss Ida Heer seventh and eighth. Miss Kate Murfree will teach vocal music one day in the week.

Dr. J. G. Neely, who succeeds Dr. Cherry, arrived Wednesday last from Diller, Neb. He came across the country in his auto accompanied by his son. The other members of the family came Friday and they are now keeping house in

the residence owned by John Dimmel, which was recently vacated by the Simans family. Dr. Neely is a pleasant gentleman to meet and comes to Winside with the highest of recommendations. The family consists of the doctor and his wife, one boy and three girls.

A new telephone company has been organized by the farmers south of Winside. It is to be called the Pleasant-Ridge Telephone Co., and Henry Asmus was elected president and Gus Hoffman secretary and treasurer. The new company will start out with eleven subscribers and build about fifteen miles of line. The material will be purchased from the Electric Co., of Omaha and W. A. Mosby, of our local telephone, will superintend the construction of the line and install the phones. Work will begin in about three weeks.

About 1:30 Sunday morning the alarm of fire was given and the fire boys soon had the hose cart to the scene of the fire, which was in the laundry room of the Commercial hotel. Some of the boys who had been to the dance and had returned to the hotel, discovered the fire, which was of an unknown origin, and extinguished the flames without the assistance of the fire company. There were some pretty frightened people in the hotel about that time, as the smoke circulated through the rooms quite badly, but the damage was very slight, only amounting to about ten dollars.

Sholes Items

Guy Root was a Wayne visitor Thursday.

Bessie Grant was a Wayne visitor Wednesday noon.

Mrs. John Davis was a Wayne visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Guy Root and son were passengers to Wayne Monday.

Mrs. G. C. Clark and son, Will, spent Sunday at the W. F. Root home.

Marvin Root and family were visitors at the D. Martin home at Carroll Sunday.

Dan Martin, Jr., of Carroll is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Marvin Root.

Mrs. Carl Hurlbert is visiting at the home of her brother, Bert Robinson this week.

Athol Stevenson accompanied her grandma, Mrs. Koahn to her home at Omaha last week.

Come out and hear Rev. Geo. Sloan at 3:30 Sunday afternoon. Sunday school at 2:30.

M. Thompson of Belden, spent a few days this week with his sister, Mrs. Prof. Brokemeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Root and daughter, Alice, autoed to Randolph Saturday evening.

Olaf Rasmussen of Omaha is visiting at the home of his cousin, Hans, near Belden this week.

Will Hall from Gregory, S. D., arrived here Tuesday for a short visit with friends and relatives.

E. Matternly and John Horn shipped a car load of cattle to South Omaha Monday afternoon.

A. E. McDowell visited relatives in Omaha last week. He also attended the Western Bankers convention.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Root and daughters autoed to Wayne Thursday afternoon and attended the chautauqua at that place.

Mr. Anderson of Blair autoed down to Sholes Wednesday afternoon for a short visit with his cousin, Mrs. A. Matternly.

B. Stevenson, returned Thursday evening from Omaha where he attended the convention of the Western Bankers which was held at that place.

B. Stevenson departed Tuesday morning for Sioux Falls, S. D., where he will spend a few days looking after business interests at that place.

Hans Tietgen had the misfortune to dislocate his knee last Sunday afternoon while playing ball. Hans is limping considerable but thinks he will be in the ring for the game next week.

Mr. Roberts, who lives south of Sholes met with a very exciting as well as dangerous accident Monday evening, when the car he was driving slid into the ditch. He was coasting down the hill north of town, letting his E. M. F. take her own time, and in turning out of the road to pass a frightened team, he turned too far and the rear wheels of his car went off the bank. After vain efforts on the part of Mr. Roberts and his friends to lift the car back into place, they were about to give up, when W. H. Root happened to see them. Knowing they were in need of help he cranked his 35-horse power "Cutting" and went to their assistance. With a strong rope he hitched his car to their disabled car and with one good start of the "Cutting" they were again on firm ground.

Wakefield News.

Robert Patrick spent the carnival week with friends.

J. O. Milligan transacted business in Wayne Monday.

Misses Lena, Tilda and Mabel Johnson visited in Sioux City Sunday.

Miss Bessie Borden of Wahoo is visiting Miss Eva Predmesky this week.

Walter Johnson of Sioux City spent Sunday at the Fred Sandahl home.

Euzelle Martin of Sioux City was the Sunday guest of Clarence Johnson.

J. W. Shellington and Fred Larson were business passengers to Omaha Tuesday.

Miss Venus Learner went to Syracuse Thursday where she will teach the coming year.

George Burgarner came down from Laurel to spend Sunday with his nephew, Oscar Magee.

Miss Florence Welch attended a shower for Miss Kate Gamble at Wayne Wednesday evening.

Mrs. G. A. Sundell and Miss Edith, left Monday for a visit with friends in Essex, Iowa.

Mr. Carl Hogel who has been in the hospital for some time returned from Sioux City Monday.

Miss Esther Hoogner left Tuesday for Wahoo where she will attend school the coming year.

Mrs. Oliver Binderup of Wynot is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Scott.

Mrs. W. C. Paul of Emerson was looking after her farming interests the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mereshon and Mrs. Art Mereshon of Sioux City are visiting at the Henry Crane home.

Miss Anna Kahler of Lyons visited the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Kohlmeier.

Mrs. George Larson of Wiborg, S. D., is visiting her aunts, Mrs. N. C. Henningson and Mrs. A. Matheison.

Miss Jennie Cofer returned Sunday to her home in Omaha after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Henton.

Misses Lorene and Doris Lindberg returned to Omaha Saturday after a visit with their aunt, Mrs. F. L. Donelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Demme, Cecil Demme and Chas. Paul were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Beith during the carnival.

Mrs. E. L. Clark returned to her home in Coleridge Saturday, after a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Rosene.

Miss Eva Nelson, who has been visiting Miss Selma Baxtrom the past month, returned to her home in Omaha Wednesday.

Frank Bordner of Pilger and Miss Lucile Keith of Milwaukee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Leucks Wednesday.

Freeman Johnson and Mrs. W. Johnson of Wausa and Mrs. Bruelin of Hamil, S. D., visited in the Hendrickson home during the carnival.

Misses Alice and Emma Westrand of Omaha who have been spending the week with their brother, W. F. Westrand, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Larson who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. K. Johnson and Mrs. A. E. Childs, returned to their home in Wayne Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Hoogner departed Wednesday morning for Minneapolis for a visit with the former's brother and also to take in the State Fair.

Misses Esther and Emma Hanson returned from Sioux City Saturday. Miss Emma underwent an operation for appendicitis and is improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Goudy of Birdseye, Montana, who have been visiting Wakefield friends the last week left Monday to visit friends at various points in the east.

Emil Carlson and family moved to Morris, Minn., Tuesday, where they will make their future home. Harry Lundquist and Alfred Carlson accompanied them, the latter to look after his farming interests at that place.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union meets Friday, September 6, at 3 p. m., in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church. Every member is requested to be present as there is important business to be considered. All interested are cordially invited.

Walter Carlson and Grace Davis were married at Crystal Lake Wednesday evening. They will be entertained in the Steckleberg cottage a few days before returning to their home in Wakefield. They have the best wishes of their many friends for a happy and successful life.

Rev. Armstrong and son, Robert, of Winnebago, Ill., visited over Sunday with Wakefield friends. They were entertained at the R. H. Mathewson home. Rev. Armstrong filled the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. J. A. Glaze was pleasantly surprised on her birthday by the Loyal Beroans of the Christian church. A most enjoyable evening of visiting was spent and Mrs. Glaze was presented with some pretty dishes. The guests served dainty refreshments.

A large crowd took in the carnival held here the latter part of last week. The First Regimental Band from Bloomfield gave three good concerts daily. The ball games were well attended. The game between Pender and Wakefield was very interesting, resulting in a score of 2 to 1 in favor of the home team. The carnival was a success financially.

Wilbur Precinct.

H. C. Lyons is having a new hog house built.

C. J. Harmeier is building an addition to his house.

H. C. Lyons and family spent Sunday at J. L. Kelly's.

John Lyngen and family were Wayne visitors last Friday.

The Danielson young folks visited Sunday at G. Hoogner's.

School began at Flag Monday with French Penn as teacher.

G. W. Wingett and family visited Sunday at the H. L. Delancy home.

Henry Harmier went to Pisgah, Iowa, last Wednesday to visit friends.

Elmer and Reuben Lyons started to Laurel high school Monday morning.

Nels Lyngen had his knee put out of place last week while shelling corn.

F. Danielson entertained over 50 young people at his home last Wednesday.

Misses Amanda and Alma Danielson returned from Sioux Falls, S. D., last Friday.

Mr. Ed Bruggeman went to Dennison, Iowa, Saturday to visit and join his wife who went last week.

G. W. Wingett and Frank Lyons spent last Wednesday and Thursday with the former's parents at Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Halladay from Vivian, S. D., spent the past week at the home of their son, A. E. Halladay.

Frank O'Gara and family, Mrs. E. Clark and Grandma Asa Clark of Laurel were guests at the A. A. Smith home Sunday.

Hunter Precinct.

C. E. Worth came home from O'Neill Tuesday.

Miss Ada Luer is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mooney.

Ernest Mooney was a passenger to Dakota City Saturday.

Mrs. L. Dougherty visited at the John T. Johnson place Monday.

Mrs. Elfin and Mrs. Brummond visited Mrs. H. J. Worth Monday.

Mrs. Ella Bonawitz is visiting at the H. J. Worth home this week.

Miss Rosette Johnson of Wakefield visited at Louis Johnson's Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Oak and son, Wibert, visited at the H. G. Worth home Sunday.

A crowd of young folks spent Sunday evening at the John Munson home.

Grace Soderberg left for Chicago Monday where she will study missionary work.

A New Discovery

One of the best products of the chemists of the American Drug and Press Association is Meritol Pile Remedy, for both internal and external use, certain in its effect, and a boon to suffering humanity. J. T. Leahy, druggist, Wayne.

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Bilhad's Car.

"Well, Bilhad," said Jimpsonberry, "I suppose, now that you are living out in the country, you have a car."
"Yes," said Bilhad. "That is, my neighbors and I have one together."
"Really?" said Jimpsonberry. "Co-operative arrangement, eh? Not a bad idea. What make is it?"
"Oh, just plain trolley."—Judge.

A Mere Man's Opinion.

"Do you mean to tell me," demanded Mrs. Whackhurst, "that it is a bad thing for a woman to have an aim in life?"
"I do," said Whackhurst, "especially if she's going to throw bricks." She might hit something.—Harper's.